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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public Hearing by the Committee on General Welfare.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Committee on General Welfare of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on THURSDAY, FEB. 21, 1918, at 1.30 P. M., on the following matter:

No. 105—Ord. No. 7. "An Ordinance establishing a Bureau of School Lunches in the Department of Education." This ordinance may be found in the minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Jan. 19, 1918.

All persons interested are invited to attend.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar of Hearings Commencing Feb. 18, 1918.

Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1918—10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2211—Third Avenue Railway Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2212—New York Railways Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2414—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2223—Staten Island Midland Railway Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2224—Richmond Light and Railroad Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 11.30 a. m.—Room 2562—R. T. 7167—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for the completion of construction of Shaft No. 2 of Route No. 26, a part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad"—Whole Commission.

Thursday, Feb. 21, 1918—11 a. m.—Room 2523A—Case No. 2264—Rockaway Electric Railway Company—"Investigation into general conditions"—Commissioner Hervey.

Regular Meeting of the Commission held on Wednesday.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1918.

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.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
137095	10-11-17	11-13-17	Armory Board.	
30640	6-27-17	2- 5-18	A. Pearson's Sons	\$150 00
31924		2- 8-18	A. Pearson's Sons	223 91
			Consolidated Gas Company	50 65
20799	11-30-17	1- 2-18	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.	
			George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	\$79 43
146216	10-31-17	12-10-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	32 00
27250		48511 1-23-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	2,285 09
145893		48511 12- 8-17	Millett, Roe & Hagen, assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	9,160 21
150309		48511 12-20-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	783 99
152063		48511 12-26-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	7,144 63
26080		48511 1-21-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	6,448 94
21131		48511 1- 3-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	802 48
26188		1-21-18	Jessie A. Stowers, Supervising Nurse.	28 71
29878		2- 1-18	William Farrell & Son	1,696 49
26421	11-30-17	1-22-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	33 76
31108		2- 6-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	78 84
31106	12-25-17	2- 6-18	New York Diet Kitchen Association..	36 40
31950		2-11-18	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	45 00
31077		2- 6-18	Edward Cahill	108 00
31086	12-29-17	2- 6-18	Columbus Trust Co., assignee of Granite City Soap Company, Inc.	940 00
31087	1- 2-18	2- 6-18	National Milling and Chemical Company	493 87
31089	1- 2-18	2- 6-18	Claffin's, Inc.	115 34
31094	1-14-18	2- 6-18	Sterling Tire Corporation	222 08
31051	1- 4-18	2- 6-18	National Thermometer Co.	300 00
31114	12-31-17	2- 6-18	Sheffield Farms, Slawson, Decker Co.	395 40
31113		2- 6-18	Westchester Fish Co.	129 91
31126	4-28-17	2- 6-18	E. B. Meyrowitz, Inc.	681 50
31082	1-10-18	2- 6-18	John Bellmann	360 00
31092	11- 2-17		E. Leitz	136 00
31081	1-11-18	2- 6-18	Bleecker & Simons	145 00
31064		2- 6-18	Theo. W. Morris & Co.	140 00
31120		2- 6-18	J. E. Kennedy & Co.	228 43
32433	1- 7-18	2-11-18	Department of Plant and Structures.	
32434	12-27-17	2-11-18	Flatbush Auto Sales Company	\$24 96
32435	12-31-17	2-11-18	K-G Welding and Cutting Co., Inc..	5 50
32379	1- 5-18	2-11-18	Thomas W. Kiley & Co.	18 71
32378	1-31-18	2-11-18	Thomas W. Kiley & Co.	13 76
32380	2- 1-18	2-11-18	Stanley & Patterson	13 37
32716		2-11-18	William Murphy	12 50
33105		2-13-18	Adrian La Forge, Asst. Engr.	4 45
30886	1-10-18	2-15-18	County Court, Queens County.	
30891	1-10-18		Eugene Agnais	\$5 00
30892			Municipal Court of the City of New York.	
30890		2- 6-18	John Wanamaker, New York	\$481 00
		2- 6-18	J. B. Lyon Company	429 00
		2- 6-18	The American Law Book Company ..	106 50
			City Court of The City of New York.	
		2- 6-18	The New York Law Journal	\$208 00
			County Clerk, Richmond County.	
		2- 5-18	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	\$85 05
			County Clerk, Bronx County.	
		2- 4-18	Century Rubber Stamp Works	\$6 10
			Hunter College.	
		2- 6-18	M. J. Roth	\$188 55
		2- 6-18	John A. O'Dowd	138 50
			Board of City Record.	
28171		1-28-18	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	\$18,026 62
32202	11-23-17, 12-11-17	2-11-18	William Bratter & Co.	24 20
32192		2-11-18	Atlas Stationery Corporation	3 93
32439		2-11-18	Atlas Stationery Corporation.....	25 21
32201	1-15-18	2-11-18	William F. Albers.....	5 50
22135			Department of Correction..	
146027		1- 8-18	Albert W. Preston	5 00
		12-10-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corporation	116 90
145432		48511 12- 7-17	Millett, Roe and Hagen, Assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corporation	4,253 62
148777		12-18-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corporation	229 22
22139		48511 1- 8-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy	

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Depart- ment of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Depart- ment of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
27908	48511	1-25-18	of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	4,065 95 4,143 71	33341	2-15-18	2-15-18	The Brooklyn Improvement Co.....	288 00
145425	47497	12- 7-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	537 60	33340	2-15-18	2-15-18	The Brooklyn Improvement Co.....	432 00
27987		1-26-18	Heipershausen Bros.	176 94	33342	2-15-18	2-15-18	C. Henry Offerman or Theodore Offer- man, as attorneys in fact for C. Henry Offerman, Lena Maria Rasch, Anna C. Schmidt, John Offerman and Theodore Offerman	375 00
29642	47600	2- 1-18	Penn Fuel Co.....	2,036 46	33889	2-18-18	2-18-18	New York Life Insurance and Trust Co.....	50,000 00
31520		2- 7-18	J. A. Joel & Co.....	23 76	33335	2-15-18	2-15-18	Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Co., assignee of Dietrich W. Kaatze	56 78
31518		2- 7-18	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	33 75	33335	2-15-18	2-15-18	Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Co., assignee of Dietrich W. Kaatze	1,898 38
31521		2- 7-18	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	90 00	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	625 00
31515		2- 7-18	Department of Correction	48 75	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	300 00
32656			District Attorney, Queens County. 2-13-18 Herman J. D. Grabau.....	133 98	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	100 00
30953			District Attorney, Bronx County. 2- 6-18 William J. Mellin.....	124 50	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	75 00
30947	46701	2- 6-18	New York Telephone Company.....	124 47	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	17 50
32664	1- 8-18		Department of Docks and Ferries. 2-13-18 William Farrell & Son.....	10 05	33584	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for Helen Parrish Brown...	1,382 50
30904	48410	2- 6-18	Lustig & Weil	19,980 00	33585	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	1,125 00
30903	44615	2- 6-18	Post & McCord.....	4,193 55	33585	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	400 00
30916	1-26-18	2- 6-18	Moran Towing & Transportation Co.	204 00	33585	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	125 00
30906	1-31-18	2- 6-18	Acme Foundry Company.....	722 15	33585	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	150 00
31436			Board of Elections. 2- 7-18 M. B. Brown Printing and Binding Co.	49 55	33585	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	17 50
30313	1-26-18		Board of Estimate and Apportionment. 2- 4-18 Meta Photo Co.....	58 00	33385	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	2,682 50
33819			Department of Education. 2-16-18 Rector Church Wardens and Vestry- men of St. Pauls Church in the Village of Morrisania	687 50	33385	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	6,900 00
33818			2-16-18 Strategy Realty Co.....	135 00	33385	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	15,408 35
33820			2-16-18 Matthew A. Husson	125 00	33385	2-15-18	2-15-18	United States Trust Co. of New York as trustee for James C. Parrish, Jr...	599 08
30710	2- 6-17		Department of Finance. 2- 5-18 Record & Guide Co.....	40 00	33018	2-14-18	2-14-18	Max Horr and Mary Horr	3,542 09
29332	12-31-17		1-31-18 Remington Typewriter Company, In- corporated	125 00	33018	2-14-18	2-14-18	Max Horr and Mary Horr	18,925 97
32585			2-13-18 Robt. E. Heslin	30 00	33017	2-14-18	2-14-18	Meyer Mayers and Reuben L. Lester..	567 85
29968	48659	2- 2-18	Fire Department. Indian Refining Co.....	3,304 30	33014	2-14-18	2-14-18	Meyer Mayers and Reuben L. Lester..	912 09
32985		2-14-18	Clarence H. Fay.....	3 00	33015	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Moller	3,000 00
32986		2-14-18	Charles S. Demarest	8 30	33015	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Moller	2,454 84
147606			Department of Health. 12-14-17 George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	33 76	33007	2-14-18	2-14-18	Herman Moller and Caroline Moller...	1,854 65
147607	8-31-17	12-14-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	25 92	33007	2-14-18	2-14-18	Herman Moller and Caroline Moller...	1,000 00
21732	48511	1- 7-18	Millett Roe and Hagen, Assignees and, George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	1,010 13	33012	2-14-18	2-14-18	Herman Moller and Caroline Moller...	553 22
29171	48511	1-30-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	993 67	33012	2-14-18	2-14-18	Margaretha Beuerlein	22,748 58
21733	48511	1- 7-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	992 81	33016	2-14-18	2-14-18	Margaretha Beuerlein	3,288 54
29127		1-30-18	Agent & Warden of Auburn Prison..	703 90	33016	2-14-18	2-14-18	Henry A. Guinzburg	27,418 76
22084	11-30-17	1- 8-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	11 52	33026	2-14-18	2-14-18	Henry A. Guinzburg	6,673 12
27706	12-31-17	1-25-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	4 96	33026	2-14-18	2-14-18	Arthur P. Jenkins	375 00
31886		2- 8-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	5 92	33026	2-14-18	2-14-18	Arthur P. Jenkins	56 78
32290	12- 1-17	2-11-18	Charles Scheidler	25 00	33011	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Matthes and Benedikta Matthes..	1,523 38
32481	1- 4-18	2-11-18	Jamaica Water Supply Co.....	93 87	33011	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Matthes and Benedikta Matthes..	579 35
32269		2-11-18	Charles B. Slade, M. D.	1 21	33011	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Matthes and Benedikta Matthes..	4,200 00
32270	1-15-18	2-11-18	Powers, Weightman, Rosengarten Co.	23	33011	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Matthes and Benedikta Matthes..	170 35
32288		2-11-18	Crown Stamp Works	5 25	33011	2-14-18	2-14-18	John Matthes and Benedikta Matthes..	6,245 05
32480	12-29-17	2-11-18	E. Belcher Hyde	21 50	32778	2-14-18	2-14-18	Central Purchase Committee. T. G. Patten, Postmaster.....	100 00
32482	12- 6-17	2-11-18	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	9 85	148072	10-31-17	12-14-17	Department of Parks. George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as Receivers in Bank- ruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	20 15
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32258		2-11-18	Chas. G. Fedden	4 35	30395	11-28-17	2- 4-18	John B. Rose Co.....	211 08
32257	12-24-17	2-11-18	The Beck Duplicator Co.....	2 50	30364	11-28-17	2- 4-18	John B. Rose Co.....	269 50
32305	12-11-17	2-11-18	The Emil Greiner Co.....	21 00	30392	1-18-18	2- 4-18	Froment & Co.....	820 77
32303	12- 6-17	2-11-18	W. M. Ticknor	11 00	30397	12-31-17	2- 4-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as Receivers in Bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corpora- tion	53 61
32484	11-30-17	2-11-18	J. H. Hepler	11 20	32530	1-16-18	2-11-18	C. W. Keenan	20 15
32264	12-31-17	2-11-18	Bedford Park Garage	19 44	32533	2- 1-18	2-11-18	William Morris	13 00
32483		2-11-18	William H. Park	3 90	32534	1-11-18	2-11-18	Department of Correction.....	10 80
32478		2-11-18	W. L. Somerset, Chief	19 35	32535	1-11-18	2-11-18	Fitzhenry-Guptill Company	28 00
32477		2-11-18	W. L. Somerset, Chief	14 35	32527	1-22-18	2-11-18	Burroughs Adding Machine Company.	79 40
31001		2- 6-18	L. R. Wallace	933 94	32526	12-18-17	2-11-18	Brooklyn Welding Company	5 00
30997	1- 7-18	2- 6-18	E. Michaels	188 32	32539	1-19-18	2-11-18	Royal Eastern Electrical Supply Com- pany	3 00
30971	10-19-17	2- 6-18	Agent and Warden of Clinton Prison.	180 00	32538	1-11-18	2-11-18	C. W. Keenan	2 88
33388		2-15-18	John F. Gilchrist, Commissioner.....	\$67 95	32543	1-11-18	2-11-18	Chas. A. Schieren Company.....	27 04
33389		2-15-18	John F. Gilchrist, Commissioner.....	29 25	32546	11- 1-17	2-11-18	Buffalo Gasolene Motor Co.....	4 88
32750			Law Department. 2-14-18 J. A. Bodine	\$50 00	33069			Police Department. 2-14-18 William J. Haskins	2 00
32754			2-14-18 Louis H. Levy	50 00	31797			President of the Borough of Manhattan. 2- 8-18 Charles L. Craig, Comptroller of the City of New York, Trustee for account of Street Opening Fund.....	6 00
32751			2-14-18 Chas. J. Pflug	35 00	30673	47453	2- 5-18	G. F. Stewart	2,577 00
32753			2-14-18 Seymour Oppenheimer	25 00	30672	47451	2- 5-18	G. F. Stewart	465 80
33337			Miscellaneous. 2-15-18 William Charles Perry	\$50 00	30613	1- 5-18	2- 5-18	Walton Contracting Co.....	314 60
33336			2-15-18 John T. Oates, doing business under firm name and style of Oates Under- taking Establishment	50 00	30614	1-15-18	2- 5-18	Charles E. Farrell Contg. Co.....	610 11
33339			2-15-18 Abraham Rosenberg	475 00	32240	1-26-18	2-11-18	H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	300 99
33338			2-15-18 Metropolitan Associates of New York.	3,750 00	32229	1-31-18	2-11-18	Nickel Towel Supply	27 70
33347			2-15-18 Brooklyn Ash Removal Company, Inc.	270 83	32230	1-30-18	2-11-18	Walsh Electrical Supply Company, Inc.	35 64
33346			2-15-18 Weinbros Real Estate Co., Inc.....	1,716 00	32232	1-25-18	2-11-18	Sargent & Co.	14 00
33345			2-15-18 Weinbros Real Estate Co., Inc.....	5,544 00	32234	1-31-18	2-11-18	James S. Barron & Co.....	8 00
33344			2-15-18 Mechanics Bank	2,920 75	32235	1-31-18	2-11-18	The Hayes Duster Co.....	7 25
33343			2-15-18 Mechanics Bank	1,098 44	32719		2-11-18	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	22 00
					32720		2-13-18	Charles T. Ulman, Chief Clerk	11 70
					32718		2-13-18	S. C. Thompson, Acting Engr. Const.	38 80
					32222	1-31-18	2-13-18	Claude A. Breidenbach, Foreman	25 75
					32252	1-30-18	2-11-18	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	8 55
					32254	1-31-18	2-11-18	Watchman's Clock and Supply Co., Inc.	20 91
					32244	1-31-18	2-11-18	Joseph F. Vielberth	4 50
					32248	2- 2-18	2-11-18	H. G. Silleck, Jr.	6 45
					32241	1-22-18	2-11-18	General Speedometer Repair Co.	1 92
					32243	1-23-18	2-11-18	Jacob Mattern & Sons, Inc.	2 78
					32242	1-16-18	2-11-18	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Company	12 24
					32245	1-10-18	2-11-18	Braunfels, Browning & Co.	1 25
					32238	1- -18	2-11-18	Link Belt Company	53 96
							2-11-18	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	15 20
							2-11-18		1 44

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32237	1-29-18	2-11-18	The Dressel Railway Lamp Works ..	1 50	28891	48496	1-30-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	4,921 65
32255	2- 1-18	2-11-18	Cleary & Barncott	36 65	23400	48496	1-12-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	663 50
President of the Borough of Queens.					23399	48496	1-12-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	720 62
26274	45339	1-21-18	Frank L. Paino	\$3,530 88	25254	48496	1-17-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	461 31
26272	1-14-18	1-21-18	E. Belcher Hyde	12 50	146266	48511	12-11-17	Millett, Rose & Hagen, assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	4,016 41
27511	12-29-17	1-24-18	The Long Island Hardware Company.	46 00	146266	48511	12-11-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	832 83
33050		2-14-18	William E. Everitt, Chief Clerk	33 80	143887	47309	12- 4-17	Millett, Roe & Hagen, assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	1,180 46
33049		2-14-18	Robert H. Farrell, Chief Clerk	19 35	147439	47597	12-13-17	Albert Winternitz	48 47
33051		2-14-18	Joseph Sullivan	3 00	25567	12-14-17	1-18-18	Frederick A. Hemmings	850 00
Public Service Commission.					29390	1- 2-18	1-31-18	Department of Correction	30 88
30067		2- 4-18	Harlem Transfer Company	\$21,243 75	29477	11- 1-17	1-31-18	Empire Sales Co.	96 00
30067		2- 4-18	Harlem Transfer Company	126,902 91	29847		2- 1-18	McElwain, Morse & Rogers	742 48
32551		2-11-18	James J. Riley	125 00	29858	12-21-17	2- 1-18	James Tregarthen & Sons Co., Inc....	264 18
32551		2-11-18	William A. Prendergast, Chairman ..	25 00	29862	1-19-18	2- 1-18	Conron Bros. Co.	675 00
31459	1- 8-18	2-11-18	Eagle Spring Water Company	49 59	22230	12- 2-17	1- 9-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	48
32419	1-25-18	2-11-18	Chas. G. Willoughby, Inc.	14 33	29837	12-31-17	2- 1-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	1 12
32404	1-18-18	2-11-18	Palo Company	7 80	Register, Bronx County.				
32424	1-31-18	2-11-18	The Allentown Steam Heating and Power Co.	22 80	32605		2-13-18	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	\$1 40
32416	1- 7-18	2-11-18	The Metropolitan Electrical Products Company, Inc.	9 00	32929	1-14-18	2-14-18	Victor Typewriter Supply Co.....	\$1 50
32408	1- 1-18	2-11-18	Argus Press Clipping Bureau	10 00	32932		2-14-18	George A. Hefter	1 65
32406	12-18-17	2-11-18	Atlas Stationery Corporation	3 75	32931		2-14-18	Edward J. Martin	11 10
32407	12-31-17	2-11-18	The Huntoon Ice Company	2 17	32930		2-14-18	Jacob H. Gebe	36 55
32413		2-11-18	Goldsmith Brothers	1 86	32928	1- 9-18	2-14-18	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	75
33080	1-31-18	2-14-18	Robert Gair Company	15 25	31049	46717	2- 6-18	New York Telephone Co.....	\$142 67
33078	1-30-18	2-14-18	The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	29 33	31016		Department of Street Cleaning.		
33079		2-14-18	Northern Union Gas Company	20 40	22201		2- 6-18	The Union Stove Works	\$459 70
33083	1- 2-18, 2- 1-18	2-14-18	Consolidated Gas Company of New York	1 12	32043	1-24-18	1- 9-18	International Motor Co.	196 00
33084	12-20-17, 1-17-18	2-14-18	Northern Union Gas Company	2 64	32047	1-24-18	2- 9-18	Yorkville Motor Co., Inc.....	5 63
33085	1- 2-18, 1-31-18	2-14-18	The New York Mutual Gas Light Company	6 15	32042	1- 9-18	2- 9-18	Reo Motor Car Co. of N. Y., Inc....	17 75
32412	1-18-18	2-11-18	The Grand Plumbing Co.	1 00	32044	1-24-18	2- 9-18	Downtown Sales Co., Inc.....	1 20
32415	1-23-18	2-11-18	C. S. Littell & Co.	1 91	32045	1- 7-18	2- 9-18	E. B. Latham & Co.....	9 50
32414	12- -17	2-11-18	Lion Garage, Inc.	28 82	32046		2- 9-18	Lozier Motor Co.	60
32417	12-22-17	2-11-18	Z. O. Nelson & Son	8 85	32049	1-17-18	2- 9-18	B. B. Neal Hardware Co.....	9 80
31460	12-31-17	2- 7-18	Lithoprint Co., Inc.	54 36	32037	1-11-18	2- 9-18	T. C. Moore & Co.....	2 85
Department of Public Charities.					32040	1- 1-18	2- 9-18	John Mallon	17 50
146265	48496	12-11-17	Millett, Roe & Hagen, assignees and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	\$1,726 15	32010	12-27-17	2- 9-18	The New York Law Journal	7 00
28890	48511	1-30-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	3,742 58	32018	12-31-17	2- 9-18	Downtown Sales Company, Inc.....	1 10
27650	48511	1-25-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	4,711 56	31908	12-31-17	2- 8-18	Stanley & Patterson	67 86
26058	48511	1-19-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	5,022 80	32015	12-12-17	2- 9-18	Star Fuse Company, Inc.....	69 60
26057	48511	1-19-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins, as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corporation	1,903 13	31018	1-16-18	2- 6-18	The Curtis, Willis Co.....	330 00
31468	48511	2- 7-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	315 12	31046		2- 6-18	Thompson Bros.	616 51
25253	48511	1-17-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	3,529 14	31047	1-22-18	2- 6-18	Albert A. Volk Co.....	179 38
25255	48511	1-17-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	299 55	31041		2- 6-18	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.....	128 34
147434	48511	12-13-17	Willett, Roe & Hagen, assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	3,931 70	31043	1-25-18	2- 6-18	Fred Schneider, Inc.....	226 04
149709	48511	12-19-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	4,549 48	31036	1-26-18	2- 6-18	James J. McAvoy	121 41
152530	48511	12-27-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	267 62	31034	1-22-18	2- 6-18	Klosk Contracting Co.....	289 84
152531	48511	12-27-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	1,788 85	31035	1-26-18	2- 6-18	John J. Mahon	263 23
21069	48511	1- 3-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	4,848 25	30945		2- 6-18	First National Bank of Brooklyn, N. Y., Assignee of J. W. Gasteiger & Son ..	14,832 96
142864	48511	11-30-17	Millett, Roe & Hagen, assignees, and George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	10,843 02	31029	1-24-18	2- 6-18	F. & P. Auto Transportation Co., Inc..	148 75
33930		2-14-18	Frank Doyle, Bookkeeper	63 36	31031	1-26-18	2- 6-18	Joseph Johnson's Sons	211 09
32213		2-11-18	E. H. Burritt, Superintendent	5 16	31028	1-28-18	2- 6-18	Edelstein Contracting Co.....	121 04
143885	48496	12- 4-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	187 54	31024	1-22-18	2- 6-18	Ames Transfer Co.	364 58
145034	48511	12- 6-17	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	281 02	31020	1-16-18	2- 6-18	The Frank Miller Company.....	102 80
26056	48496	1-19-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	5,727 48	31030	1-14-18	2- 6-18	F. & P. Auto Transportation Co., Inc.	175 00
25256	48496	1-17-18	George V. S. Williams and Francis S. Hutchins as receivers in bankruptcy of Mutual-McDermott Dairy Corp.....	267 77	33033		Tenement House Department.		
					33317		2-14-18	Francis A. Smith	1 45
					26634		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.		
					51205	1-31-17	2-15-18	Town of Philipstown, W. S. Colwell, Collector	1,446 60
					29030	10-31-17	1-22-18	The Chamberlain of the City of N. Y.	45 54
					30294	1-18-18	3-26-17	Great Bear Spring Company.....	3 60
					31131		1-30-18	Great Bear Spring Co.....	5 10
					31129		2- 4-18	T. Cunningham Co.....	60 00
					31143		2- 6-18	Queens Borough Gas and Electric Co.	368 20
					31137		2- 6-18	The East River Gas Co. of L. I. City..	405 15
					30924	1-25-18	2- 6-18	The Newtown Gas Co.....	136 18
					30934	1-26-18	2- 6-18	Central Union Gas Co.....	122 94
					31178		2- 6-18	Joseph Lynch	215 55
					31180		2- 6-18	The Degnon Contracting Co.....	108 00
					31181		2- 6-18	Westchester Lighting Co.....	3,308 26
					31182		2- 6-18	The Bronx Gas and Electric Company.	100 31
					31130		2- 6-18	The Bronx Gas and Electric Company.	141 77
					31134		2- 6-18	Kings County Lighting Company.....	163 50
					31133		2- 6-18	New York and Queens Gas Co.....	151 80
					31179		2- 6-18	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	2,048 77
							2- 6-18	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	2,998 05
							2- 6-18	Westchester Lighting Co.....	3,329 33

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1918.

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. CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Board of Standards and Appeals.			
34475		Edward V. Barton	\$20 00
Municipal Civil Service Commission.			
34546	1- 7-18	Kalamazoo Loose Leaf Binder Co.	\$45 60
34555	11-25-17	Henry Kastens	50 00
34556	1- 9-18	Mittnacht & Co.	10 00
34557	1-11-18	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co..	33 65
34558	1-16-18	E. G. Soltmann, Inc.....	14 70

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34559	1-31-18	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	12 00
34560	1-31-18	The Barton Mfg. Co.....	3 55
34561	2- 6-18	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.	22 88
34562	2- 7-18	Munson Supply Co.....	6 30
34547		Geo. H. Eberle	86 25
34548		Thomas G. Patten.....	150 00
34549		Chas. I. Stengle	1 25

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34550	Robt. W. Belcher	21 25	34709	John A. McCarthy	2 20	34648	1-26-18 S. W. Reese & Co.	124 90
34551	Capt. L. H. Van Dusen....	11 00	24710	Geo. C. Myers	4 55	34641	Jos. J. Howell	85 78
34552	United Electric Service Co..	12 60	34711	12-10-17 Jeanette Eaton	3 55	34642	Jos. J. Howell	72 31
34553	United Electric Service Co..	5 95	34712	12-10-17 Jeanette G. Glassberg.....	3 70	34643	New York Telephone Co....	2 81
34554	Geo. H. Eberle	15 75	34713	11-17-17 Dept. of Correction.....	130 33	President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
Municipal Court of The City of New York.			34714	Alice B. Haines.....	75	34616	49012 Reilly Cont. Co., Inc.....	\$8,384 40
34446	Stephen Collins	\$7 00	34715	Mary Hecker	1 14	34617	45990 Old Colony Const. Co....	5,856 50
34447	John W. Carpenter	5 00	34716	Adeline Mills	2 45	34618	47204 United States Drainage & Irrigation Co.	3,709 74
34448	Thos. E. Cremins	4 95	34717	Marietta Martin	6 30	34619	1- 4-18 F. F. Fuhrmann	74 55
34449	Martin J. Burke	30 00	34718	Christian Schaefer	1 05	34620	1- 3-18 Lighting Studios Co.	17 50
34450	Chas. Kerner	3 30	34719	Margaretta Taylor	2 88	34621	12-26-17 Johnson Service Co.	116 74
34451	Michael J. Daly	2 10	34720	C. M. Morgan	38 05	34622	9-24-17 Western Electric Co., Inc..	26 25
34452	Levi Nowlin	95	34721	Geo. T. Swanson.....	21 45	34623	12-18-17 David Shuldiner, Inc.	5 00
34453	Jas. T. Kely, Jr.	90	34722	Samuel J. Hundt.....	60	34624	1- 7-18 Rae Bros.	169 00
34454	Harry W. Baldwin	10 00	34723	Matthew S. O'Connor	3 80	34625	1- 9-18 Tower Bros. Staty. Co....	30 00
34455	Frank Bulkley	10 00	34724	12- 3-17 Elsie Gardner	57 00	34626	1-24-18 McKesson & Robbins	5 50
District Attorney, New York County.			34725	Benj. B. Chappell	7 60	34627	1-17-18 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co....	2 80
34534	Edward Swann	\$824 81	34726	Percy Bridges	4 58	34628	1-18-18 Hutchinson Office Specialties Co., Inc.	30 00
34535	Jas. E. Smith	35 50	34727	Florence L. Chipman	9 50	34629	1-24-18 Benj. Griffen	20 30
34536	Albert H. Hall	124 30	34728	Wm. A. Boylan.....	5 34	34630	1-23-18 Richard Thompson & Co....	6 40
34537	Chas. L. Kerr	93 12	34729	Nils Bergquist	2 58	34631	1-26-18 International Ash Can Works	210 00
34538	Marie Cocchi	8 05	34730	Helen M. Batz	9 50	34632	1-24-18 Lefferts Galvanizing Works.	7 83
Department of Docks and Ferries.			34731	Clara E. Barnaby	5 00	34633	1-10-18 David Shuldiner, Inc.	18 00
34689	1-22-18 Theo. Smith & Sons Co....	\$200 00	34732	Mary B. Ross	1 40	34634	1-10-18 John C. Eberle & Son.....	10 52
34690	2- 5-18 T. S. and J. D. Negus....	34 75	34588	10-22-17 Columbia Graphophone Co..	80	34635	12-20-17 The Cleveland Trinidad Pav- ing Co.	453 80
34691	1- 3-18 Bourmonville Welding Co..	20 00	34589	10- 5-17 James T. Dougherty	11 30	34636	1-26-18 Astoria Cont. Co.	599 76
34692	1-31-18 Wacker & Flannigan	790 56	34590	11-13-17 Boston Belting Co.	3 15	34637	Westinghouse Tract. Brake Co.	80 05
34693	2- 7-18 Robt A. Welcke	164 50	34591	10-10-17 Wm. Bratter & Co.	5 90	34638	12-20-17 The Cleveland Trinidad Pav- ing Co.	12 30
34694	1- 8-18 Fred B. Dalzell & Co., Inc.	60 00	34592	11-26-17 Kregel Mfg. Co.	30	34667	12-18-17 Wilson Stamp Co.	1 00
34695	Post & McCord	10 00	34593	4- 9-17 Parex Mfg. Co.	1 85	34668	1-23-18 Drew Bros., Inc.	711 42
34696	44616 John J. Kenny Co., Inc.....	1,800 00	Department of Finance.			34669	1-11-18 The Tablet & Ticket Co....	150 00
34697	45558 Snare & Triest Co.	33,175 90	34469	1-25-18 The Lexington Decorating Co.	5 50	34670	1-17-18 Art Metal Const. Co.....	695 97
34698	46937 New York Telephone Co....	91 66	34470	1-31-18 Powers Accounting Machine Co.	817 59	34671	1-31-18 Wilson Stamp Co.	25 38
34699	46418 New York Telephone Co....	2 50	34471	1-24-18 Fallon Law Book Co.	81 25	34665	Thomas F. Walsh	177 70
34672	Joseph A. Boylan	3 00	34472	The New York Law Journal	7 00	34666	Thomas F. Walsh	13 07
34673	John Heaney	3 00	34473	2- 1-18 Zachery P. Taylor	14 00	President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
34674	Thomas V. McGloin.....	75	34474	1-31-18 Powers Accounting Machine Co.	158 00	34352	Charles L. Craig	\$301 72
34675	Wm. S. Prince	5 74	34456	2- 1-18 Nickel Towel Supply Co..	74 97	34653	48405 A. Spadaccini	1,247 40
34676	Murray Hulbert	65 70	34457	2- 1-18 The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	17 28	34654	48293 Jos. M. Stanton	2,865 35
34677	12-21-17 E. B. Latham & Co.	121 50	34458	1-31-18 Fred M. Schildwachter, Inc.	3 46	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		
34678	12-12-17 C. D. Durkee & Co.	2 40	34459	1-31-18 John Konig, Union Ice Co..	2 25	34664	William W. Richards.....	\$183 95
34679	1-31-18 Burns Bros. Ice Corp.....	3 25	34460	1-29-18 D. H. Edwards	2 60	President of the Borough of Queens.		
34680	1-12-18 A. P. W. Paper Co.	558 00	34461	2- 1-18 Walter Curtis	2 50	34655	48012 Kelly & Kelley, Inc....	\$7,470 00
34681	1-11-18 Vacuum Oil Co.	27 00	34462	2- 1-18 The Morley, La Rue Laun- dry Co.	5 00	Department of Public Charities.		
34682	1-20-18 P. W. Vallye, Inc.	5 00	34463	2- 1-18 The Diamond Towel Supply Co.	11 11	34523	1-17-18 Bates Mfg. Co.	\$2 56
34683	1-29-18 A. P. W. Paper Co.	9 00	34464	1-25-18 Keuffel & Esser Co.	34 00	34524	2- 2-18 Underwood Typewriter Co..	2 70
34684	1- 8-18 John W. Sullivan.....	275 00	34465	1- 9-18 Roneo Co.	20 00	34525	1-17-18 Sterling Top & Equipment Co., Inc.	37 50
34685	2- 4-18 L. C. Harry Co.	165 00	34466	1-11-18 Stanley & Patterson, Inc..	21 00	34526	1-10-18 B. Ackerman Co.	30 00
34686	1-29-18 Robert A. Keasbey Co....	128 50	34467	1-17-18 H. G. McFaddin & Co....	65 00	34527	1- 5-18 The Arlington Chemical Co.	13 70
34687	2- 6-18 Henry Pearl & Sons Co....	21 24	34468	1-30-18 Todd Protograph Co.	3 40	34528	1-11-18 Conron Bros. Co.	29 34
34688	2- 1-18 L. C. Harry Co.	13 80	34480	2- 1-18 The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	30	34529	1- 2-18 Crocco & Sons	120 37
Department of Education.			34481	The Eagle Spring Water Co.	30	34530	1- 8-18 Meyer, Re & Co.	157 13
34445	11-13-17 Athey Co.	\$76 00	34532	A. Dalesandro	20 00	34531	R. F. Stevens Co.	123 70
34594	47061 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co..	7 19	34533	I. P. A. Byrne	12 45	34502	12-31-17 Borden's Farm Products...	47 36
34595	47052 Gold Rose Ptg. Co.	22 25	34501	Michael Farano	\$163 37	34503	12-24-17 Ernest Ritzman	292 83
34596	47061 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co..	4 95	Chief Medical Examiner.			34504	1-31-18 H. Schaefer	85 36
34597	47061 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co..	42 50	Bronx Parkway Commission.			34505	12-29-17 Anchor Products Co., Inc..	168 00
34598	2- 1-18 Mayor Hylan Coal Commit- tee	1,737 91	34476	Ollie Scheuer	\$562 50	34506	12-20-17 Geo. Strong, Harral Co., Inc.	119 52
34614	46200 W. D. Harper	5,565 06	34477	Arthur Van De Water as Attorney in Fact for Michael J. Byrne and Wm. H. Callan	100 00	34507	8-31-17 Mott Bros.	37 00
34615	46200 W. D. Harper.....	2,367 62	34478	John G. Schepher	6,581 87	34508	9-30-17 Mott Bros.	38 35
34616	46200 W. D. Harper.....	164 03	34479	Chas. L. Craig as Comp- troller and Alfred J. John- son as Chamberlain.....	500,000 00	34509	10-31-17 Mott Bros.	37 81
34617	46200 W. D. Harper.....	281 29	34480	Chas. L. Craig as Comp- troller and Alfred J. John- son as Chamberlain.....	11,087 34	34510	1-19-18 Three-in-One Oil Co.	2 25
34618	46200 W. D. Harper.....	477 38	34481	Wm. P. Burr	750 00	34511	1-15-18 The Manhattan Supply Co.	19 25
34619	46200 W. D. Harper.....	80	34482	C. Valentine Wildman.....	50 00	34512	1-10-18 Oriental Rubber & Supply Co.	92 95
34601	41647 Frank D. Beattys & Co....	47 20	34483	Geo. W. Collins	50 00	34513	11- 9-17 Jas. H. Dunham & Co....	205 50
34602	47402 Newson & Co.	22 50	34484	Geo. P. Engeldrum	5 00	34514	12-21-17 Gough & Horn	4 00
34603	41720 The Gregg Pub. Co.	15 00	34485	Geo. P. Engeldrum	6 00	34515	12-31-17 Alexander Propper & Co....	24 00
34604	41652 Educational Pub. Co....	241 49	34486	Meyer Dulberg	118 80	34516	12- 8-17 The American Laundry Ma- chinery Co.	4 35
34605	41759 E. P. Dutton & Co.	26 60	34487	Giuseppe Alessio	4,041 30	34517	12-31-17 The Burnet Co.	6 06
34606	41719 Wm. Beverly Harrison...	13 16	34488	Thos. P. Hall	3 00	34518	5-31-17 Eagle Paint & Varnish Co..	239 10
34607	41755 City History Club of New York	25	34489	Louis Manheimer	3 00	34519	12-29-17 Hull, Grippen & Co.	2 76
34608	41759 E. P. Dutton & Co.	3 00	34490	Otterboutg, Steindler & Houston	3 00	34520	12-31-17 H. W. Johns-Manville Co...	16 00
34581	47235 Scott, Foresman & Co....	19 35	34491	Neufeld & Leiman	3 00	34521	1-17-18 Johnson Service Co.	135 00
34582	44546 G. Schirmer	3 00	34492	Amos H. Stephens	12 00	34522	12- 7-17 Naylor & Newton, Inc....	125 00
34583	47534 Benj. H. Sanborn & Co....	15 30	34493	Benjamin Berger	6 00	Register, Kings County.		
34584	47404 Row, Peterson & Co....	84 29	34494	Harry J. Sokolow	3 00	34482	1-31-18 New York Telephone Co...	\$21 54
34585	47229 Ginn & Co.	69 00	34567	Caesar B. F. Barra & Joseph S. Rosalsky	504 80	34483	2- 8-18 Eagle Spring Water Co....	12 30
34586	41628 Funk & Wagnalls Co.	299 70	34568	Association of the Bar of the City of New York, Care Einar Chrystie	177 74	Sheriff, Kings County.		
34587	41653 The Ellsworth Co.	72 00	34569	Salvatore Andruzzi	4 40	34541	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	\$18 50
34569	44521 World Book Co.	3 80	34564	John Hannon	25 00	34542	Eagle Spring Water Co....	15 90
34570	47408 World Book Co.	42 15	34565	Mary Mooney	24 17	34543	1-24-18 Patrick Dougherty	32 00
34571	47432 Longmans, Green & Co....	338 84	34566	John Sexton	56	34544	6-20-17 Individual Drinking Cup Co.	8 40
34572	41669 J. B. Lippincott Co.	304 51	The Mayoralty.			34545	2-6-18 Stevenson & Marsters	1 40
34573	47654 Allyn & Bacon	56 40	34644	2- 6-18 Dieges & Clust	\$30 00	Department of Street Cleaning.		
34574	41640 Scott, Foresman & Co....	40 40	34645	2- 1-18 Peerless Towel Supply Co..	5 23	34485	John J. O'Brien	\$148 02
34575	41664 Wm. R. Jenkins Co.	30 00	34646	1-15-18 Stevenson & Marsters, Inc.	16 05	34639	48557 Snow Cont. Co., Inc.....	74,713 64
34576	44516 Scott, Foresman & Co....	10 13	34647	12-21-17 W. and L. E. Gurley.....	29 05	34649	John J. O'Brien	39 43
34577	47402 Newson & Co.	13 50	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.			34650	John J. O'Brien	74 68
34578	44511 Newson & Co.	43 20				34651	John J. O'Brien	73 95
34579	41665 Newson & Co.	5 70				34479	Edmond Beardsley	\$500 00
34580	41671 The A. N. Palmer Co.	179 92				34656	4-20-17 The Hastings Pavement Co.	6 00
34700	A. D. Everts Co.	8 95				34657	2- 6-18 Thomas F. Bannon	88 00
34701	Kramer, Mezger, Inc.	43 56				34658	William W. Brush	1 77
34702	9-30-17 John F. Abernethy	29 92				34659	James Cullen	35 15
34703	Thos. F. Ford	25 81				34660	Bernard J. Loomam	50 41
34704	11-16-17 D. J. Carey	17 18				34661	James L. Vail	5 40
34609	Bacon Coal Co.	3,554 95				34662	Charles O. Davis	2 05
34610	Richmond Ice Co.	3,271 51				34663	Frank E. Hale	38 91
34611	Bacon Coal Co.	1,397 03						
34612	Chas. Weyman	2 50						
34705	11-25-17 R. J. Suits	22 50						
34706	Charles M. Smith	20 45						
34707	Willard B. Nelson	5 42						
34708	Anna H. Wilcox	15 95						

Fire Department.

Abstract of transactions from Jan. 14 to Jan. 19, 1918, both days inclusive:

JANUARY 14.

Appointed—To take effect 8 a. m. Jan. 14, 1918: James J. Stone, as Automobile Mechanist, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Apparatus, for an

emergency period of five days, at rate of \$5 a day.

Retired—To take effect 8 a. m. Jan. 15, 1918: Fireman Daniel McBride, H. & L. Co. 27, on annual pension of \$750. To take effect 8 p. m., Jan. 16, 1918: Lieutenant Peter F. Lyden, Engine Co. 220, on annual pension of \$1,175; Engineer of Steamer Frederick W. West, Engine Co. 204, on annual pension of \$

man Lansing C. Hauptner, H. & L. Co. 32, for reckless driving, charge dismissed.

Appointed—To take effect 12 noon, Jan. 15, 1918: John F. Loughlin, as Automobile Machinist, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Apparatus, for an emergency period of five days at rate of \$5 a day.

Reinstated—To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 16, 1918: Joseph Quigg, as Fireman, 1st Grade, Engine Co. 15, at rate of \$1,500 per annum, pursuant to section 1543a of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 79, Laws of 1915.

Retired—To take effect 8 p. m., Jan. 16, 1918: Fireman Joseph F. Campbell, Engine Co. 241; Bernard W. Knolle, Engine Co. 244; John Krait, Engine Co. 257; James P. Ward, H. & L. Co. 109; John Ludlow, H. & L. Co. 134, and Philip Reilly, Hose Co. 9, each on annual pension of \$750. To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 17, 1918: Fireman William L. Bennie, Engine Co. 66, on annual pension of \$750. To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 23, 1918: Lieutenant Albert A. Faubel, Engine Co. 257, on annual pension of \$1,175.

Contract Awarded—(Public letting Jan. 2, 1918): For furnishing and delivering pneumatic tires and tubes (class 1): To Gillette Rubber Co., 1834 Broadway, Manhattan, \$7,090.34.

JANUARY 16.
Official Designation—Pursuant to the provisions of section 739 of the Greater New York Charter, Deputy Fire Commissioner William F. Thompson, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, was this day authorized and directed to conduct trials and examine into charges preferred against members of the uniformed force of this Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens; also to conduct hearings and examine into charges preferred against civilian employees of the Department in said boroughs.

JANUARY 17.
Appointed—To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 18, 1918: Louis Baer, provisionally, as Telephone Operator, Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph, at rate of \$660 per annum.

Bills Audited—Contracts, \$13,130.05.

JANUARY 18.
Contracts Executed—For furnishing and delivering kindling wood, Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond, \$3,600, Clark & Wilkins Co., 568 W. 34th st., principal; U. S. Guarantee Co., surety. For furnishing and delivering kindling wood, Brooklyn and Queens, \$2,055, Long Island Wood Co., 11 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn, principal; Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland, surety. For furnishing and delivering solid rubber tires called for in classes 3 and 4 of specifications for furnishing and delivering pneumatic tires, tubes and solid rubber tires, \$19,274.08, U. S. Tire Co., 58th st. and Broadway, Manhattan, principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety. For furnishing and delivering dry cell batteries, \$1,197, Manhattan Electric Supply Co., Inc., 17 Park pl., Manhattan, principal; Royal Indemnity Co., surety. For furnishing and delivering supplies called for in classes 1 and 7 of specifications for horse shoe pads, nails and tips, \$2,242.35, Joseph Ruppert, Inc., 212-214 Duffield st., Brooklyn, principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety.

JANUARY 19.
Retired—To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 21, 1918: Fireman William J. Lloyd on annual pension of \$750.

Resigned—To take effect 8 a. m., Jan. 20, 1918: Fireman Frederick W. Zulch, Engine Co. 68. To take effect 9 a. m., Jan. 21, 1918: Typewriting Copyist Mary Sperling, Bureau of Fire Prevention, Division of Recording.

Death Reported—Fireman John W. T. F. Kocher, Engine Co. 54, at 12:40 p. m., Jan. 15, 1918.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Fire Commissioner.

Borough of Manhattan.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for Week Ended Feb. 2, 1918.
Plans filed: For new buildings, 5; estimated cost, \$161,000, for alterations, 42; estimated cost, \$158,696. Buildings reported as unsafe, 34; other violations of law reported, 133; exit orders, 10.

Borough of The Bronx.

Extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Local Board of Chester, 23rd District.

Pursuant to call by President Bruckner, the members of the Local Board of Chester, 23rd District, met at Borough Hall, Tremont ave. and 3rd ave., on Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1918, at 8 p. m.

Present—Henry Bruckner, President of the Borough of The Bronx; Peter Schweickert, Alderman, 29th Aldermanic District; Robert L. Moran, Alderman, 30th Aldermanic District.

Extract of the minutes of the meeting of Jan. 8, 1918, as published in the City Record of Jan. 18, 1918, was approved. Public hearings to be held at Borough

Hall, Tremont ave. and 3rd ave., pursuant to advertisement in the City Record of Jan. 26, 1918.

1761. Construction of sewer and appurtenances in Sagamore st., between White Plains rd. and Unionport rd., and in Birchall ave., between Sagamore st. and a point about 300 feet southerly therefrom, together with a temporary connection from the west side of White Plains rd. at Sagamore st. to the intersection of Sagamore st. and Cruger ave., together with all work incidental thereto. Adopted.

LAID OVER MATTERS.

1754. Construction of sewers and appurtenances in Rhinelander ave., between Hunt ave. and the west side of White Plains rd., and in the west side of White Plains rd., between Rhinelander ave. and Sagamore st.; in Sagamore st., between White Plains rd. and Birchall ave., and in Birchall ave., between Sagamore st. and a point about 300 feet southerly therefrom, together with all work incidental thereto. Filed.

1756. Construction of sewer and appurtenances in Sagamore st., between Birchall ave. and Unionport rd., together with all work incidental thereto. Filed, as 1761 was adopted.

1757. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for E. 241st st., from Carpenter ave. to Bronx River. Amended so as to provide for acquiring title to the lands necessary for E. 241st st., from Carpenter ave. to Bullard ave. Adopted as amended.

1721. Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building inlets, receiving basins, drains, culverts, approaches and guard rails where necessary in Carlisle pl., from E. 211th st. to E. 213th st., together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until April 2, 1918.

1723. Laying out on the Map of The City of New York a change of grade of Carlisle pl., between E. 211th st. and E. 213th st., so as to reduce the excavation to a minimum amount. Laid over until April 2, 1918.

1729. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Mahan ave., from Middletown rd. to Westchester ave. Laid over until April 2, 1918.

On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned.

THOMAS J. DOLEN, Secretary.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for week ended Feb. 9, 1918:
Plans filed: For new buildings, 1; estimated cost, \$1,500; for alterations, 3; estimated cost, \$6,500. Unsafe cases filed, 23; violation cases filed, 15; unsafe notices issued, 34; violation notices issued, 20; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 9; complaints lodged with the Bureau, 33; pieces of iron and steel inspected, 32.

P. J. REVILLE, Superintendent.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Appointed—Frank J. Prial, 1756 Forty-sixth st., Brooklyn, Assistant Deputy Comptroller at \$6,000 per annum, Feb. 9.

Services Ceased—Charles S. Russell, Cashier at \$2,100 per annum, Bureau for Collection of City Revenue, Feb. 14; Solomon Schulman, Clerk at \$540 per annum, Central Payroll Division of the Auditing Bureau, Feb. 1; Louis C. Bender, Temporary Bookkeeper at \$4 a day, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, Feb. 13.

Died—Thomas J. Cronin, Financial Clerk at \$1,200 per annum, Pay Division of the Auditing Bureau, Feb. 11.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, BRONX COUNTY.

Appointed—Theresa A. Quilty, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,200 per annum, Feb. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

Services Ceased—John Minogue, 8 Verandah pl., Brooklyn, Laborer, at \$3 a day, Feb. 11.

BRONX.

Appointed—Philip J. Kres, 1190 Ogden ave., Driver with Wagon and Team, at \$5.50 a day, Feb. 16.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Services Ceased—Elias B. Brindley and William D. Brennan, Clerks, Feb. 15; Henry Doherty, Potrolman-on-Aqueduct, Jan. 31.

Salary Fixed—William F. Lindeman, Clerk at \$1,080 per annum, Feb. 9.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Died—Rosanna Corbett, 101 Walker st., Cleaner, \$408 per annum, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Feb. 3.

Compensation Changed—William O'Brien, 8625 Bay 15th st., Brooklyn, Laborer, from \$912 per annum to \$3 a day, Bureau of Highways, Feb. 16.

Salary Increased—Thomas F. Horan, 51 Vandam st., from \$792 per annum to

\$912 per annum, Bureau of Highways, Feb. 16.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Appointed—Herman H. Torborg, 1043 Liberty ave., Brooklyn, Assistant Corporation Counsel at \$5,000 per annum, Feb. 16.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Appointed—Clerks, Bureau of Audit and Accounts: Henry Browne, 905 Third ave., Manhattan, \$35 a month, Feb. 1; Jeannette Wuerstlin, 511 86th st., Manhattan, \$30 a month, Feb. 1; Abraham Simon, 1185 Second ave., Manhattan, \$35 a month, Feb. 5. Temporary Clerks, \$420 per annum, for three months, Superintendent of Schools: James O'Neil, 234 E. 70th st., Manhattan, Jan. 18; Nettie Saron, 119 Herzl st., Brooklyn, Jan. 22; May Christiana, 336 E. 105th st., Manhattan, Clerk, Board of Examiners, \$420 per annum, for three months, Jan. 17; Florence A. Reilly, 318 E. 58th st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Attendance, \$720 per annum, for three months, Jan. 2; Mae M. Heffernan, 95 Globe ave., Jamaica, N. Y.; Lillian Parks, 1332 Second ave., Manhattan; Dorothy Shapiro, 1273 First ave., Manhattan; and Jane Simpson, 235 E. 80th st., Manhattan, Clerks, Bureau of Attendance, \$600 per annum, for three months, Jan. 2; Rosalind Ross, 4910 New Utrecht ave., Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Supplies, \$50 a month, for not to exceed four months, Feb. 10; Mrs. Lucy Brundage, 43 First ave., Pelham, N. Y., Clerk, Bureau of Attendance, \$840 per annum, for not to exceed thirty days, Dec. 26, 1917; Mrs. Doris M. Cabassa, 501 W. 135th st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Lectures, \$1,200 per annum, from Jan. 18 to 25; Patrick J. Boylan, 52 Fourth st., New Brighton, S. I., Licensed Fireman at \$3 a day, P. S. 17, Richmond, from Jan. 25 to 31; Hannah Helps, 144 Seventh st., L. I. City, Cleaner at \$2 a day, P. S. 1, Queens, from Jan. 29 to Feb. 6; Elizabeth A. Faller, 28 Broad st., Stapleton, S. I., Cleaner at \$2 a day, P. S. 14, Richmond, from Jan. 21 to 30; August Gondeck, 263 Tenth ave., L. I. City, Clerk, Office of the Acting Superintendent of Schools, \$420 per annum, Jan. 11; Madeleine C. Mechlin, 255 E. 174th st., Bronx, Stenographer and Typewriter, Office of the Acting Superintendent of Schools, \$900 per annum, Jan. 28; Thomas H. Mills, Temporary Caretaker, Brooklyn Truant School, \$450 per annum with maintenance, for not to exceed three months, Feb. 1; Mary H. Mills, Cleaner, Brooklyn Truant School, \$300 per annum with maintenance, for not to exceed three months, Feb. 1.

Salary Increased—Thomas J. A. Connolly, Clerk, Bureau of Supplies, from \$1,050 to \$1,200 per annum, Feb. 13.

OFFICE OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.

Services Ceased—Edward F. Barrett, Deputy Chamberlain, Feb. 14.

Appointed—Edward J. Glennon, Deputy Chamberlain, Feb. 15.

Title Changed—Joseph D. Keogh, 73 E. 82nd st., Manhattan, from Attendant to Bridge Tender, at \$3 a day, Feb. 18.



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Henry Bruckner, President.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
 President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Telephone, 9100 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, President.
 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, 215 Montague st.

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.
 Frank L. Dowling, President.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
 President's office, 68 Hunters Point ave., L. I. City.

Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
 Maurice F. Connolly, President.
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
 President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

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.

Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
 Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturdays, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swann, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL RECORDS.
 Hall of Records, Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Brien, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
 Hall of Records, Telephone, 3406 Worth.

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

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

James A. Donegan, Register.
SHERIFF.
 51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

David H. Knott, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
 Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cahalan, 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 open 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, 4930 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 JUDICIAL RECORDS.
 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.

Richardson Webster, Register.
SHERIFF.
 50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Daniel J. Griffin, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
 Hall of Records, Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert T. 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.
 Joseph M. Callahan, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE.
 Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.

Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
 Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.

Francis Martin, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL RECORDS.
 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. Donnelly, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
 Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave. Telephone, 776 Tremont.

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 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.; Saturday 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, 596 Hunters Point.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL RECORDS.
 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.

Samuel J. Mitchell, 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 SURROGATE.
 Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October.

Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.
 Special Terms, without jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

Surrogate's Court.
 Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
 J. Harry Tiersan, 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 JUDICIAL RECORDS.
 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. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term, Part I, opens at 9.45 a. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Frank I. Goodwin, Clerk.
CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 9420 Spring.

Frank Oliver, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 9420 Spring.

Edward J. Cooley, Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 9420 Spring.

First District—110 White st.
 Second District—125 Sixth ave.
 Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.
 Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.
 Sixth District—162d st. and Brook ave., Bronx.
 Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.

Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.
 Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.
 Night Court for Women—125 Sixth ave.

Night Court for Men—151 E. 57th st.
 Domestic Relations Court (Manhattan)—151 E. 57th st.
 Domestic Relations Court (Bronx)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

Municipal Term—Room 500, Municipal Building.

Traffic Court—301 Mott st.

Borough of Brooklyn.
 Deputy Chief Clerk, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

Deputy Chief Probation Officer, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.
 Fifth District—Williamsburgh Bridge Plaza.
 Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snyder ave.
 Eighth District—West 8th st., Coney Island.
 Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
 Domestic Relations—402 Myrtle ave.
 Municipal Term—2 Butler st.

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. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.
MUNICIPAL COURTS.
 The Clerk's offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Aaron J. Levy, President, Justice, Board of Municipal Court Justices, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

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

Additional part is held at the southwest 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, 4550 Columbus.

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

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

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

Seventh District—360 W. 125th st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Borough of Queens.
 First District, 115 Fifth st., 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, 86 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 ayes., 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. Bernard J. Schneider, Clerk.

Part V (Queens), 19 Fl

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1237, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1918,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COFFIN SHROOKS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1918. The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half 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 or class, 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.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner. f13,m1

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Sale of Tax Liens of the City of New York, for Unpaid Taxes, Water Rents and Assessments for Local Improvements upon Lands and Tenements within that Part of the City of New York, now known and described as the Borough of Manhattan, affecting Property as shown on the Tax Map of said City for said Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, as said lands and tenements are shown upon the Tax Map of said City for said Borough, on which any taxes or any assessment for local improvements have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, or on which any water rent has been imposed and become a lien and has remained due and unpaid for four years since the same was due and payable, have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, are required to pay the amount of said taxes, assessments and water rents together with all unpaid taxes, water rents and assessments affecting such lands and tenements which became a lien and were due and payable prior to November 15, 1917 (the taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements required to be paid, thus comprising all unpaid taxes and water rents affecting said properties contained in assessment rolls down to and including the assessment roll of the City of New York for the year nineteen hundred and sixteen and all assessments for local improvements affecting said properties confirmed and entered up to November 4, 1917, inclusive), with all penalties thereon remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate provided by law from the time the same became liens so as to be due and payable to the date of payment and the charges of this notice and advertisement to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office on the third floor of the Municipal Building, situate at Centre st., Duane st. and Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that if default be made in such payment the lien of the City of New York upon any of said lands and tenements for any tax, assessment or water rent which became a lien so as to be due and payable before November 15, 1917, will be sold at Public Auction in Room 310, third floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York on

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1918.

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

The transfer of tax lien to be executed and delivered to the purchaser thereof pursuant to the terms of said sale shall be subject to the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements and penalties and interest thereon which accrued and became a lien, or which shall accrue and become a lien upon said premises so as to be due and payable on and after the date stated in the first advertisement of said sale as stated herein, namely the 15th day of November, 1917 (i. e., the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes and water rents, included in the assessment rolls of the City of New York for the years subsequent to 1916, and assessments for local improvements entered subsequent to November 4, 1917).

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that a particular and detailed statement of the property affected showing section or ward, block and lot number thereof as the same may be on the Tax Map of the City of New York for the Borough of Manhattan, a description of which as indicated thereby and by the assessment rolls, and the tax liens thereon, which are to be sold, is as follows:

Location and Description of Property.				Assessed to (This Name Appears Upon the Tax and Assessment Rolls).	Year of Levy.	Taxes. Amount.
Lien No.	New Description.	Location. Street or Avenue.	Side.	Between Streets or Avenues.		
9054	5 1500 2	Fifth Avenue E.		88th and 89th Sts.	Philip Livingston	1914, 2d hf. \$2,447.50

Dated, New York, November 28, 1917.

This notice applies to arrears as of November 15, 1917.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears of The City of New York.
n28,d5,12,19,26,j2,9,16,23,30,f6,13,20,27,m6

Notice of Sale of Tax Liens of the City of New York, for Unpaid Taxes, Water Rents and Assessments for Local Improvements Upon Lands and Tenements Within That Part of the City of New York Now Known and Described as the Borough of The Bronx, Embraced in Sections 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 (Formerly 24th Ward Annexed Territory).

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

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

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, embraced in Sections 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 (formerly 24th Ward, Annexed Territory), as said lands and tenements are shown upon the Tax Map of said City for said Borough, on which any taxes or any assessment for local improvements have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, or on which any water rent has been imposed and become a lien and has remained due and unpaid for four years since the same was due and payable, are required to pay the amount of said taxes, assessments and water rents, together with all unpaid taxes, water rents and assessments affecting such lands and tenements which became a lien and were due and payable prior to March 15th, 1917 (the taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements required to be paid, thus comprising all unpaid taxes and water rents affecting said properties contained in assessment rolls down to and including the assessment roll of the City of New York for the year 1916, and all assessments for local improvements affecting said properties confirmed and entered up to March 4th, 1917, inclusive), with all penalties thereon remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate provided by law from the time the same became liens so as to be due and payable to the date of payment and the charges of this notice and advertisement to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office on the fourth floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that if default be made in such payment the lien of the City of New York upon any of said lands and tenements for any tax, assessment or water rent which became a lien so as to be due and payable before March 15th, 1917, will be sold at Public Auction at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, fourth floor, Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918.

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

The transfer of tax lien to be executed and delivered to the purchaser thereof pursuant to the terms of said sale shall be subject to the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements and penalties and interest thereon which accrued and became a lien, or which shall accrue and become a lien upon said premises so as to be due and payable on and after the date stated in the first advertisement of said sale as stated herein, namely, the 15th day of March, 1917 (i. e., the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes and water rents, included in the assessment rolls of the City of New York for the years subsequent to 1916, and assessments for local improvements entered subsequent to March 4, 1917).

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

Dated, New York, November 14, 1917.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears of The City of New York.

This notice applies to arrears as of March 15, 1917.

n14,21,28,d5,12,19,26,j2,9,16,23,30,f6,13,20,25

THE SALE OF TAX LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Jan. 15, Feb. 19, April 2, April 23, May 21, June 18, Aug. 6, 1918, has been continued to **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918,** at 2.30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be con-

tinued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f13,25

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes and assessments and water rents for the Borough of Bronx, as to the liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of Oct. 15, Nov. 26, Dec. 17, 1917, and Jan. 28, 1918, has been continued to

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918,

at 2.30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fourth floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f13,25

Notice of Continuation of Brooklyn Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF TAX LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Brooklyn, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of July 25, Sept. 19, Nov. 21 and Dec. 19, 1917, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918,

at 2.30 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 Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. d24,j2,9,16,23,30,f6,13,20

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MARCH 1, 1918, 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., Borough of Manhattan).

The coupons that are payable in New York or London for the interest due on March 1, 1918, on Corporate Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day at the option of the holders thereof either at the office of the Comptroller (Room 851, Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., Borough of Manhattan, New York City), in United States Currency, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable March 1, 1918, will be closed from Feb. 15th to March 1, 1918.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Jan. 31, 1918. fl,m1

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICES TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

SECTION 1.

RECEIVING BASINS ON Beekman st., at the northwest and northeast corners of Gold st.; Northwest corner of CLIFF ST.; northeast and southwest corners of PEARL ST. and the northeast corner of Front St. Area of assessment affects blocks 97, 98, 99, 100.

SECTION 3 and 5.

RECEIVING BASINS ON 5TH AVE., adjacent to the northeast corner of 48th st.; SOUTHEAST CORNER OF 55TH ST.; SOUTHEAST CORNER OF 36TH ST.; NORTHWEST CORNER OF 37TH ST.; NORTHEAST CORNER OF 40TH ST.; SOUTHEAST CORNER OF 41ST ST.; NORTHWEST CORNER OF 45TH ST. and SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 46TH ST. Area of assessment affects blocks 839, 865, 1261, 1275, 1284, 1290.

SECTION 6.

RECEIVING BASINS ON 5TH AVE. adjacent to the Southeast and northwest corners of 136TH ST. and the southeast corner of 137TH ST. Area of assessment affects blocks 1760, 1734, and 1761.

SECTION 7.

RECEIVING BASIN ON 8TH AVE. northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Forty-second street. Area of assessment affects block 2028 and 2043.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Feb. 13, 1918, and entered Feb. 13, 1918, 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 April 15, 1918, 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 entry to the date of payment as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, 3d floor, Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, Feb. 13, 1918. f20,m4

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

SECTION 5.

MONTGOMERY ST.—SEWER, from Bedford ave. to Rogers ave. Area of assessment affects block 1295 and 1304.

SULLIVAN ST.—REGULATING, REGRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING AND PAVING, between Bedford ave. and Nostrand ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 1304, 1305, 3107 and 1308.

SECTIONS 15 and 24.

REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING DITMAS AVE. from E. 87th st. to Ralph ave.; RALPH AVE., from E. 85th st. to Old Canarsie ave. about 180 feet south of Avenue C; E. 83D ST., from Ditmas ave. to Old Canarsie ave., about 240 feet south of Ditmas ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 4744, 4745, 7907, 7908, 7917, 7918, 7920 and 7911.

SECTIONS 16 and 17.

15TH AVE.—PAVING, from 42nd to 44th sts. Area of assessment affects blocks 5600, 5606, 5362 and 5430.

SECTION 17.

64TH ST.—PAVING, from New Utrecht ave. to 14th ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5741 and 5748.

SECTION 18.

7TH AVE.—PAVING, from 60th st. to Sea Beach Railroad. Area of assessment affects blocks 5784 and 5785, 5793, 5794 and 5802.

SECTIONS 20 and 21.
REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING AVENUE T from Stillwell ave. to W. 12th st.; W. 13TH ST., from Avenue S to Avenue T; AVENUE S, from Stillwell ave. to W. 9th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 6669, 6670, 6671, 6667, 6668, 7076, 7077, 7078, 7079, 7092, 7093.

SECTION 21.
24TH AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 86th st. to Benson ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 6863 and 6864.

SECTION 23.
AVENUE J—REGULATING, CURBING AND PAVING, between Ocean ave. and E. 25th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 7584 to 7588, 7602 to 7606.

—the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Feb. 13, 1918, and entered Feb. 13, 1918, 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 April 15, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

—the above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, Feb. 13, 1918. f20,m4

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

Section 5.

Acquiring Title to that portion of Cedar pl. from Sullivan st. to Malbone st. Confirmed Dec. 28, 1917; entered Feb. 15, 1918.

That the area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings be and is hereby fixed and determined to be as follows:

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

The above assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 16, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Section 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, Feb. 15, 1918.

f20,m4 CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

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

FOURTH WARD.

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO SMITH ST., from Brinkerhoff ave. to Ulster ave.; BRINKERHOFF AVE., from Smith st. to Spangler st.; and SPANGLER ST., from Brinkerhoff ave. to Lambertville ave. Confirmed Jan. 9, 1918; entered Feb. 13, 1918. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 350 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Lambertville ave., as this street is laid out where it adjoins Spangler st. on the west, the said distance being measured at right angles to Lambertville ave., and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line distant 360 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Smith st., the said distance being measured at right angles to Smith st., and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line distant 700 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Ulster ave., as this street is laid out where it adjoins Smith st. on the east, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ulster ave., and by the prolongation of the said line; and on the west by a line distant 360 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Smith st., as this street is laid out where it adjoins Ulster ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Smith st., and by the prolongation of the said line.

The above assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 15, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of pay-

ment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 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.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 13, 1918. f18,m1

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

SECTION 15.
MATTHEWS AVE.—Opening, in its westerly side, from Morris Park ave. to the angle point 75 feet southerly therefrom. Confirmed Jan. 18, 1918; entered Feb. 11, 1918. Area of assessment is hereby fixed and determined to be as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southerly line of Morris Park ave.; on the east by the westerly line of Matthews ave.; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Morris Park ave.; the said distance being measured at right angles to Matthews ave. and on the west by a line distant 105 feet westerly from and parallel with the easterly line of Matthews ave.; the said distance being measured at right angles to Matthews ave.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 12, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 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.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 11, 1918. f14,26

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 13.
SEWERS in W. 230TH AVE., between Corleat ave. and Tibbett ave.; in TIBBETT AVE., between W. 230th st. and W. 231st st., and in W. 231ST ST., between Tibbett ave. and Spuyten Duyvil rd. Area of assessments affects blocks 3402 and 3406.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on Feb. 7, 1918, and entered Feb. 7, 1918, 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 April 8, 1918, 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 assessments are 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.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 7, 1918. f13,25

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

SECTION 8.
PAVING AND CURBING HAVEN AVE., from 180th to 181st sts.; W. 181ST ST. (Plaza Lafayette), from Haven ave. to Riverside Drive, and RECEIVING BASINS at W. 181st, southwest and southeast corners of Haven ave., north east corner of Riverside Drive and north side, opposite Haven ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 2177 and 2179.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on Feb. 7, 1918, and entered Feb. 7, 1918, 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 April 8, 1918, 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 assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, 3d floor, Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 7, 1918. f13,25

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

SECTION 18.
64TH ST.—PAVING, from 4th to 5th aves. Area of assessment affects blocks 5809 and 5818.

The above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on Feb. 7, 1918, and entered Feb. 7, 1918, 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 April 8, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of said assessment, 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 Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 7, 1918. f13,25

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.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHEELS, HUBS, HUB BANDS AND AXLES.
The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before June 1, 1918; 25 per cent. of each item to be delivered on or before March 15, 1918; 25 per cent. additional on or before April 15, 1918; balance on or before June 1, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. (30%) of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid, in cash, or by a certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per wheel, hub, hub band and axle, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 14, 1918. f16,28

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1918.
Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.
The time for the completion of the contract will be on or before March 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1½ per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Borough of The Bronx.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the completion of the contract will be on or before March 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1½ per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Borough of Brooklyn.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the completion of the contract will be on or before March 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1½ per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Bidders may submit bids on either Schedule A, by tables, or on Schedule B, by boroughs. Bids are requested on each and every item specified in either schedule. Awards, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder for the total of all items for each table in Schedule A, or for the total of all items for the borough, in Schedule B.

The Commissioner reserves the right to award contracts under either Schedule A or Schedule B. No bids on separate items for any table or borough, on either schedule, will be considered.

The attention of bidders is directed to the contents of "Special Instructions to Bidders" attached to the proposal for bids.

Bidders will state the price of each item in the schedules, per 100 pounds, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

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

Blank forms of bids and proposals may be obtained at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Dated, Feb. 13, 1918.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
f15,28

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 20,000 FEET OF 2-INCH RUBBER HOSE.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before May 15, 1918; 5,000 feet of hose to be delivered on or before March 15, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less

than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid, in cash, or by a certified check payable to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 8, 1918. f13,25

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 21,250 POUNDS OF AXLE GREASE.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. (30%) of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid, in cash, or by a certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 8, 1918. f13,25

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LEATHER.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before Oct. 15, 1918. Deliveries to begin March 1, 1918, as required.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid, in cash, or by certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, per side and per hide, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 5, 1918. f8,20

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIPE HORSE COLLARS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before May 15, 1918; 10 per cent. of each item to be delivered on or before March 15, 1918; 20 per cent. additional on or before April 15, 1918; 20 per cent. additional on or before May 1, 1918; balance on or before May 15, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. (30%) of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid in cash, or by a certified check payable to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 5, 1918. f8,20

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PARTS FOR SINGLE CART HARNESS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before May 1, 1918. Deliveries to be made as required, beginning March 15, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. (30%) of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid in cash or by certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate

envelopes, on the form prescribed by the Department of Street Cleaning; bids on any other form will not be accepted.

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

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 5, 1918. f8,20

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS 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

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DIRECT TO EACH SCHOOL GENERAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE DEPARTMENTS OF CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, BIOLOGY, PHYSIOGRAPHY, DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS, AND SUPPLIES FOR THE TRAINING SCHOOLS FOR TEACHERS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before Dec. 31, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the bid. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid made.

Bidder must enter his price under the separate headings, and in estimating the amount of his bid, upon which security will be required, said security must be based on the highest price quoted on each item.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules for which he desires to bid, per pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Awards, if made, will be made by items, according to law.

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

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.
Dated, Feb. 18, 1918. f18,m1

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

SEALED BIDS 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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1918.
FOR THE RENTAL OF NON-INFLAMMABLE OR SLOW-BURNING MOTION PICTURE FILM, FOR DAY AND EVENING HIGH AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before Dec. 31, 1918, as stated in the specifications.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) 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 per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

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

Award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

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

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.
Dated, Feb. 15, 1918. f15,27

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1918.
Borough of Manhattan.
FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED FOR NEW SWITCHBOARD, SERVICE FEEDER, LOCAL FEEDER EXTENSION, AND REMOVING AND DISPOSING OF PRESENT BELTED PLANT EQUIPMENT, STORAGE BATTERY EQUIPMENT, ETC., FOR THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART.

The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Manhattan, Room 1004, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

WILLIAM F. GRELL, President; JOHN N. HARMAN, JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, ALBERT C. BENNINGER, Commissioners of Parks.
Dated, Feb. 15, 1918. f15,28

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1918.
Borough of Brooklyn.
FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIXTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (16,500) POUNDS OF ARSENATE OF LEAD POWDER, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, TO THIS DEPARTMENT.

per cent. (30%) of the amount for which the contract will be awarded.

A deposit of not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of bid must accompany the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM F. GRELL, President; JOHN N. HARMAN, JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, ALBERT C. BENNINGER, Commissioners of Parks.

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ARMORY BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE Mayor, City Hall until 3 p. m.,

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF PERMANENT EXIT, STAIRS AND FIRE-PROOF DOORS, ETC., AT THE 71ST REGIMENT ARMORY, 34TH ST. AND PARK AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Security required, \$3,000. Deposit to accompany bid, \$150. Time allowed for completing the work, ninety (90) consecutive working days.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Armory Board, Room 829, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Blue prints may be obtained at the office of the architects, Clinton & Russell, 32 Nassau st., Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD: THE MAYOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, THE COMPTROLLER, THE TWO SENIOR RANKING OFFICERS OF OR BELOW THE GRADE OF BRIGADIER-GENERAL, THE COMMANDING OFFICER, NAVAL MILITIA, N. Y., AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Dated, Feb. 18, 1918. 118.m7

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Department of Correction, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1237, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m.,

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, ETC.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 1, 1918.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half 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 or class, 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.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, JAMES A. HAMILTON, Commissioner.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MOTOR GASOLINE.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before April 30, 1918.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company, signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedule of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions 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 must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Fire Commissioner.

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

Public Hearing.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC hearing will be held in Room 1124, Municipal Building, Manhattan, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1918, at 2.30 p. m., on the subject of the transportation and delivery of gasoline within the City limits. The following items will be considered, and all interested may be heard:

1. Should the present ordinance be amended so as to allow a more extensive delivery by tank wagons, and would the fire hazard thereby be materially increased?

2. What restrictions should be placed on the delivery of gasoline by tank wagons, covering (a) construction of wagon; (b) means of propulsion, i. e., whether horse-drawn, or gasoline or electric-driven; (c) routes to be prescribed; (d) whether delivery of gasoline in tank wagons should be prohibited in certain streets and districts.

This hearing will be before the Board of Hazardous Trades.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Fire Commissioner.

Dated, Feb. 15, 1918. 119.27

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIX HUNDRED (600) BOXES OF TOILET SOAP.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and the full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) consecutive calendar days. The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty per cent. (30%) of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller to an amount of 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid made.

The bidders will be required to state the price per pound for the soap, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, President.

Dated, Feb. 13, 1918. 119.m4

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WET CONNECTION SLEEVES AND VALVES.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is sixty (60) 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 it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) 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. Award, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder in the aggregate for all items.

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

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Commissioner.

Dated, Feb. 7, 1918. 118.20

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Proposed Amendment to Classification.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the proposed amendment of the Civil Service Classification by striking from the Non-Competitive Class, Part II., the following: Police Department—Without Maintenance: Cook, \$600 per annum; Steward, \$360 per annum, and by including in the Non-Competitive Class, Part I., the following:

Police Department, Without Maintenance, Cook and Steward, \$912 per annum.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1918,

at 10.30 a. m.

118.20 CHAS. I. STENGLE, Secretary.

Notices of Examination.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1918, TO

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1918,

for the position of

TYPEWRITING COPIST, MALE AND FEMALE, GRADE 2.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1918, 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: Copying, 6; 70 per cent. required. Tabulation, 2; Letter, 2; 70 per cent. general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for the examination must be filed on a general blank.

Duties.—The duties of incumbents of these positions, which may involve the performance of incidental clerical work, are to make, on ordinary typewriting machines, plain copies of written or typed information, reports, notices and memoranda.

Requirements.—In the test in copying, which will consist of the copying of a mimeographed passage of three hundred words on the typewriting machine in five minutes, both the correctness and the rapidity of the performance will be considered by the examiners. In rating the correctness of the exercise, the exactness, form, neatness, freedom from interlineation and alterations, etc., will be considered. In the exercise in tabulation the candidates will be required to present the narrative matter given to them for this purpose in columns with suitable headings as a typewritten tabulation. In rating the tabulation, primary consideration will be given to the candidates' ability in selecting all the essential items or facts and arranging them in as many columns as may be advisable for their most effective presentation. Clearness and brevity of expression will also be considered, but no credit will be given for the rapidity with which this exercise is performed.

Candidates must furnish their own typewriting machines, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines, nor will any allowance be made where they are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board

of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$600 to \$780. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1918, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Public Notices.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 5th day of February, 1918, the following petition was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department:

SUPREME COURT.

Appellate Division, First Judicial Department. In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted, pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution.

The Petition and Application of The City of New York, acting by its Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully shows to the Court upon information and belief:

FIRST.—Pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution, as amended, which went into effect on the first day of January, 1910, and which, among other things, provided that any indebtedness incurred by The City of New York for any rapid transit or dock investment prior to the said first day of January, 1910, may be excluded proportionately to the extent to which the current net revenue received by such City therefrom shall meet the interest and the amortization instalments thereof, and that the legislature should prescribe the method by which and the terms and conditions under which the amount of any debt to be so excluded should be determined, and that the legislature might, in its discretion, confer appropriate jurisdiction upon the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department, for the purpose of determining the amount of any debt to be so excluded, the legislature passed an act, being chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, which was duly signed by the Governor and went into effect on the 11th day of May, 1910.

By said act, which prescribed the method by which and the terms and conditions under which the amount of any debt to be so excluded should be determined, The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, was authorized to present to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department a verified petition setting forth the facts and praying for a determination of the amount of any debt incurred by The City of New York for rapid transit or dock investment prior to the first day of January, 1910, which might be excluded in ascertaining the powers of said City to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of said section ten of

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.

16.21 CHARLES I. STENGLE, Secretary.

article eight of the Constitution and conferred jurisdiction upon said Appellate Division to make such determination.

SECOND.—Pursuant to the said constitutional provision and statute hereinbefore recited, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the petitioner, by a resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of June, 1914, required the Comptroller of the petitioner to prepare and submit to said Board a statement showing in detail indebtedness incurred and the bonds issued therefor by the petitioner for the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Division of the Rapid Transit Railroad, with the dates of maturity of such indebtedness, the terms of any and all agreements and contracts made by or in behalf of the petitioner with respect to such investment, the gross revenue received therefrom, the interest paid and to be paid by the petitioner on said indebtedness, the annual instalments necessary for the amortization thereof, and the current net revenue derived from said investment, and pursuant to such resolution the said Comptroller did prepare and submit to said Board such statement, and thereupon, the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment did, by resolution adopted on the 5th day of October, 1917, direct that application be made to this Court for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the petitioner to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of said section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

THIRD.—The material facts relative to the construction of the said Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad are as follows: Pursuant to a contract made and entered into under date of February 21, 1900, between the petitioner, acting by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, and John B. McDonald and various supplemental, amendatory and modifying contracts, a rapid transit railroad was constructed by and at the expense of the petitioner which was and is known as the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad.

FOURTH.—Thereafter said railroad was constructed and was and has continued to be and is now being operated by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, to which was assigned, with the consent of the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners for The City of New York, so much of said contracts as provided for the maintenance and operation of said rapid transit railroad including the equipment thereof and the right or obligation to maintain and operate the said road or roads in said contract described and all rights with respect to such maintenance or operation, or included in the leasing provisions of such contracts.

FIFTH.—The following is a statement showing all of the corporate stock of The City of New York issued for the said rapid transit railway, the rate of interest thereon, the year of issue and the year of maturity thereof:

	Maturity Year.	Interest Rate.	Par Value.
Corporate stock sold in year 1901.....	1948	3½	\$4,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1900.....	1949	3½	1,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1901.....	1949	3½	3,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1901.....	1950	3½	2,500,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1901.....	1950	3	1,500,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1902.....	1951	3½	8,500,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1902.....	1952	3½	4,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1903.....	1952	3½	6,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1903.....	1952	3½	1,165,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1903.....	1953	3½	2,000,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1904.....	1953	3½	2,700,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1904.....	1954	3½	5,885,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1905.....	1954	3½	2,300,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1907.....	1957	4	768,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1907.....	1957	4½	494,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1908.....	1957	4½	184,397 20
Corporate stock sold in year 1908.....	1957	4	204,825 18
Corporate stock sold in year 1908.....	1958	4	46,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1958	4	151,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1959	4	53,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1959	4	171,592 65
Corporate stock sold in year 1910.....	1959	4	83,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1910.....	1930-1960	4½	1,173,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1911.....	1960	4½	666,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1912.....	1962	4½	222,109 33
Corporate stock sold in year 1913.....	1953	4	13,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1914.....	1964	4½	28,454 90
Corporate stock sold in year 1914.....	1963	4	1,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1915.....	1965	4½	4,300 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1916.....	1966	4½	17,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1917.....	1967	4½	43,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1917.....	1967	4	13,000 00
Total Bonds issued for Contract No. 1.....			\$48,889,679 26

SIXTH.—The balance of outstanding liabilities on account of contracts for construction work, together with other commitments, as at August 31, 1917, aggregates, with the liabilities for lands acquired for the purposes of this contract.....\$2,589,450 58, as more particularly stated hereunder.

CONTRACT LIABILITIES:

Contract Nos. 2124 and 6212; February 21, 1900:	
Unexpended balance of the original estimated construction cost of \$35,000,000.....	\$576,425 25
Contract No. 25096; April 21, 1909—Modification of original contract Nos. 2124 and 6212. Balance of estimated cost of installing additional elevators at 181st Street and St. Nicholas Avenue..	21,542 00
	\$597,967 25

COMMITMENTS BASED ON AUTHORIZATIONS.

For Additional Emergency Exits on the Manhattan-Bronx Division of the Rapid Transit Railroad, estimated at.....

\$150,000 00

Adjustments of controversy over extra work and omissions based upon a series of Conferences held at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., under agreement dated Dec. 12, 1907, modifying original contract of February 21, 1900, which conferences were participated in by counsel and engineers of the Public Service Commission; counsel to and engineers of the contractor and construction company; Public Service Commissioner Eustis, and as Assistant Corporation Counsel representing the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, whereby certain claims of the contractor, based on the original contract of February 21, 1900, for construction of the subway at an estimated cost of \$35,000,000 and other claims, were

adjusted by a net allowance to the contractor of.....\$1,684,109 33

The amount of award resulting from said Saratoga Conference to be paid to the contractor upon said adjustment:

It is to be expended for rapid transit purposes with the approval of the Public Service Commission, and the total amount is to be capitalized as against the contractor, and the contractor is to pay to the City thereon during the lifetime of the lease (under Contract No. 1) the stipulated percentages shown (for interest and sinking fund purposes) by way of additional rental.

SEVENTH.—LAND LIABILITY. The land liability still outstanding and unpaid, which lands were acquired for use in connection with the Manhattan-Bronx division of the Rapid Transit Railroad, is as follows:

Fort George Proceeding (in which title vested in the City on October 23, 1907), with interest thereon to August 31, 1917.....	\$31,626 67
Westchester Avenue, from Third Avenue to Southern Boulevard (in which title vested in the City May 29, 1906), with interest thereon to August 31, 1917.....	125,747 33
	\$157,374 00

EIGHTH.—The total indebtedness of the City arising from and under the contract of February 21, 1900, for the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx division of the rapid transit railroad, based upon the foregoing, including the amount committed under the Saratoga award and the amounts authorized for additional emergency exits, together with the land liabilities as indicated in the foregoing, and which comprehend all known liabilities, aggregate, as may be noted.....\$2,589,450 58

NINTH.—There have been, as shown in the foregoing table.....\$48,889,679 26

of rapid transit bonds issued by The City of New York, the proceeds of which have been applied to meet the City's obligations and to liquidate indebtedness incurred in the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the provisions and requirements of Contract No. 1, by and between The City of New York and John B. McDonald, dated February 21, 1900, subsequently assigned under date of July 10, 1902, to Interborough Rapid Transit Company, and the modifications thereof.

Up to December 31, 1909, there was \$46,623,815 03 of bonds issued by The City of New York, the proceeds of which were applied to the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the requirements of said Contract No. 1, dated February 21, 1900. Therein, from January 1, 1910, up to and including August 31, 1917, the City issued the additional sum of \$2,265,864 23 of corporate stock, the proceeds of which were applied to the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the Contract dated February 21, 1900, and the modifications thereof. These two amounts, viz. \$46,623,815 03 and \$2,265,864 23

representing the bonds which were issued prior to January 1, 1910, and the bonds which have been issued subsequent thereto, make the grand aggregate of \$48,889,679 26 issued by the City, the proceeds of which have been applied to carry out the City's obligations and to liquidate indebtedness incurred under the terms and requirements of the rapid transit contract, dated February 21, 1900, and modifications thereof.

Eleventh.—The said contract of February 21, 1900, requires the lessee, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, as assignee, to pay to the City as rental for the railroad—

"(1) An annual sum equal to the annual interest payable by the City upon all bonds which shall be issued by it in order to provide means for construction. The amount of such interest shall be ascertained as of the time when the Railroad shall be declared by the Board to be ready for operation; but it shall be increased from time to time by the amount of the annual interest payable by the City for all bonds which, after the date when the Railroad shall be so declared to be ready for operation, shall be issued in order to provide means for construction. The amount or amounts payable under this subdivision shall not be subject to decrease by reason of the refunding by the City at lower rates of interest of any of the bonds issued as aforesaid. Bonds issued in order to provide means for construction shall be deemed to include bonds issued to pay interest on bonds theretofore issued pursuant to this Contract under the provisions of section 34 of the Rapid Transit Act, but shall not be deemed to include bonds issued to pay for rights of way, easements, privileges or property other than lands acquired in fee.

"(2) A further annual sum which shall be equal to one per centum upon the whole amount of the said bonds (with the exceptions above mentioned).

"The Rental shall begin as to each Section with the date of the declaration of the Board that such Section is ready for operation and shall be payable at the end of each quarter on the first days of January, April, July and October."

Under the terms of said Contract No. 1, relating to rental, the City is receiving from the lessee annual sinking fund payments on \$46,631,066 09 and annual interest on \$46,685,207 93. The City is carrying and providing in its annual tax budget for interest and sinking fund installments on all of the bonds which have been issued to provide the costs of rights of way and easements under the rapid transit Contract, dated February 21, 1900. The amount which up to August 31, 1917, has been applied by the City from the proceeds of said rapid transit bonds to meet the cost of easements has aggregated \$2,290,004 61 of which \$2,204,471 33 was from the par value of the bonds sold therefor and \$85,533 28 from premiums received thereon.

Twelfth.—As stated hereinbefore, the City has issued a grand aggregate of \$48,889,679 26 of rapid transit bonds, the proceeds of which, including the premiums thereon, have been applied to meet the obligations of and the indebtedness incurred by the City under the provisions and requirements of the rapid transit Contract, dated February 21, 1900.

Of this amount the lessee is paying annual interest on \$46,685,207 93

TABLE OF BONDS ISSUED; YEAR OF ISSUE AND OF MATURITY; RATES AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL INTEREST, AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL AMORTIZATION INSTALLMENTS THEREON.

Year of Issue.	Year of Maturity.	Rate of Interest.	Amount of Bonds Issued.	Annual Interest Requirements.	Annual Amortization Installment.
1901.....	1948	3 1/2%	\$4,000,000 00	\$140,000 00	\$39,842 04
1900.....	1949	3 1/2%	\$1,000,000 00	35,000 00	9,213 14
1901.....	1949	3 1/2%	\$3,000,000 00	105,000 00	28,733 31
1901.....	1950	3 1/2%	\$2,500,000 00	87,500 00	23,032 85
1901.....	1950	3%	\$1,500,000 00	45,000 00	13,819 71
1902.....	1951	3 1/2%	\$8,500,000 00	297,500 00	78,311 69
1902.....	1952	3 1/2%	\$4,000,000 00	140,000 00	35,462 00
1903.....	1952	3 1/2%	\$6,000,000 00	210,000 00	55,278 84
1903.....	1952	3 1/2%	\$1,165,000 00	37,862 50	10,733 31
1903.....	1953	3 1/2%	\$2,000,000 00	70,000 00	17,731 00
1904.....	1953	3 1/2%	\$2,700,000 00	94,500 00	24,875 48
1904.....	1954	3 1/2%	\$5,885,000 00	205,975 00	52,173 47
1905.....	1954	3 1/2%	\$2,300,000 00	80,500 00	21,177 08
1907.....	1957	4%	\$768,500 00	30,740 00	6,813 13
1907.....	1957	4 1/2%	\$494,000 00	22,230 00	4,379 55
1908.....	1957	4%	\$204,825 18	8,193 01	1,887 08
1908.....	1957	4 1/2%	\$1,900,000 00	6,795 00	1,391 19
1908.....	1957	4 1/2%	\$3,397 20	5,502 87	307 69
1908.....	1958	4%	46,000 00	1,840 00	407 81
1909.....	1958	4%	151,000 00	6,040 00	1,391 18
1909.....	1959	4%	53,500 00	2,140 00	474 30
1909.....	1959	4%	171,592 65	6,863 70	1,521 26
1910.....	1959	4%	83,500 00	3,340 00	769 30
1910.....	1960	4 1/4%	1,173,000 00	49,850 00	10,399 23
1911.....	1960	4 1/4%	666,000 00	28,300 00	6,135 95
1912.....	1962	4 1/4%	222,109 33	9,439 64	1,969 11
1913.....	1963	4%	13,000 00	520 00	172 40
1914.....	1964	4 1/2%	28,454 90	1,209 33	252 27
1914.....	1965	4 1/2%	4,300 00	193 50	38 12
1916.....	1966	4 1/2%	17,500 00	743 75	155 15
1916.....	1967	4 1/2%	43,500 00	1,957 50	385 65
1917.....	1967	4%	13,000 00	520 00	115 25

Total Bonds issued for Contract No. 1, with Annual Interest and Amortization Installments thereon \$48,889,679 26 \$1,731,323 30 \$449,363 36

Less Bonds not to be Exempted, the proceeds thereof having been applied for Easements \$2,300,000 00 \$80,500 00 \$21,177 08

Total Amount of Bonds subject to Exemption, upon which City is receiving Annual Interest and one per cent. of principal for Sinking Fund \$46,589,679 26 \$1,650,823 30 \$428,186 28

Total Annual Interest and Amortization requirements on Bonds heretofore Exempted and on the additional Bonds for which the City hereby petitions Exemption \$2,079,009 58

—The Bonds thus indicated (a) aggregating \$43,868,325 18 were exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court July 5, 1910.

and amortization installments on a sum total of bonds aggregating, \$46,631,066 09.

The balance of the par value of the bonds, viz. \$2,204,471 33 has been applied by the City towards meeting the cost of easements and rights-of-way necessary to be acquired to carry out the City's obligations under the Contract dated February 21, 1900, and the annual interest and amortization installments on this amount is provided for in the City's annual tax budgets.

Thirteenth.—The first application which was made to this Court for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by the City for the Manhattan-Bronx Railroad which might be excluded in ascertaining the power of the City to become otherwise indebted, was made under date of June 17, 1910, and the Court, under a decision dated July 5, 1910, determined that \$43,868,325 18 were then self-sustaining and should be so exempted.

Fourteenth.—The City of New York has now a total investment of \$50,870,934 36 in the rapid transit railroad constructed by it under the terms and provisions of the contract entered into on February 21, 1900, by and between the City and John B. McDonald. Of this investment \$48,889,679 26 was obtained, as previously indicated herein, from the par value of the rapid transit bonds sold from time to time to provide funds to meet the recurring outlays and obligations of said contract and \$1,981,255 was derived from the premiums received by the City from the sale of said bonds and applied to the construction of said railroad and the acquisition of easements, rights of way, etc., in connection therewith.

Fifteenth.—In the application of June 17, 1910, to this Court the annual amortization installments required to redeem, at their respective dates of maturity, separate issues of rapid transit bonds aggregating a sum total of \$43,868,325 18, were stated in varying sums which set forth an annual amortization installment of \$465,500 69.

Sixteenth.—The principle under which these amortization installments were computed resulted in an overstatement of the aggregate annual amount so required, of \$61,822 91. In other words, an analysis of these annual amortization installments and a consequent revision thereof, shows that the total annual sum required to amortize and provide for redemption at maturity \$43,868,325 18 of bonds exempted by the Appellate Division is \$403,677 78.

Seventeenth.—The principle under which may be ascertained the proportion of the amortization installments of and interest on rapid transit indebtedness incurred under Contract No. 1, which the current net revenue received by the City from this investment is sufficient to meet, comprehends—

(a) The annual amount required to amortize a bond during the years which such bond has to run up to its date of maturity; such annual installment to be invested at not less than a stated rate of interest.

(b) The annual interest on such indebtedness.

The offset or credit to the foregoing is represented by—

(c) The total annual amount received by the City from the lessee of the Rapid Transit Railroad to be applied towards the amortization and ultimate redemption of the bonds.

(d) The annual interest received by the City from the lessee to be applied by the City towards paying the interest on rapid transit bonds issued under the requirements of Contract No. 1.

Eighteenth.—In accordance with the foregoing principles, tables have been prepared:

(a) Computing the annual amortization requirements on each bond issued by the City of New York from the date of issue to date of maturity, the proceeds of which bonds have been applied to carry out the obligations of the City and liquidate indebtedness incurred by it under rapid transit Contract No. 1, dated February 21, 1900. The interest on such amortization installments has been compounded annually at 3% per annum.

(b) Showing the actual interest on such bonds at the different rates of interest which such bonds carry, viz., 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/4 and 4 1/2% per annum.

These tables also set forth the offsets to the foregoing, consisting of—

(c) The annual amount received by the City from the lessee, to be applied as amortization installments towards the ultimate redemption of the bonds.

(d) The annual interest paid by the lessee to the City on rapid transit bonds issued under Contract No. 1.

The payments (c and d) by the lessee constitute the current net revenue received by the City from its investments under Contract No. 1 of February 21, 1900, for the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad.

NINETEENTH.—The foregoing table shows that the annual interest paid and to be paid by The City of New York and the annual installments necessary for the amortization of the \$46,589,679 26 of rapid transit bonds issued by it for the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, amounts to \$2,079,009 58, apportioned as follows:

Interest \$1,650,823 30
Amortization installments 428,186 28
\$2,079,009 58

The City received from the lessee for sinking fund purposes for the year ended October 1, 1916, under Contract No. 1, the sum of \$466,310 66 representing one per cent. on \$46,631,066 09; and the City also received with said payment the additional sum of \$2,544 83, representing 1-8 of 1 per cent. of the par value of Rapid Transit Bonds issued by the City under Contract No. 1 since January 1, 1910, in accordance with certain requirements affecting said Contract as modified by Article LVIII of Contract No. 3, by and between the City of New York and Interborough Rapid Transit Company, dated March 19, 1913.

The City also received from the lessee for interest on the rapid transit bonds issued under Contract No. 1 for the year ended June 30, 1917, a sum total of \$1,651,281 72

a little over one-fourth of which interest, or \$412,992 31, was paid by the lessee for the quarterly period ended June 30, 1917, making the current net revenue which The City of New York is receiving from Interborough Rapid Transit Company, as lessee, under the terms of Contract No. 1, \$2,117,592 38

which is \$38,582 80 in excess of the annual requirements needed to amortize and to pay annual interest on \$46,589,679 26. With the 1-8 of 1 per cent. paid on the par value of the bonds issued since January 1, 1910, there is \$41,127 63 annually received by the City in excess of the amount required to amortize and to pay interest on the said sum total of \$46,589,679 26 of bonds issued by the City and representing investments by it under said Contract No. 1, dated February 21, 1900, in the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad.

Twentieth.—The latest maturity date of rapid transit bonds heretofore issued by the City to carry out its obligations and liquidate its indebtedness under the requirements of Contract No. 1, is July 1, 1967. Tables upon which the annual amortization installments have been prepared and which indicate the amounts which will be required to redeem all of said rapid transit bonds, and counter tables which show the amounts to be received by the City from the lessee under the sinking fund clause of the contract indicate that there will be a cash surplus in the sinking funds, December, 1965, of at least \$8,291,260 59, and all of the \$46,589,679 26 of rapid transit bonds issued under Contract No. 1, with the exception of \$74,000, will have matured and have been redeemed.

This computation is predicated upon the amount of annual installments which have been received by the City from the lessee from the fiscal year ended October 31, 1905, and the continuing amounts to be received by the City from the lessee as annual installments, the latter being based upon the annual amounts now being paid by the lessee.

The investment of these annual payments into the sinking fund is computed on an annual basis of 3 per cent., that is to say, on an annual turnover. Interest on sinking fund holdings is received and compounded semi-annually, while this calculation is made on an annual 3 per cent. basis, that is, the compounding of interest annually, instead of semi-annually, and is therefore on a most conservative basis.

The result obtained by such computation is summarized as follows:

Payments received and to be received by The City of New York from the lessee for sinking fund purposes, up to and including the payments to be made for the year ending October 31, 1918, \$28,380,361 72

Total of accretions on foregoing amount of installments compounded annually at 3 per cent. per annum, 26,500,578 13

Total amount which will have been received by the sinking funds to provide for the redemption of \$46,589,679 26 of rapid transit bonds under Contract No. 1 \$54,880,939 85

Total amount of bond value exempted July 5, 1910, \$43,868,325 18

Additional exemption hereby applied for 2,721,354 08

46,589,679 26

Total Cash Surplus in sinking funds December, 1965, at least, \$8,291,260 59

Twenty-first.—In accordance with the provisions of Contract No. 1, as modified by Article XLIX, Section (a) of Contract No. 3, by and between the City of New York and Interborough Rapid Transit Company, dated March 19, 1913, for additional rapid transit railroads, the lessee shall continue to pay to the City during the full term of the lease, which will not expire earlier than December 31, 1965, the rentals, consisting of annual interest on the bonds, payable quarterly, and sinking fund installments irrespective of the amortization or the refunding of any bonds issued by the City to provide means for the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad operated under Contract No. 1.

In accordance with this requirement of the lease, the City will receive from the lessee, after each bond successively matures, the amount of the annual interest theretofore paid by the lessee on such bond or bonds and an annual sum of at least \$469,464 56, representing the corresponding annual amounts theretofore paid for sinking fund purposes, which (dependent upon the actual date of termination of the lease at December 31, 1967) will increase the sinking fund surpluses as of December, 1965, by the accretions of interest thereon to 1967 in a sum approximating \$1,454,710 66

thus indicating a total cash surplus to the City's sinking funds from the amounts paid in by the Lessee as rentals for and as equivalent to sinking fund installments, of at least \$9,745,971 00, a sum which, it will be noted, is far more than sufficient to also provide for the redemption of \$2,300,000 00 of bonds issued by the City to provide the costs of easements under Contract No. 1, which the City does not ask shall be exempted.

Twenty-second.—The moneys which the lessee will be required to pay to the City until the end of the lease, representing the full amount of interest on all bonds issued for the construction of the rapid transit railroad under Contract No. 1, after such bonds mature and have been redeemed, beginning with the first bonds to be redeemed in 1948, will aggregate, to December, 1965, a sum total of \$21,166,022, all of which will be clear gain and surplus to the City, together with the \$8,291,260 59 of sinking fund surplus referred to in preceding page.

Twenty-third.—The Interborough Rapid Transit Company as assignee of John B. McDonald and lessee of the subway or rapid transit railroad, has always promptly paid the quarterly and annual rentals required to be paid to the City in accordance with the terms and provisions of Contract No. 1. These payments have aggregated the following stated amounts and covering the fiscal years enumerated:

STATEMENT OF AMOUNTS PAID TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK BY THE INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY, AS INTEREST RENTAL UNDER THE TERMS OF CONTRACT NO. 1, FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING OCTOBER 27, 1904, TO JUNE 30, 1917.

For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1905, \$1,107,373 70
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1906, 1,416,346 58
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1907, 1,482,452 87
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1908, 1,504,334 27
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1909, 1,552,418 63
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1910, 1,568,963 86
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1911, 1,618,017 33
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1912, 1,641,134 64
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1913, 1,647,544 37
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1914, 1,649,821 01
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1915, 1,650,244 67
For quarterly period Oct. 1, 1915-Dec. 31, 1915, \$412,539 17
For quarterly period Jan. 1, 1916-Mch. 31, 1916, 412,566 01
For quarterly period Apr. 1, 1916-June 30, 1916, 412,705 06
1,237,810 24

For quarterly period July 1, 1916-Sept. 30, 1916, \$412,721 04
For quarterly period Oct. 1, 1916-Dec. 31, 1916, 412,725 21
For quarterly period Jan. 1, 1917-Mch. 31, 1917, 412,843 16
For quarterly period Apr. 1, 1917-June 30, 1917, 412,992 31
1,651,281 72

Total to and including the quarterly term ended June 30, 1917, \$19,727,948 89

STATEMENT OF RENTALS PAID BY INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR SINKING FUND AND AMORTIZATION OF RAPID TRANSIT BONDS FOR PERIOD BEGINNING OCTOBER 27, 1904, TO OCTOBER 31, 1916.

For fiscal year ended:

October 31, 1905, \$384,576 79
October 31, 1906, 425,799 78
October 31, 1907, 426,439 30
October 31, 1908, 441,112 55
October 31, 1909, 443,937 55
October 31, 1910, 452,284 04
October 31, 1911, 462,816 00
October 31, 1912, 465,381 48
October 31, 1913, 467,592 83
October 31, 1914, 468,597 55
October 31, 1915, 468,658 67
October 31, 1916, 468,855 49

Total payments to Sinking Fund, \$5,376,052 03

Twenty-fourth.—By a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 30th day of November, 1917, the said Board duly approved this petition and directed that a copy thereof be spread upon its minutes and that the same be verified in behalf of this Board acting for The City of New York, by the Mayor, the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

WHEREFORE your petitioner prays that this Court will, pursuant to said chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, designate six daily newspapers of general circulation published in the City of New York, at least one of which is published in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City in which notice of this application shall be given as prescribed by said act and fix the date when the application of your petitioner shall be heard and that this Court shall make a new and subsequent determination of the amount of debt incurred by The City of New York for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of The City of New York to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated, New York, January 14, 1918.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, State of New York, County of New York, City of New York, ss.: John F. Hyland, Charles L. Craig and Alfred E. Smith, being severally duly sworn, depose and say that John F. Hyland is Mayor of The City of New York; that Charles L. Craig is Comptroller of The City of New York; and that Alfred E. Smith is President of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York; and as such are members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the petitioner.

That by resolution adopted by said Board on the 30th day of November, 1917, deponents were authorized and directed by said Board to subscribe and verify the foregoing petition in behalf of said Board, acting for the petitioner herein.

That they have read and know the contents of the foregoing petition, and that the same is true to their own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters they believe it to be true.

The reason this verification is made by deponents, and not by the petitioner, is that the petitioner is a domestic municipal corporation, of which deponents are officers. The source of deponents' information and the grounds of their belief as to the matters not therein stated upon their knowledge, are the statement submitted by the Comptroller of said Board in this petition mentioned; information obtained from the books and records of the Department of Finance and of other departments of the petitioner, and statements made to them by certain officers and agents of the petitioner.

JOHN F. HYLAN, CHARLES L. CRAIG, ALFRED E. SMITH.

Severally sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1918.

J. C. CONLON, Notary Public, New York County No. 148, New York Register No. 8091. Commission expires March 30, 1918.

(Seal)

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that upon said petition an application will be made

to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, at the Court House of said City, corner of 25th Street and Madison Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by The City of New York prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted, pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

Dated, New York, February 19, 1918.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, by JOHN F. Hylan, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f20,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON the 5th day of February, 1918, the following petition was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial Department.

SUPREME COURT, APPELLATE DIVISION—FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted, pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution.

The Petition and Application of The City of New York, acting by its Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully shows to the Court upon information and belief:

FIRST.—Pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution, as amended, which went into effect on the first day of January, 1910, and which, among other things, provided that any indebtedness incurred by The City of New York for any rapid transit or dock investment prior to the said first day of January, 1910, may be excluded proportionately to the extent to which the current net revenue received by such city therefrom shall meet the interest on the amortization installments thereof, and that the legislature should prescribe the method by which and the terms and conditions under which the amount of any debt to be so excluded should be determined, and that the legislature might, in its discretion, confer appropriate jurisdiction upon the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department, for the purpose of determining the amount of any debt to be so excluded, the legislature passed an act, being chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, which was duly signed by the Governor and went into effect on the 11th day of May, 1910.

By said act, which prescribed the method by which and the terms and conditions under which the amount of any debt to be so excluded should be determined, The City of New York, acting

by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, was authorized to present to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department, a verified petition setting forth the facts and praying for a determination of the amount of any debt incurred by The City of New York for rapid transit or dock investment prior to the first day of January, 1910, which might be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of said section ten of article eight of the Constitution and conferred jurisdiction upon said Appellate Division to make such determination.

SECOND.—Pursuant to the said constitutional provision and statute heretofore recited, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the petitioner, by a resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of June, 1914, required the Comptroller of the petitioner to prepare and submit to said Board a statement showing in detail indebtedness incurred and the bonds issued therefor by the petitioner for the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, with the dates of maturity of such indebtedness, the terms of any and all agreements and contracts made by or in behalf of the petitioner with respect to such investment, the gross revenue received therefrom, the interest paid and to be paid by the petitioner on said indebtedness, the annual installments necessary for the amortization thereof, and the current net revenue derived from said investment, and pursuant to such resolution the said Comptroller did prepare and submit to said Board such statement, and thereupon the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment did, by resolution, adopted on the 5th day of October, 1917, direct that application be made to this Court for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the petitioner to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of said section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

THIRD.—The material facts relative to the construction of the said Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad are as follows: Pursuant to a contract made and entered into under date of July 21, 1902, between the petitioner, acting by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, and Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, and various supplemental, amendatory and modifying contracts, a rapid transit railroad was constructed by and at the expense of the petitioner which was and is known as the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad.

FOURTH.—Thereafter said railroad was constructed and was and has continued to be and is now being operated by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, to which was assigned so much of the said contracts as provided for the maintenance and operation of said rapid transit railroad including the equipment thereof and the right or obligation to maintain and operate the said road or roads in said contract described and all rights with respect to such maintenance or operation, or included in the leasing provisions of such contracts.

FIFTH.—The following is a statement showing all of the corporate stock of The City of New York issued for the Brooklyn-Manhattan division of the rapid transit railway; the rate of interest thereon; the year of issue and the year of maturity thereof:

	Maturity Year.	Interest Rate.	Par Value.
Corporate stock sold in year 1906.....	1936	4	\$500,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1903.....	1932	3 1/2	1,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1904.....	1933	3 1/2	300,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1904.....	1934	3 1/2	1,065,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1905.....	1934	3 1/2	200,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1906.....	1935	3 1/2	250,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1907.....	1936	4	36,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1907.....	1937	4	313,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1907.....	1937	4 1/2	650,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1908.....	1937	4 1/2	200,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1908.....	1938	4	32,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1938	4	54,500 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1939	4	11,900 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1909.....	1939	4	12,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1910.....	1960	4 1/2	320,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1911.....	1960	4	1,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1911.....	1960	4 1/2	138,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1912.....	1962	4 1/2	10,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1912.....	1962	4 1/2	658,645 60
Corporate stock sold in year 1912.....	1964	4 1/2	241,000 00
Corporate stock sold in year 1915.....	1965	4 1/2	397,000 14
Corporate stock sold in year 1916.....	1966	4 1/2	11,900 00

Total Bonds issued for Contract No. 2..... \$5,403,045 74

SIXTH.—There have been..... \$5,403,045 74 of rapid transit bonds issued by The City of New York, the proceeds of which have been applied to meet the City's obligations and to liquidate indebtedness incurred in the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the provisions and requirements of Contract No. 2, by and between The City of New York and Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, dated July 21, 1902, subsequently amended, under date of August 10, 1905, to Interborough Rapid Transit Company, and the modifications thereof.

Up to December 31, 1909, there was..... \$3,626,400 of bonds issued by The City of New York, the proceeds of which were applied to the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the requirements of said Contract No. 2, dated July 21, 1902.

From January 1, 1910, up to and including August 31, 1917, the City issued the additional sum of..... \$1,776,645 74 of corporate stock, the proceeds of which were applied to the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan division of the Rapid Transit Railroad under the Contract dated July 21, 1902, and the modifications thereof.

These two amounts, viz..... \$3,626,400 00 and..... 1,776,645 74

representing the bonds which were issued prior to January 1, 1910, and the bonds which have been issued subsequent thereto, make the grand aggregate of..... \$5,403,045 74

issued by the City, the proceeds of which have been applied to carry out the City's obligations and to liquidate indebtedness incurred under the terms and requirements of the rapid transit contract dated July 21, 1902, and the modifications thereof.

SEVENTH.—The said contract of July 21, 1902, by and between The City of New York and John B. McDonald, requires the lessee, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, as assignee, to pay to the City as rental for the railroad—

(1) An annual sum equal to the annual interest payable by the City upon all bonds which shall be issued by it in order to provide means for construction. The amount of such interest shall be ascertained as of the time when the Railroad shall be declared by the Board to be ready for operation, or, if the Board shall so direct, the time when passenger traffic on the Railroad shall begin; but it shall be increased from time to time by the amount of the annual interest payable by the

City for all bonds which, after the date when the Railroad shall be so declared to be ready for operation, or when such traffic shall so begin, shall be issued in order to provide means for construction. The amount or amounts payable under this subdivision shall not be subject to decrease by reason of the refunding by the City at lower rates of interest of any of the bonds issued as aforesaid. Bonds issued in order to provide means for construction shall be deemed to include bonds issued to pay interest on bonds theretofore issued pursuant to this Contract under the provisions of section 34 of the Rapid Transit Act, for all lands acquired in fee, but not bonds issued to pay for other rights, terms, easements or privileges.

(2) A further annual sum which shall be equal to one per centum upon the whole amount of the said bonds with the exceptions above mentioned.

(3) A further annual sum which shall be equal to the amount of the annual interest payable by the City upon bonds issued to provide means to pay for rights of way acquired on, under, through or over lands not belonging to the City.

The Rental shall begin on the date of the declaration of the Board that the Railroad is ready for operation, or, if the Board shall so direct, the date when passenger traffic on the Railroad shall begin, and shall be payable at the end of each quarter on the first days of January, April, July and October.

EIGHTH.—Under the terms of said Contract No. 2, relating to rental, the City is receiving from the lessee annual sinking fund payments on..... \$4,424,045 60 and annual interest on..... \$5,403,045 74. The City is carrying and providing in its annual tax budget for sinking fund installments on all of the bonds which have been issued to provide the costs of rights-of-way and easements under the rapid transit Contract dated July 21, 1902. The amount which up to August 31, 1917, has been applied by the City from the proceeds of said rapid transit bonds to meet the cost of easements has aggregated..... \$989,947 32 of which..... \$979,000 14 was from the par value of the bonds sold theretofore and \$10,947 18 from premiums received thereon.

As already stated hereinbefore, the City has issued a grand aggregate of..... \$5,403,045 74 of rapid transit bonds, the proceeds of which, including the premiums thereon, have been applied to meet the obligations of and the indebtedness incurred by the City under the provisions and require-

ments of the rapid transit Contract dated July 21, 1902. Of this amount, the lessee is paying annual interest on..... \$5,403,045 74 and amortization installments on..... 4,424,045 60 sum total of bonds aggregating.....

The balance of the proceeds of the bonds, viz..... \$979,000 14 has been applied by the City towards meeting the cost of easements and rights-of-way necessary to be acquired to carry out the City's obligations under the Contract dated July 21, 1902, and the annual amortization installments on this amount is provided for in the City's annual tax budgets.

The first application which was made to this Court for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by the City for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Railroad, which might be excluded in ascertaining the power of the City to become otherwise indebted, was made under date of March 10, 1911, and this Court, by an order dated April 20, 1911, determined that \$3,614,400 were then self-sustaining and should be so exempted.

NINTH.—The City of New York has now a total investment of \$5,454,108.46 in the rapid transit railroad constructed by it under the terms and provisions of the contract entered into on July 21, 1902, by and between the City and Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, which contract was subsequently assigned to Interborough Rapid Transit Company, under date of August 10, 1905. Of this investment \$5,403,045.74 was obtained, as previously indicated herein, from the par value of the rapid transit bonds sold from time to time to provide funds to meet the recurring outlays and obligations of said contract and \$51,062.72 was derived from the premiums received by the City from the sale of said bonds and applied to the construction of said railroad and the acquisitions of easements, rights of way, etc., in connection therewith.

TENTH.—In the application of March 10, 1911, to this Court the annual amortization installments required to redeem, at their respective dates of maturity, separate issues of rapid transit bonds aggregating a sum total of \$3,614,400 were stated in varying sums which set forth an annual amortization installment of \$39,550.59.

The principle under which these amortization installments were computed resulted in an overstatement of the aggregate annual amount so required of \$1,068.16. In other words, an analysis of these annual amortization installments and a consequent revision thereof shows that

TABLE OF BONDS ISSUED; YEARS OF ISSUE AND OF MATURITY; RATES AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL INTEREST, AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL AMORTIZATION INSTALLMENTS THEREON.

Date of Issue.	Date of Maturity.	Rate of Interest.	Amount of Bonds Issued.	Annual Interest Requirements.	Annual Amortization Installment.
1906.....	1936	4%	\$500,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$10,509 63
1903.....	1932	3 1/2%	\$1,000 00	32 50	9 21
1904.....	1933	3 1/2%	\$300,000 00	10,500 00	2,763 94
1904.....	1934	3 1/2%	\$1,065,000 00	37,275 00	5,441 76
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1906.....	1935	3 1/2%	\$250,000 00	8,750 00	2,303 29
1907.....	1936	4%	\$36,000 00	1,440 00	331 67
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1908.....	1938	4%	\$32,500 00	1,300 00	288 13
1909.....	1938	4%	\$54,500 00	2,180 00	502 12
1909.....	1939	4%	\$11,900 00	476 00	105 30
1909.....	1939	4%	\$12,000 00	480 00	106 39
1910.....	1960	4 1/2%	\$320,000 00	13,600 00	2,836 36
1911.....	1960	4%	1,000 00	40 00	9 21
1911.....	1960	4 1/2%	\$138,000 00	5,865 00	1,271 61
1912.....	1962	4 1/2%	\$10,000 00	425 00	88 45
1912.....	1962	4 1/2%	\$658,645 60	27,992 44	5,839 23
1914.....	1964	4 1/2%	\$241,000 00	10,242 50	2,136 59
1915.....	1965	4 1/2%	\$397,000 14	17,865 01	3,519 60
1916.....	1966	4 1/2%	\$11,000 00	467 50	97 52

Total Bonds issued for Contract No. 2, with annual interest and amortization installments thereon..... \$5,403,045 74 \$216,720 95 \$54,387 99

Less Bonds, not to be Exempted, the proceeds thereof having been applied for Easements..... \$979,000 14 \$42,600 01 \$8,679 32

Total amount of Bonds subject to Exemption, upon which City is receiving Annual Interest and one per cent. of principal for Sinking Fund..... \$4,424,045 60 \$174,120 94 \$45,708 67

Total Annual Interest and Amortization Requirements on bonds heretofore Exempted and on the additional Bonds for which the City hereby petitions Exemption..... \$219,829 61

—The Bonds thus indicated (e), aggregating \$3,614,400, were Exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court April 5, 1911; resettled, April 20, 1911.

The foregoing table shows that the annual interest paid and to be paid by The City of New York and the annual installments necessary for the amortization of the \$5,424,045.60 of rapid transit bonds issued by it for the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad amounts to \$219,829.61, apportioned as follows:

Interest..... \$174,120 94
Amortization installments..... 45,708 67
Total..... \$219,829 61

The City received from the lessee for sinking fund purposes for the year ended October 31, 1916, under Contract No. 2, the sum of..... \$45,308 86

The City also received from the lessee for interest on the rapid transit bonds issued under Contract No. 2, for the year ended June 30, 1917..... 216,690 96

Approximately one-fourth of which, or \$54,180.24, was paid by the lessee for the quarterly period ended June 30, 1917, making the current net revenue which

The City of New York is receiving from Interborough Rapid Transit Company, as lessee, under the terms of Contract No. 2..... \$261,999 82 which is \$42,170.21 in excess of the annual requirements needed to amortize and to pay annual interest on \$4,424,045.60.

The latest maturity date of rapid transit bonds issued by the City to carry out its obligations and liquidate its indebtedness under the requirements of Contract No. 2 is March 1, 1966. The tables upon which the annual amortization installments have been prepared (upon which) to indicate the amounts which will be required to redeem all of said rapid transit bonds are predicated upon the amount of annual installments which have been received by the City from the lessee from the fiscal year ended October 31, 1906, and the continuing amounts to be received by the City from the lessee as annual installments, the latter being based upon the annual amounts now being paid by the lessee.

The investment of these annual payments into the sinking fund is computed on an annual basis of 3%, that is to say, on an annual turnover. Interest on sinking fund holdings is received and compounded semi-annually, while this calculation is made on an annual 3% basis, that is, the compounding of interest annually, instead of semi-annually, and is therefore on a most conservative basis.

the total annual sum required to amortize and provide for redemption, at maturity..... \$3,614,400 00 of bonds exempted by the Appellate Division is..... 38,482 43

ELEVENTH.—The principle under which may be ascertained the proportion of the amortization installments of and interest on rapid transit indebtedness incurred under Contract No. 2 which the current net revenue received by the City from such investment is sufficient to meet, comprehends:

(a) The annual amount required to amortize a bond during the years which such bond has to run up to its date of maturity; such annual installment to be invested at not less than a stated rate of interest.

(b) The annual interest on such indebtedness.

The offset or credit to the foregoing is represented by—

(c) The total annual amount received by the City from the lessee of the Rapid Transit Railroad to be applied towards the amortization and ultimate redemption of the bonds.

(d) The annual interest received by the City from the lessee to be applied by the City towards paying the interest on rapid transit bonds issued under the requirements of Contract No. 2.

TWELFTH.—In accordance with the foregoing principles, tables have been prepared:

(a) Computing the annual amortization requirements on each bond issued by the City of New York from the date of issue to date of maturity, the proceeds of which bonds have been applied to carry out the obligations of the City and liquidate indebtedness incurred by it under rapid transit Contract No. 2, dated July 21, 1902. The interest on such amortization installments has been compounded annually at 3 per cent. per annum.

(b) Showing the actual interest on such bonds at the different rates of interest which such bonds carry, viz., 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2 and 4 3/4 per cent. per annum. These tables also set forth the offsets to the foregoing, consisting of—

(c) The annual amount received by the City from the lessee to be applied as amortization installments towards the ultimate redemption of the bonds.

(d) The annual interest paid by the lessee to the City on rapid transit bonds issued under Contract No. 2.

The payments (c and d) by the lessee constitute the current net revenue received by the City from its investments under Contract No. 2 of July 21, 1902, for the construction of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad.

TABLE OF BONDS ISSUED; YEARS OF ISSUE AND OF MATURITY; RATES AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL INTEREST, AND AMOUNT OF ANNUAL AMORTIZATION INSTALLMENTS THEREON.

Date of Issue.	Date of Maturity.	Rate of Interest.	Amount of Bonds Issued.	Annual Interest Requirements.	Annual Amortization Installment.
1906.....	1936	4%	\$500,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$10,509 63
1903.....	1932	3 1/2%	\$1,000 00	32 50	9 21
1904.....	1933	3 1/2%	\$300,000 00	10,500 00	2,763 94
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—The Bonds thus indicated (e), aggregating \$3,614,400, were Exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court April 5, 1911; resettled, April 20, 1911.

In accordance with the provisions of Contract No. 2, as modified by Article XLIX, Section 1 (a), of Contract No. 3, by and between The City of New York and Interborough Rapid Transit Company, dated March 19, 1913, for the construction of additional rapid transit railroads, the lessee shall continue to pay to the City during the full term of the lease, which will not expire earlier than December 31, 1965, the rentals, consisting of annual interest on the bonds, payable quarterly, and amortization installments irrespective of the amortization or the refunding of any bonds issued by the City to provide means for the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad.

The clear gain and surplus which the City will realize to December, 1965, from rentals payable by lessee, equivalent to interest on bonds which will have been previously redeemed, will aggregate \$1,923,343, together with \$196,388 additional surplus from the rentals payable

For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1914	198,906 31
For fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1915	207,539 36
For quarterly period	
Oct. 1, 1915-Dec. 31, 1915	\$54,063 36
For quarterly period	
Jan. 1, 1916-March 31, 1916	54,075 97
For quarterly period	
April 1, 1916-June 30, 1916	54,170 45
	162,309 78
For quarterly period	
July 1, 1916-Sept. 30, 1916	\$54,150 24
For quarterly period	
Oct. 1, 1916-Dec. 31, 1916	54,180 24
For quarterly period	
Jan. 1, 1917-March 31, 1917	54,165 24
For quarterly period	
April 1, 1917-June 30, 1917	54,195 24
	216,690 96

Total to and including the quarterly term ended June 30, 1917, \$1,692,691 43

The balance of outstanding liabilities on account of contracts for construction work as at August 31, 1917, together with the liabilities for lands acquired for the purposes of this contract aggregates \$1,262,583 14 as more particularly stated hereunder:

CONTRACT LIABILITIES:	
Contract 6431—July 21, 1902; Balance of the original contract price of \$2,000,000	\$191,470 33
Contract 6431—Modification of June 9, 1905; Balance of the additional estimated cost of \$1,620,000 under the modification as stated.	333,062 81
	\$524,533 14

LAND LIABILITY:

The land liability still outstanding and unpaid, which lands were acquired for use in connection with the Brooklyn-Manhattan division of the Rapid Transit Railroad, is as follows:

Jerusalem and Fulton Streets and Flatbush Avenue, (in which title vested in the City on June 3, 1903), with interest thereon to August 31, 1917 738,050 00

Thus making a total known indebtedness of \$1,262,583 14

THIRTEENTH.—By a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 30th day of November, 1917, the said Board duly approved this petition and directed that a copy thereof be spread upon its minutes and that the same be verified in behalf of this Board acting for The City of New York, by the Mayor, the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that this Court will, pursuant to said chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, designate six daily newspapers of general circulation published in the City of New York, at least one of which is published in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City in which notice of this application shall be given as prescribed by said act and fix the date when the application of your petitioner shall be heard and that this Court shall make a new and subsequent determination of the amount of debt incurred by The City of New York for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of The City of New York to become otherwise indebted under the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated, New York, January 14, 1918.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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

John F. Hyland, Charles L. Craig and Alfred E. Smith, being severally duly sworn, depose and say that John F. Hyland is Mayor of The City of New York; that Charles L. Craig is Comptroller of The City of New York; and that Alfred E. Smith is President of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York; and as such are members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York.

That by resolution adopted by said Board on the 30th day of November, 1917, deponents were authorized and directed by said Board to subscribe and verify the foregoing petition in behalf of said Board, acting for the petitioner herein.

That they have read and know the contents of the foregoing petition, and that the same is true of their own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters they believe it to be true.

The reason this verification is made by deponents, and not by the petitioner, is that the petitioner is a domestic municipal corporation, of which deponents are officers. The source of deponents' information and the grounds of their belief as to the matters not therein stated upon their knowledge, are the statement submitted by the Comptroller of said Board in this petition mentioned, information obtained from the books and records of the Department of Finance and of other departments of the petitioner, and statements made to them by certain officers and agents of the petitioner.

JOHN F. HYLAN, CHARLES L. CRAIG, ALFRED E. SMITH.

Severally sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1918.

J. G. CONLON, Notary Public, New York County No. 148, New York Register No. 8091, Commission expires March 30, 1918.

(Seal.)

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT upon said petition an application will be made to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, at the Court House of said Court, corner of 25th Street and Madison Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by The City of New York prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted pursuant to the provisions of section ten of article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

Dated, New York, February 19, 1918.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f20,27

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at the meeting held on Friday, January 25, 1917 (Cal. No. 2), continued to Friday, March 1, 1918, the hearing on a proposed change in the map or plan of the City of New York so as to discontinue East 19th street from Church avenue to a line (Tennis Court) 500 feet north of and parallel with Albemarle road; establish the lines and grades of St. Pauls place from Church avenue to a line 677.58 feet north of and parallel with Albemarle road; and change the grades within the territory bounded by Church avenue, Ocean avenue, Albemarle road and East 18th street, Borough of Brooklyn, as shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated November 12, 1917.

The hearing will be held on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated, New York, Feb. 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,m1

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 4th avenue from East 32nd street to East 34th street, and of East 33rd street from 4th avenue to Lexington avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 125), 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 4th avenue from East 32nd street to East 34th street, and of East 33rd street from 4th avenue to Lexington avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated December 10, 1917.

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, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

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 Tudor place, from Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Walton avenue; of East 167th street, from Sheridan avenue to Walton avenue; and of Grand View place, from East 167th street to East 168th street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 125), 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 Tudor place, from Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Walton avenue; of East 167th street, from Sheridan avenue to Walton avenue; and of Grand View place, from East 167th street to East 168th street, in the Borough of The Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated June 18, 1917.

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, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

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 155th (Coxine-Dengler-Fairfield) avenue, from Centerville avenue to Peconic avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 127), 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 155th (Coxine-Dengler-Fairfield) avenue from Centerville avenue to Peconic avenue, in the 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 August 31, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the pro-

posed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

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 Peconic (Lawn) avenue, from Rockaway Boulevard (road) to Sutter avenue; and of Plattwood avenue, from Peconic (Lawn) avenue to 100th street (Ocean avenue), in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 128), 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 Peconic (Lawn) avenue, from Rockaway Boulevard (road) to Sutter avenue, and of Plattwood avenue, from Peconic (Lawn) avenue to 100th street (Ocean avenue), in the 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 September 2, 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, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

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 the lines and grades of North Conduit avenue, from Baisley Boulevard to 132nd street (Atfield avenue), and 132nd street (Atfield avenue), from North Conduit avenue to 150th (Stanley) avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 129), 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 North Conduit avenue, from Baisley Boulevard to 132nd street (Atfield avenue), and 132nd street (Atfield avenue), from North Conduit avenue to 150th (Stanley) avenue, in the 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 21st, 1917.

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, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

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 the lines and grades for Baisley Boulevard (Idaho avenue), from Rockaway Boulevard (Rockaway Turnpike) to Byron street, and for Byron street, from Baisley Boulevard (Idaho avenue) to Cornell Basin, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 130), 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 for Baisley Boulevard (Idaho avenue), from Rockaway Boulevard (Rockaway Turnpike) to Byron street, and for Byron street, from Baisley Boulevard (Idaho avenue) to Cornell Basin, in the 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 March 30th, 1917.

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, March 1, 1918, 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 1st day of March, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 131), adopted the following resolutions:

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 Walsh Court from East 3rd street to East 5th street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

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

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

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Foster avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Walsh Court, the said distance being measured at right angles to Walsh Court, and running thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Walsh Court and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of East 5th street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East 5th street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with East 5th street to the intersection with the northerly right-of-way line of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence generally westwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of East 3d street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Elmwood avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to East 3d street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with East 3d street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Foster avenue; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of Foster avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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 and in the Corporation Newspapers for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 1, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 132), adopted the following resolutions:

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 Goble place, from Inwood avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

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

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

Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Goble place and West Belmont street, as these streets are laid out between Inwood avenue and Jerome avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the southeast by the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue; on the southwest by a line distant 175 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Goble place as this street is laid out between Inwood avenue and Jerome avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Goble place, and by the prolongation of the said line; and on the northwest by a line always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Macomb's road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Macomb's road.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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, March 1, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.

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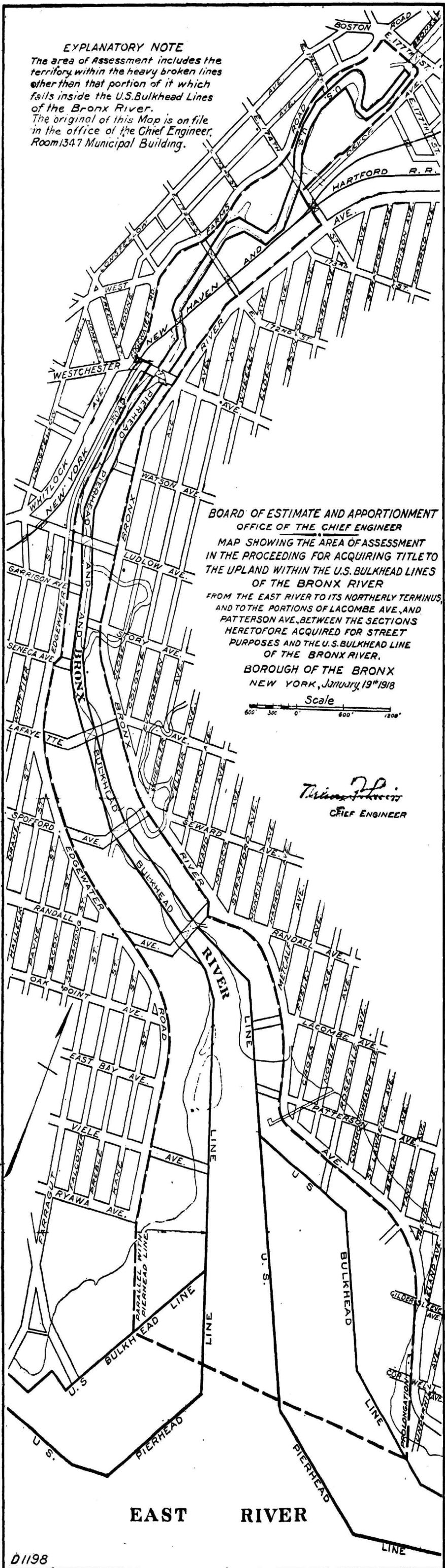
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 133), adopted the following resolutions:

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 upland within the bulkhead lines of Bronx River, from the East River to its northerly terminus near East Tremont avenue (East 177th street), and to Lacombe avenue and Patterson avenue, from the westerly limits of the land heretofore acquired for these streets to the bulkhead line of Bronx River, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 aforementioned property to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings,

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter,

as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



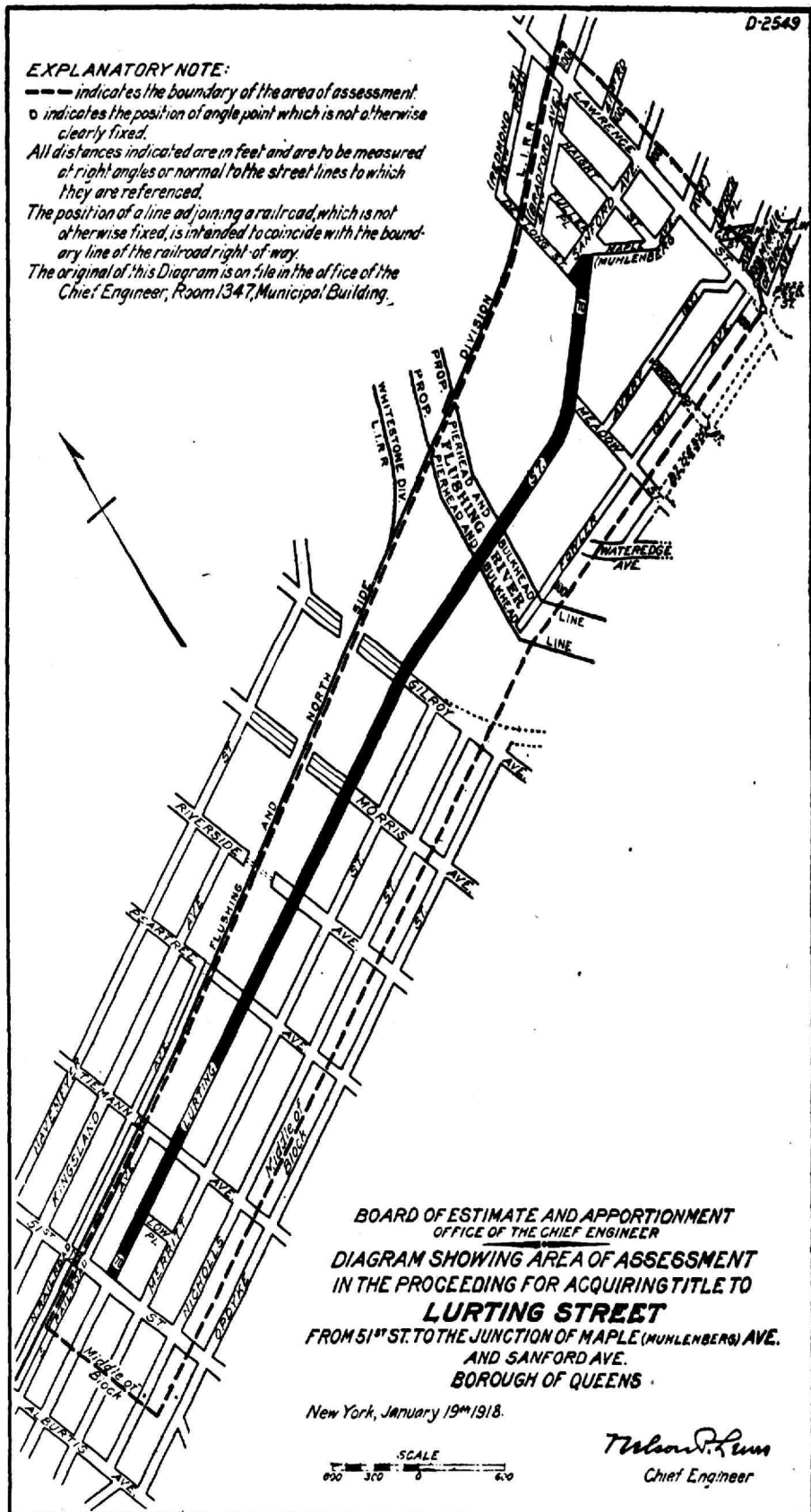
Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 134), adopted the following resolutions:
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 Luring street, from 51st street to the junction of Maple avenue and Sanford avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 1, 1918.
Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:

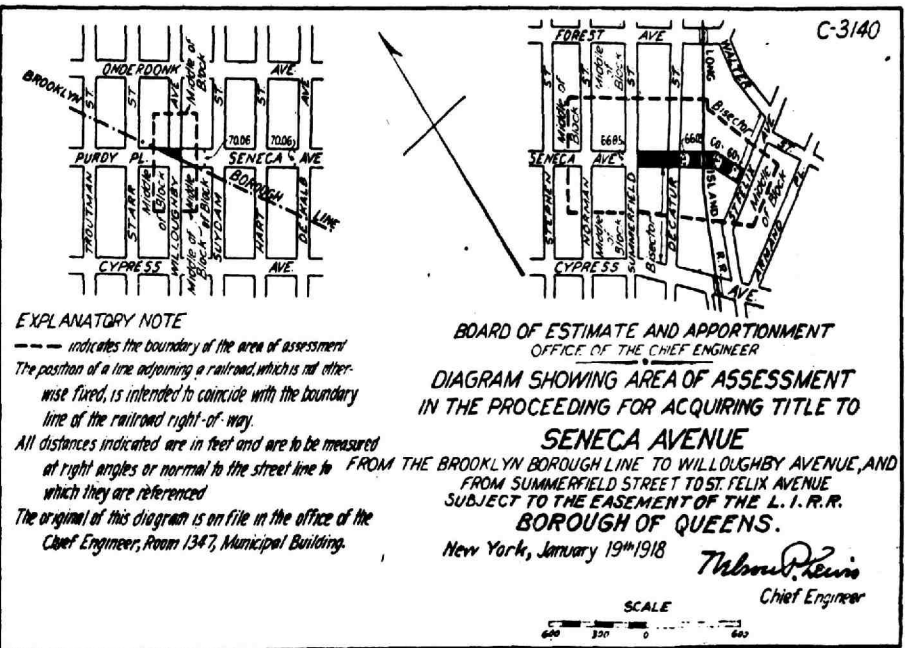


Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be 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, March 1, 1918.
Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 136), adopted the following resolutions:
Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution adopted on October 1, 1915, authorized a proceeding to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Seneca avenue, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to DeKalb avenue, and from Summerfield street to St. Felix avenue, Borough of Queens, in which it was determined that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding be borne by the property deemed to be benefited; and
Whereas, at the meeting of the Board held on April 27, 1917, a communication was presented from the Corporation Counsel advising that the motion for the appointment of Commissioners in the proceeding had been opposed by the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company, which owned all of the real property to be acquired in the three blocks between Willowby avenue and DeKalb avenue, and that a decision had been

rendered by the Court sustaining the position taken by the Railroad Company; and
Whereas, since the date when the proceeding was authorized by the Board a bridge has been constructed by the Long Island Railroad Company across its lands in the block between Deatur street and St. Felix avenue and the street has here been incorporated upon the City map; and
Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment proposes to request the Corporation Counsel to apply to the Supreme Court to have the proceeding herein amended so as to relate to the sections of Seneca avenue, between the Borough Line and Willowby avenue, and between Summerfield street and St. Felix avenue, subject to the easement of the Long Island Railroad Company,
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the area of assessment shown on the following diagram is a proposed area of assessment for benefit for the proceeding as proposed to be amended:



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed modified area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 1, 1918, 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; and
Whereas, this Board, in the resolution adopted on October 1, 1915, authorizing this proceeding, determined that the entire cost and expense thereof be borne by the property deemed to be benefited,
Resolved, That this Board, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to reconsider its resolution adopted on October 1, 1915, whereby it determined that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding to acquire title to Seneca avenue, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to DeKalb avenue, and from Summerfield street to St. Felix avenue, in the Borough of Queens, be borne

and paid by the property deemed to be benefited, and proposes to make a new determination concerning the distribution of the cost and expense of the proceeding so as to provide that the sum of \$403.21, being the cost and expense incurred in the proceeding chargeable to the sections of Seneca avenue omitted from the proceeding, be borne and paid by The City of New York and that the remainder of the cost and expense of the Bureau of Street Openings, the cost and expense incurred by the President of the Borough of Queens in the preparation of rule, damage, benefit and profile maps for the use thereof, and of awards, if any, for damages caused by intended regulation, and all other expenses and disbursements authorized by the Greater New York Charter, as amended, be borne and paid by the property within the proposed area of assessment for benefit as shown on the foregoing diagram.
Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed determination at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Man-

hattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 1, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a 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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, at its meeting held on January 25, 1918 (Cal. No. 135), adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under resolution adopted October 13, 1916, authorized a proceeding for acquiring title to Amity street, from Wateredge avenue to Main street; and Roosevelt avenue, from Wateredge avenue to a line passing through the angle points distant respectively 415.96 feet and 420.50 feet east of Hewitt avenue, Borough of Queens; and

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on December 7, 1917, adopted a resolution changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the street plan of the territory bounded by Willets Point Boulevard, Jackson avenue, Northern Boulevard, Lawrence street, 40th avenue (Amity street), Joe place, 40th road, Lawrence street, Fowler avenue, Flushing River, Lutting street, Gilroy avenue, Merritt street, Morris avenue, Lutting street, Tiemann avenue, Havemeyer street, Morris avenue and Roosevelt avenue, Borough of Queens,

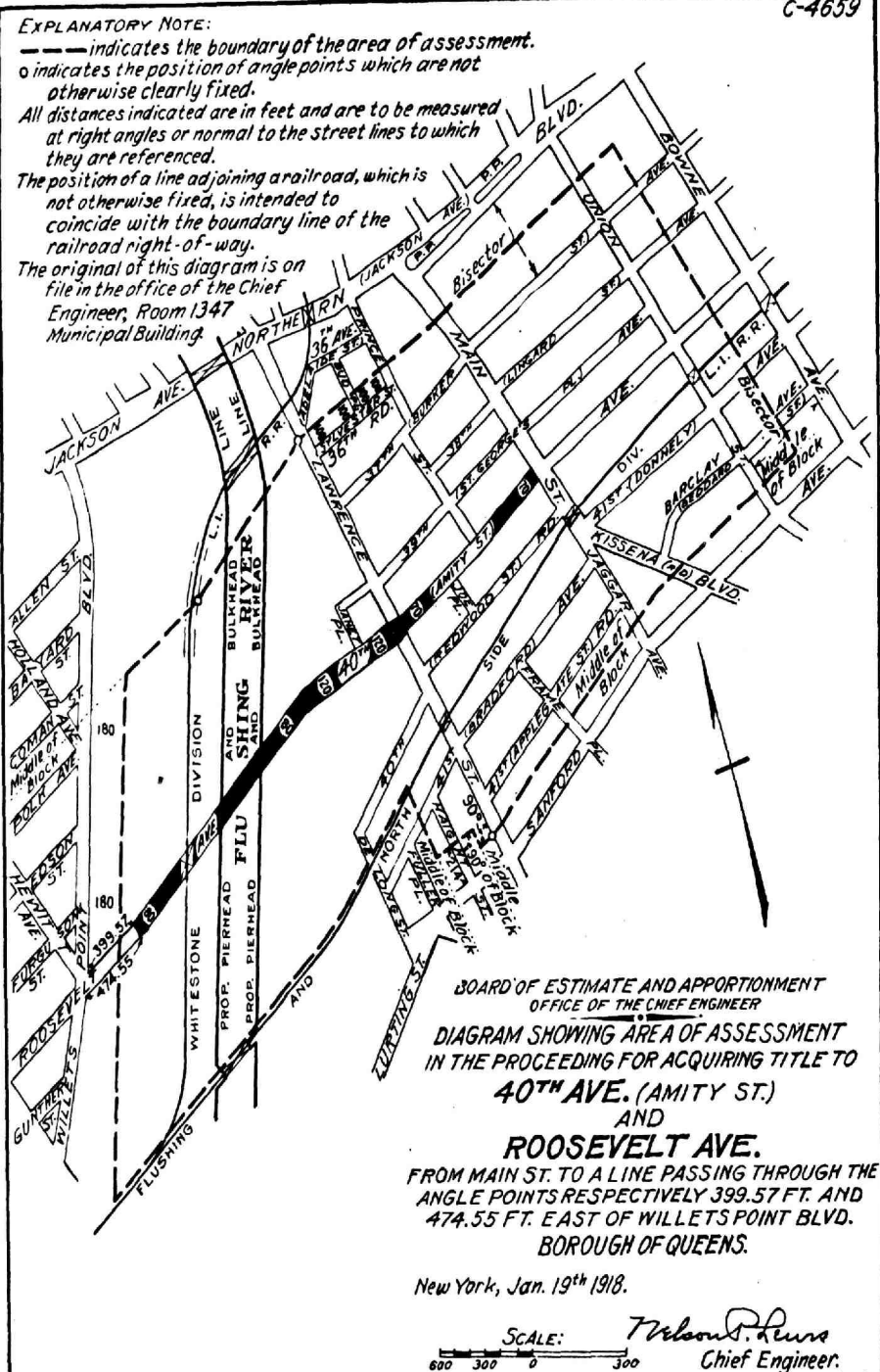
Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 1, 1918.

Dated, New York, February 15, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f15,27

under which change a slight modification was made in the alignment of Amity street in the block west of Lawrence street, and which incidentally involved the discontinuing of Hewitt avenue south of Roosevelt avenue as well as of Wateredge avenue south of Lawrence street, where it originally formed the westerly terminus of Amity street and the easterly terminus of Roosevelt avenue.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment consider the advisability of requesting the Corporation Counsel to apply to the Supreme Court for an amendment of the proceeding herein so as to make it relate to Amity street (40th avenue), and Roosevelt avenue from Main street to a line passing through the angle points respectively 399.57 feet and 474.55 feet east of Willets Point Boulevard, as said streets are now shown on the map or plan of the City of New York.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice of a proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as proposed to be amended, which area is 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, Room 16, City Hall, on the 1st day of March, 1918, 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 to be published in the City

Notices of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held this day, the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting for approval resolutions adopted by said Commission, modifying the route and general plan of construction of the Southern Boulevard and Whitlock Avenue Route, by providing for a sub-surface passageway connecting the Hunts Point Road Station of the Southern Boulevard and Whitlock Avenue Route with the Hunts Point Road Station of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, which consideration was, by resolution adopted December 21, 1917, fixed for December 28, 1917, and then continued until January 18, 1918, and then continued until February 1, 1918, and then continued until this day, was continued until Friday, March 8, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and

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 Thursday, Feb. 21, 1918, at 2 p. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Queens.
5922. Dimars ave., from Schurz ave. to Banks ave., Second Ward.
5923. 5th ave. (Briell st.), from Broadway to Jamaica ave., First Ward.
5924. Greene ave., from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Forest ave., Second Ward.
5925. Hamilton st., from Paynter ave. to Webster ave., First Ward.
5926. Hoyt ave., from Second ave. to Flushing ave., First Ward.

where all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, Telephone, 4560 Worth. f18,m8

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the hearing on the form of contract for the grant of a franchise to the Fifth Avenue Coach Company to establish, maintain and operate additional omnibus lines for public use in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in connection with the extension of the Company's present operation, upon various streets and avenues, which hearing was, by resolution adopted November 30, 1917, fixed for December 28, 1917, and then continued until January 25, 1918, and then continued until this day, was continued until Friday, March 8, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, Telephone, 4560 Worth. f13,m8

5927. Ithaca st., from Baxter ave. to Britton ave., Second Ward.
5928. 6th ave. (Bartow st.), from Flushing ave. to Grand ave., First Ward.
5935. Buchanan ave., from Van Cortlandt ave. to Catalpa ave.; and from Silver st. to Cornelia st. (Jefferson ave.), from Forest ave. to Anthony ave., Second Ward.
5936. St. Felix (Bergen) ave., from Cypress ave. to Walter st., Second Ward.
WILLIAM C. ORMOND, ANDREW T. SULLIVAN, MAURICE SIMMONS, Board of Assessors.
Jan. 29, 1918. f29,31,57,11,13,18,20

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 Queens.
5994. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks in Hillside ave., from North Curtis ave. to North Villa st., Fourth Ward, together with an award for dam-

ages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 206 and 207.

5983. Regulating and grading Liberty ave., from 112th (Chestnut) st. to 108th st. (Guion ave.); and 111th st. (Greenwood ave.), from Liberty ave. to a line about 147 feet north, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 539, 541, 543, 545, 601, 603, 605 and 607.

5891. Regulating and grading Madison st., from Prospect ave. to Fresh Pond rd., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2579 and 2583.

5901. Sewer and appurtenances in Atlantic ave., north side, from Willard (Vanderweert) ave. to Freedom ave.; and in Hatch ave., from Atlantic ave. to Fulton st., Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 125, 128, 237, 239 and 365.

5906. Sewer and appurtenances in Forbes st., from California ave. to Jackson ave.; Jackson ave., from Forbes st. to Clarence st.; Dunning st., from Jackson ave. to the crown about 356 feet south of Mitchell ave.; and Clarence st., from State st. to the crown about 315 feet south of Mitchell ave., Third Ward. Affecting Blocks 22, 23, 34, 35, 91, 92, 94, 94A, 94C, 94E, 94F, 94G, 95, 95C, 95D, 95E, 95F, 140A, 140B and 140C.

5908. Sewer and appurtenances in Kimball ave., from Greenwood ave. to Stoothoff ave.; and in Chestnut st. and Cedar ave., from Kimball ave. to Jerome ave., Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 545 to 550.

5911. Sewer and appurtenances in Stoothoff ave., from Jamaica ave. to Brandon ave., Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 190 and 191.
All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, March 19, 1918, at 2 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, ANDREW T. SULLIVAN, MAURICE SIMMONS, Board of Assessors.
Feb. 16, 1918. f16,28

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.
5865. Paving and curbing W. 172d st., from Haven ave. to Broadway and basin at the southeast corner of W. 172d st. and Fort Washington ave. Affecting Blocks 2139 and 2142.

5895. Paving and curbing W. 162d st., from Fort Washington ave. to Service st. (Riverside Drive), and basin at the northwest and southwest corners of W. 162d st. and Fort Washington ave. Affecting Block 2136.

Borough of Queens.
5903. Sewer and appurtenances in Chauncey st., from Woodside ave. to Potomac ave., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 103 and 107.

5909. Sewer and appurtenances in Legget ave., from Jamaica ave. to Ashland st.; Roswell pl., from Legget ave. to 250 feet east; Farragut st., from Legget ave. to 230 feet east; Shipley st., from Legget ave. to 200 feet east; and in Stanton st., from Legget ave. to 215 feet east, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 1 and 12.

5910. Sewer and appurtenances in McComb pl. (Wyckoff ave.), from Central ave. to Myrtle ave.; Ridgewood pl., from Central ave. to Copeland ave.; and in Copeland ave., from Ridgewood pl. to McComb pl., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2670, 2671, 2675 to 2680, 2684, 2685, 2687 and 2942.

5913. Sewer and appurtenances in Van Dam st., from Thomson ave. to Skillman ave., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 117, 118, 129, 130, 138, 139, 147, 148, 156, 157, 165, 166, 170, 172, 183, 212 and 221.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments and who are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, March 12, 1918, at 2 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, ANDREW T. SULLIVAN, MAURICE SIMMONS, Board of Assessors.
Feb. 9, 1918. f9,21

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MEAT AND MILK TO THE HOSPITALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the month of March, 1918.

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, must be to the lowest bidder for each class.

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 Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

J. LEWIS AMSTER, M. D., President; FRANK J. MONAGHAN, Secretary.
Dated, Feb. 19, 1918. f19,m2

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

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 southerly extension of SEVENTH AVENUE, from Greenwich avenue to Carmine street; to the widening of VARICK STREET, from Carmine street to Franklin street; and to the extension of VARICK STREET, from Franklin street to West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, as laid out on the map or plan of the City of New York by resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 21, 1912, and approved by the Mayor on March 27, 1912, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, dated April 6, 1915, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York April 7, 1915, by including the unac-

quired portion of Varick street between Lighthouse street and Beach street, said unacquired portion of Varick street being occupied by steps of the portico of St. John's Chapel and having a length of about 80 feet and a width of about 8 feet.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PER- sons interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 11th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 14th day of March, 1918, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 11th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 15th day of March, 1918, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 9th day of January, 1913, and the 23rd day of December, 1914, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

District "A" (to bear 12 per cent.) is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Seventh avenue extension, the said distance being measured at right angles to the Seventh avenue extension, where it is intersected by a line midway between West 11th street and West 12th street, and running thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Seventh Avenue extension to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Varick street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Varick street; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Varick street and its prolongation to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between White street and Franklin street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between White street and Franklin street and along the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of West Broadway; thence southwardly and parallel with West Broadway to a point 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Leonard street; thence westwardly and parallel with Leonard street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the prolongation of the westerly line of Varick street as this street adjoins Leonard street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Varick street; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Varick street and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the prolongation of the westerly line of Seventh Avenue extension; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet from and parallel with the westerly line of Seventh Avenue extension and its prolongations to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West 11th street and West 12th street, as laid out east of Seventh Avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between West 11th street and West 12th street and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

District "B" (to bear 33 per cent.) is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on a line 100 feet north of the northerly side of 59th street at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between 7th avenue and 8th avenue and running thence eastwardly on a line parallel with the northerly side of 59th street and 100 feet distant therefrom to a point on the prolongation of a line midway between 6th avenue and 7th avenue; thence southwardly along a line midway between 6th avenue and 7th avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line midway between West 23d street and West 24th street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between West 23d street and West 24th street to a line midway between 5th avenue and 6th avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between 5th avenue and 6th avenue to a line midway between West 20th street and West 21st street; thence eastwardly, along the said line midway between West 20th and West 21st streets to a line midway between 5th avenue and Broadway; thence southwardly along a line midway between 5th avenue and Broadway, 5th avenue and Union Square, and 5th avenue and University place to the southerly side of Washington Square North; thence southerly across Washington Square to the southerly side of Washington Square South at a point midway between West Broadway and Wooster street; thence southwardly along a line midway between West Broadway and Wooster street to a line midway between West Houston street and Bleecker street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between West Houston street and Bleecker street to a line midway between Wooster street and Greene street; thence southwardly along a line midway between Wooster street and Greene street to a line midway between West Houston street and Prince street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between West Houston street and Prince street to a line midway between Greene street and Mercer street; thence southwardly along a line midway between Greene street and Mercer street to a line midway between Prince street and Spring street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between Prince street and Spring street to a line midway between Mercer street and Broadway; thence southwardly along a line midway between Mercer street and Broadway to a line 100 feet north of the northerly side of Canal street and parallel therewith; thence eastwardly along a line 100 feet north of the northerly side of Canal street and parallel therewith to a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of Broadway; thence southwardly along a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of Broadway to a line midway between Maiden Lane and Liberty street; thence westerly along a line midway between Maiden Lane and Liberty street and between Cordland and Liberty streets to its intersection with the bulkhead line of the Hudson River; thence northwardly along the bulkhead

line of the Hudson River to its intersection with the westerly extension of a line midway between Jane and Horatio streets; thence eastwardly along the said line between Jane street and Horatio street and the prolongation thereof to a line midway between Washington street and Greenwich street and the prolongation of the said line to a line midway between Washington street and 9th avenue; thence along the said line midway between Washington street and 9th avenue and the prolongation thereof to a line midway between West 20th street and West 21st street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between West 20th street and West 21st street to a line midway between 8th avenue and 9th avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 8th avenue and 9th avenue to a line midway between West 34th street and West 35th street; thence eastwardly along a line midway between West 34th street and West 35th street to a line midway between 7th avenue and 8th avenue; thence northwardly along a line midway between 7th avenue and 8th avenue to a line 100 feet north of the northerly line of 59th street, the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 14th day of March, 1918.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of May, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, February 11, 1918.
JACOB A. CANTOR, Chairman; HARRY N. FRENCH, HENRY BRADY, Commissioners of Estimate; HARRY N. FRENCH, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f18,m7

Filing Bill of Costs.

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 southerly extension of SEVENTH AVENUE, from Greenwich avenue to Carmine street; to the widening of VARICK STREET, from Carmine street to Franklin street; and to the extension of VARICK STREET, from Franklin street to West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, as laid out on the map or plan of the City of New York by resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 27, 1912, and approved by the Mayor on March 27, 1912, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, dated April 6, 1915, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, April 7, 1915, by including the unacquired portion of Varick street between Laight street and Beach street, said unacquired portion of Varick street being occupied by steps of the portico of St. John's Chapel, and having a length of about 80 feet and a width of about 8 feet.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partial bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1918, 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 11, 1918.
JACOB A. CANTOR, HARRY N. FRENCH, HENRY BRADY, Commissioners of Estimate; HARRY N. FRENCH, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f11,23

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 real property required for the opening and extending of CARLISLE PLACE, from East 211th street to East 213th street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated January 31, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 1, 1918, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury and the cost of such improvement assessed by the Court in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of June, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to Section 1000 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, the map or survey of the land to be acquired in this proceeding has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, and each and every party and person interested in the real property to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending of Carlisle place, from East 211th street to East 213th street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, having any claim or demand on account thereof, is hereby required to file his claim, duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested, and his post-office address, with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on or before the 23d day of February, 1918, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 23d day of February, 1918, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, February 9, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f9,21

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BORDEN AVENUE, from Greenpoint avenue to Laurel Hill Boulevard, and of GOULD AVENUE, from Greenpoint avenue to Madden street, and from Locust street to Addison place, in the 1st and 2nd Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at Trial Term, Part I, in and for the County of Queens, in the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 20, 1918.
GEORGE W. POPE, WILLIAM H. WADE, F. W. DAWSON, Commissioners of Estimate; F. W. DAWSON, Commissioner of Assessment.
ROBERT J. CULHANE, Clerk. f20,26

Application.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made, and entitled:

"In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BURROUGH AVENUE, from Borden avenue to Woodside avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York."

—so as to empower the Commissioners of Estimate heretofore appointed therein to award compensation for damages caused by the closing and discontinuance of that portion of Burrough avenue lying between Sinclair avenue and a point approximately 184.38 feet southerly therefrom, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, pursuant to Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to Section 14 of Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in behalf of The City of New York, will make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held at Trial Term, Part I, in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for an order empowering the Commissioners heretofore appointed in the above entitled proceeding to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any (in all cases where such compensation has not been heretofore ascertained and determined), which should justly be made and legally awarded pursuant to the said Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, to all owners, parties and persons interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements, or interests taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by and in consequence of the abandonment, discontinuance and closing of that portion of Burrough avenue lying between Sinclair avenue and a point approximately 184.38 feet southerly therefrom, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, which premises are more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Sinclair avenue and the westerly line of Burrough avenue; running thence easterly for 60.00 feet along the southerly line of Sinclair avenue to the easterly line of Burrough avenue; thence southerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 204.59 feet along the easterly line of Burrough avenue; thence westerly, deflecting to the right 123° 58' 06" for 72.35 feet to the westerly line of Burrough avenue; thence northerly for 164.17 feet along the westerly line of Burrough avenue to the southerly line of Sinclair avenue, the point or place of beginning.

The portion of Burrough avenue described above is located in Block No. 308 and 307 of the Land Map of the City of New York, Borough of Queens.

This avenue appears upon the following: Section 11 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 5, 1909; by the Mayor November 15, 1909, copies of which were filed at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens January 31, 1910; at the office of the County Clerk, Queens County, at Jamaica, January 26, 1910, and at the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, January 24, 1910.

Map closing Seventh street, Poe place, Trimble place, Burrough avenue, etc., approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 1, 1915; by the Mayor April 15, 1915, copies of which were filed at the office of the County Clerk of Queens at Jamaica July 24, 1915; at the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York July 22, 1915, and at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens July 24, 1915.

Map of 423 lots situated at Winsfield, Queens County, L. L. being part of the Cornelius Hyatt Homestead, filed at the Queens County Clerk's office December 2, 1887, as No. 483.

Dated, New York, February 20, 1918.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f20,m4

Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of 85TH ROAD (FERRISS STREET), from 83rd street (Forest Parkway) to 91st street (Columbia avenue), in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for taxation in accordance with the certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, with the certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached, has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County

of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.
Dated, New York, February 19, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f19,m2

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 EAST 21ST STREET, from Avenue M to a point about 70 feet south of Avenue O; EAST 22ND STREET, from Avenue M to Kings Highway; EAST 23RD STREET, from Avenue M to Kings Highway; EAST 24TH STREET, from a point 640 feet south of Avenue L to Kings Highway; EAST 25TH STREET, from Avenue M to Kings Highway; AVENUE O, from the westerly line of the former village of South Greenfield at the intersection of East 23rd street to East 26th street; AVENUE N, from Gravestend avenue to Flatlands avenue, in the 31st and 32nd Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the temporary County Court House, No. 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1918, 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, February 18, 1918.
EDWARD LINTON, THOS. O'NEILL, JOHN M. DRENNAN, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN M. DRENNAN, Commissioner of Assessment.
J. GRATTAN MACMAHON, Clerk. f18,m1

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 BAY 37TH STREET, from 86th street to Avenue A; and BAY 38TH STREET, from Bath avenue to Crosey avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Garfield Building, No. 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of February, 1918, 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, February 8, 1918.
CHARLES TOTEN, JOS. G. HUNTINGTON, DANIEL M. HURLEY, Commissioners of Estimate; J. CHARLES TOTEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
J. GRATTAN MACMAHON, Clerk. f8,20

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

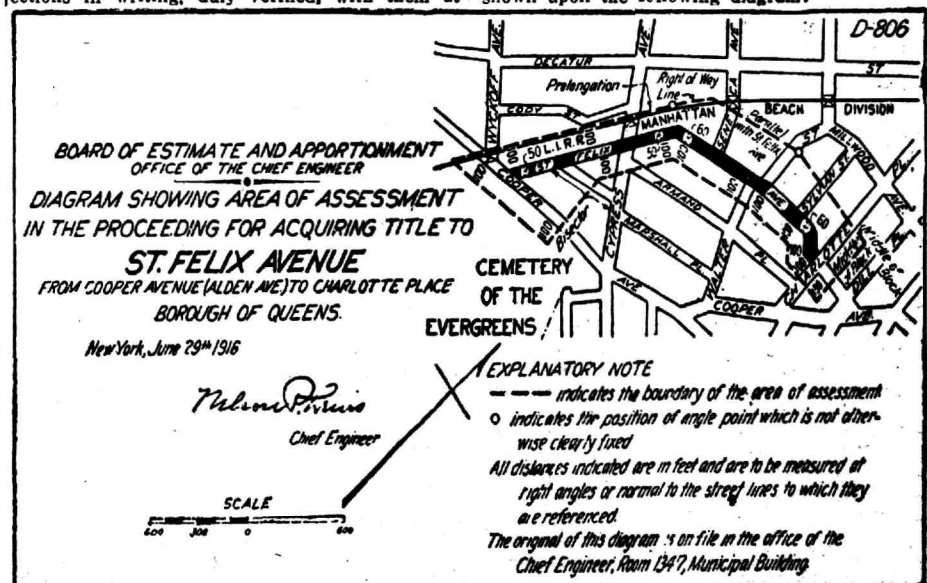
In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ELDERTS LANE, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, in the 26th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, and the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceedings, 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 6th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 7th day of March, 1918, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 7th day of March, 1918, at 2.30 p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 27th day of July, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown upon the following diagram:



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

office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 6th day of March, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 8th day of March, 1918, at 3 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 22d day of October, 1915, 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 as described as follows, viz: Bounded on the north by a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Jamaica avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jamaica avenue; on the east by a line always distant 200 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Elderts lane and the prolongations thereof, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elderts lane; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Atlantic avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Atlantic avenue; and on the west by a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Elderts lane and the prolongations thereof, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elderts lane.

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 16th day of March, 1918.

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 10th day of April, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

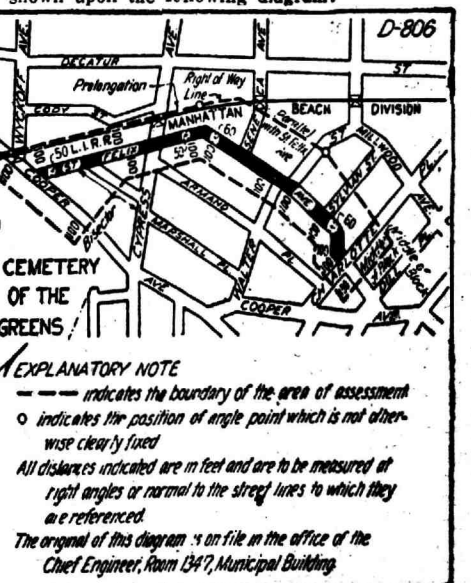
Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 1011 and 1013 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915.

Dated, New York, February 14, 1918.
HENRY B. KETCHAM, LORING M. BLACK, JR., P. HOWARD WORTH, Commissioners of Estimate; HENRY B. KETCHAM, Commissioner of Assessment.
J. GRATTAN MACMAHON, Clerk. f14,m4

their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 6th day of March, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 7th day of March, 1918, at 2.30 p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 27th day of July, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown upon the following diagram:



Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of March, 1918.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to

awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of April, 1918, 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 the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated, New York, February 6, 1918.
EMILE E. RATHGEBER, Chairman; WILLIAM WALLACE, Commissioners of Estimate; EMILE E. RATHGEBER, Commissioner of Assessment.

Application to Court to Condemn Property.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of the PUBLIC PLAYGROUND AND PARK, as laid out upon the map or plan of the City of New York under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of September, 1917.

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, Part I, thereof, for the hearing of motions, held in and for the County of Kings, in the Garfield Building, Number 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 21st day of February, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be acquired for such improvement ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and to have the cost of such improvement assessed by the said Court as hereinafter set forth in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of public playground and park, as laid out upon the map or plan of the City of New York under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of September, 1917. The real property, title to which is proposed to be acquired, is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Lorimer street with the north line of Boerum street; thence northerly along the east line of Lorimer street 200.0 feet to the south line of Johnson avenue; thence easterly along the south line of Johnson avenue 400.0 feet to the west line of Leonard street; thence southerly along the west line of Leonard street 200.0 feet to the north line of Boerum street; thence westerly along the north line of Boerum street 400.0 feet to the point of beginning.

The property affected by the above proceeding is located in Block 3068 in Section 10 on the Land Map of the County of Kings.

The land to be acquired in this proceeding is shown on "map showing locating and laying out of a Public Playground and Park within the territory bounded by Johnson Avenue, Leonard Street, Boerum Street and Lorimer Street," Borough of Brooklyn, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 21, 1917, and approved by the Mayor on the same date, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel on the 26th day of November, 1917, the office of the Register of the County of Kings on November 23, 1917, and in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn on the 23rd day of November, 1917; and also shown on rule and damage maps dated the 26th day of December, 1917, and signed by Charles R. Ward, Chief Engineer, Lewis H. Founds, Borough President, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 28, 1917, and signed by Joseph Haag, Secretary.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution adopted on the 28th day of September, 1917, duly determined:

"That 1.1 per cent. of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings herein authorized, incurred by reason of the provisions of title 4, chapter XVII, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, including the expense of the Bureau of Street Openings, the expense incurred by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn in the preparation of rule, damage and benefit maps, for use in the proceedings, and of all other expenses and disbursements authorized by section 977 of said title, as amended, shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and included in the following assessment area designated as 'Zone A':

"Bounded on the north by a line midway between Johnson Avenue and Montrose Avenue; on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Leonard Street; on the south by a line midway between Boerum Street and McKibbin Street; and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Lorimer Street.

"That 10.2 per cent. of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings herein authorized shall be assessed upon the property included in the following assessment area designated as 'Zone B':

"Beginning at a point on a line midway between Stagg Street and Scholes Street, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lorimer Street, and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Stagg Street and Scholes Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Lorimer Street; thence southerly and parallel with Lorimer Street to the intersection with a line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Leonard Street; thence southerly and parallel with Leonard Street to the intersection with a line midway between Stagg Street and Scholes Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Stagg Street and Scholes Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Leonard Street; thence southerly and parallel with Leonard Street to a line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Manhattan Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Montrose Avenue and

Johnson Avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Montrose Avenue and Johnson Avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Graham Avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Graham Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Boerum Street and McKibbin Street; thence westerly along the said line midway between Boerum Street and McKibbin Street to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Manhattan Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between McKibbin Street and Seigel Street; thence westerly along the said line midway between McKibbin Street and Seigel Street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Manhattan Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Seigel Street and Moore Street; thence westerly along the said line midway between Seigel Street and Moore Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Leonard Street; thence southerly and parallel with Leonard Street to the intersection with a line midway between Moore Street and Varet Street; thence westerly along said line midway between Moore Street and Varet Street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the center line of Broadway; thence northwesterly along the center line of Broadway to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Walton Street and Wallabout Street; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Walton Street and Wallabout Street and its prolongation to the intersection with the southwesterly line of Throop Avenue; thence northwesterly along the southwesterly line of Throop Avenue to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Lorimer Street; thence southwesterly and parallel with Lorimer Street to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Throop Avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Throop Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Middleton Street and Lorimer Street; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Middleton Street and Lorimer Street to the intersection with a line parallel with Harrison Avenue and passing through a point on the southeasterly line of Heyward Street where this line is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Union Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Union Avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line parallel with Harrison Avenue to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Heyward Street; thence northerly along the said line parallel with Union Avenue and its prolongation to the intersection with a line midway between Montrose Avenue and Johnson Avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Montrose Avenue and Johnson Avenue to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Union Avenue; thence northerly and parallel with Union Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Meserole Street and Montrose Avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Meserole Street and Montrose Avenue to a point distant 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lorimer Street; thence northerly and parallel with Lorimer Street to the intersection with a line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lorimer Street; thence northerly and parallel with Lorimer Street to the point or place of beginning, excluding the area designated as 'Zone A';

"That 28.7 per cent. of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings herein authorized shall be assessed upon the property included in the following assessment area designated as 'Zone C':

"Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Ainslie Street and Powers Street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Union Avenue and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Ainslie Street and Powers Street and along the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Graham Avenue and Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Graham Avenue and Manhattan Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Powers Street and Grand Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Powers Street and Grand Street to the intersection with a line midway between Humboldt Street and Graham Avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Humboldt Street and Graham Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Grand Street and Mauger Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Grand Street and Mauger Street to the intersection with a line midway between Humboldt Street and Bushwick Avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Humboldt Street and Bushwick Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Scholes Street and Meserole Street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Meserole Street and passing through a point on its southerly side distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bushwick Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bushwick Avenue; thence southerly along the said line at right angles to Meserole Street to the intersection with its southerly side; thence southerly along a line always distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bushwick Avenue to the intersection with the southerly line of Boerum Street; thence southerly at right angles to Boerum Street a distance of 100 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Boerum Street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bushwick Avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Bushwick Avenue and Morrell Street to the intersection with a line midway between Cook Street and Debevoise Street; thence westerly along the said line midway between Cook Street and Debevoise Street to the intersection with a line midway between Morrell Street and Humboldt Street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Morrell Street and Humboldt Street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Flushing Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Flushing Avenue; thence westerly along a line always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Flushing Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sumner Avenue and Throop Avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Sumner Avenue and Throop Avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Hopkins Street and Ellery Street; thence westerly along the said line midway between Hopkins Street and Ellery Street to the intersection with a line midway between Tompkins Avenue and Marcy Avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Tompkins Avenue and Marcy Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Flushing Avenue and Hopkins

Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Flushing Avenue and Hopkins Street to the intersection with a line midway between Marcy Avenue and Nostrand Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Marcy Avenue and Nostrand Avenue and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Marcy Avenue and Lee Avenue as these streets are laid out between Heyward Street and Lynch Street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Marcy Avenue and Lee Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Penn Street and Rutledge Street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Penn Street and Rutledge Street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Marcy Avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Marcy Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Hooper Street and Hewes Street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Hooper Street and Hewes Street to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Marcy Avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Marcy Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Keap Street, as this street is laid out between Broadway and Division Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Keap Street and along the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Rodney Street and Keap Street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Rodney Street and Keap Street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand Street; thence easterly and parallel with Grand Street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Union Avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Union Avenue to the point or place of beginning, excluding the areas designated as 'Zone A' and 'Zone B';

"That 20 per cent. of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings herein authorized shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, such 20 per cent. to include any part of the damage to buildings which may be placed upon the City by the Court, and not to be in addition thereto; and that 40 per cent. of such cost and expense shall be placed upon the Borough of Brooklyn; the amount so placed upon the Borough of Brooklyn to be levied and collected with the taxes upon the real property of said Borough becoming due and payable in the year in which such cost and expense shall have been fixed and determined, provided that such cost and expense be ascertained in time to be included with the taxes on the real property of said Borough in the same year, and if not determined in time, the same shall be levied and collected with the taxes of the succeeding year."

Dated, February 8, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Council, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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 of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as if by the condition of the property on the 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 buildings, sheds, walls, 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 the demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises except old mortar or plaster which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the openings of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture

of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, to gether 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 date of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials or labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, 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 relocated 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 relocated 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.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS ON WORK TO BE DONE FOR, OR SUPPLIES TO BE FURNISHED TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The person or persons making a bid for any service, 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 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 bids 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 shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and the 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 a bid 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 or employee of The City of New York is, shall be, or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise 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 must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the bid that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

No bid will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of such bid, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, 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.

All bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

The certified check or money should not be in closed in the envelope containing the bid, 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.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies, of 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 if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids 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 or the supplies are to be furnished. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.