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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

JAY STREET CONNECTING RAILROAD.
Committee Hearing.

A *public hearing* will be held before the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on *April* 16, 1914, *at* 11 *a. m., in Room* 506-508, *Municipal Building,* upon the application of the Jay Street Connecting Railroad for the consent of The City of New York to an extension of its railroad in certain streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Chairman of Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities. a9,16

IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EAST RIVER AND HELL GATE, TO THE CHANNEL IN UPPER BAY AND TO THE HARLEM RIVER.
Committee Hearing.

A *public hearing* will be held before the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on *April* 16, 1914, *at* 11.30 *a. m., in Room* 506-508, *Municipal Building,* upon a proposal by the New York Board of Trade and Transportation referred to this Committee on March 6, 1914, for contribution by The City of New York to certain improvements to the harbor of New York, included in the Rivers and Harbors Bill, now pending in Congress (H. R. 13811); and also upon a proposed bill for submission to Congress presented by Hon. Charles F. MacLean, and referred to this Committee on April 3, 1914.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Chairman of Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities. a9,16

PELHAM PARK AND CITY ISLAND RAILWAY COMPANY.
Committee Hearing.

A public hearing will be held before the Transit Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Friday, April 17, 1914, at 3 p. m., in the office of the President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, upon the matter of the Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

New York, April 14, 1914.

a15,17 HENRY JAY CASE, Acting Secretary, Committee on Transit.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.
Calendar for the Week Commencing April 13, 1914.

Friday, April 17, 1914—10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1769—New York Consolidated Railroad Company—"Rehearing upon application of City of New York for determination of grade of President street, Brooklyn, to be opened across company's tracks"—Commissioner Williams. 10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1785—Nassau Electric Railroad Company, Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company and Brooklyn, Queens County and Suburban Railroad Company—"Service on street surface railroad lines"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1772—Staten Island Midland Railway Company and Richmond Light and Railroad Company—"Additional cars and service"—Commissioner Cram. 12.15 p. m.—Room 305—7th avenue-Lexington avenue rapid transit railroad—"Opening of bids for construction of Section No. 1 of Routes 4 and 38"—Whole Commission. 2 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1788—New York Railways Company—"Service on 8th avenue, 6th avenue and Christopher street lines"—Commissioner Maltbie. 2 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1809—New York Railways Company and Thirty-fourth Street Crosstown Railway Company—"Extension of tracks and service on West 34th street crosstown line, between Tenth avenue and North River"—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1787—Woodhaven Gas Light Company—Albert C. Schwartz et al., complainants—"Rate for gas in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens"—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30. p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1807—Woodhaven Gas Light Company et al.—"Rate for gas in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens"—Commissioner Maltbie. 3.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1540—Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn—Albert Moritz et al., complainants—"Rate for electricity in Brooklyn"—Commissioner Maltbie.

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

Regular meeting of the Commission held every Tuesday and Friday at 12.15 p. m. in Room 310.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, April 14, 1914, 1.30 o'Clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

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

Aldermen

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

Charles J. McCormack, President, Borough of Richmond.

Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens.

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

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

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

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of March 31, 1914.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 470.

Being a number of communications from sundry societies, urging the erection and maintenance of additional school facilities.

Which were ordered on file.

No. 471.

The University Settlement, 384 Eldridge St., New York, April 6, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—We, the members of the Amicitia Circle of the University Settlement of New York, as citizens, and students of social problems of the City, do hereby demand a thorough investigation of the conditions which led to the alleged police brutality at the Union Square mass meeting of the unemployed on Saturday afternoon, April 4, 1914, where men, women and children were clubbed and trampled upon.

We further demand that the guilty be punished accordingly.

THE AMICITIA CIRCLE, David Secofsky, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire and Police.

No. 472.

United States Steel Corporation, Office of the Comptroller, Empire Building, New York, March 31, 1914.

Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Gentlemen—In order to comply with the law and to avoid future complications, I hereby tender my resignation as "Commissioner of Deeds for The City of New York," having been duly notified that I have been appointed Notary Public. This resignation to take effect immediately in order to enable me to qualify as Notary Public.

Yours truly, J. H. SIEVERS.

Which resignation was accepted.

No. 473.

Law Offices of Philip J. Dunn, Mills Building, 15 Broad Street, New York, April 13, 1914.

Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—I hereby tender my resignation as Commissioner of Deeds for The City of New York, to take effect at once.

Yours truly, GEORGE CUMMINGS.

Which resignation was accepted.

No. 474.

April 9, 1914.

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

At the last of a series of conferences, composed of representatives of eighteen charitable and social agencies, called for the study of the conditions of unemployment in the Borough of Brooklyn and the means of its relief and prevention, it was unanimously resolved that steps should be taken for the immediate creation of a Free Municipal Employment Agency, and this committee was appointed to respectfully urge your honorable body to take the necessary steps toward the creation of such a bureau.

ARTHUR E. WAKEMAN, Chairman; JESSE M. HIXON, JOHN THOMAS, RALPH K. JACOBS, SIEGFRIED BLACK, HOWARD P. NASH, THOS. J. RILEY, Committee.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 475.

The Bronx County News, 117 Westchester Square, Westchester, New York City, April 14, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I hereby protest against the proposed action by the Board of Aldermen to purchase the site known as Seton Falls for the proposed Contagious Hospital, as the City now owns nine acres located on Eastchester road, which was purchased for that purpose eleven years ago, and it is the most available site for immediate use.

The Seton Falls property is in the extreme end of The Bronx, miles away from the centre of population, has no sewers or any improvements, and would have the same objections of the property owners as the present site now has.

Hoping that this matter will receive your earnest consideration, I remain, very truly yours, W. A. MALLETT.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 476.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, March 30, 1914.

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

Dear Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held March 27, 1914, a report was presented from the Comptroller, returning for filing resolutions of the Board of Aldermen in a number of requests for the authorization of special revenue bonds (which have expired by limitation, as said resolutions provided that all obligations thereunder were to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1913), as follows:

Department and Purpose.	Date of Reference.	Amount.
Board of City Magistrates, First Division—For transcripts of Stenographers' minutes furnished to the District Attorney	Mar. 13, 1913	$1,000 00
President, Borough of Brooklyn—For changes and alterations in the Kings County Court House	May 8, 1913	39,000 00
Commissioner of Street Cleaning—For paying increased compensation of Upholsterer from $4 to $4.50 during 1913	Apr. 17, 1913	139 00
Law Department—For Searchers in Corporation Counsel actions to foreclose tax liens	Feb. 6, 1913	15,000 00
Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough of Queens—For "spring clean-up"	May 1, 1913	4,000 00
President, Borough of Queens—For increases in salaries of Steam Roller Engineers, Bureau of Highways, office of the President of the Borough of Queens, from $4.50 to $4.75 per diem	May 8, 1913	676 50
Sheriff, New York County—To provide for deficiencies in the 1912 appropriation (request will be met in another way)	Nov. 13, 1913	332 11
President, Borough of Manhattan—For making repairs to Fulton Market	Apr. 17, 1913	60,000 00

Very truly yours, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

P. S.—I enclose a copy of the Comptroller's report for your information.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 20, 1914.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—I transmit herewith, for filing, original papers in a number of requests for special revenue bonds. The following requests have expired by limitation, as the resolutions in the Board of Aldermen provided that all obligations contracted for should be incurred on or before December 31, 1913:

$1,000 for the Board of City Magistrates, First Division, for paying for transcripts of Stenographers' minutes furnished to the District Attorney; referred March 13, 1913.

$39,000 to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for making changes and alterations in the Kings County Court House; referred May 8, 1913.

$139 to be used by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for paying an increase in compensation of Upholsterer from $4 to $4.50 during 1913; referred April 17, 1913.

$15,000 for Searchers in Corporation Counsel actions to foreclose tax liens; referred February 6, 1913.

$4,000 Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough of Queens, for "spring clean-up"; referred May 1, 1913.

$676.50 for increases in salaries of Steam Roller Engineers, Bureau of Highways, office of the President of the Borough of Queens, from $4.50 to $4.75 per diem; referred May 8, 1913.

On April 17, 1913, your Board referred to the Comptroller a request from the Borough President of Manhattan for $60,000 special revenue bonds for making repairs to Fulton Market. The general question of markets was referred to the Committee on Markets of the Board, and President Miller, as Chairman of the Committee, made an investigation of the whole subject. The original request for the appropriation for Fulton Market was turned over to President Miller and has doubtless been returned by him to the Board with his report on the general question of markets.

On November 20, 1913, the Court of Special Sessions requested $400 in special revenue bonds to reimburse Account 2381, Office Supplies. This request was disposed of by a transfer made February 24, 1913. The original papers were transmitted with the report, recommending the transfer.

On May 9, 1912, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested $2,400 special revenue bonds to pay the salaries of two Inspectors of Plastering at $1,200 per annum each. Provision for these Plasterers were made in the Budgets of 1913 and 1914. Revenue bonds are unnecessary. The papers were returned to the Board with the Budget papers.

On November 13, 1913, the Sheriff of New York County requested $332.11 to provide for deficiencies in the 1912 appropriation. This request will be met in another way. The papers are herewith returned.

On June 19, 1913, the Court of Special Sessions requested special revenue bonds to pay the salaries of three Medical Examiners at $4,000 per annum and one Stenographer and Typewriter at $1,200 per annum. Provision for these positions was made in the 1914 Budget and revenue bonds are unnecessary. The request is herewith returned. Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 477.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, April 1, 1914.

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

Sir—I transmit herewith, for your information, certified copies of two resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1914, relative to issues of special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter).

Respectfully, JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 17, 1914, as follows:

"That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of fourteen thousand two hundred and ninety-five dollars ($14,295), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the purposes of paying salaries and wages in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, as follows:

"County Court House.

Male Attendant, $900 per annum (11 months)	$825 00
2 Watchmen at $2.50 per day (334 days)	1,670 00
13 Laborers at $2.50 per day (286 days)	9,295 00
	$11,790 00

"Court of Special Sessions.

Watchman at $2.50 per day (334 days)	$835 00
2 Laborers at $2.50 per day (334 days)	1,670 00
	$2,505 00
	$14,295 00"

—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the extent of eleven thousand three hundred and seventy dollars ($11,370), as follows:

County Court House.

Male Attendant at $900 per annum (10 months)	$750 00
Female Attendant at $600 per annum (10 months)	500 00
Watchman, 2 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	1,530 00
Cleaners, 8 at $600 per annum (10 months)	4,000 00
Engineer, 1 at $4.50 per day (306 days)	1,377 00
Fireman, 1 at $3 per day (306 days)	918 00
	$9,075 00

Court of Special Sessions.

Watchman, 1 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	$765 00
Laborers, 2 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	1,530 00
	$2,295 00
Total	$11,370 00

—and for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding eleven thousand three hundred and seventy dollars ($11,370), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue, and provided that the Board of Aldermen concur in the modification of the distribution as stated herein.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1914. JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 17, 1914, as follows:

"Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of three thousand four hundred dollars ($3,400), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Surrogate of Queens County for the purpose of providing means for moving office furniture and records to temporary quarters and for proper custody of same, as follows: Carpenter work, $500; expense of moving, $600; 2 Watchmen at $2.50 per day, 8 months, $1,050; 2 Custodians at $3 per day, 8 months, $1,250; total, $3,400."

—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the extent of three thousand and twenty-five dollars ($3,025) for the following purposes:

Contract or Open Order Service.

Moving records and furniture to temporary quarters, returning of same to permanent quarters and for expenses incident thereto	$625 00

Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.

Laborer, Custodians and Watchmen, 4 at $2.50 per day (8 months each)	2,400 00
	$3,025 00

—and that the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of three thousand and twenty-five dollars ($3,025), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Surrogate of Queens County for the purposes as stated herein, provided that the Board of Aldermen concur in the modification of purposes as above set forth.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1914. JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

No. 478.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, April 8, 1914.

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

Sir—I transmit herewith, for your information, certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914.

Respectfully, JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

P. S.—I also enclose, for your information, certified copy of resolution adopted at the same meeting, relative to an issue of special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188) for the Fire Department (Cal. No. 67).

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 15, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 3, 1913, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on April 15, 1913, requesting an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of sixty-six thousand one hundred dollars ($66,100), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Department for the purpose of purchasing fire hose in the following amounts:

For equipment of new companies	$59,100 00
For equipment of new fireboat	7,000 00
	$66,100 00

—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913, and said fund to be available only upon approval of the form of contract or contracts, specifications and estimates of cost by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding sixty-six thousand one hundred dollars ($66,100), redeemable from the tax levy of the year suceeding the year of their issue";

—be amended by changing the date "December 31, 1913," to read "December 31, 1914."

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3 1914. JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk, Bronx County:

No. 479.

County Clerk's Office, County of Bronx, New County Court House, New York, April 3, 1914.

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

Sirs—I have been directed by Hon. John J. Brady, Justice of the Supreme Court in and for the County of Bronx, to respectfully submit herewith a certified copy of a presentment handed to the Supreme Court by the Foreman of the March Grand Jury, relative to hospital conditions in the County of Bronx, for such action as you may deem advisable to remedy present conditions. Respectfully yours,

JAMES V. GANLY, County Clerk.

To the Hon. JOHN J. BRADY, Judge of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the County of Bronx:

We, the members of the Grand Jury of the County of Bronx for the March Term, 1914, respectfully present as follows:

We have made an investigation of the hospital conditions in the County of Bronx and have had a number of witnesses appear before us and testify in reference to the facilities for the care of the sick. Our investigation has disclosed certain facts to which we believe your attention should be directed, to the end that you and the proper authorities make take such steps as you may deem advisable to remedy present conditions.

We find that the transfer of patients from one hospital to another is detrimental to the patients and the welfare of the people of the entire county and suggest that some steps be taken to render unnecessary such transfer.

It has been brought to our attention that during all seasons, irrespective of weather conditions, patients suffering from contagious diseases are conveyed in an ambulance to the dock at 132d st. and transferred to a boat at that place, then taken across the river in the boat and then transferred to another ambulance, and at times again transferred from the hospital on North Brother Island to Willard Parker Hospital at the foot of E. 16th st.

We have also been informed that the boats used to transfer patients are not properly equipped and are wholly inadequate for the purpose. We believe that well equipped and properly constructed boats should be furnished so that patients will not be transferred at the dock and retransferred again. This could be avoided by having the boats so constructed that the ambulance containing the patient could be driven onto the boat and when the boat crosses the river, to the hospital without in any way disturbing the patient until the hospital is reached. We also believe that the depart-

ments should have motor ambulances and not those drawn by horses, and feel that such ambulances should be furnished without further delay.

We have made an examination into the conditions existing at Riverside Hospital and find that only one of the resident physicians who have charge of the cases in that hospital is a physician licensed by the State Board to practice medicine. We find that the requirements of that hospital necessitate in our opinion the employment of competent registered or licensed physicians, for the reason that the cases which are handled there are of a very serious character and should receive the best medical aid. We believe that such aid will be rendered by securing the services of physicians who have graduated from medical schools of standing and who have also passed the State Board examination. We believe that only physicians who have been duly licensed by the State of New York should be permitted to administer to cases of the serious character of those which are admitted for treatment to such institutions.

We have also investigated general hospital conditions and have come to the conclusion that the hospitals in the County have not kept pace with the very fast growth of the population.

We believe that it is absolutely necessary that the Fordham Hospital be enlarged at once or a hospital built to meet the requirements made imperative by the rapidly increasing population.

It is also our judgment that there should be a hospital in the County for contagious diseases and that the means to construct such a hospital should be provided without further delay.

We are further advised that the ambulance districts are not properly apportinoed, so that the existing hospitals may have sufficient ambulance territory to cover. We respectfully submit that the Ambulance Board should at once reapportion the ambulance districts.

We have been advised that the matter of securing additional hospital accommodations is now before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen and we desire to have the attention of both these Boards called to the fact that proper facilities for the care of the sick should be promptly provided, and to that end, request both Boards to take immediate action.

We also respectfully recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen provide the necessary funds for the proper equipment and maintenance of adequate hospital facilities for the County of Bronx to meet the growing demand made necessary by the large increase in population.

We also find from examination of the witnesses who have appeared before the Grand Jury that the control of the hospitals of this City is under the authority of several boards or departments. The Health Department performs part of the duties incident to this service; the Charities and Corrections Departments and the Amublance Board have also separate and distinct duties to perform.

We believe from the evidence before us that there should be but one board or department instead of several boards or departments, so as to avoid a division of responsibility. This could, in our opinion, be readily accomplished so that all of the duties pertaining to the hospitals of the City would come under one general board, which would be responsible for the proper administration of such institutions. The authorities could then more readily place the responsibility for the existing conditions.

Our investigation into the general hospital conditions of The Bronx has disclosed the fact that some of the hospitals have female Superintendents and that the salaries paid to such Superintendents are very small. We believe the Superintendents should be men of standing and experience who should be paid a salary which would warrant such men accepting such a position.

We also recommend that the several boards existing at present be speedily consolidated, and one board created which will have the undivided responsibility for the hospital service of the City and the care of the sick who are forced to accept aid from such hospitals.

Dated April 1, 1914.

(Seal.) WALTER W. TINSLEY, Foreman; JULES F. VALOIS, Secretary.

A copy. JAMES V. GANLY, Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

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

No. 480.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, April 3, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith for the information of the Board of Aldermen certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1914, fixing roadway widths for the following streets:

Cal. No. 78. Fresh Pond road from Myrtle ave. to Foxhall st., Borough of Queens, at 40 feet.

Cal. No. 79. Heberton ave. from Ann st. to Richmond terrace, Borough of Richmond, at 40 feet. Respectfully, JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Resolved, By the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, That the width of the roadway of Fresh Pond road from Myrtle ave. to Foxhall st., Borough of Queens, is hereby established at 40 feet; said roadway to be centrally located.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting of said Board held on March 27, 1914. JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Resolved, By the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, That the width of the roadway of Heberton ave. from Ann st. to Richmond terrace, Borough of Richmond, is hereby established at 40 feet; said roadway to be centrally located.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting of said Board held on March 27, 1914.

Dated New York, April 6, 1914.

JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Counsel:

No. 481.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, April 6, 1914.

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

Sirs—In the removal of the main offices of this department from the Hall of Records to the Municipal Building, it will be necessary to have considerable work done for which it is not practicable to advertise for bids.

The work of moving our steel furniture must be carried on so as not to interfere with business, and the removal of our papers, records and law library must be done slowly and with great care, so as to avoid confusion. It is our purpose to move several of our mahogany partitions to the new building and these will require alteration; considerable shelving will be needed for temporary use. It will also be necessary to provide linoleum for the Stenographers' and Chief Clerk's rooms, where it is not practicable to use rugs.

I therefore request that a resolution in substantially the following form be adopted:

"Resolved, That pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes the expenditure of the sum of not more than ten thousand dollars ($10,000), without contract at public letting, for the purpose of providing for equipment, alterations and the expense connected with the removal of the furniture and effects of the Law Department to the new Municipal Building."

Respectfully yours, FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 482.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., April 6th, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith for adoption by your honorable body a resolution authorizing the defraying of minor or incidental expenses of the Department of Bridges to an extent of $100.

The purpose for which this contingent fund is desired is to have a small amount of currency on hand to pay for postage stamps, carfares and other incidental expenses which must be paid in cash.

The Department of Bridges has heretofore had a contingent fund of several thousand dollars, which had been duly authorized by your honorable Board, used principally to pay the wages of Laborers temporarily employed to remove snow and ice from the several structures under its care and jurisdiction. While this fund was in existence the amount of $100 had been kept in the office and used as a petty cash fund and reimbursed from time to time by filing vouchers for expenditures made therefrom with the Department of Finance.

The Comptroller recently took up with me this matter of the Department of Bridges maintaining this snow fund and paying the emergency rolls itself, and upon his suggestion and request the amount withdrawn under the authority of said resolutions of your honorable Board was returned to the Comptroller for redistribution into the proper funds or accounts under his jurisdiction, and the emergency snow rolls will now be paid the same as any other payrolls, through the Department of Finance.

The refund of this money has left the Department of Bridges without any contingent fund whatsoever, and I would therefore ask your honorable Board to adopt a resolution authorizing the establishment of such a fund for the Department of Bridges in an amount of $100.

Respectfully, F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor and incidental expenses, the Commissioner of Bridges may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100), to be accounted for by vouchers subsequently submitted for approval, and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation entitled "Supplies, No. 2769, Office Supplies," Department of Bridges Budget for 1914.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 483.

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, April 7, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—The pier at the foot of W. 96th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, is badly in need of repairs, and under a lease of a portion of the structure the City is obligated to make such repairs.

The New York Contracting and Trucking Company held a lease of the entire pier at the foot of W. 96th st., 100 feet by 500 feet in dimensions. After considerable negotiation I have been able to effect a cancellation of this lease of the entire pier, the New York Contracting and Trucking Company accepting a lease covering only the inner 340 feet of the south side of the pier. A condition of this arrangement is that the City will make the necessary repairs to the pier, but the company is obligated to pay to the City the sum of $31,000 to cover this repair work, this amount to be paid in yearly installments of $3,100 for ten consecutive years, with interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum each year on the unpaid balance. This new lease, which is, of course, most advantageous to the City, has been approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in resolution adopted by said Commission on April 1, 1914.

The repairs to the pier are estimated at $40,000, but about $9,000 of this amount represents the cost of bringing the pier to proper grade, for which the lessees are not responsible. A portion of the repairs will be made by the force of this Department to the extent of about $10,000.

Under the new lease the City will obtain possession of a very large portion of the pier.

The amount of money allowed to this Department in the 1914 tax Budget for contract repairs to piers along the water-front is almost completely encumbered with contracts already entered into or about to be entered into.

In order that this work of repairing the pier at the foot of W. 96th st. can be proceeded with without delay, and as the condition of the pier is such that repairs must be done promptly, I request that, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of $30,000 to provide the necessary funds for the work. It is estimated that the work can be done for this amount.

Very truly yours, R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 484.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, April 9, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In the 1914 Budget there was appropriated for this Department the sum of six thousand dollars ($6,000) for the purchase of one (1) automobile truck for use in connection with the work of the Municipal Asphalt Plant, in this borough, in hauling asphalt and other maintenance materials.

Our plant has begun operations and will be working to its full capacity within a short time, and we are making examinations of a number of asphalt trucks, but have not yet reached a determination of the one to be purchased.

To obtain the best truck for our needs we should be in a position, after examining the various standard trucks, to be able to purchase the one which will be best adapted to our requirements.

I therefore respectfully request your honorable Board to adopt a resolution granting permission to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to purchase, without public letting, one (1) automobile truck, the cost of which shall not exceed six thousand dollars ($6,000).

Very respectfully, L. H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 485.

The City of New York, Board of City Record, Office of the Supervisor, 13-21 Park Row, April 10, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the sum of Five thousand dollars ($5,000) to provide the necessary funds to meet the expense of supplying the needs of the offices in the County of The Bronx for the remainder of the current year.

In explanation of this request I wish to submit the following facts:

The budgetary appropriation for Bronx County made to the Board of City Record for the year 1914 was as follows:

1914—3350	Printing, etc.	$3,500 00
1914—3351	Stationery, etc.	1,700 00
1914—3352	Blank books	5,000 00
		$10,200 00
During March a transfer of $1,600 was obtained from Code No. 3357— Contingencies—Bronx County		1,600 00
making a total appropriation of		$11,800 00

The requirements of the various county offices of The Bronx for blank books, printing and stationery supplies have far exceeded expectations. This office, with the assistance of the Commissioner of Accounts and the Department of Finance, has made several material reductions of the quantity and variety of printed forms and blank books requisitioned by some of the Bronx County offices, but these measures have failed to make the appropriations do more than pay for the supplies allowed up to April 1.

Since that date, requisitions calling for supplies which will cost about $1,000 have been received and are still pending, and during the remainder of the year additional supplies will be called for. It is the belief of this office that the five thousand dollars ($5,000) herein asked for should be sufficient for the balance of the year.

A form of resolution applicable to the foregoing request is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully, DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor of the City Record.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188, Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in

the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000), the proceeds whereof to be used to replenish the appropriations of the Board of City Record as follows:

Board of City Record—Bronx County.
Contract or Open Order Service.

1914—3350	Printed, lithographed, engraved or stamped forms, including pamphlets or printed blanks	$1,000 00
1914—3351	Stationery, including letter or writing paper or envelopes with printed headings or endorsements	500 00
1914—3352	Blank books	3,500 00
		$5,000 00

—for the purpose of supplying the needs of the various offices in the Bronx County during the remainder of the current year.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 486.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Foot of East 26th Street, April 9. 1914.

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

Sir—We would respectfully request permission to purchase, without advertising, fresh fish, oysters and clams, to an amount not exceeding $21,000 during the year 1914.

The reason for this request is that we think, by receiving weekly quotations from fish dealers, we can purchase such fish as are running in the market, whereas at present the contractor sends largely what he chooses, with the result that the institutions obtain very little variety. The conditions of our fish market are so changeable that a contract is very undesirable. At the present time there are only two contractors who bid upon the supply of fish for this department, and one of these has threatened several times to withdraw. We firmly believe that should this permission be granted we will be able to get a better supply of fish, oysters and clams and at less cost to the City than under the contract plan.

Trusting therefore that you will grant this permission, I am,
Respectfully, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 487.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, April 13, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of five resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914, relative to the issues of corporate stock, as follows:

Calendar No. 36A. Authorizing the issue of $31.69 corporate stock for the erection of a new building at Bailey avenue and Boston road for the use of the Fire Department.

Calendar No. 36B. Amending resolution adopted June 13, 1912, authorizing the issue of $36,600 corporate stock for the acquisition of a site and erection of a building for the use of the Fire Department, located at Highbridge, Ogden avenue, adjoining Engine Company 68, by reducing said amount to $36,568.31.

Calendar. No. 37A. Amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, authorizing the issue of $358,000 corporate stock for the acquisition of a site and construction of a stable in the Borough of Brooklyn for the use of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, by increasing said amount to $359,338.

Calendar No. 37B. Amending resolution adopted December 24, 1913, authorizing the issue of $1,619,995.33 corporate stock for the improvement of the water supply system in the Borough of Brooklyn, by reducing said amount to $1,547,600.

Calendar No. 68. Authorizing the issue of $50,000 corporate stock for the payment of salaries and wages for the Engineering Construction Force of the Department of Bridges.

I also enclose copies of reports of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding thirty-one dollars and sixty-nine cents ($31.69) in addition to the amount heretofore authorized, for the purpose of providing means for the erection of a new building at Bailey avenue and Boston road for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, for quarters for engine and hook and ladder companies, and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding thirty-one dollars and sixty-nine cents ($31.69), the proceeds whereof to the amount of the par value of the stock, to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

No. 488.

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 13, 1912, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 2, 1912, as follows:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 8, 1912, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on February 27, 1912, as follows:

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

"'"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen June 28, 1910, which reads as follows:

"'"'Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding fifty-seven thousand dollars ($57,000), to be used as follows: Twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) for the acquisition of a site at High Bridge, Ogden avenue, adjoining Engine Company 68, and forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) for the erection of a new building thereon, for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York for quarters for hook and ladder companies, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding fifty-seven thousand dollars ($57,000), to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.'

"'"—be amended to make the amounts read three thousand and twenty dollars ($3,020) for acquisition of site, forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) for the erection of a new building, and the total forty-eight thousand and twenty dollars ($48,020)."

"'—be further amended to make the amounts read three thousand one hundred dollars ($3,100) for acquisition of site, forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) for the erection of a new building, and the total forty-eight thousand one hundred dollars ($48,100).'

"—be amended to make the amounts read three thousand one hundred dollars ($3,100) for acquisition of site, thirty-three thousand five hundred dollars ($33,500) for the erection of a new building and the total thirty-six thousand six hundred dollars ($36,600)."

—be *amended* to make the amounts read *three thousand one hundred dollars* ($3,100) *for acquisition of site thirty-three thousand four hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-one cents* ($33,468.31) *for the erection of a new building, and the total, thirty-six thousand five hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-one cents* ($36,568.31).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 19, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On February 26, 1914, the Fire Commissioner requested amendment of two resolutions authorizing corporate stock for the erection of buildings for the use of the Fire Department. In connection therewith we report as follows:

It is proposed to reduce the authorization for C. F. D.—25G, Erection of Building on Site at Ogden avenue, Highbridge, adjoining Engine Company 68, by deducting $31.69, and to increase by addition of that amount to C. F. D.—25H, Erection of Building at Bailey avenue and Boston road, The Bronx.

There is sufficient unencumbered balance in C. F. D.—25G to permit the reduction. A deficit of $31.69 in C. F. D—25H is shown as follows:

Credits.

Authorization	$77,000 00	
Premiums	18 21	
Total credits		$77,018 21

Debits.

Contracts	$69,557 21	
Open market orders	6,992 69	
Total debits		$76,549 90
Credit balance		$468 31
Outstanding—		
Balance of bill of Hoppin & Koen, architects		500 00
Deficit		$31 69

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolutions granting the request.

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

No. 489.

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 28, 1911, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on June 21, 1910, which reads as follows:

"'Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held February 19, 1904, and deemed to be passed by the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, on April 2, 1904, which reads as follows:

"'"Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 5, 1903, adopted a resolution, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldemen, authorizing the issue of corporate stock to an amount not exceeding three hundred and seventy thousand dollars ($370,000), to provide means for the construction of a stable on the block bounded by Flushing Avenue, Graham street, Kent Avenue and Little Nassau street, Borough of Brooklyn;

"'"Whereas, The Board of Aldermen failed to take action thereon before the expiration of the term of office of the old Board of Aldermen; and

"'"Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated February 16, 1904, has made requisition for the issue of bonds to the amount of three hundred and seventy thousand dollars ($370,000), to provide for the construction of a stable on the block bounded by Flushing avenue, Graham street, Kent avenue and Little Nassau street, Borough of Brooklyn, as provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, therefore be it

"'"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and seventy thousand dollars ($370,000), the proceeds whereof to be expended for the purposes aforesaid,"

"'—be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"'Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on June 5, 1903, adopted a resolution, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, authorizing the issue of corporate stock to an amount not exceeding three hundred and sixty-four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars ($364,338), to provide means for the construction of a stable on the block bounded by Flushing avenue, Graham street, Kent avenue and Little Nassau street, Borough of Brooklyn;

"'Whereas, The Board of Aldermen failed to take action thereon before the expiration of the term of office of the old Board of Aldermen; and

"'Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated February 16, 1904, has made requisition for the issue of bonds to the amount of three hundred and sixty-four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars ($364,338), to provide for the construction of a stable on the block bounded by Flushing avenue, Graham street, Kent avenue and Little Nassau street, Borough of Brooklyn, as provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter; therefore be it

"'Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and sixty-four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars ($364,338), the proceeds whereof to be expended for the purposes aforesaid.'

"—be further amended to make amount read 'three hundred and fifty-eight thousand dollars ($358,000), for acquisition of site and construction of a stable, Borough of Brooklyn'."

—be further amended by making the amount authorized three hundred and fifty-nine thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars ($359,338).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 490.

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 24, 1913, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on January 27, 1914, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 1, 1910, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 5, 1910, as follows:

"'Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of one million eight hundred and two thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and thirty-three cents ($1,802,495.33), to provide means for the improvement of the water supply system of the Borough of Brooklyn, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter (in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for this purpose), as follows:

"'Land for additional pipe conduits and works to develop the underground supply	$1,000,000 00
Infiltration galleries or other system of collecting water from Spring Creek to Bellmore (estimated cost for one year's work)	300,000 00
New high pressure pumping station for the Massapequa gallery	25,000 00
Extension of distribution for small mains	250,000 00
New trunk mains for 7th, 23d, 25th and 26th Wards	150,000 00
Tower service pumping engine, Mount Prospect Pumping Station	17,495 33
Coal weighing scales	30,000 00
Additional hydrants	30,000 00
	$1,802,495 33

"'—and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million eight hundred and two thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and thirty-three cents ($1,802,495.33), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.'

"—be amended to make the total amount authorized one million six hundred and nineteen thousand nine hundred and ninety-five dollars and thirty-three cents ($1,619,995,33), and the specific amount for 'Infiltration galleries or other system for collecting

water from Spring Creek to Bellmore,' one hundred and seventeen thousand five hundred dollars ($117,500).

—be further amended to make the total amount authorized one million five hundred and forty-seven thousand six hundred dollars ($1,547,600), and that the specific amounts for the following items be as follows:

New high pressure pumping station for the Massapequa gallery	$3,500 00
New trunk mains for the 7th, 23d, 25th and 26th Wards	99,000 00
Tower service pumping engine, Mount Prospect Pumping Station	17,600 00

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 20, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—An examination of the corporate stock authorization ledgers of the Department of Finance discloses a number of accounts in each of which stock has apparently been issued in excess of the amount authorized.

These overdrafts appear as a result of erroneous reductions of authorization made by your Board. Accounting transactions will adjust most of them, but action increasing the authorizations will be necessary in two accounts, as follows:

C. D. S.—2, from $358,000 to $359,338, an increase of	$1,338 00
C. D. W.—33, from $17,495.33 to $17,600, an increase of	104 67
A total increase of	$1,442 67

The latter account is one of eight provided for in one resolution. Included in this resolution are two accounts in which requests for reductions in authorizations have been made by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as follows:

C. D. W.—31, from $25,000 to $3,500, a reduction of	$21,500 00
C. D. W.—32, from $150,000 to $99,000, a reduction of	51,000 00
	$72,500 00

For purposes of economy and convenience all of these changes are made herewith.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution providing for the necessary increases in authorizations, $1,442.67, and the requested reductions in authorizations, $72,500. Respectfully,

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

No. 491.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), to provide means for payment of salaries and wages, Engineering Construction Force of the Department of Bridges, and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof, to the amount of the par value of the stock, to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 31, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 11, 1914, the Commissioner of Bridges requested $147,351.50 corporate stock to provide funds for the payment of salaries and wages of the construction force of his Department and $280 for the hire of horses and vehicles with Drivers. In connection therewith we report as follows:

On January 9, 1914, your Board authorized $84,000 corporate stock to replenish the fund entitled "C. D. B.—54, Department of Bridges, Salaries and Wages of Engineering Construction Force," out of which the salaries and wages of the construction forces are payable. Schedules governing these disbursements were approved by your Board in the 1914 Budget.

This fund is sufficient for the payrolls to April 15, 1914. Pending an analysis of the corporate stock requirements of this Department and the determination of the total amount necessary for the salaries and wages of the construction forces, we recommend that an authorization of $50,000 be made at this time.

The adoption of the attached resolution will give effect to this recommendation. Respectfully,

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

No. 492.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, April 13, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914, amending its resolution adopted July 3, 1913, which authorized the issue of $66,100 special revenue bonds, the proceeds whereof to be applied by the Fire Department to the purchase of fire hose, by changing the date when obligations shall be contracted thereunder from December 31, 1913, to December 31, 1914.

I also enclose copy of report of the Comptroller relative thereto.

Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 15, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 3, 1913, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on April 15, 1913, requesting an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of sixty-six thousand one hundred dollars ($66,100), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Department for the purpose of purchasing fire hose in the following amounts:

"For equipment of new companies	$59,100 00
"For equipment of new fireboat	7,000 00
	$66,100 00

"—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913, and said fund to be available only upon approval of the form of contract or contracts, specifications and estimates of cost by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding sixty-six thousand one hundred dollars ($66,100), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue,"

—be *amended* by changing the date "*December* 31, 1913," to read "*December* 31, 1914."

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 31, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 23, 1914, the Fire Commissioner requested that the time limit under which obligations may be incurred against an authorization of $66,100 special revenue bonds for the purchase of hose be extended to December 31, 1914. In connection therewith I report as follows:

On April 15, 1913, the Board of Aldermen adopted, and on July 3, 1913, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment concurred in, a resolution authorizing the issue of $66,100 special revenue bonds, the proceeds to be used by the Fire Department for the purchase of fire hose. The resolution provided that "all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913." New specifications for hose were used in the request for bids which the Commissioner states make it impossible to do all that was desired within the restricted time. The condition of the account is as follows:

	Credit.	
Authorization		$66,100 00
	Debit.	
Contract obligations	$39,074 00	
Open market orders	504 00	
Total debits		39,578 00
Amount of authorization not used		$26,522 00

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

No. 493.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, April 14, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914, rescinding the resolution adopted July 17, 1911, which authorized the issue of $27,000 corporate stock to provide means for the required improvements in connection with the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, namely, new promenade floor, sidewalks and electric power conduits.

I also enclose copy of report of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith of the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-seven thousand dollars ($27,000) to provide means for required improvements in connection with the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, namely, new promenade floor, sidewalks and electric power conduits, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds therof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 30, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On December 5, 1913, the Commissioner of Bridges requested rescindment of a resolution adopted by your Board authorizing $27,000 for certain improvements on the Brooklyn Bridge, consisting of a new promenade floor, sidewalks and electric power conduits; and the reauthorization of the same amount for the purpose of equipping two tracks on the upper easterly deck of the Manhattan Bridge and for completing the construction painting of that bridge. The authorization has since been orally reduced to $9,000, as the construction painting is now being charged to another account. In connection therewith we report as follows:

On the recommendation of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee the communication from the Commissioner was referred by your Board on February 6, 1914, to the Transit Committee for its determination as to whether any portion of this cost should be charged against the appropriation made by the City for the purpose of carrying out the terms of the subway contract. The Transit Committee has since determined that the amount in question is not a proper charge against the rapid transit construction account, but should be properly paid by the Bridge Department.

The purpose of the authorization is to permit the equipping of two tracks on the upper easterly deck of the Manhattan Bridge, which are to be used by the surface railway cars now crossing the bridge on the westerly tracks of the lower deck. The tracks on the lower deck will be needed by the subway trains, which are to cross the bridge and run into the Fourth Avenue Subway in Brooklyn. In order to prepare the bridge for the operation of this line, it is necessary that the work proposed in the contract be commenced without delay. The proposed contract, it is requested, will be chargeable to the bond fund account of the Department of Bridges, known as C. D. B.—5, Bridge over the East River between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

The balance in this fund, as at March 26, 1914, was $154,482.97. The lowest bid received for the work in question is $159,462. The authorization is therefore necessary to provide funds for the awarding of the contract, and to meet contingency charges that are properly chargeable to this account.

On July 17, 1911, your Board authorized an issue of $27,000 corporate stock for certain improvements on the Brooklyn Bridge, consisting of a new promenade floor, sidewalks and electric power conduits. A contract for the new promenade floor chargeable to this fund was disapproved by your Board on March 13, 1913, for the reason that your Board held that such improvement should be paid for from maintenance funds. The sidewalk work would doubtless be held as chargeable to the same funds. The work on the electric power conduits may, we believe, be delayed for the present.

As sufficient funds have been provided in account C. D. B.—5 in another way, it will be unnecessary at this time to authorize the $9,000 corporate stock requested. We, however, recommend the adoption of the attached resolution rescinding the authorization of $27,000 as suggested by the Commissioner of Bridges.

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

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 494.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, April 13, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of 5 resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914, relative to the establishment of grades of positions, etc., as follows:

	Department and Position.	Rate Per Annum.	Incumbents.
Cal. No. 38	Department of Health—Director of Bureau of Infectious Diseases ..... —and various other positions as set forth therein.	$5,000 00	1
Cal. No. 40	Department of Correction—Officer.....	800 00	6
Cal. No. 41	Department of Education—Janitors of various public schools, as set forth therein.		
Cal. No. 66a	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Rescinding resolution adopted December 4, 1913, which provided for the establishment of the position of Division Engineer at $3,500 per annum, for 1 incumbent.		
Cal. No. 66b	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Rescinding resolution adopted December 4, 1913, which rescinded resolution adopted July 31, 1913, recommending the establishment of the grade of position of Division Engineer at $4,000 per annum, for 1 incumbent.		

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

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Director of Bureau of Infectious Diseases	$5,000 00	1
Director of Bureau of Child Hygiene	5,000 00	1
Director of Bureau of Hospitals	5,000 00	1
Director of Bureau of Food Inspection	5,000 00	1
Director of Bureau of Public Health Education	5,000 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG. Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 20, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On February 18, 1914, the Board of Health requested establishment in the Department of Health of the grades of positions of Director of Bureau of Infectious Diseases, at $5,000 per annum; of Director of Bureau of Child Hygiene, at $5,000 per annum; of Director of Bureau of Hospitals, at $5,000 per annum; of Director of Bureau of Food Inspection, at $5,000 per annum, and of Director of Bureau of Public Health Education, at $5,000 per annum, each to be for one incumbent only. In connection therewith we report as follows:

The Bureau of Infectious Diseases has charge of the registration, sanitary supervision, inspection and isolation of all communicable, contagious and infectious diseases, and diagnostic examinations in laboratory of the various diseases. It also has charge of all the tuberculosis clinics and day camps, including the "at home" supervision of every case of tuberculosis reported in Greater New York, save those under the care of private physicians. The employees in this bureau number 607.

The work of the Bureau of Child Hygiene consists of:

1. Reduction of infant mortality: District work; infants' milk stations (55); pre-natal work.
2. Control and supervision of midwives.
3. Supervision of foundling babies boarded out in homes.
4. Inspection of day nurseries.
5. Inspection of institutions harboring dependent chaildren and physical examination of children.
6. Medical inspection and examination of school children; maintenance of ten children's clinics, eye, nose, throat and dental.
7. Vaccination in the schools or in the borough offices.
8. Issuance of employment certificates.

There are 650 employees attached to the bureau, and in addition 55 Nurses employed for five months only.

The Bureau of Hospitals embraces Willard Parker and Reception Hospital, Kingston Avenue, Riverside and the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Otisville, to which will be added the contagious hospitals in Queens and The Bronx when they are built. The first two are exclusively for the care of patients suffering with contagious diseases. At Riverside about 80 per cent. of the patients are tubercular, the rest contagious, and the sanatorium is entirely tubercular. The employees at the various hospitals, including the temporary force, number 1,285, and there is accommodation for 3,017 patients.

The Bureau of Food Inspection is charged with:

1. The inspection of all raw and manufactured foods, search for adulterations, and enforcement of all food regulations.
2. Safeguarding the quality of milk consumed in the City, proper labeling as to grade, inspection of receptacles, sanitary conditions of receiving stations, stores, restaurants, etc.
3. Inspection in the country of sanitary conditions of dairies and creameries, and examination by veterinarians of the herds producing the milk for City consumption.
4. Inspection of methods used in the proper pasteurizing of milk in both city and country plants.
5. The structural as well as sanitary conditions of all places where foodstuffs are stored, handled or offered for sale.

The Bureau has 153 employees.

The present heads of these bureaus are:

Dr. Billings, Medical Inspector, at $3,000.
Dr. Baker, Medical Inspector, at $3,000.
Dr. Wilson, Superintendent of Hospitals, at $3,000.
Dr. MacMillan, Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, at $3,500.

On account of the professional and technical knowledge required to fill these positions satisfactorily, and owing to the insufficiency of the salary, the Board of Health has not required full time from the heads of these bureaus, but has left them free to devote part time to private practice. The field covered, however, has increased to such an extent that it is considered for the best interests of the Department and of the City that full time should be required of those in charge. To obtain this it will be necessary to offer a remuneration sufficient to offset, to some measure, the loss of private practice, as no physician with the professional knowledge, ability and experience requisite to handle the varied activities of these bureaus would give up his practice for the present salary.

The Bureau of Public Health Education plans through department publications, lectures and exhibits and with the aid of newspapers, the schools and family physicians, to equip the public with a health education, so that by the exercise of proper precautions the spread of contagious and infectious diseases may be lessened. It is further intended to provide the public with general health information sufficient to obtain greater co-operation with the Department of Health, thereby securing better sanitary conditions and more healthful surroundings both in the home and in public places, which will also result in the lessening of the great number of reinspections and prosecutions. At present, on account of ignorance, there is but little co-operation by the public with the Nurses, Doctors and Inspectors of the Department in their fight against conditions, militating against the physical welfare of the public.

In inaugurating this campaign, it is planned to publish leaflets of instruction on individual topics of public health, in concise, simple form; health bulletins in simple terms, illustrated and designed to interest children, who will receive them through the schools. Press bulletins will be issued containing Health Department news, or relating to some public health topic of timely interest; concise articles of interest to physicians and social workers, dealing with matters of departmental activity, and those of interest to the general public dealing with matters relating to health; to mail the weekly and monthly bulletins of the Department to all City physicians, School Principals and to others interested in public health work. The Bureau will also continue all the other publications of the Department.

For this educational campaign to achieve the best results, it is necessary for the Director to have not only a varied and efficient professional knowledge, but also pronounced editorial and executive ability.

The staff for the Bureau will consist of those at present engaged in publicity work, together with such assistance from the various Bureaus of the Department as may be needed from time to time.

These five positions requested are to be in the classified service, and to be filled by open competitive examinations. The Department of Health will not require any additional funds for these positions, but will be able to provide for them out of their present appropriation.

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

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

No. 495.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Officer	$800 00	6

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 25, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On January 22, 1914, the Commissioner of Correction requested the establishment of the grade of positions of Officer at $800 per annum for six incumbents. In connection therewith we report as follows:

The Commissioner states that the purpose of the request is to secure employees having ability to give instruction in various lines of work at the new branch of the New York City Reformatory for Male Misdemeanants at New Hampton, New York. The duties differ from those of Keeper, and it is the intention of the Commissioner when vacancies occur to replace Keepers by Officers. They will be appointed at the minimum rate now received by Keepers.

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

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

No. 496.

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

Whereas, The Special Committee on Janitorial Compensation and the Committee on School Inquiry, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, submitted a joint report on March 27, 1913, which contained detailed suggestions and recommendations for the reorganization of the janitorial force of the Board of Education; therefore, be it

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pending action by the Board of Education on the aforesaid report, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily and until further modified in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 36, Queens, per annum, less $221	$744 00
Janitor, Public School 140, Manhattan, per annum, less $312	1,476 00
Janitor, Public School 145, Brooklyn, per annum, less $221	3,576 00
Janitor, 144, Manhattan, per annum	1,380 00
Janitor, 33, The Bronx	3,648 00

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, January 6, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On December 23, 1913, the Board of Education requested the establishment of rates of compensation for Janitors of certain public schools, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. In connection therewith we report as follows:

For Public Schools 92, Brooklyn; 98D, 98B and C, 106 and 111, Manhattan; 5 and 23, Queens, the rates requested have already been established, and no action is necessary on these items of the request. For 36, Queens; 140, Manhattan, and 145, Brooklyn, the rates requested are the existing rates, less rent allowance. For Public School 144, Manhattan, the rate is to be increased from $1,320 to $1,380 per annum on account of additional rooms being occupied, and for Public School 33, The Bronx, the rate is to be reduced from $3,852 to $3,648 per annum, because the use of one dynamo has been discontinued.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution establishing the rates requested, excepting those already established. Respectfully,

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

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

No. 497.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1913, which reads as follows:

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

Title of Position.	Compensation Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Division Engineer	$3,500 00	1"

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

No. 498.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1913, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on July 31, 1913:

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

Title of Position.	Compensation Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Division Engineer	$4,000 00	1'

—be and the same is hereby rescinded";

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 3, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 2, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On February 5, 1914, the Surrogate of Kings County recommended that the salary of Charles B. Smith, Jr., Chief Clerk in the office of the Public Administrator of Kings County, be increased to $2,500. In connection therewith, we report as follows:

The request for an increase in salary of Mr. Smith was considered by the Budget Committee and was not allowed in the 1914 Budget.

In view of the foregoing, we recommend that this request be denied.

Respectfully, ..., Comptroller; ....., President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

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

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments:

No. 499.

Department of Taxes and Assessments of The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, Hall of Records, April 4th, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—The office of this Department is to be moved to the Municipal Building. The Board of Aldermen has authorized an issue of $10,000 of special revenue bonds to pay the expense. It costs the City $1,466 rent for every month removal is delayed; $1,041.66 for the Sheriff and $425 for the Surveyor of this Department. Both time worth money and actual outlay can be reduced by contracting upon the basis of informal bids without advertising.

We respectfully request, therefore, that permission be given to dispense with public letting. Respectfully, LAWSON PURDY, President.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Department of Taxes and Assessments be and hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract or contracts, without public letting, for the following items necessary and the expense incident to the moving of said Department to the new Municipal Building, the total cost thereof not to exceed the sum indicated:

Linoleum	$1,800 00
Twelve new desks	1,500 00

Moving and adjusting wardrobes in new locations	300 00
Moving seven fireproof safes	200 00
Moving and furnishing new book racks for the storage of annual records	2,500 00
Moving and furnishing new filing cases for the storage of annual records	800 00
Furnishing Commissioners' rooms (1 desk, 1 table, 6 chairs and a bookcase)	280 00
Bookcase for real estate of corporations	100 00
Filing cases and drawing tables for Surveyor	1,000 00
Fifty-foot counter and map rack	820 00
General moving	700 00
	$10,000 00

Which, on motion of Alderman Diemer, was laid over for action at this meeting in the order of business of Special Orders. Subsequently this resolution was taken up, and upon objection being made to immediate consideration it was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 500.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

Bureau of the Public Administrator, New York, March 31, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

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

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

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

Page.	Name of Deceased and Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses, Administration Expenses and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions Paid Into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin	Amount Paid Into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.
272	Margaret Millburn, March 3, 1914	$643 60	$60 26	$32 18	$551 16	.....
420	Margaret Maher, March 3, 1914	110 00	104 50	5 50	.....	.....
413	Jacob Jeng or Young, March 3, 1914	65 14	61 88	3 26	.....	.....
369	Mary A. Conway, March 3, 1914	465 15	311 84	23 26	.....	$130 05
346	Gottlieb Genner, March 4, 1914	402 75	73 74	20 14	308 87	.....
277	Luk Hawrick, March 4, 1914.	79 60	79 20	40	.....	.....
206	Ernest L. Hoffman, March 4, 1914	330 45	157 16	16 52	156 77	.....
309	Hilda Sahlberg, March 10, 1914	677 35	136 76	33 87	506 72	.....
241	Margaret D. Kennedy, March 10, 1914	341 07	110 24	17 05	.....	213 78
335	John Blake, March 10, 1914..	361 43	227 62	18 07	.....	115 74
410	Jean Springer, March 10, 1914	116 05	50	5 80	.....	109 75
330	Sophia Weineke, March 10, 1914	360 80	149 19	18 04	.....	193 57
	Augusta Wyman, March 10, 1914	5,725 62	39 40	196 62	5,489 54	.....
444	Bridget Seally, March 10, 1914	97 32	.....	.....	.....	97 32
255	Stephen D. Suszynski, March 17, 1914	503 18	322 54	25 10	3 66	51 52
399	Leon Granburg, March 17, 1914	23 08	21 93	1 15	.....	.....
419	Emile Duzes, March 17, 1914.	156 90	149 11	7 85	.....	.....
439	Rose McKenna, March 17, 1914	175 47	166 70	8 77	.....	.....
438	Gilbert McGloin, March 17, 1914	197 64	187 76	9 88	.....	.....
418	William Cornell, March 17, 1914	325 16	134 17	8 76	182 23	.....
192	Henry Launroth, March 14, 1914	1,204 85	37 56	60 10	1,107 19	.....
	Ellen Finn, March 14, 1914..	44 65	.....	.....	.....	44 65
	Andreas Zetitsberger, March 14, 1914	10 59	.....	10 59	.....	.....
36	William Peterson, March 14, 1914	344 10	11 03	17 21	315 86	.....
414	John J. Cahill, March 14, 1914	154 65	146 99	7 66	.....	.....
180	Annie M. J. Birmingham, March 18, 1914	782 66	279 58	39 13	463 95	.....
359	Sophie Wohlers, March 19, 1914	1,206 46	247 18	60 32	898 96	.....
417	Julius F. W. Buttner, March 19, 1914	182 70	173 57	9 13	.....	.....
435	J. M. Sigismund, March 19, 1914	33 91	32 21	1 70	.....	.....
428	Mary Kierney, March 19, 1914	365 88	347 59	18 29	.....	.....
	Estates closed, pursuant to chapter 230 of the Laws of 1898, as per report to Chamberlain, March 31, 1914....	441 00	.....	42 66	.....	398 34
		$15,929 27	$3,770 21	$719 13	$9,984 91	$1,455 02

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

Emma I. Franklin, $60.30; Ellin Gill, $10.30; Mary J. Scott, $281.09; Andreas Emmert, $27.78; Karl Braschwitz, $416.16; Leonhart Lehmaier, $28.17; Y. Mowrer, $1.50; John Hordak, $2.29; Mary McGowan, $18.80; Mary E. Kieley, $140.40; Wm. H. Leviness, $151.40; Alexander Kowan, $8.92; Franklin B. Morrison, $6.10; Evangelo Tokos, $9.47; Otto Holzschuher, $13; James Kennedy, $2.02; Octavia Lottier, $18.82; Louise Seymour, $4.79; Marie Truesdell, $25.21; John A. Murphy, $13.60; G. Mowre, $50; Pauline Wagner, $207.22; unknown man, $3; Gottlieb Hegman, 90 cents; August Schroeder, $1.08; Franz E. Haus, etc., $1,372.61; Edmond Shield, $53.75; Gustav Munson, $2.03; Henry Wilkening, 51 cents; Norah Garry or Foley, $124.03; Mary A. Gill, $100; Christian Wurtholz, $1,519.47; Eugene Hill, $1.55; John Cornwall, $1.14; James J. Bergin, 1 cent; Einir Mattison, 35 cents; Adolph Albans, $50; John J. Scott, $874.73; Alphonse Scharhag, $135.01; Edward Arnold, $60; estates received from Coroners, March 16, 1914, as per list attached, $104.11; Chas. G. McGregor, $155; August Herman or Hormon, $18; Emil Sembdner, $23.87; John R. Peterson, $50; Gottlieb Hagman, $7.50; Louis Larie, $15; John A. Long, $6.25; Richard Morgan, 60 cents; Franklin C. Morehead, $6.25; estates received from Commissioner of Charities, March 18, 1914, as per list attached, $132.20; Mary Kopinscheck, $70; Howard Burrul, 15 cents; John Kelly, $65.46; Frederick Kopfer, $15.75; Eliz. M. Fletcher, $16.50; Bridget Brown, $21.77; Robert Schmolke, 7 cents; Anna Hoffman, $105.90; Antoine Muzzeredi, $24.77; Wilhelmina Yang, $195.98; George Rennor, $110; Martin Garbach, $138.95; Adeline McAleer, $220.70; James Gill, $100; Alex. Kinnear, $667.71; Harry Brown, $451.78; Bridget Murray, $3,532.60; Mary Cunningham, $249.26; Isreal Yellin, $192; Mary Anderson, etc., $1,856.42; Edward Dorr, $438.68; Harriet Kain, $226.90; Wm. Hoagerbrugge, $102; Emil Sumtner, $514.78; Mary J. Whitworth, $93.49; Andreas Emmert, $331.50; Annie McGee, $133.35; Mary Szatzu, $300; John McAnital, $254.54; Matthew Keller, $303.25; Henry Migley, $1.21; James Rogers, $217.97; Mary O'Brien, $1,090.46; Laura Scholl, $6.25; Norstin Soduntrom, $881.21; Frank Limoro, $104.87; James Farrell, $500; Hugh A. Stewart, $15; estates received from banks, $136. Total, $20,005.46.

Cash from Coroners of Manhattan, March 16, 1914.

John Beaker, 15 cents; Lai Bing, 1 cent; Franz Brandt, $1.01; Louis Gluck, 27 cents; Florence Holliday, $1.04; Julius Kulber, 20 cents; Nick Mrach, 53 cents; Michael McAleese, 3 cents; James Collen, $8.17; Neal McGinness, 5 cents; Alfred Olsen, $1.97; Edward O'Brien, 90 cents; Frederick Rodermel, $1.36; Thomas Sheehan, 1 cent; Robert Stanley, 5 cents; Augustino Sefo, 15 cents; William Winfield, 15 cents; unknown man, 240 W. 60th st., $10.22 (expenses and carfare, $1), $9.22; unknown man, 427 1st ave., 90 cents; Louis Anorapa, $2.63; Matilda Brooks, 40 cents; Louis Campa, 15 cents; Michael Fay, 32 cents; Otto Fischer, 34 cents; Victor Granioos, $2.90; —— Hassler, 210 E. 86th st., 36 cents; Christopher Henry, 26 cents; Thomas Kelly, 22 cents; Richard Mahler, 90 cents; Jacob Maisevietch, 9 cents; Neils Munson, $3; Alton Rotenstreich, 26 cents; Walter Roberts, $1.35; John Sullivan, $4.20; unknown woman, 146 E. 15th st., 75 cents; unknown man, South st. and Coenties slip, 20 cents; unknown man, sub. station, 191st st., 15 cents; unknown woman, 128 E. 115th st., $2; unknown man, 201 E. 63d st., 5 cents; Geno Andrascsik, 10 cents; James Birch, $1.20; Richard W. Butcher, $1.49; William Cairus, $1.57; Bernardo Dragotta, 70 cents; Costas Fotion, $7.80; Agnes Guth, $5.32; James Horn, 15 cents; Frederick Lionhardt, 1 cent; Niles Lyon, 5 cents; George Price, less carfare and expenses, $1 ($10.16), $9.16; Belle Perry, $2.71; Thomas Rosengrave, 35 cents; Virginia Vaughan, $1.01; Margaret Walker, $4.23; unknown man, 8th ave. and 57th st., $5.41; unknown man, Clinton-E. Broadway, $1; unknown man, 291 Broome st., 35 cents; unknown man, 80 Bowery, $3.47; unknown man, 161 E. 27th st. ($12.03), less carfare, 70 cents, $11.33. Total, $104.11.

Money from Department of Charities March 18, 1914.

Charles O'Connor, $13.02; Charles Purdy, 3 cents; Patrick Brogan, $9; William Murray, $10; Louis Villois, 1 cent; Stephen Toth, 44 cents; Edward Kulhanek, 15 cents; Michael Fox, $1.01; Adolph Weiss, 25 cents; Frank Smith, 4 cents; Louis Sass, 2 cents; Mary Gardon, $8; Manuel Fernandes, $5.15; Charles Habley, or Hahler, 5 cents; John Waffler, 19 cents; Elizabeth Rigby, $3.01; Hayop Nichamian, $1.03; John McCulloch, 85 cents; Mary Jacomo, 18 cents; Hugo Meissner, 75 cents; William Shields, 35 cents; Rudolph Stackbeck, $1.85; Percy Harris, 50 cents; Osha Britman, $1.71; Mary Brown, $1; Peter Biassoti, $2.14; John Belleviem, $6.05; Eugene Berger, 46 cents; William Brown, $2.01; Thomas Davenport, 63 cents; James Hamilton, $7.76; Charles Leibling, $1.30; Dennia Malone, $2.40; Hugh Paul, 45 cents; Annie Reid, $2; Mary Schwab, $1; Susan Thomas, 35 cents; William Wren, 20 cents; Herman Wooll, 28 cents; James Dalton, 11 cents; George Copeland, $4.50; Charles Walter, 54 cents; Michael Farrell, $1; John Perner, $6; Eliza Bonner, $8.50; William McCormack, $3.06; John Flodin, 61 cents; Michael Tracey, $1.50; Bridget Tracey, $1; Julia Donnelly, $7; Charles Eisle, $11.41; Wallace Handy, 35 cents; Sarah McCabe, $1. Total, $132.20.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication, being the Fourth Annual Report of the Domestic Relations Court, Brooklyn:

No. 501.

The Domestic Relations Court for the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, Second Division, January 20, 1914.

Hon. OTTO KEMPNER, Chief City Magistrate, Second Division, City of New York:

My Dear Judge—Herewith submitted is the report of the Domestic Relations Court for the year 1913. Herbert Spencer, in his work on sociology, says, in substance, in civilized nations three things should be their aim—welfare of the species, as a whole, welfare of offspring and welfare of parents, in particular. In our opinion, there should be added, the welfare of the deserving destitute, and abandoned wife, The foregoing being treated as axiomatic, we think we can justly claim that the Domestic Relations Court is doing its share to further the object of the state as expressed in the aphorism of John Locke, the English philosopher, namely, that "the end of government is the good of mankind."

Organized in September, 1910, a little over three and one-quarter years ago, $267,251.96 has been collected through the Domestic Relations Court in the Borough of Brooklyn for the benefit of the deserted wives, neglected children and dependent parents. The collections made through the Domestic Relations Court since its organization in September, 1910, are as follows:

1910, September to January 1, 1911	$4,968 45
1911, whole year	56,138 45
1912, whole year	101,660 45
1913, whole year	104,484 61
Total	$267,251 96

Since the organization of the Court the number of persons who have appeared on summonses or warrants, charged with delinquency in their obligation to support their dependents, has been 6,075. Averaging five to a family, this shows that upwards of thirty thousand persons have been interested in the cases instituted in the Domestic Relations Court of our Borough. The number of delinquents who were placed on probationary oversight, probation and who gave bonds for support, was 2,390, which, with the same average of five to a family, it is estimated that about 12,000 people were benefitted through the administration of said Court.

The statistics of this Court show an increased amount of funds collected in the year 1913 and paid over to those who invoked its aid, and a decreased number of supplicants. From the foregoing, the thought suggests itself that the statement heretofore expressed by you that the "Family Court," as the Domestic Relations Court has been heretofore termed, "fills a special want in our modern social life, and will have to be regarded in the future as an indispensable adjunct of our judicial system," is amply justified by the result of its work.

While we feel that the Court has accomplished much good to the community in alleviating the sufferings of the oppressed who sought its aid, we are confident of the fact that if the shackles which bind it by reason of its limited jurisdiction were removed, much greater beneficence could be granted to its supplicants. The Domestic Relations Court is but a branch of the City Magistrates' Courts of our City. The City Magistrates' Courts are known in the judicial system of our State as inferior courts. The Constitution of our State, article 6, section 18, provides that "The Legislature shall not hereafter confer upon any inferior or local court of its creation, any *equity* (italics ours) jurisdiction or any greater jurisdiction in other respects than is conferred upon county courts by or under this article." This denial of equity power to our Domestic Relations Courts operates to retard, if not actually deny a complete and full determination of the issues involved in a great number of the proceedings instituted in the Court.

Equity has been defined in our legal nomenclature to be "a system of jurisprudence, supplemental to law, properly so called, and complemental to it." The Domestic Relations Court should be invested with this jurisdictional complement, in order to be enabled to mete out as nearly as may be a fair and reasonable judgment in each particular case. We have particularly in mind the care, custody and welfare of the children in the case of separated parents. As the law is to-day, no jurisdiction is vested in the Domestic Relations Court as to the custody of the children in the class above mentioned. It must leave them as it finds them in whosoever custody they may be, although convinced that the time and place to determine their best welfare and make provision therefor was when the parents are within the jurisdiction of this Court, and all the questions involved could be determined. The child may be in the custody of the father or other person acting for him, when in the opinion of the Magistrate, after hearing all the parties in interest, it would be for the best interest and welfare of the child, say a girl who by reason of youth, health, environment or otherwise, the mother should have her care, custody and control, or vice versa in the case of a young lad, the mother or her agents having his custody, it would in the opinion of the Magistrate be for his best interest that the father should have his care and control. The hands of the Magistrate are tied. We are told that these questions—control and custody of the children—are vested in the Supreme Court, and their rights as well as those of the parents will be protected therein. That is all true, but it involves financial expense as well as cost of time and labor which those who seek the portals of this Court cannot afford to pay, and in this progressive age, delay, circuity and expense should be avoided and not cost upon those who can ill afford to bear it. These observations are made at this time in the hope that those interested in this particular phase of our sociology may become impressed with the necessity of giving to our Legislature, by constitutional amendment, the power to pass such laws as in their judgment may be proper to allow to said Domestic Relations Courts such legal and equitable jurisdiction as may be necessary to determine

all questions that may be germane to the issues involved in each particular proceeding before said Court.

There are two classes of non-support statutes. In the one the statutes construed contemplate nothing but the redress of the public grievance. The statutes we operate under are included in this class. (People ex rel. Feeney vs. Dershem, 78 A. D. 626.) In their other, their object is to insure the observance of a high moral and social duty. (State vs. Waller, 130 Pacific R., 215.) The amendment to the Constitution suggested above would authorize the Legislature to allow this Court to operate under both classes of statutes.

The statistics of our Court show that 48.75 per cent. of those committed to the Workhouse during the past year for non-support have been released at the request of the complaining wife. Referring to this subject in the report of this Court for the year 1912, we said: "The complainant, who is usually the mother of children, invariably makes application for the release of the defendant from imprisonment, urging as a reason * * * that the imprisoned father did give help from time to time, small though it was; that the condition of the children during the father's incarceration was not in anywise improved, but on the contrary was worse than before the parent was imprisoned, as they were thereby deprived of the small degree of financial help which had been accorded them by such parent."

We heartily endorse the suggestion that a law be passed that in case of the incarceration, as aforesaid, that sufficient provision be made by the City for the support of the minor children, and that the Commissioner of Corrections, from a sum to be allowed him for that purpose, be directed to pay over to apply to the support of said minor children of such defendant a sum which would be sufficient to sustain life, and the sum of fifty cents a day was suggested for such allowance. Laws of a similar character are in force in the cities of Chicago, Philadelphia and St. Louis. We believe this payment would tend to save the home of these neglected children from being broken up. In the second volume of the series to be issued by the Bureau of Social Hygiene of the City of New York, recently published, the author, Abraham Flexner, truly says: "It is early demoralization that is most dangerous, and it is precisely to early demoralization that the bad or broken home most surely leads."

Argument of a similar character appealed with such force to the Legislature of 1913, that a bill for the above purpose was passed by it and approved and accepted on behalf of the City by the late Mayor Gaynor. Governor Sulzer saw fit to veto the same on the ground that it violated the spirit of home rule legislation for cities, which had recently become a law. An effort was then made to pass an ordinance of a similar character by the Board of Aldermen of our City, but the same met with defeat, because a majority of the members of the Board failed to vote for it, the vote being 33 for and 7 against it, as we are informed.

We set forth the above facts at some length for the reason that three years' experience as Presiding Magistrate in this Court convinces me that said measure, or one of similar import, should become a law. If the act further provided that such a defendant should be put at hard labor, the punishment of imprisonment meted out would be executed in full, and thus the lesson which it was intended these non-supporters should learn by such imprisonment, namely, to support their wives and children, would be more likely impressed upon their memories. The support of the Magistrates, both officially and individually, and of all other officials of our City and of all good citizens and residents thereof is earnestly requested in favor of such legislation as will put in force the end sought by a measure as outlined above.

We requested the Probation Officers to endeavor to obtain the causes claimed to be responsible for family disunion in the cases sent to them on probation for the year 1913 by this Court, and the report thereof is as follows:

Total number placed on probation, 850. The reasons given for the disunion in the families are as follows:

Drink	390 or 45.8 per cent.
Other women	117 or 13.7 per cent.
Laziness	79 or 9.2 per cent.
Jealousy	76 or 8.9 per cent.
Incompatibility	75 or 8.8 per cent.
Gambling	33 or 3.8 per cent.
Out of work	30 or 3.5 per cent.
Lazy and untidy wives	20 or 2.3 per cent.
Mother-in-law interference	12 or 1.4 per cent.
Other men (accusations of husbands)	10 or 1.2 per cent.
Cruel treatment	8 or .9 per cent.

(See report of Archibald J. McKinny, Chief Probation Officer, attached.)

Amendments to the Non-Support Law Recommended.

First—That all prosecutions under chapter 699 of the Laws of 1910, entitled "An act to amend the penal law relative to the punishment of parents, guardians or other persons contributing to the delinquency and offenses of children, the jurisdiction whereof in The City of New York is now vested in the City Magistrates' Courts of said city, be tried in the Domestic Relations Court branch of said City Magistrates' Courts in the boroughs of the said city where said courts are organized, for for the reason that it appears to us that this class of cases, having reference solely to the family relation and the delinquency and omission of the parent, guardian or other person having the custody of the children therein referred to, should very properly come and be within the sole jurisdiction of the Domestic Relations Courts in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx and the Borough of Brooklyn, where the offenses therein mentioned in said act are committed in said boroughs, respectively, for the reason that it is akin to the class of cases of which the Domestic Relations Courts now have the sole jurisdiction to try, hear and determine, and the said act is but an extension of the statute which seeks to protect the minor members of the family.

Second—Where a person is held as a disorderly person on a charge of abandonment or failure to support, he should be allowed to pay *in cash* the sum directed to be paid to cover the year, or give an undertaking, as he elects. Section 685 of the Charter of The City of New York merely provides for the giving of an undertaking and reads as follows:

" * * * And if thereupon it shall appear by the confession of the defendant or by competent testimony that he is a disorderly person, the said Magistrate will make an order specifying a fair and reasonable sum of money, according to his financial ability, to be paid weekly for the space of one year thereafter by such defendant to the commissioner of public charities for the support of his wife or children, or either of them, and may require him to give security by a written undertaking, with one or more sureties, approved by the magistrate, to that effect," etc.

Section 686 of the Charter provides that if the undertaking be given the defendant must be discharged, and reads as follows:

"S. 686. If the undertaking be given, the defendant must be discharged. But if not, the city magistrate may convict him as a disorderly person . . . and shall by warrant of commitment signed by him with his title of office commit the defendant to the workhouse of the city of New York," etc.

It seems to us that in the proceeding therein provided for, said section 686 should be amended so that it should also provide that if cash equal to the whole amount exacted by the order referred to in section 685 be deposited with the Commissioner of Public Charities, the defendant therein should be discharged.

Third—It is the practice in order to avoid a multiplicity of suits on defaulted undertakings, to wait until there is at least twenty-five dollars due thereon before suit, for recovery of same be brought. When it is known that the average amount allowed to the beneficiary does not exceed five dollars per week, it is easily perceived where great hardship would ensue if repeated actions were necessary to secure the payment of the amount secured by the undertaking. In order to obviate this, I would suggest that one of the conditions of the undertaking be that where default in the payment of the weekly sums secured to be paid by said undertaking has been had, then at the election of the Commissioner of Public Charities, he can elect to treat the whole amount due and have the right to sue for and recover same in an action brought for said purpose.

Fourth—Section 689 of the Charter provides for appeals from the order of the Magistrates in abandonment proceedings. Among other things, it provides that said appeal shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of New York, except that the judge allowing the appeal must take from the defendant "a written undertaking in such sum and with sureties as he may approve that the defendant will abide the judgment of the appellate court upon the appeal and will pay all the costs which may be awarded against him." It is further provided among other sections of said code that section 766 shall apply to appeals herein provided. Section 776 of the Code of Criminal Procedure provides that if the judgment be affirmed, the court may direct its execution, and such an execution, ordinarily, is that the defendant given an undertaking to provide for the support of the person or persons who are likely to become a burden upon the county in the sum directed by the Magistrate's order, or in default thereof, be committed to the Workhouse for the term in said order directed.

It ordinarily takes about six months from the time the appeal is taken until the same is decided, and in the meantime the beneficiary of the order is without support, and support during the appeal is not guaranteed by the undertaking on appeal, although said appeal operates as a stay in said particular proceeding. It seems to us, in order to do equity and justice to the beneficiary of the order of the Magistrate in the cases appealed, no stay should be allowed where an appeal is taken. Ordinarily, the beneficiaries of the Magistrate's order are, as it has been aptly expressed by Assistant Corporation Counsel Flanigan, assigned to this Court to act as counsel for the Charity Commisioner, "one week's distance from the poor house." An appeal is not a constitutional right, but on the other hand, purely statutory. Appeal is a matter of favor, not of right, and the Legislature can withhold, qualify or limit the favor, as it sees fit. (Cohen vs. Warden Workhouse, Goff, J., Supreme Court, Part II, July 20, 1913.) The appellant-defendant has had his or her day in court and the delay of even an expedited appeal should not be allowed to act as a process of starvation, or hasten the way to the poor house, of the beneficiary or beneficiaries—usually the wife and children of the appellant-defendant.

Fifth—Section 921, 922, 923, 924 and 925 of the Code of Criminal Procedure provide for the method and procedure for seizing the property of an absconding parent who fails to provide for his children, or a husband for his wife, leaving any of them chargeable or likely to become chargeable upon the public. They are, in substance, an application by the Overseer of the Poor, or in The City of New York, the Charity Commissioner may apply to any two justices of the peace or police justices in the county for a warrant to seize the property of such parent or husband. Seizure of the property, making an inventory of the property so seized, return to the county court of the county where they reside; inquiry by the county court, who must confirm or discharge the warrant of seizure. If confirmed, must from time to time direct what part of the personal property shall be sold and how much of the proceeds of the sale and of the rents and profits of the real property shall be applied towards the maintenance of the wife or children of the party so absconding. If the party against whom the warrant was issued returns and supports the wife or children so abandoned, or gives security satisfactory to any two justices of the peace or police justices in the city, village or town to the overseer of the poor of the town, or in The City of New York to the Commissiner of Charities and Correction, that the wife or children so abandoned shall not be chageable to the county, then the warrant must be discharged by an order of the magistrate and the property taken by virtue thereof restored to the party. The officers must sell the property and secure the rent and profits and account therefor.

A statute investing the Magistrates presiding in the Domestic Relations Courts in the Boroughs of our City where said Courts are in existence, and in the other Boroughs of our City where they do not exist in name, investing the individual Magistrate of the City Magistrates' Courts sitting therein with like power and authority, should be passed, thus adding greater efficiency and strength to the non-support laws affecting The City of New York.

Sixth—It oftentimes occurs that the warrant officers are unable to execute their warrants by want of actual personal knowledge of the whereabouts of the defendant. From inquiry they are convinced that certain persons know where the defendant may be found, but these persons deny all knowledge of the location of the defendant when asked. Section 169 of the Code of Criminal Procedure reads as follows:

"Every person must aid an officer in the execution of a warrant if the officer require his aid and be present and acting in its execution."

This section we believe refers to physical aid to the officers when the warrant is being executed. What is lacking is some law allowing the examination of such a party aforesaid to aid in obtaining information for the execution of the warrant, some such statute as allows the examination of a party in aid of the collection of an execution on a judgment. We hope such a statute may be passed. We know it would greatly aid us in the execution of warrants of arrests in this Court.

Table Analysis.

Tables A and B show that the number of warrants issued during the year 1913 on complaints filed during said year was 1,508; number of warrants executed, 882. Percentage of warrants executed, 58.4 per cent.

The number of summonses issued was 1,204; the number of appearances on summonses, 840. Percentage of appearances on summonses, 69.7 per cent. The summonses issued out of the Domestic Relations Court in this borough are practically all served by mail. The above tables show that the service of summonses from this court by mail is more efficacious than the arrests on warrants by 11.3 per cent.

Table C.

Table B shows that 1,722 persons responded on warrants and summonses issued out of this court during the year 1913 and that there were pending on January 1, 1913, in this court 261 cases, making a total of 1,983. Of said total the following dispositions were made:

Dismissed	723 or 36.4 per cent.
Placed under probationary oversight	566 or 28.5 per cent.
Sentence suspended and defendant placed on probation	271 or 13.6 per cent.
Released on giving undertaking	55 or 2.7 per cent.
Committed to the Workhouse in default of giving undertaking	68 or 3.4 per cent.
Pending December 31, 1913	302 or 15.2 per cent.

Table D.

There were 392 persons convicted in the Domestic Relations Court during the year 1913. The persons convicted were of the following ages:

Between 16 and 20 years	7 or 1.7 per cent.
Between 20 and 30 years	133 or 34. per cent.
Between 30 and 40 years	148 or 37.7 per cent.
Between 40 and upwards	102 or 26.6 per cent.

The color of the persons convicted was:

White	377 or 96.4 per cent.
Black	14 or 3.6 per cent.

The nativity of the persons convicted is as follows:

United States	246 or 63.00 per cent.
Russia	49 or 12.00 per cent.
Italy	29 or 7.00 per cent.
Germany	19 or 5.00 per cent.
Ireland	18 or 5.00 per cent.
England	9 or 2.00 per cent.
Poland	4 or 1.00 per cent.
Austria	4 or 1.00 per cent.
Scotland	4 or 1.00 per cent.
Norway	3 or 1.00 per cent.
Sweden	2 or .50 per cent.
Finland	2 or .50 per cent.
Denmark	1 or .25 per cent.
France	1 or .25 per cent.
Mexico	1 or .25 per cent.

Table F.

Table F shows the total number of warrants and rearrest warrants issued was 1,929, of which there were:

Executed	1,159 or 60. per cent.
Withdrawn	110 or 5.4 per cent.
Unexecuted	660 or 34.6 per cent.

Table G.

Table G shows that the number of summonses issued during the year 1913, and those issued in 1912 and returnable in 1913, and also those issued in 1913 returnable in 1914, was 1,209, of which there

Appeared on summonses	840 or 69.4 per cent.
Withdrawn	36 or 2.9 per cent.
Dismissed, neither party appearing	88 or 7.2 per cent.
Defendants failing to appear and warrants issued	234 or 19.4 per cent.
Issued in 1913, returnable in 1914	11 or 1.1 per cent.

Table H.

Table H shows the number of cases referred to the District Attorney's office, Kings County, wherein it was alleged that the defendants had absconded to other states in order to avoid their obligations to support their minor children under sixteen years of age. Total number so referred, 31.

Total number indicted, 2. Disposition: Convicted and sentence suspended, 1; convicted and sentenced to prison, 1; total, 2.

Table I.

Table I shows the number of appeals taken to the County Court from the decisions of the Magistrates presiding in this Court during the year 1913, and the disposition of the same.

Total number of appeals taken, 2. Disposition: Judgments affirmed, 2; judgment reversed, none; total, 2.

Table J.

Table J shows of the amount of money directed to be paid by the orders of the Domestic Relations Court in this Borough there was received by the Probation Officers and the Department of Public Charities, $104,484.67, and was received respectively as follows:

January	$7,855 48	August	8,886 80
February	7,012 64	September	10,174 03
March	8,117 20	October	9,104 89
April	8,353 89	November	8,480 60
May	7,924 65	December	10,391 25
June	8,322 64		
July	9,860 60		$104,484 67

The policy of opening the Court on Monday evenings throughout the year to receive the sums ordered to be paid and to pay the same to the beneficiaries is still pursued, and as heretofore stated in our previous reports is proving most efficacious.

Thanking you for the deep interest ever manifested by you in furthering the success of this Court, and also appreciating the work of the officials connected therewith to further its efforts for the good of the community, I beg leave to remain, very respectfully yours,

EDWARD J. DOOLEY, City Magistrate, Presiding in Domestic Relations Court, Borough of Brooklyn.

Chief Probation Officer, City Magistrates' Courts, Second Division, 403 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, January 20, 1914.

Hon. EDWARD J. DOOLEY, City Magistrate, Domestic Relations Court, Second Division:

Dear Sir—I respectfully beg to submit the following statistical report, showing in detail the causes claimed to be responsible for family disunion in cases under the jurisdiction of the probation officers in the Domestic Relations Court during the year 1913:

Drink, 390; women, 117; laziness, 79; jealousy, 76; incompatibility, 75; gambling, 33; out of work, 30; lazy and unitidy wives, 20; mothers-in-law, 12; other men (accusation of husbands), 10; cruel treatment, 8.

Yours respectfully, ARCHIBALD J. McKINNY, Chief Probation Officer.

The Domestic Relations Court for the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, Second Division.

Annual Report of Paul J. Donnelly, Clerk of the Domestic Relations Court, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for the Year Ending December 31, 1913.

To the Board of City Magistrates, City of New York, Second Division:

In pursuance of the provisions of chapter 659 of the Laws of 1910, I herewith respectfully submit the following detailed report of the business transacted at the Domestic Relations Court, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, during the year ending December 31, 1913.

I have endeavored to comply strictly with all the laws relating to the business of this court.

The following City Magistrates have officiated at this court during the year ending December 31, 1913:

Hon. Otto Kempner, Hon. Edward J. Dooley, Hon. Joseph Fitch, Hon. Harry Miller, Hon. A. V. B. Voorhees, Hon. Louis H. Reynolds, Hon. John J. Walsh, Hon. Charles J. Dodd, Hon. Alexander H. Geismar, Hon. Alfred E. Steers and Hon. Joseph B. Handy.

Respectfully, PAUL J. DONNELLY, Clerk.

Table A—Showing the Total Number of Complaints Made and the Total Number of Warrants and Summonses Issued Thereon in the Domestic Relations Court, Borough of Brooklyn, During the Year Ending December 31st, 1913.

Complaints taken and warrants issued	1,508
Complaints taken and summonses issued	1,204
Total	2,712

Table B—Showing the Total Number of Persons Arraigned in Said Domestic Relations Court During Said Year.

	Abandonment.		Vio. 683 Char.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Arrested on warrants	675	..	7	..	882
Appeared on summonses	799	..	36	5	840
Totals	1,674	..	43	5	1,722
Cases pending January 1, 1913	242	..	18	1	261
Totals	1,916	..	61	6	1,985

Table C—Showing the Total Number of Cases Disposed of and the Final Dispositions of Same in Said Domestic Relations Court During Said Year.

	Abandonment.		Vio. 683 Char.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Dismissed	699	..	20	4	723
Placed under probationary oversight	547	..	18	1	566
Sentence suspended, defendants placed on probation	271	..	..	..	271
Released on giving bonds to support	54	..	1	..	55
Committed to workhouse in default of bonds	66	..	..	..	66
Cases pending	279	..	22	1	302
Totals	1,916	..	61	6	1,983

Number of Cases Pending from September 1, 1910, to December 31, 1913, and the Reasons Therefor.

	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	Total.
Rearrest warrants issued defendants not apprehended	42	63	50	48	203
Cases adjourned upon application of complainants or upon recommendation of Probation Officers, the defendants paying regularly	1	9	6	48	64
Cases adjourned for trial	..	..	..	35	35
Totals	43	72	56	131	302

Table D—Showing the Ages, Color and Nativity of Persons Convicted in Said Domestic Relations Court During Said Year.

	Abandonment.		Vio. 683 Char.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Ages.					
Between 16 and 20	7	..	..	..	7
Between 20 and 30	133	..	..	..	133
Between 30 and 40	147	..	1	..	148
Between 40 and over	104	..	..	..	104
Totals	391	..	1	..	392
Color.					
White	377	..	1	..	378
Black	14	..	..	..	14
Totals	391	..	1	..	392
Nativity.					
United States	246	..	..	..	246
Russia	49	..	..	..	49
Italy	29	..	..	..	29
Germany	19	..	..	..	19
Ireland	18	..	..	..	18
England	9	..	..	..	9
Poland	4	..	..	..	4
Austria	3	..	1	..	4
Scotland	4	..	..	..	4
Norway	3	..	..	..	3
Sweden	2	..	..	..	2
Finland	2	..	..	..	2
Denmark	1	..	..	..	1
France	1	..	..	..	1
Mexico	1	..	..	..	1
Totals	391	..	1	..	392

Table D (Supplementary)—Showing the Ages, Color and Nativity of Persons Convicted, After Revocation of Probationary Oversight, in Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year.

	Abandonment.		Vio. 683 Char.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Ages.					
Between 16 and 20	1	..	..	..	1
Between 20 and 30	18	..	..	..	18
Between 30 and 40	14	..	..	..	14
Between 40 and over	22	..	..	..	22
Totals	55	..	..	..	55
Color.					
White	53	..	..	..	53
Black	2	..	..	..	2
Totals	55	..	..	..	55
Nativity.					
United States	36	..	..	..	36
Germany	5	..	..	..	5
Russia	4	..	..	..	4
Italy	2	..	..	..	2
Norway	2	..	..	..	2
Ireland	2	..	..	..	2
England	2	..	..	..	2
Austria	2	..	..	..	2
Totals	55	..	..	..	55

Table E—Showing the Final Dispositions Made by Each Magistrate Holding Court at Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year.

	Dismissed.	Probationary Oversight.	Convicted.	Total.
Hon. Edward J. Dooley	521	441	226	1,188
Hon. Joseph Fitch	107	64	81	252
Hon. Otto Kempner	30	29	44	103
Hon. Joseph B. Handy	20	..	20	40
Hon. Alfred E. Steers	14	14	3	31
Hon. Harry Miller	6	7	5	18
Hon. A. V. B. Voorhees	8	9	..	17
Hon. Louis H. Reynolds	5	1	6	12
Hon. Charles J. Dodd	5	..	5	10
Hon. John J. Walsh	7	1	1	9
Hon. Alexander H. Geismar	..	..	1	1
Totals	723	566	392	1,681

Table E (Supplementary)—Showing the Final Dispositions Made by Each Magistrate of Cases Wherein the Defendants Had Violated the Conditions of Probationary Oversight, in Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year, in Which Trials Were Had.

	Sentence Suspended.	Released on Bonds.	Committed in Default of Bonds.	Total.
Hon. Edward J. Dooley	28	2	6	36
Hon. Joseph Fitch	5	1	7	13
Hon. Otto Kempner	1	..	1	2
Hon. Joseph B. Handy	1	1	1	3
Hon. Alfred E. Steers	..	..	1	1
Totals	35	4	16	55

Table F—Showing the Total Number of Warrants and Rearrest Warrants Issued, Executed, or Otherwise Disposed of, in Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year.

	Warrants.	Rearrest Warrants.	Total.
Total number issued	1,508	421	1,929
Total number executed	882	277	1,159
Total number withdrawn	101	9	110
Total number unexecuted	525	135	660
Totals	1,508	421	1,929

Table G—Showing the Total Number of Summonses Issued and the Dispositions of the Same, in Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year.

Total number issued	1,204
Issued in 1912, returnable in 1913	5
Totals	1,209
Total number appeared on summonses	840
Total number withdrawn	36
Dismissed, neither party appearing	88
Warrants issued, defendants not appearing	234
Returnable in 1914	11
Totals	1,209

Table G (Supplementary)—Showing the Total Number of Summonses Issued to Defendants on Probationary Oversight, or Parole, and the Disposition of Same, in Said Domestic Relations Court, During Said Year.

Total number issued	133
Total number appeared	56

Warrants issued deft's not appearing	57
Dismissed, neither party appearing	2
Totals	133
Defendant discharged from Workhouse and placed on probation upon application of complainant	1
Convictions revoked, defendants discharged from Workhouse upon application of complainants	32
Probationary oversight set aside, defendants discharged upon withdrawal of proceedings	85
Probationary oversight set aside, defendants adjudged guilty and sentence suspended	35
Probationary oversight set aside, defendants adjudged guilty and committed to Workhouse in default of bonds	16
Probationary oversight set aside, defendants adjudged guilty and released on giving bonds to support	4
Suspension of sentence revoked, defendants discharged upon withdrawal of proceedings	20
Suspension of sentence revoked, and defendants committed to Workhouse in default of furnishing bonds to support	34
Suspension of sentence revoked, and defendants released upon furnishing bonds to support	4
Defendants discharged from Workhouse having given undertakings after commitment	31
Defendants surrendered by bondsmen, orders modified, bonds cancelled and defendants placed on probation	6
Convictions revoked and bonds cancelled	4
Defendants surrendered by bondsmen and committed to Workhouse in default of furnishing new bonds to support	4
Defendants surrendered by bondsmen and released upon furnishing new bonds to support	2
Defendant rearrested and committed to Workhouse in default of bond to support. (Original undertaking sued upon and execution returned unsatisfied)	1

Table H—Showing the Total Number of Cases Referred to the Kings County District Attorney's Office by the Domestic Relations Court, Wherein the Defendants Had Absconded to Other States, and the Disposition of Same, During Said Year.

Total number referred to District Attorney		31
Total number of defendants indicted		2
Total number convicted and sentence suspended	1	
Total number convicted and sentenced to prison	1	
		2

Table I—Showing the Total Number of Appeals Taken to the County Court from the Domestic Relations Court, and the Disposition of the Same, During Said Year.

Total number of appeals taken		2
Judgments affirmed	2	
Judgment reversed	0	
		2

Table J—Showing the Total Number of Bonds Executed in the Domestic Relations Court, and the Total Amount of Money Paid by Defendants on Probation, Parole and on Bonds Towards the Support of Their Wives, Children and Poor Relatives, During Said Year, Through Said Domestic Relations Court Per the Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn.

Total number of bonds executed	84
Total amount of the bonds executed	$20,902 00

Amounts Collected Each Month from Defendants Having Furnished Sureties.		Amounts Collected Each Month from Defendants on Probation and Parole.	
January	$1,636 00	January	$6,219 48
February	1,280 00	February	5,732 64
March	1,601 50	March	6,515 70
April	1,672 00	April	6,681 89
May	1,733 86	May	6,190 79
June	1,642 00	June	6,680 64
July	1,903 50	July	7,957 10
August	1,621 21	August	7,265 59
September	1,650 64	September	8,523 39
October	1,241 00	October	7,863 89
November	1,020 00	November	7,460 60
December	1,990 50	December	8,400 75
	$18,992 21		$85,492 46

Total of all moneys collected during said year $104,484 67

I hereby certify that the foregoing report contains, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a correct statement of the amount and kind of business transacted at the Domestic Relations Court, Borough of Brooklyn, during the year ending December 31, 1913. PAUL J. DONNELLY, Clerk.

Sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1914. AGNES M. MULRY, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 502.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Ambulance Service:

City of New York, Board of Ambulance Service, 300 Mulberry st., April 7, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Sir—As authorized, I beg leave to transmit a copy of the annual report of the Board of Ambulance Service for the year 1913.

Very respectfully, D. C. POTTER, Director.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor:

Sir—Beginning, as it did in 1911, in an empty field, the Board was compelled to proceed tentatively, experimentally and, of necessity, slowly. In the year 1912, however, the Board was enabled to select and put in force, from its cumulative experience of the previous year, such of its plans as gave the greatest promise of permanent usefulness.

The general and continued improvement of the ambulance work throughout the city, as that year passed along, gave assurance to the Board that it was making progress in the right direction. At the opening of the year the work had crystallized along many practical and efficient lines.

The regular functions of the Board may be set down as follows:

1. Contracting with private hospitals for the maintenance of an ambulance service to efficiently care for the territory assigned to each.

2. Supervision, direction and daily oversight of the ambulance service of the public hospitals, as well as of those under contract.

3. A monthly inspection of the ambulances—horse drawn, electric and motor—and their equipment.

4. The receipt and registration of a monthly report from each hospital, giving a record of its daily ambulance calls classified as to injuries, diseases and nationalities of patients; the names of surgeons in charge of the ambulances, and other important data.

5. The maintenance of a surgeons' registry. This is done for the purpose of preventing unqualified surgeons from taking charge of or performing service on the ambulances. The hospitals make application for the appointment of Dr. ..... as ambulance surgeon for a term of ..... months, and certify that the applicant is a graduate of ..... Medical College and has had a stated practical hospital experience since graduation, which must not be less than four months.

If the recommendation of the hospital is found to comply with the rules of the Board and the surgeon is a graduate of a recognized medical college and has had the proper hospital experience since graduation, the application is approved, the surgeon registered and permitted to take charge of an ambulance.

Perhaps no single thing inaugurated by the Board has so improved the service as this provision, which makes it impossible for an ambulance to be sent out on a call except in charge of a qualified surgeon.

The hospitals have promptly responded to suggestions and criticisms of the Board and both surgeons and chauffeurs have been suspended or dismissed, when necessary, for the good of the service.

Note—Late in the year it was decided to establish a similar registry for chauffeurs and drivers, to be opened early in 1914.

6. A General Call Service. This is made effective through the use of the telephone system of the Police Department.

When the Board was organized the Police Department had recently put in a new and complete telephone system, reaching all the precinct station houses and some of the hospitals. It was found that unconnected hospitals could be reached by installing a wire (generally short) to the nearest station house. In the interest of economy it was wisely determined in 1911 to try to use this system instead of undertaking to install a telephone system of its own, as contemplated in the act creating the Board. Experience has demonstrated the plan to work perfectly.

Any telephone, except of the slot variety, can be used to call an ambulance, at no cost. The operators in every telephone central instantly connect with 3100 Spring, Police Headquarters. The officer at that switchboard notifies the hospital in whose district the ambulance is needed. If the hospital is unable to respond, the next nearest hospital is summoned. This process takes very little time for the word "ambulance," like magic, accelerates every movement.

To prevent duplication of calls, where possible, the patrolman takes charge. If an officer is not at hand the call of any citizen who gives his name and address and says an ambulance is needed, is honored.

7. The Office Call Service. This is supplementary to the regular call service through the police system. This service provides ambulances under unusual conditions:

a. Where a hospital service has broken down or the territory is temporarily left uncovered.

b. For the removal or transfer of a patient from a ship, train, dock or ferry to a specialty hospital having no ambulance.

c. Securing the immediate use of substitute ambulances, when necessary, to take the place of one out of commission through an accident.

d. Bringing an injured patient as witness at the request of the court.

e. Transferring patients at the request of the tuberculosis hospitals, none of whom have an ambulance.

f. Sending an ambulance in certain dementia cases.

g. Where a hospital is filled to its capacity, arranging for adjacent hospitals to cover the territory and receive the patients.

h. Station ambulances at proper points for instant service at public functions where multitudes assemble, such as parades, processions, funerals. The same thing is done at League ball games and other large gatherings upon request.

8. Investigation of Complaints. Early in 1911 complaints of delays and indifference were frequent. They diminished by the end of 1912 and had almost disappeared. Such complaints are now very few, but receive instant attention. A regular function of the staff is to search the daily press for any item relating to the ambulance service, and if of a nature to require consideration, prompt investigation follows.

9. Audit of Monthly Bills. Hospitals under contract with the Board for ambulance service present monthly bills, upon blanks furnished by the Board, verified by the superintendent or competent official. These bills are examined, audited and certified from the office record as to service rendered, placed upon special vouchers and forwarded to the Department of Finance. No bill is paid without a full knowledge of the circumstances under which it is presented.

10. Inspection of Hospital Expenditures. That the Board may know accurately what it costs the hospitals to equip and support their ambulance service, an examination of the hospital records at first hand is made by the staff examiner, so that the Board has knowledge of the actual cost of the work done in each hospital and is able to make comparisons as between the cost to the institution and the payments from the City.

11. Clearing House or Bureau of Information. The office responds to inquiries upon all matters relating to the service in the city; gives information concerning ambulances, equipment, pulmotors, methods of inspection, examination, operation and supervision. The office has been drawn into this service by both local inquiries and those from officials in other cities, boards of trade, heads of colleges and hospitals.

Development and Improvement.

(a) Motors—

The hospitals very generally have recognized the advantage of replacing horse-drawn ambulances with gas or electric motors, the gas cars being preferred.

During the year the electric cars have increased 4, the gas motors 21 and the horsedrawn ambulances have decreased 20. The new gas motor ambulances have been of the Grade A type with one exception. All the new motors have two raised beds so that the surgeon may attend the patient seated by his side, and it is no longer necessary for him to crawl over the patient or walk on the blankets, as in the old style ambulances with the bed upon the floor.

The closing in of the ambulance with rear doors has been found to be a great comfort and protection to the patient. This has been particularly demonstrated in cold and stormy weather.

The newest ambulances are of a standardized model and, in addition to the above improvements, have electric lights, trouble lamp, single seat for driver, and a door in the side at the front so the surgeon may sit by the head of the patient.

The hospitals have found it possible to purchase cars of high grade with latest and best conveniences and improvements at a lower cost than heretofore.

It should be said that the hospitals have all shown a real desire to improve their equipment, conform to the regulations and advance the service.

(b) Promptness—

It has required constant effort to impress upon surgeons and drivers the necessity of readiness and the saving of moments in getting away from the hospital after a call has been received. The time of an ambulance surgeon's service is comparatively short. He has hardly learned by experience the value of promptness when his term has expired and new men are installed. It probably will always be necessary to keep this subject insistently, perhaps unpleasantly, to the fore. The most trivial things furnish an excuse for delay at the start, the idea being that the moments lost can be made up by the speed of the ambulance, and this itself is serious, for it invites danger and possibility of accident.

We have endeavored continuously to impress upon the surgical and driving staffs that if no time is lost at the start the speed need not be great, and that an ambulance should try to be as prompt in its movement to relieve human suffering as are the motors of the Fire Department to extinguish a fire.

(c) Supervision and Inspection—

The monthly inspection of ambulances, their equipment, garages, horses, harness and stables has received conscientious consideration.

Attention is again called to the fact that the Board is without means of supervising the movement of ambulances except to see them start from hospitals, incidentally meet them on the streets or undertake to follow them on trolley cars. The best results will not be obtained until ambulances in operation can be followed and watched. The territory of the five Boroughs is very large, streets are long and hospitals are scattered.

(d) Investigations and Complaints—

Because of constant watchfulness and attention, complaints through the regular channels have been comparatively few. It is fundamental, however, that vigilance alone is the price of improvement.

Summary of Investigation and Inspection Service.

By the Deputy—

Inspections, 464; special investigations, 274. Complaints of Delay—Police Department, 39; criticism in press, 24. Written reports on file, 225; daily entries in office journal covering service, 738.

By the Examiner—

Examination of hospital books of accounts to determine exact cost of maintenance of ambulances and equipment in each, 31, involving approximately 150 visitations. Special investigations, 97. In addition to above: Telephone complaints, overspeeding, 18; delays, 3; complaints from Charity Department, 2; complaints by letter, 15.

(e) Rules and Regulations—

The 1913 edition of the Rules and Regulations was sent out early in the year and proved very useful. Late in November the Board gave instructions that a revised edition be prepared for distribution in 1914, containing such changes and modifications as experience suggested.

The Board also ordered that a booklet of "Instructions and Advice to Chauffeurs

and Drivers in the Ambulance Service of all Hospitals of the City," be prepared and distributed. These Regulations and Instructions are a part of this report.

Ambulance Calls.

The total number of calls in all hospitals for the year was 114,453.

	Day.	Week.	Month.	Year.
Public hospitals	116	812	3,519	42,234
Private hospitals	198	1,389	6,018	72,219
	314	2,201	9,537	114,453

The private hospitals only have contracts with the Board, though the emergency ambulances of all hospitals are under its control.

The number of calls in 1911 was 96.424; in 1912, 104,261. From this it will be seen that the work of the hospitals is responsive to the increase in population.

A detailed statement of the calls of all the hospitals for each month of the year, together with their totals, accompanies this report.

Amounts Paid to Hospitals.

The rates of payment for the maintenance of ambulances, established by the Board in 1911, have not been changed and are as follows:

	Per Annum.
Gasoline motor ambulances, Grade A	$1,500 00
Gasoline motor ambulances, Grade B	960 00
Electric ambulances	1,050 00
Horse-drawn ambulances	840 00

The total amount paid the 31 private hospitals having contracts with the Board for 1913, was $64,692.

Extensions and Changes.

The Board decided in October that no additional contracts for horse-drawn ambulances would be made, that increases or changes in equipment must be automobiles, either gas or electric.

The following hospitals have given notice that they desire to add gas motor ambulances to their present equipment, some to take the place of horse-drawn ambulances, and others to increase their service—the German, Williamsburgh, Volunteer, Lebanon, St. Lawrence, Norwegian, Bushwick and St. Catharine's.

The Jewish Hospital, Brooklyn, after completing a large new emergency ward with modern appliances, was authorized by the Board to add an automobile ambulance.

Minor modifications were made in the territories of the Flower and Knickerbocker Hospitals, the Flower relinquishing the northern end of Central Park from 85th st. on the east, and 86th st. on the west, the Knickerbocker taking it on.

Unidentified Cases.

At the Board meeting in December, attention was called to the necessity of undertaking some plan to quickly identify persons who are brought into the hospitals and remain unconscious sometimes for long periods or until death, while distracted friends are inquiring anxiously for them, and, in many cases, failing to make discovery. It was suggested that the Director devise some tentative plan, try it out and present it to the Board for approval and adoption. A plan, promising success, was immediately undertaken.

The Pulmotor.

In 1912 the Director became interested in an apparatus recently brought from Germany called the Pulmotor, the purpose of which is to automatically expand and deflate human lungs with oxygen gas, the mechanism being actuated by the gas pressure.

Upon his representations, the Board authorized the Director to borrow a machine and demonstrate it to such hospitals as might care to consider acquiring one, with the hope that the appliance might become a part of the equipment of every hospital, and, if possible, of every ambulance.

The importers willingly supplied the apparatus. The Director communicated with the hospital officials and upon their invitation demonstrated the machine in many of the private hospitals in all the boroughs to their various staffs, Nurses and Internes gathered in groups, and to the hospital Superintendents of the Department of Charities. Demonstrations were also given in the offices of the Board. The result has been remarkable.

At the same time the gas and electric light companies took the matter up and the machines are now considered a necessary part of the life-saving equipment of the City. Very many lives have been saved and the hospitals have a pretty well-grounded confidence, where too much time has not elapsed, that cases of gas poisoning, suffocation by smoke, drowning and electric shock will be saved.

The gas companies have placed the Pulmotors in various parts of the city and will send them out on call, sometimes with an operator. This fact has stood in the way of more hospitals owning the machine.

The Edison Company have Pulmotors available for borrowing in many places throughout the city. In Brooklyn an electric light company presented machines to prominent hospitals located in different sections of the city.

Through our recommendation, machines were purchased by the Fire Department. Pulmotor stations, with telephone numbers, will be found at the end of this report.

By order of the Board. Respectfully submitted,

D. C. POTTER, Director.

Hospitals Maintaining an Ambulance Service in 1913.

Manhattan and Bronx.

Public.	
Bellevue	Foot of E. 26th st.
Fordham	Crotona ave. and Southern boulevard.
Gouverneur	Gouverneur Slip.
Harlem	136th st. and Lenox ave.
Reception (Metropolitan B. I.)	Foot of E. 70th st.
Private.	
Flower	63d st. and Eastern boulevard.
House of Relief	67 Hudson st.
Knickerbocker	131st st. and Amsterdam ave.
Lebanon	Westchester and Cauldwell aves.
Lincoln	141st st. and Concord ave.
New York	8 W. 16th st.
New York Polyclinic	341 W. 50th st.
St. Vincent's	149 W. 11th st.
Volunteer	93 Gold st.
Washington Heights	554 W. 165th st.

Brooklyn.

Public.	
Bradford St	113 Bradford st.
Coney Island	Ocean parkway and Avenue Z.
Cumberland St	109 Cumberland st.
Kings County	Clarkson st. and Albany ave.
Private.	
Brooklyn	Raymond st. and DeKalb ave.
Bushwick	2 Howard ave.
Eastern District	108 S. 3d st.
German	St. Nicholas ave. and Stanhope st.
Holy Family	155 Dean st.
Jewish	Classon and St. Mark's aves.
Long Island College	Henry and Pacific sts.
Methodist Episcopal	6th st. and 7th ave.
Norwegian	4th ave. and 46th st.
St. Catharine's	Bushwick and Ten Eyck sts.
St. John's	Atlantic and Albany aves.
St. Mary's	St. Mark's and Buffalo aves.
Swedish	Rogers ave. and Sterling place.
Williamsburgh	342 Bedford ave.

Queens.

Private.	
Flushing	Parsons ave., Flushing, L. I.
Jamaica	New York ave., Jamaica, L. I.
Mary Immaculate	Shelton ave., Jamaica, L. I.
Rockaway Beach	Hammels Station, Rockaway Beach.
St. John's Long Island City	12th st. and Jackson ave., L. I. City.
St. Joseph's	Far Rockaway, N. Y.

Richmond.

Private.	
S. R. Smith Infirmary	Castleton ave., Tompkinsville.
St. Vincent's	Bard ave., West New Brighton.

Ambulance Calls for 1913.

Ambulances. Horse Drawn.	Motor Gasoline.	Motor Electric.	Hospital.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.	Bed Capacity.
			Manhattan.														
5	2	3	Bellevue	982	925	1,070	956	940	979	984	1,012	1,029	991	900	994	11,762	1,337
2	..	2	Gouverneur	536	571	639	602	640	608	675	652	558	525	499	531	7,036	170
4	..	1	Harlem	642	640	667	689	654	719	748	670	607	629	616	703	7,984	188
..	1	..	Reception	382	367	480	398	407	428	479	454	378	394	449	405	5,021	*8
1	4	..	Flower	425	409	440	425	483	438	429	467	423	435	442	476	5,292	114
2	..	1	House of Relief	424	389	425	405	435	430	485	417	403	434	380	399	5,026	45
..	3	..	Knickerbocker	200	161	220	176	183	192	179	190	205	184	182	215	2,287	52
..	..	4	New York	668	547	592	636	631	636	656	626	582	644	633	658	7,509	264
..	3	..	Polyclinic	424	424	436	445	442	409	419	411	422	428	412	403	5,075	237
1	2	..	St. Vincent's	408	431	451	447	459	461	480	480	447	480	429	470	5,443	345
2	..	..	Volunteer	114	88	96	80	96	91	123	120	92	97	99	78	1,174	20
2	1	..	Washington Heights	88	56	86	112	122	112	120	116	87	94	98	112	1,203	35
			Bronx.														
3	..	1	Fordham	343	313	374	318	401	416	449	430	316	318	301	321	4,300	198
1	1	..	Lebanon	238	244	258	247	237	247	240	253	231	256	230	206	2,887	422
1	2	..	Lincoln	222	159	189	206	199	217	238	217	210	207	209	188	2,461	196
			Richmond.														
1	1	..	S. R. Smith Infirmary	79	104	109	88	102	108	150	113	100	112	85	105	1,255	150
1	1	..	St. Vincent's S. I.	48	40	48	55	57	68	69	66	32	40	49	62	634	134
			Brooklyn.														
1	..	..	Bradford Street	132	163	142	106	132	157	181	149	109	101	107	96	1,575	8
1	1	..	Coney Island	69	69	80	80	125	188	361	329	155	93	82	109	1,740	100
1	..	..	Cumberland Street	147	127	147	140	144	151	129	106	97	123	102	122	1,535	200
2	3	..	Kings County	96	127	94	101	95	115	146	111	119	97	95	85	1,281	1,121
2	..	..	Brooklyn	222	205	220	251	266	214	175	216	210	217	247	234	2,677	172
1	..	..	Bushwick	104	83	109	103	104	107	109	124	107	126	103	114	1,293	32
1	..	..	Eastern District	133	107	111	119	143	134	129	127	123	96	113	114	1,449	49
1	..	..	German	128	115	116	104	114	151	167	142	124	112	115	118	1,506	146
..	1	..	Holy Family	245	168	270	126	231	266	293	248	278	272	208	259	2,864	80
1	1	..	Jewish				Opened	Nov. 1, 1913.						43	53	96	280
1	1	..	Long Island College	186	182	203	265	248	194	224	238	168	164	193	234	2,499	275
1	..	1	Methodist Episcopal	137	128	128	154	167	168	147	179	147	138	140	140	1,773	215
1	1	..	Norwegian	213	238	217	231	271	271	319	286	296	285	235	393	3,155	105
1	1	..	St. Catherine's	224	206	260	253	261	264	289	264	216	256	244	205	2,942	200
1	..	..	St. John's	101	90	115	94	102	116	123	116	96	92	100	95	1,240	85
1	1	..	St. Mary's	135	167	197	168	172	188	263	228	213	186	201	245	2,363	238
1	1	..	Swedish	112	111	129	94	146	170	163	155	140	130	96	82	1,528	39
..	2	..	Williamsburgh	171	150	180	174	176	198	180	198	185	178	155	176	2,121	65
			Queens.														
2	..	..	Flushing	45	38	46	47	63	72	71	66	67	54	56	43	668	111
1	1	..	Jamaica	41	29	30	19	28	45	47	38	46	44	37	33	437	55
1	1	..	Mary Immaculate	86	77	84	96	113	125	128	105	82	69	68	81	1,114	72
..	1	..	Rockaway Beach	4	11	15	20	15	35	103	88	26	4	7	20	348	35
2	1	..	St. John's, L. I. City	91	98	133	97	128	181	200	184	164	145	148	145	1,714	225
1	..	..	St. Joseph's	10	9	13	15	15	25	26	12	27	11	12	11	186	50
51	38	13	Total	9,055	8,566	9,619	9,142	9,747	10,094	10,896	10,403	9,317	9,261	8,920	9,433	114,453	†7,873

*The Reception Hospital, Department of Charities, 70th st. and East River, 816 beds. †Total number of beds in the hospitals under supervision of the Board receives patients for the Blackwell's Island hospitals; Metropolitan, 1,503 beds; City, of Ambulance Service, 10,392.

Recapitulation.

	Public.	Private.	Total.
Manhattan	31,803	33,009	64,812
Bronx	4,300	5,348	9,648
Brooklyn	6,131	27,506	33,637
Queens	....	4,467	4,467
Richmond	....	1,889	1,889
	42,234	72,219	114,453

Summary.

	Day.	Week.	Month.	Year.
Public hospitals	116	812	3,519	42,234
Private hospitals	198	1,389	6,018	72,219
Total	314	2,201	9,537	114,453

Ambulance Calls—Classified Summary of Injuries and Diseases, 1913.

Abdominal injuries	603	Fracture—Lower extremity	3,346
Alcoholism—Acute	6,008	Heat prostration	294
Alcoholism—Delirium tremens	909	Hemorrhage—Acute	588
Asphyxiation	114	Hemorrhage—Lungs	186
Bullet wounds	797	Hemorrhage—Stomach	161
Burns or scalds	1,340	Hemorrhage—Cerebral	432
Burns, electrical	74	Hernia	657
Coma	693	Hysteria	1,794
Concussion—Cerebral	770	Insanity	3,537
Contusions	10,759	Infection	1,933
Convulsions	900	Labor	3,234
Dead on arrival	3,017	Laceration	16,824
Diseases of chest	2,012	Malingering	299
Diseases of heart	2,281	Poisoning—Gas	880
Diseases of intestines	4,961	Poisoning—Carbolic acid	254
Diseases of kidney	2,082	Pneumonia	2,874
Diseases—Genito-urinary	2,086	Pulmonary tuberculosis	2,428
Dislocations—Upper extremity	581	Shock	972
Dislocations—Lower extremity	361	Sprains	1,562
Dog bite	440	Wounds—Stab	943
Erysipelas	739	Wounds—Incised	1,399
Epilepsy	2,586	Unclassified	18,912
Epistaxis	521	Unnecessary calls	2,098
Fracture—Skull	1,557		
Fracture—Upper extremity	2,655		114,453

Ambulance Calls—Summary of Nationalities, 1913.

Australia	178	Norway	1,258
Austria	4,019	Panama	7
Canada	427	Poland	2,240
China	217	Porto Rico	202
Cuba	156	Russia	11,873
Denmark	317	Scotland	1,068
England	2,955	Spain	274
Finland	478	Sweden	1,985
France	547	United States	50,887
Germany	7,653	Unclassified	7,547
Ireland	10,234		
Italy	9,846	Total	114,453
Japan	85		

This classification of nationalities may have a bearing upon the question of immigration.

Regulations Governing the Ambulance Service of All Hospitals in the City, 1914.

All hospitals in The City of New York maintaining an emergency ambulance service must observe the following regulations:

Hospitals—

1. Hospitals must answer calls promptly. Ambulances should proceed at a rapid but not dangerous rate and return to the hospital with as little delay as the comfort of the patient will allow.

2. Ambulances must be sent out upon all calls received through the police, or when the police are not at hand, through a citizen who gives his name and address and states the nature of the emergency.

Ambulances—

3. Ambulances must be kept in a condition for instant use. Everything necessary for the alleviation of suffering and prompt emergency treatment, such as stretchers, blankets, pillows, splits, oxygen tanks and permenant equipment, must be in the ambulance. Medicine chests or surgeons' bags must be filled, kept in proper order and at hand.

4. Ambulances engaged in transfer service must be in as good condition as those employed in emergency work.

Speed—

5. Ambulances must leave the hospitals immediately on receipt of call. Time gained may mean the saving of life. Time lost is suffering prolonged and possibly death. But recklessness in driving is prohibited. Ambulances must be under constant control.

a. While ambulances are exempted from the speed ordinances, the right of way over street traffic must be used with discretion and caution; wherever possible, without injurious delay, chauffeus must conform to the speed regulations.

b. Ambulances must not run between the curb and a street car discharging or taking on passengers, if it can possibly be avoided. Unless there is a distance of eight feet the ambulance must slow up and stop if necessary.

c. Ambulances must slow down to four miles in approaching and rounding street corners. There is no exemption from this rule.

d. The speed ordinances of the city prohibit recklessness in driving, and provide that a speed of fifteen miles in case of accident will be considered reckless, the burden of proof to the contrary to rest with the chauffeur. Ambulances should be so controlled as to avoid any possible charge of recklessness.

e. There must be no fast driving when the ambulance returns to the hospital without a patient.

f. The ambulance in transfer service must go slower than when in emergency service.

g. The bell must be used in moderation and only when necessary. Incessant clanging is prohibited.

Surgeons—

6. Ambulance surgeons shall not undertake the performance of any sort of surgical operation which can be performed to better advantage at the hospital to which the patient is to be removed. They must restrict their surgical treatment to those emergency measures that will secure the patient's safety or promote his comfort while in transit.

7. Ambulance surgeons shall not interfere with the administration to the patient of the last rites and comfort of religion.

8. Ambulance surgeons shall bring to the hospital all patients suffering from partial or complete loss of consciousness, including those whose condition is apparently due to alcoholism.

9. Ambulance surgeons must be extremely cautious in deciding that a case does not need a more thorough examination in the hospital where, because of better conditions and complete facilities, error is less liable to occur. They must bring to the hospital all patients with injuries involving the cavities of the body.

10. When there is any doubt as to the nature of a patient's illness or injury or as to the proper disposition of a patient, the ambulance surgeon must bring the patient to the hospital.

11. When called to a police station the ambulance surgeon shall receive and treat the patient without dispute.

12. When called to patients found to be suffering from any contagious disease, the ambulance surgeon shall notify the hospital, which will notify the Board of Health. If in an emergency the patient must be taken to the hospital, the superintendent shall be notified and the patient taken to the isolation ward.

13. Ambulance surgeons shall take maternity patients to the nearest maternity hospital unless their own hospitals are provided with maternity wards.

14. Ambulance surgeons may comply with the requests of patients who desire to be taken home, when it can safely be done, or to another hospital, if within reasonable distance; when the distance is great or when the surgeon is in doubt he shall telephone to the supeintendent of his hospital for instructions.

15. The Surgeon's authority as to the movement of an ambulance is limited to giving advice to the Driver as to the needs of the patient.

Drivers—

16. A Chauffeur or Driver is responsible for his ambulance and its contents and must rely upon his own best judgment in its management, speed and route. He must endeavor to avoid streets where traffic is generally congested.

17. Chauffeurs and Divers must familiarize themselves with and be guided by the booklet of Instructions and Advice to Chauffeurs and Drivers issued by this Board.

Who Rides—

18. The only persons permitted to ride on an ambulance in service, at any time, except the Driver and the Surgeon, shall be the spiritual adviser of the patient, the Policeman in charge, or a member of the famliy of the patient.

19. No one will be allowed to ride with the Driver. The Surgeon will remain in his own part of the car, both going from and returning to the hospital.

Transfers—

20. When it is found necessary for an ambulance of a private hospital to transfer a patient to a public hospital, such transfer, so far as posible, shall be made during daylight or early in the evening. If it shall so happen that a private hospital at a long distance from a public hospital has received a patient very late at night, such patient should be made as comfortable as possible, when it can be done with safety, until the next day.

A patient in an apparently dying condition must not be transferred.

Patients with Chronic Diseases—

21. When an ambulance of a private hospital is summoned to a patient found to be in distress from chronic heart disease, or any chronic disease not contagious, though the hospital may have rules forbidding the reception of patients afflicted with chronic diseases, if the public hospital is far away the ambulance Surgeon must take the patient to his own hospital, and there the patient must be cared for until such time as he may be removed to a public hospital in comfort and safety.

Patients in a Critical or Dying Condition—.

22. When a patient is found on the street or in any exposed place, however dangerously injured, or in an extremely critical or dying condition, he shall not be left but shall be removed to the hospital, though it is possible that he may die on the way. Extraordinary precautions must be used in the examination and care of this class of cases.

Fire Calls—

23. Ambulances will be called at all three alarm fires without regard to or waiting for an injury to person.

When called by the alarm bell of the Fire Department, the Ambulance Surgeon will report immediately on arriving at the scene of the fire or disaster to the Fire Chief in charge.

If additional assistance is required, the Surgeon will ask the Police Officer to send in calls in the usual way.

To Hospital Boards—

24. Ambulance Surgeons must be graduates with at least four months' hospital experience since receiving their degrees. They must be approved and registered by the Board as qualified.

25. All Chauffeurs must have State licenses. Both chauffeurs and Drivers must be approved and registered by the Board.

26. Hospital authorities must see that their Ambulance Surgeons and Drivers receive copies of these regulations, become familiar therewith and act in conformity with both the spirit and the letter thereof.

27. Immediately after the first of each month all hospital authorities shall send to the office of the Board of Ambulance Service, on official forms furnished by the Board, a report of the previous month's calls. These reports are the first evidence to be considered in the acceptance of bills for payment by the City; the accuracy and value of these reports are therefore apparent.

In 1913 the Board decided that no additional contracts for horse-drawn ambulances would be made; that changes or increases in ambulances must be by gas or electric motors.

Information concerning standardized ambulances, their equipment, official colors, and light, can be obtained at the offices of the Board.

The Board recommends that hospitals add pulmotors to their ambulance equipment where possible.

Rules Recommended to Hospitals for Adoption.

a. The Ambulance Surgeon shall be responsible for the faithful performance of his duties to the executive committee and the Superintendent of the hospital to which he belongs.

b. Ambulance Surgeons in their relations to patients and the public shall observe those courtesies and proprieties of conduct that will preserve the dignity of their house staffs and the honorable standing of their hospitals. Ambulance Surgeons shall wear the hospital uniform cap, comport themselves with dignity and refrain from smoking while on duty.

c. Ambulance Surgeons on duty shall not be absent from their hospital without permission of the Superintendent. Not more than one of the Ambulance Surgeons shall be absent from the hospital except on a call of duty. Ambulance Surgeons on temporary absence shall notify their Superintendent before leaving the hospital and arrange with him for a properly qualified substitute.

d. Ambulance sugeons shall take particular care in obtaining information relative to patients and write the same with the required data upon their ambulance slips.

e. Ambulance Surgeons shall give at once to the Property Clerk any property they may have received belonging to their patients, upon their arrival at the hospital. A list shall be made and a record kept.

f. The Ambulance Surgeon must remain with all cases which he brings in until the House Surgeon takes charge of the case or the patient has been placed in the ward. All ambulance cases must be attended immediately upon their arrival.

Instructions and Advice to Chauffeurs and Drivers Supplementary to the Rules and Regulations.

1. The first purpose of an ambulance is to respond to an emergency call as promptly and as quickly as possible with safety, and without running the risk of an accident either to the car or to any person or vehicle.

The object is to minister to a human being, sick or injured; to render first aid or immediate relief and then transfer the sufferer to the hospital or his home

This is work of the greatest importance. It should be well and carefully done. No interest of self, personal wish, desire to favor another, to look well or show off should interfere with the service.

Chauffers and Drivers should consider that they are charged with a high mission. They are the agents of the hospital; to an extent, almost city officials, and should conduct themselves with dignity and propriety as becomes men engaged in saving life.

They should realize their responsibilities. The ambulance is no place for frivolity, loud talking, needless bell clanging or "stunts" with the machine. An ambulance is no vehicle for a joy ride.

The rules of the Board of Ambulance Service should be known by heart and carefully and honorably observed. The following instructions and suggestions, supplementary to the Rules and Regulations, are intended to interpret the same in greater detail.

II. Accidents—

1. In spite of congested traffic and slippery streets, accidents must be avoided. Ambulances can move safely only by the exercise of care and caution. The car must run surefooted and fast, not too fast; must always be under control and not one chance must be taken.

2. Men entrusted with this important duty must always be saying to themselves: "I will be careful. I will remember. I will fix my mind on my work. My attention shall not be distracted. Human life may depend, does depend, upon my actions; therefore, I will play the man, assume responsibility and acquit myself well. I will not hurt anyone. I will not kill anyone."

III. Speed—

1. As far as possible, consistent with excellent service, the speed regulations of the city will be observed. Generally speaking, ambulances can follow the speed regulations with safety, that is, will go fast enough in ordinary cases.

2. It is the habit of Drivers (which must be guarded against) to speed all the time; to go out on a call rapidly, to return rapidly, and to drive an empty ambulance returning on a transfer case or upon a case where there is no particular need for it, as fast as when a few minutes may mean life or death to the patient in the car. This is wrong and will not be tolerated.

3. It is only occasionally that the higher speed is necessary. Fifteen or twenty miles is fast enough. Four miles on the turn, for one never knows what is around the corner. (No exception to four miles on corners.)

4. Slow up when many people are seen ahead on the crosswalks. The car under control is so easily slowed down and speeded up again. Avoid passing between trolley car and sidewalk except in imperative necessity. Have the car under sharp control or hold the horse with a tight rein, soothed or encouraged, as the need may be.

5. Don't speed and then jamb on the brakes. A child should know better. It ruins the shoes, strains the brakes and costs, costs, costs. Don't go so fast. Don't hold the speed until the place of slowing down is reached. Cut down the gas before that.

IV. Routes—

1. In Manhattan, avoid Broadway, 5th ave., 14th st., 23d st., 34th st., 42d st.

2. In Brooklyn, avoid Fulton st., the junction of Flatbush and Atlantic aves., Broadway (Williamsburg), and the entrances to the bridges.

3. If the ambulance is called to any of these places, duty is the warrant for going, but to take an ambulance through the congestion of these streets needlessly is absolutely prohibited. Time can be saved and danger avoided by taking a nearby street. Be doubly vigilant at corners of intersecting streets where car tracks cross each other at right angles. Example: 23d st., at 4th ave. or Broadway or 6th ave.

4. Some of the Ambulance Drivers have the idea that they cut an imposing figure by dashing into a congested district. It is no part of the function of an ambulance to pose before, annoy or frighten the public.

5. Unless on duty call, the parks are to be avoided. An idea prevails that it is pleasanter for the Surgeon and Driver to ride through the parks, the increase in distance through winding roads being made up by extra speed. Ambulances are not sent out for the pleasure of the Surgeons and Drivers. Keep out of the parks positively, unless summoned there.

V. The Ambulance—

1. Keep it clean and in good condition. Treat it as the engineer treats his locomotive. Regard it as a faithful servant that will do just as well as it can. When the car is brought in, the first business is to see that it is in good order to go out again.

2. Care in tightening nuts, looking for loose parts, will prolong the life of the motor and give the Driver confidence. Do not put off little things that should be done. Report breaks or lost parts to Superintendent immediately, or any damage or accident to the equipment.

3. Be careful about the condition of the tires. Their proper inflation. Whether they are cut or broken and liable to give out. Put spare time on the car. Take pride in the work and thus enable the car to do its best.

4. On wet days put on non-skid chains before the call is received. Look out for the radiators. Keep them warm in cold weather. Be sure that there is gas in the tank sufficient for the run, or sufficient voltage in the batteries.

Equipment for the Patient—

5. Be sure the blankets, pillows and sheets are clean, and have extra covering in cold weather, particularly for transfers. The comfort of the patient is the great thing.

6. If the Surgeon's kit or bag is left in the car, notify the Superintendent. If oil, see that the lamps are properly filled and the glasses clean. Neglect no detail.

7. See that everything that goes in the car, oxygen tanks, Pulmotor, ice or any equipment called for is in good condition and in its place.

8. All that is said of the motor ambulance can in principal be applied to the horse ambulance Keep it in order. Treat the horse kindly as a silent brother.

VI. Licenses—

1. The Ambulance Board will not consent to the employment of any chauffeur or electric car driver unless he has a license and has experience. No man should expect to get his first experience in driving an ambulance.

2. No chauffeur or driver is too expert, too experienced, too high class to drive an ambulance. If the driver is not among the best in his line he should seek to become so. Take pains. Be careful.

VII. Responsibility—

1. The Chauffeur or Driver alone is responsible for the service of his car. The Surgeon may advise as to the needs of the patient, but the Chauffeur or Driver must use his own judgment in what he will do, and that should be his best.

2. He should familiarize himself with the streets of his district. He should know where the pavements are good, what streets are being repaired, which are the main thoroughfares, so that he can get through his district as easily, quietly and comfortably as possible.

3. No man must be allowed to ride with the Driver. This rule is imperative. There has always been a Surgeon or a friend riding with the Driver in the worst accidents chargeable to the service.

4. The Driver is responsible for the impression on the public made by the ambulance service. There should be no needless clanging of the bell. It is used as a signal asking for the respectful consideration and yielding courtesy of those ahead, and also the right of way.

5. The bell should be rung some little distance before street crossings. Traffic police complain that ambulances will run up, and, without waiting for the officer's signal, dash across the street. This is wrong. Respect the traffic officer. He will assist the passing of the car if given a chance. The car is not a lawless engine sent out to run recklessly. It carries the reputation of the hospital and may alienate the good will of the public.

6. While the ambulance is awaited with anxiety, its arrival should bring gratitude. If the foregoing instructions are earnestly carried out, the ambulance will be received as a benediction and not regarded, as it sometimes now is, as a necessary pest.

Every Chauffeur and Driver should resolve every day: "I will do my best. I will not have an accident. I will not take chances. I will not presume on the right of way. I will help the Surgeon. I will not magnify my rights or be particular about my dignity. I will serve the cause of humanity and the hospitals."

To-day the service is good. It can be better. Every Chauffeur and Driver must help make it so.

By order of the Board. D. C. POTTER, Director

December 30, 1913.

Pulmotors Available in Emergency Cases.

Hospitals.

Manhattan—Bellevue, Madison Square 440; Gouverneur, Orchard 4430; House of Relief (Hudson Street), Worth 3720; Flower, Plaza 5506; Lebanon, Melrose 3285; Fordham, Tremont 2000; St. Mary's, Bedford 6500; Williamsburgh, Greenpoint 2290; German, Bushwick 3200; Methodist Episcopal, South 123; Brooklyn, Main 2905; Norwegian, Sunset 4200.

Queens—Flushing, Flushing 2000; Mary Immaculate (Jamaica), Jamaica 199; Jamaica, Jamaica 87.

Richmond—St. Vincent's, W. N. Brighton 740; S. R. Smith Infirmary, Tompkinsville 1160.

Practically all the emergency hospitals not supplied have arrangements to secure pulmotors from the Gas Company or the Edison Electric Light Company.

Hospitals are buying pulmotors from time to time.

Consolidated Gas Company.

Emergency Stations—Pulmotors sent with operator on call: Hester and Elizabeth sts., Spring 1756; foot of W. 66th st., Columbus 2212; 111th st. and 1st ave., Harlem 1843; 474 W. 159th st., Audubon 2728.

Central Union Gas Company.

Bronx—Pulmotor sent with operator on call: 336 E. 142d st., Melrose 8000.

Brooklyn Union Gas Company.

Brooklyn—Pulmotor sent with operator on call: Nassau Works, Kent ave. and Clymer st., Prospect 5261; 2 Rutledge st., Williamsburgh 5410; Atlantic ave. and Ashford st., East New York 2800; Hoyt and 5th sts., Main 6400; Clarkson and Nostrand aves., Flatbush 6561.

Flatbush Gas Company.

Brooklyn—Pulmotor sent on call: Flatbush 6561.

Queensboro Gas and Electric Light Company.

Queens—Pulmotor available: 347 Central ave., Far Rockaway 1400.

New York Edison Company.

Pulmotors available—not sent on call: 5-11 Broadway, Worth 3030; 100 Water st., Worth 3044; 33-43 Gold st., Worth 3046; 55 Duane st., Worth 3002; 152 Clinton st., Worth 3049; 55 Crosby st., Worth 3048; 98 Vandam st., Worth 3047; 115-17 E. 12th st., Stuyvesant 2140; 32 Horatio st., Chelsea 2248; 27-29 W. 16th st., Chelsea 4589; 45 W. 26th st., Madison Square 2180; 452 W. 27th st., Chelsea 1958; 33d st. and 6th ave., Madison Square 8393; 1st ave. and 38th st., Murray Hill 3880; 1st ave. and 39th st., Murray Hill 3880; 151 E. 39th st., Murray Hill 4081; 117-19 W. 39th st., Bryant 145; 314-16 W. 41st st., Bryant 4689; 118-22 W. 53d st., Columbus 2264; 56 W. 56th st., Plaza 57 (if Plaza 57 is busy, try Plaza 4473); 155 W. 47th st., 9 a. m. to 6.30 p. m., Bryant 94; Blackwell's Island. Murray Hill 3880; 155 E. 60th st., Plaza 468; 170 W. 64th st., Columbus 2546; 123 E. 83d st., Lenox 1170; 211 W. 84th st., Schuyler 4386; 171 W. 107th st., Riverside 4879; 128 E. 12th st., Harlem 58; 259 W. 123d st., Morningside 26; 218th st. and 9th ave., Audubon 98.

Bronx—140th st. and Rider ave., Melrose 3330; 189th st. and Park ave., Tremont 3266; Riverdale, Kingsbridge 47; 265 Alexander ave., Melrose 831.

Electric Light and Power Company.

Pulmotor sent on call: 208-210 Elizabeth st., Spring 9262; 520 W. 24th st., Chelsea 901; 519 W. 146th st., Audubon 4000; 654 W. 187th st., Audubon 3148.

Which was referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

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

No. 503.

Board of Education, Park Ave. and 59th St., New York, April 13, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith a certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on April 8, 1914, relative to an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of $5,282, to be applied to defraying the cost of repairing damage done by fire at Public School 74, Manhattan.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby respectfully requested to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of five thousand two hundred and eighty-two dollars ($5,282), pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Revised Charter, said sum to be applied to defraying the cost of repairing damage done by fire at Public School 74, Manhattan; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to authorize such issue upon the request of the Board of Aldermen.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on April 8, 1914.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 504.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Foot of E. 26th St., April 13, 1914.

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

Sir—We would respectfully request that special revenue bonds to the amount of $25,602.50 be issued to provide the necessary funds to pay the help required in order that the following new buildings may be opened for the reception of patients:

Additional Buildings at Sea View Hospital, Staten Island (Bed Capacity for About 250 Additional Patients).

		Rate Per Annum.
Supervising Nurse		$750 00
Trained Nurse, 7 at $600 per annum		4,200 00
Resident Physician		1,200 00
Resident Internes, 5 at $480		2,400 00
X-Ray Operator and Photographer		900 00
Hospital Helpers		25,440 00
Total for year		$34,890 00
Amount for seven (7) months		$20,352 50
New Wing to East Tuberculosis Building, Blackwells Island (Bed Capacity for 112 Patients).		
Hospital Helpers	$9,000 00	
Amount for seven (7) months		5,250 00
Total amount required for seven (7) months		$25,602 50

The new buildings at Sea View Hospital are completely finished, furnished and equipped ready for the reception of patients. Those at the Tuberculosis Infirmary, Metropolitan Hospital, will be finished, furnished and equipped by June 1. By the opening of these buildings much of the overcrowding at Metropolitan Hospital will be relieved.

I trust that your Honorable body will take prompt and favorable action on this request.

Enclosed is a detailed list of the help required in each of the new buildings to be opened. Respectfully yours, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Sea View Hospital.

Surgical Pavilion.

	Per Annum Rate.	
Supervising Nurse	$750 00	
Trained Nurses, 4 at $600	2,400 00	
Resident Physician	1,200 00	
X-Ray Operator and Photographer	900 00	
Hospital Helpers (Practical Nurses), 4 at $480	1,920 00	
Hospital Helpers (Orderlies), 2 at $360	720 00	
Hospital Helpers (Ward Maids), 5 at $240	1,200 00	
Hospital Helper (Elevator Operator)	240 00	
		$9,330 00
Two Pavilions (1 and 8).		
Trained Nurses, 3 at $600	$1,800 00	
Resident Internes, 5 at $480	2,400 00	
Hospital Helpers (Practical Nurses), 25 at $480	12,000 00	
Hospital Helpers (Ward Maids), 12 at $240	2,880 00	
Hospital Helpers (Orderlies), 6 at $360	2,160 00	
Hospital Helpers (Elevator Operators), 3 at $240	720 00	
		$21,960 00
General help to take care of increased census due to the opening of new buildings:		
Hospital Helpers (Maids and Waitresses, Staff House and Nurses), 6 at $240	$1,440 00	
Hospital Helpers (Laundry Worwers), 4 at $240	960 00	
Hospital Helpers (General Cleaners), 2 at $240	480 00	
Hospital Helpers (Kitchen Help), 3 at $240	720 00	
		$3,600 00
Total for one year		$34,890 00
Total for seven months		20,352 50

Metropolitan Hospital.

New Wing of East Tuberculosis Infirmary.

Hospital Helpers (Attendants), 10 at $420	$4,200 00	
Hospital Helpers (Orderlies and Maids), 15 at $240	3,600 00	
Hospital Helpers (for detention and observation ward, main building annex), 5 at $240	1,200 00	
Total for year	$9,000 00	
Total for seven months		$5,250 00
		$25,602 50

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 505.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, April 14, 1914.

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

Dear Sir—Application is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of $34,000 for the rehabilitation and refurnishing of additional parts of the City Hall.

The estimated cost of the work has been conservatively placed at $48,500, and as there remains on hand an unexpended balance of $14,510 from a revenue bond issue of last year, I would respectfully request that the resolution adopted by your Honorable Board under date of October 2, 1913, be modified by extending the time for the expenditure of the funds until December 31, 1914. This will make the existing balance available for the work this year, which, added to the new issue above requested, will provide sufficient funds for the work contemplated.

Yours very truly, MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

Nos. 196, 342 and 363—(G. O. No. 182).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 27, March 3 and 10, 1914 (Minutes, pages 283, 805 and 855), certain papers known as Introductory Nos. 196, 342 and 363, respectfully

REPORTS:

That in regard to 196, being a resolution relating to certain claims for services, the Corporation Counsel has rendered an opinion that this Board has no power to legislate in this matter, which opinion is hereto attached.

No. 342 is withdrawn by the introducer.

No. 363, an application for revenue bonds for coal and janitorial wages for the Bureau of Licenses, requires no action, as the Borough President of Manhattan will take care of this service until June 30, 1914, when this office will move to the Municipal Building.

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

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

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, March 30, 1914.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, Chairman, Committee on Finance:

Sir—I have received your letter dated March 19, 1914, which reads as follows:

"Will you kindly advise me if proposed ordinance, No. 196, of which I enclose a copy, will have any force or effect if enacted by the Board of Aldermen? I believe this matter has been presented to the Law and Adjustment Division of the Finance Department and rejected there as being a claim that cannot be considered legally. Assuming this to be so, it is suggested that the proper method of presentation is to the Board of Estimate under section 246 of the Charter. May I ask your consideration in advising me as to this at your early convenience? I make this inquiry by direction of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen."

Proposed ordinance No. 196, a copy of which is enclosed in your communication, reads as follows:

"AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York to inquire into, audit and cause the payment of the claims of Antonio M. Caridi, Theodore Palumbo, Frank P. Bruno and Alfred Bertoncini for services rendered to the said City.

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

"Section 1. That the claims of Antonio M. Caridi and Theodore Palumbo, former Interpreters in the Italian language and dialects in the Municipal Court of The City of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, and Frank V. Bruno and Alfred Bertoncini, former Interpreters in the Italian language and dialects in the Magistrates' Court of The City of New York, Second Division, or of either of them, for work, labor and services rendered to the said City in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, and while filling said positions of Interpreters in the Italian language and dialects, may be presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York within six months after this ordinance takes effect, and such Board may, and is hereby empowered, in its discretion, to inquire into, hear and determine all or either of such claims so presented, and to audit and allow the same or either of them, with interest, or any part of either of such claims, to the extent that the same may be found reasonable and just. In case such Board shall allow all or either of such claims, it shall forthwith certify to the Comptroller of said City the amount allowed to each claimant. The Comptroller of said City is hereby authorized and directed to raise such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to pay any such claim or such part of either as may be audited and allowed by said Board as hereinbefore provided, by the issuance and sale of certificates of indebtedness of said City, and to apply the proceeds thereof in payment of the amount so audited and allowed.

"Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately."

The Legislature has not, by the City Charter or otherwise, conferred upon the Board of Aldermen power to authorize the Board of Estimate and Apportionment "in its discretion to inquire into, hear and determine all or either of such claims so presented and to audit and allow the same or either of them, with interest on any part of either of such claims to the extent that the same may be found reasonable and just," as provided by the proposed ordinance.

The Comptroller may pay legal claims under section 149 of the Charter.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has jurisdiction to authorize the Comptroller to pay illegal or invalid claims against the City under section 246 of the Charter, upon certification to them by the Comptroller that the claim presented is equitable and the City has received a benefit from the service rendered.

People ex rel. Dady vs. The City, 203 N. Y. 1.

It was said in People ex rel. O'Brien vs. Butler, 120 App. Div. 751, 753:

"The department of finance has control of the fiscal concerns of the City, and all payments by or on its behalf, unless otherwise specifically provided, must be made through the proper disbursing officers of such department, and on vouchers filed therein, and by means of warrants drawn on the chamberlain by the comptroller and countersigned by the mayor. * * *

"The general scheme of the charter is that all claims against the city, unless provision be otherwise made, must first be audited by the auditors of the comptroller's office, and when so audited, a warrant is to be drawn upon the chamberlain, signed by the comptroller and countersigned by the mayor."

It was said in McGinness vs. Mayor, 26 Hun., 142:

"The power to settle and adjust claims and demands against the city is not vested in the common council. * * *

"As a co-ordinate branch of the city government the powers and duties of the common council are clearly defined and expressed in the charter. The council derives its power from the charter, as do all the other departments of the city government. It is not given to them by their own resolution to adjust and settle disputed claims against the city, nor to determine what caims shall or shall not be paid, nor what amount shall be paid on claims which the department of finance rejects. In this case it is alleged that the plaintiff's claim had twice been presented for payment to the comptroller and twice refused or rejected. The law recognizes but one mode of establishing the claim after such rejection, and that clearly is not by resorting to the common council and obtaining the passage of an arbitrary resolution ordering the comptroller to pay and charge any designated fund. * * *

"The plaintiff may have a good cause of action; if so, he must prove it in the ordinary mode. * * *"

I advise you that, if enacted, the proposed ordinance No. 196 will have no legal force and effect.

In reaching this conclusion, I have given careful consideration to the provisions of the "Home Rule Bill" (chapter 247, Laws of 1913), and am of opinion that thereby the power to legislate upon the subject embraced in this ordinance was not conferred upon the Board of Aldermen. Respectfully yours,

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

Which was laid over.

No. 215—(S. O. No. 22).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 3, 1914 (Minutes, page 417), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Richmond for $1,000 special revenue bonds for repairs to a retaining wall, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee was in doubt as to whether the City should do this work or the expense be borne by the abutting property owner. The Corporation Counsel was appealed to and his decision is given in an opinion, copy of which is annexed hereto. In accordance with the terms of said opinion the Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand dollars ($1,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of making necessary repairs to a retaining wall on the north side of Castleton ave., near Kissel ave., at the brook which crosses Castleton ave. at this point.

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

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

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, January 29, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—I beg to submit herewith a request for an issue of $1,000 in special revenue bonds to repair damages to a retaining wall, caused by the storm of October 1, 1913.

The accompanying letter from the Commissioner of Public Works explains the necessity and urgency of this appropriation.

My predecessor asked for $10,000 on October 11, 1913, in a letter to the Board of Aldermen. This covered certain indefinite damages, and was denied. In this case, however, we ask for a definite amount for a specific purpose.

Very respectfully, C. J. McCORMACK, President of the Borough.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, January 29, 1914.

The President of the Borough of Richmond, New Brighton, N. Y.:

Sir—The heavy storm of October 1, 1913, caused a serious damage to the retaining wall on the north side of Castleton ave., near Kissel ave., at the brook which crosses Castleton ave. at this point. This brook overflowed its banks at the divisional wall at the westerly line of the Snug Harbor property and followed the wall to Castleton ave., where it attained a width of twenty feet. It tore out the sidewalk at this point, crossed the road and seriously damaged the driveway into St. Vincent's Hospital, tore out the sidewalk and gutter on Castleton ave. for about 100 feet and threw over the retaining wall and a portion of the culvert under the street.

A survey shows that the cost of restoring the retaining wall, culvert, sidewalk and gutter on the north side of the street will cost about $1,000, by utilizing such good material as remains in wall and sidewalk.

In a similar case, about 14 years ago, the City replaced the wall and sidewalk at its own expense, the wall being considered necessary for holding up the street.

This is a proper City charge. It was not in the request for Budget moneys for 1914, the storm occurring after the departmental estimates were presented to the Board of Estimate.

So it is recommended that the necessary steps be taken to request the Board of Aldermen to provide for an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of $1,000 for repairing this damage.

This is an urgent matter, requiring prompt action, as the condition of the street is dangerous. Very respectfully,

(Signed) LEWIS NIXON, Commissioner.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, March 30th, 1914.

Hon. CHARLES J. McCORMACK, President, Borough of Richmond:

Sir—I have received your communication of March 12th, 1914, which, in part reads as follows:

"Alderman Curran, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, has before him my request for the issuing of $1,000 special revenue bonds for the purpose of repairing the damage done to a retaining wall, sidewalk and gutter on the north side of Castleton ave., opposite Kissel ave., West New Brighton. He is desirous of obtaining your opinion as to the legality of the City's paying for the repairs in question, and as we are familiar with the details of the matter, we have offered to request an opinion from you.

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"It appears that the wall in question is standing inside of the property line of the St. Vincent's Hospital, and the question arises whether it is the duty of the City to replace this retaining wall, fill in the sidewalk and restore the street to its original condition.

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"The condition here is a dangerous one * * *. Application was made to the Board of Aldermen in November, 1913, for money to make these repairs, but was disallowed by it. Mr. Curran stated the other day at a hearing before his committee, that if this were a proper City charge according to your opinion, he considered it was a repair which The City of New York should make. The Examiners in the Department of Finance are inclined to the belief that as the retaining wall is on the property of the St. Vincent's Hospital, it should be repaired by them and the damage to the street made good, though there is no evidence to show that they were in any way responsible for the occurrence.

"We are of the opinion that while the property owner on the southerly side of the street being responsible for this damage may be held liable by the City for the cost of repairing this street, yet it is the duty of the City, first, to put this street in its former safe condition.

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"Your advice in this matter will be appreciated."

From the papers before me and from information received from your office, it appears that several years ago there existed a water course which flowed through property of the Sailors' Snug Harbor until it reached a point in a stone wall about 130 feet south of Castleton ave. and 116 feet east of Kissel ave., thence through an opening in such wall and through land laying between the Harbor wall and Kissel ave. to and through a brick culvert under Castleton ave., then continued, draining the hills and territory north of Castleton ave., and emptied into the Kill von Kull. This watercourse drained surrounding hills and territory south of Castleton ave. and was always sufficient for that purpose. Several years ago immediately prior to a sale of said property between the Harbor wall and Kissel ave. by Jere Johnson's Sons, there was substituted for this water course a 24-inch pipe, laid diagonally across the land between Kissel ave. and the Sailors' Snug Harbor property, by the property owners, which commenced at the wall of the Harbor property, and emptied into the culvert, 20 square feet in area, then and theretofore existing under Castleton ave. The area of the substituted pipe was only 3 square feet. The open space in the wall, which was of an area of 18 square feet, was filled in with masonry, excepting the space necessary for the 24-inch pipe, and the water course also was filled in. The pipe drain was, at the time of its construction, and ever since has been, totally inadequate to drain the surrounding hills and territory. When, therefore, any unusual rainfall occurs, or the spring freshets start in, the water, instead of having its old and proper outlet by way of the brook, mostly runs along the easterly side of the Harbor wall to and upon Castleton ave. and, meeting the water coming westerly down Castleton ave. and northerly down Kissel ave., form a flood which the receiving culverts cannot take care of. This, it seems, has been the situation for several years.

On October 1, 1913, when an unusually heavy rainfall occurred, the water ran along the Harbor wall, and, pouring over Castleton ave. to its northerly side, tore away a portion of the street, sidewalk and retaining wall. The damage in Castleton ave. and to the Hospital property was apparently due to the fact of the inadequacy of the 24-inch pipe to carry the water from the surrounding property into the Castleton ave. brick culvert.

So long as the condition above indicated is allowed to continue, there will, of course, be the probability of injuries to persons and also of further injury to property, for all of which the City may have to respond in damages. In order to obviate these untoward consequences, and irrespective of the question as to where rests the legal liability for the original damage, it is my opinion that the City should immediately restore the retaining wall, sidewalk and gutter to their former safe condition. Later and in some appropriate proceeding may be taken up the matter of the responsibility in the premises of the property owner on the southerly side of the street.

Respectfully yours, FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

Which was laid over.

No. 447—(S. O. No. 23).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1036), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for $35,000 special revenue bonds for repair of bridge over railroad tracks at E. 153d st., between Park ave. and Sheridan ave., respectfully

REPORTS:

That the action taken in this matter to date is fully set forth in the letter of application and accompanying papers. A bridge is an undoubted necessity at this point and the proposed repairs cannot be made at too early a date. The Consulting Engineer assured the Committee that the estimate submitted had been checked by the Engineers of the Finance Department. The Corporation Counsel has advised the borough authorities to proceed with the work.

The committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of making repairs to bridge over tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company at E. 153d st., between Park ave. and Sheridan ave., Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third avenue and 177th street, office of the President, March 25, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City.

Dear Sir: The bridge across the tracks and yard of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company at E. 153d st. is in a very bad condition and has been closed to traffic for several months because its use would be liable to give rise to a serious accident at any moment.

Many of the truss members, as well as the floor system, has been seriously injured by corrosion. It is desired to replace such members and restore the structure to substantially its original condition.

On account of the great number of continually used railroad tracks under the two easterly spans, which spans are in most urgent need of repair, it is believed that it will be exceedingly expensive, if not entirely impracticable, to repair these spans in place, and the following estimated cost contemplates taking down and reconstructing the trusses:

Steel, 261,000 lbs., at $0.10	$26,100
Cleaning and painting	3,000
	$29,100
Engineering and contingencies, 15%	4,365
	$33,465

The exact condition of the structure and the extent to which repairs will be necessary will be developed only in the course of the work of restoring it, and I would therefore recommend that the Board of Aldermen adopt a resolution recommending that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000), to be applied to the restoration of this bridge to its original condition.

This bridge was built under the terms of a special act, known as Chapter 650 of the Laws of 1897, which authorized the Commissioner of Street Improvements to construct a bridge and approaches in accordance with plans to be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the entire cost of construction to be defrayed by bonds or stock of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, the Commissioner being authorized to acquire any easement, right of way, over, under or through, any land that might be required by law for the purposes of this act; the costs of same to be paid out of the fund for street and park openings. No provision was made for the maintenance of the bridge.

In accordance with advice from the acting Corporation Counsel, dated September 26, 1913, notice was served upon the railroad company to repair the bridge. The company disclaimed responsibility, and in further compliance with the advice of the Corporation Counsel it is desired to proceed with the work, and the city can then make claim against the railroad company.

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the opinion of the Acting Corporation Counsel, together with a copy of the form of notice served upon the railroad company, and copies of letters received from the railroad company in response to such service.

In view of its urgency I would request that immediate attention be given this matter. Yours very truly,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President of the Borough of The Bronx,

(Copy.)

New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co., New York, October 9, 1913.

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d ave. and 177th st., New York City:

Dear Sir—I have your letter of October 3d, which was served upon Mr. D. W. Pardee, Secretary of this company, at 4.40 P. M. on October 9th, in regard to the condition of the bridge crossing the tracks in the yard of this company at E. 153d st., between Park ave. and Sheridan ave., Borough of The Bronx.

I attach for your information copy of a letter I wrote to you on July 21st, 1913, on this same subject, and I beg to state that our opinion to-day is the same as our opinion at the time that letter was written. Yours respectfully,

GEO. W. KITTRIDGE, Chief Engineer.

(Copy.)

Law Department, Office of Corporation Counsel, September 26, 1913.

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of a communication from Acting President Whittle making inquiry as to the matter of having the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company repair the bridge across the tracks and yard of the railroad at 153d st. and informing me that the railroad company has done nothing toward making the repairs.

The railroad claims that as the city built the bridge under a special act of the Legislature it is under no legal obligation to make the repairs.

Irrespective of how the cost will ultimately be paid, it is of course important that the bridge be repaired and opened for traffic.

I advise you therefore to serve a final notice upon the New York Central Railroad Company and also upon the New York and Harlem Railroad Company substantially in the form enclosed herewith and have affidavit made of the service of such notice on one of the officers of each company.

If the repairs be not then made it will be necessary for the city to proceed with the work and make claim against the railroad companies for the amount expended.

Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

(Copy.)

New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co., July 21, 1913.

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, President Borough of The Bronx, 177th st. and 3d ave., New York:

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of July 2d, enclosing a copy of opinion of Acting Corporation Counsel Louis H. Hahlo in regard to the maintenance of the bridge across the New York Central Railroad Co.'s tracks and yard at 153d st., Borough of The Bronx.

Our position as to the maintenance of this structure is the same as set forth in my letter of June 11th. The statement in the Acting Corporation Counsel's letter that this bridge was built under the agreement between the Department of Parks and the railroad company, executed June 11, 1888, is incorrect. The structure was authorized and built pursuant to a special act of the Legislature by and wholly at the expense of the city, and therefore it is not a bridge governed by the provisions of the contract of 1888 nor by the provisions of the railroad law. Respectfully yours,

GEO. W. KITTREDGE, Chief Engineer.

(Copy.)

To New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company and New York & Harlem Railroad Company:

You will please take notice that the bridge crossing the tracks and yard of your railroad at E. 153d st., between Park ave. and Sheridan ave., Borough of The Bronx, is in a dangerous condition and in neeed of immediate repair. This condition has necessitated the closing of the bridge to traffic.

This condition has existed for over three months.

You are accordingly required to place same in repair without delay.

In case of your failure to repair said bridge so that it may be opened for traffic or commence the repair work thereon within thirty days from date I shall proceed with the work and charge the cost thereof to you. Respectfully,

....., President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was laid over.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

No. 506.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to his office, the Clerk of the County of the Bronx may by requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum, not exceeding one hundred ($100). dollars, and may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation, set apart for his office during the year 1914, viz.: Supplies—Code No. 3251—A R. C. K. 401—A; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller, by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the Clerk of the County of the Bronx, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Which was temporarily laid over. Subsequently, there being no objection, the President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cole, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore, (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edward W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 456—(S. O. No. 24).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1047), the annexed request from the Park Commisioner of Manhattan and Richmond for $2,500 Special Revenue Bonds for the purchase of an automobile, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this application are set forth in the letter of request. It appears that the second hand car purchased two years ago by the former Commissioner was of such high power that it has racked itself to such an extent as to be no longer profitable to repair. The demands on the Commissioner as President of the Park Board make an auto an absolute necessity to meet his engagements, and he has no money available within his appropriation.

The committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Park Commissioner for Manhattan and Richmond for the purpose of purchasing an automobile. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

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

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, March 30, 1914.

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

Dear Sir—On February 16th I asked for the authorization of your Board to obtain an automobile for the use of this Department, to be purchased in the open market without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $2,500. This matter was referred to the Committee on Public Letting without having first passed through the Finance Committee, and at the hearing yesterday I understand that the Committee on Public Letting is disposed to grant the necessary authority to purchase, provided the Finance Committee will arrange for the funds necessary through the issue of revenue bonds or otherwise, for such purchase.

As the need is urgent, in view of the fact that the only automobile now at the disposition of the Commissioner, the Landscape Architect and the Chief Engineer is out of commission and has been so for nearly ten days, and is beyond possibility of repair within the funds at the disposition of this Department, I trust that immediate action may be taken by the Finance Committee so as to permit the purchase of this automobile. Yours very truly,

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was laid over.

No. 458.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1048), the annexed request from the County Clerk of Queens County for an issue of $750 special revenue bonds to meet expenses of moving into temporary quarters and retransfer into permanent offices, respectfully

REPORTS.

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary. The reasons herefor are set forth in the accompanying letters. The Committee believes that the estimate is a reasonable one and that the money should be provided.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750), the proceeds whereof to be used by the County Clerk of Queens County for the purpose of meeting expenses of moving office of County Clerk of Queens County to temporary quarters, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

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

Queens County Clerk's Office, Jamaica, N. Y., March 30, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—Application is hereby made for an issuance of special revenue bonds, under subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter of The City of New York, for the sum of $750, the proceeds of which are to be used to defray the expenses of moving this office to temporary quarters assigned on the same street. In order to remove furniture and fixtures so as to allow the contractors to proceed with their work under the contract for altering and reconstructing this building it will be necessary to spend at least $500 for the removing of partitions, shelving, bookcases, etc., and reconstructing them in the temporary quarters. In addition to that the several metal cases, cabinets and so on will have to be moved and electric lights will have to be installed. The additional expense has been estimated at an amount not to exceed $250.

I have received estimates for the carpenter work, and $500 is the figure for the lowest estimate.

Will you please give this your early consideration, so that I may be prepared to have the work done, so as not to delay any longer the work of reconstruction of this building. Yours very respectfully, LEONARD RUOFF, County Clerk.

Queens County Clerk's Office, Jamaica, N. Y., April 3rd, 1914.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—The application made by this office for an issue of special revenue bonds for $750, the proceeds of which are to be used to defray the expenses of moving the furniture and fixtures in this office to temporary quarters provided by the Sinking Fund Commission at No. 358 Fulton st., Jamaica, N. Y., was referred to your Committee at the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen, and as I understand it, will be heard by your Committee on Monday next, and owing to an engagement which I have previously made at Albany, both my Chief Clerk and myself will have to be there at that time, owing to some legislation relative to this office. I therefore give you in writing the facts connected with the above application.

Some time ago an appropriation was made for the reconstruction of this building, and contracts were given out. The contractors are ready to proceed with the work, but in order to do so it will first be necessary for part of this office to be removed. An application was made by the Sinking Fund Commission to lease premises at 358 Fulton st., Jamaica, and the various fixtures, furniture, desks, safe, etc., will have to be removed and the fixtures will have to be installed in temporary quarters. These fixtures consist of counter, shelving, book racks, book cases, filing cases and such other fixtures as are necessary for the transaction of business.

The lowest estimate which I have received to do the carpenter work alone is $500 and the balance I expect to use for the removing of the steel cabinets and safe and the reconstructing of fixtures, etc., in temporary quarters.

Will you kindly give this matter your earliest and favorable consideration, as I am very anxious to have this matter of moving taken up, so that the contractors can get at this building and have it properly enclosed before cold weather.

Thanking you in advance, I remain, yours very truly,

LEONARD RUOFF, County Clerk.

Queens County Clerk's Office, Jamaica, N. Y., April 7th, 1914.

The Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—Enclosed herewith you will please find statement in detail giving the items to make up the $750 asked for as an issue of special revenue bonds for the purpose of moving to the temporary quarters assigned for this office.

These items are the lowest estimates that I could obtain for the work.

Yours very truly, LEONARD RUOFF, County Clerk.

Statement of Items of Expense for Removing County Clerk's Office from Present Quarters to Temporary Quarters, the Expenses for Removing to Be Paid for Out of an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, Under Chapter 188 of the Charter of The City of New York, for the Amount of $750.

Carpenter work, removing partitions, wooden desks, shelving, platform, reinstalling same in temporary quarters, furnishing additional lumber and do each and every thing necessary and requisite to the needs of the office	$500 00
Taking apart, removing, reconstructing steel desks, cabinets, filing cases, safe, etc., and general moving of furniture	100 00
Installing electric lights	50 00
Installing interior or office telephone	15 00
Locksmithing, placing locks on all doors, cabinets, etc., now in temporary quarters	25 00
Repairing vault in temporary quarters	15 00
Incidentals	45 00
Making a total of	$750 00

Alderman Kochendorfer moved the adoption of this resolution.

There being no objection, the President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 460—(S. O. No. 25).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1050), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $11,370 special revenue bonds, reduced by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from $14,295, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held March 27, 1914:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 17, 1914, as follows:

"That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of fourteen thousand two hundred and ninety-five dollars ($14,295), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the purposes of paying salaries and wages in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, as follows:

"County Court House.

Male Attendant, $900 per annum (11 months)	$825 00
2 Watchmen at $2.50 per day (334 days)	1,670 00
13 Laborers at $2.50 per day (286 days)	9,295 00
	$11,790 00

"Court of Special Sessions.

Watchman at $2.50 per day (334 days)	$835 00
2 Laborers at $2.50 per day (334 days)	1,670 00
	$2,505 00
	$14,295 00"

—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the extent of eleven thousand three hundred and seventy dollars ($11,370), as follows:

County Court House.

Male Attendant at $900 per annum (10 months)	$750 00
Female Attendant at $600 per annum (10 months)	500 00
Watchman, 2 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	1,530 00
Cleaners, 8 at $600 per annum (10 months)	4,000 00
Engineer, 1 at $4.50 per day (306 days)	1,377 00
Fireman, 1 at $3 per day (306 days)	918 00
	$9,075 00

Court of Special Sessions.

Watchman, 1 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	$765 00
Laborers, 2 at $2.50 per day (306 days)	1,530 00
	$2,295 00
Total	$11,370 00

—and for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding eleven thousand three hundred and seventy dollars ($11,370), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue, *and provided that the Board of Aldermen concur in the modification of the distribution as stated herein.*

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

Which was laid over.

No. 461—(S. O. No. 26).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1052), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $3,025 special revenue bonds, reduced by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from $3,400, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held March 27, 1914:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 17, 1914, as follows:

"Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of three thousand four hundred dollars ($3,400), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Surrogate of Queens County for the purpose of providing means for moving office furniture and records to temporary quarters and for proper custody of same, as follows: Carpenter work, $500; expense of moving, $600; 2 Watchmen at $2.50 per day, 8 months, $1,050; 2 Custodians at $3 per day, 8 months, $1,250; total, $3,400."

—be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the extent tof three thousand and twenty-five dollars ($3,025) for the following purposes:

Contract or Open Order Service.

Moving records and furniture to temporary quarters, returning of same to permanent quarters and for expenses incident thereto	$625 00

Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.

Laborer, Custodians and Watchmen, 4, at $2.50 per day (8 months each)	2,400 00
	$3,025 00

—and that the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of three thousand and twenty-five dollars ($3,025), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Surrogate of Queens County for the purposes as stated herein, *provided that the Board of Aldermen concur in the modification of purposes as above set forth.*

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

Which was laid over.

No. 449 (G. O. No. 183).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1043), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $50,000 corporate stock for improving environs of the College of The City of New York, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary in order to properly lay out this property for the erection of a stadium donated to the City by one of its public spirited citizens. It therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), to provide means for improving the grounds assigned to the College of The City of New York and located at Convent and Amsterdam aves., between 136th and 138th sts.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 20, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), to provide means for improving the grounds assigned to the College of The City of New York, and located at Convent and Amsterdam aves., between 136th and 138th sts., upon which the Lewisohn stadium is to be erected, and for equipping the pavilions of the stadium with shower baths and toilets, said improvement of site to include the removal of earth and rock, the drainage of the field, the excavation of trenches and other work necessary to make the field ready for use, also for building a retaining wall upon which to place the fence, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

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

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

Which was laid over.

No. 450 (G. O. No. 184).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1044), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $250,000 corporate stock for new court house, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this improvement has been heretofore regularly authorized by the proper City authorities and a partial appropriation allowed. This amount is towards the construction of the building proper, and must be supplemented by an additional sum when exhausted. The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000), to provide additional means for the construction and equipment of a new County Court House at New Brighton, in the Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 20, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000), to provide additional means for the construction and equipment of a new County Court House at New Brighton, in the Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

Estimate and Apportionment and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

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

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

Which was laid over.

No. 459 (G. O. No. 185).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1048), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $37,500 corporate stock for renovating First District Municipal Court House, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it is proposed to remodel an old school building at Grand and Lafayette sts. for the use of this court. This will give the court approximately double the space it now occupies and release certain space in the Jefferson Market Building. The annual cost will be about the same to the City. (See report of Corporate Stock Budget Committee, page 1049.)

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars ($37,500) to provide means for the reconstruction and equipment of the interior of the court house of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, First District, situated at the northwest corner of Grand and Lafayette sts., Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 27, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars ($37,500), to provide means for the reconstruction and equipment of the interior of the court house of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, First District, situated at the northwest corner of Grand and Lafayette sts., Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds therefor to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

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

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

Which was laid over.

No. 468 (G. O. No. 186).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1121), the annexed resolution in favor of certifying to the Comptroller for payment bills for treatment of injuries to Owen Eagan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed certification to be one which in justice to this employee should be made. The entire City is familiar with the dastardly crime which led to the wounds incurred by this courageous Inspector, and no one can possibly cavil at his expenses being paid by the City funds.

The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 887 of the Laws of 1911, the Board of Aldermen hereby certifies to the Comptroller for payment, as charges against The City of New York, for medical and surgical treatment, medicines, bandages, etc., rendered and furnished to Owen Eagan, an Assistant Inspector of Combustibles in the Fire Department of The City of New York, during the months of March, April, May and June, 1912, while suffering from injuries sustained in the performance of his official duties in the handling of an explosive sent to the home of a Judge of the Court of General Sessions, two bills, as follows: Dr. John D. Cooney, $268; Eimer & Amend, $22.50—$290.50).

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

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 442 (G. O. No. 187).

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 1030), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing a municipal expenditure on the occasion of the 250th anniversary of the appointment of the first Mayor of New York, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That inasmuch as this celebration could not be held until 1915, and no money has been appropriated for the same, the present resolution is at present unnecessary.

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

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the special committee of the Board of Aldermen, appointed for such purpose, be and hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract or contracts, without public letting, for work to be performed or materials to be supplied in connection with a celebration in 1915 of the 250th anniversary of the appointment of the first Mayor of the City of New York, to an amount not to exceed fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars.

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, JOHN McCANN, FRANK T. DIXSON, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK J DOTZLER, WILLIAM DUGGAN, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Public Letting.

Which was laid over.

No. 41 (S. O. No. 27).

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on January 5, 1914 (Minutes, page 37), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Queens for authority to purchase an asphalt mixing plant at a cost not to exceed $5,000, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes that the drawing of specifications for this purpose would be superfluous as the Departmental Engineer states that but one type of portable asphalt mixer is available.

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

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract without public letting for the acquisition of an asphalt mixing plant at a cost not to exceed five thousand dollars ($5,000).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, JOHN McCANN, FRANK T. DIXSON, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK J DOTZLER, WILLIAM DUGGAN, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, December 26, 1913.

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

Gentlemen—The Budget for 1914 provides funds for the acquisition by this Department of an asphalt mixing plant, the estimated cost of which is about $5,000. Investigations have been made by the Bureau of Highways and several plants have been considered. It is my judgment that it will be difficult to draw a specification which will permit of the securing of the best type of machinery by competitive bidding.

I, therefore, respectfully request that your Board approve a resolution in accordance with section 419 of the Greater New York Charter to permit this office to acquire an asphalt mixing plant without public letting. Respectfully,

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

Which was laid over.

No. 273 (S. O. No. 28).

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 499), the annexed request from the Park Commissioner of Manhattan and Richmond for authority to purchase a tree spraying machine, without public letting, at a cost of $1,300, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this request are fully set forth in the letter of application. Under the circumstances recited therein there can be no advantage in advertising.

It recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the purchase of a high-power tree spraying machine at a cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, JOHN McCANN, FRANK T. DIXSON, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK J DOTZLER, WILLIAM DUGGAN, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, February 13, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request that your Honorable Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, give this Department authority to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the purchase of a high-power tree spraying machine for use in the parks in the Borough of Manhattan.

The machine which it is desired to purchase is a special type made only by the Fitzhenry Guptill Company, of Boston, costing $1,300. The machine is patented by that company, and for that reason it will be impossible to get competitive bids, as there is no other machine of this type manufactured

The present tree spraying outfit owned by this Department consists of four small low-powered spraying machines which are inadequate for the work of the Department. These machines cost approximately $750. It is desired to increase the outfit by adding one high-powered machine instead of two or more of the low-powered machines, as the high-powered machine has a capacity for work equal to four of the smaller low-powered type. The extra machine is very badly needed and is required for use this spring.

Your immediate action on this matter is, therefore, respectfully solicited, in order that due provision may be made for the spring work Respectfully,

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

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, March 30, 1914.

Hon. JOHN DIEMER, Chairman, Committee on Public Letting, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

My Dear Mr. Diemer—Since the hearing yesterday, I find that there is a fund from which the tree spraying machines, manufactured by the Fitx-Henry Guptel Company, of Boston, costing $1,300, can be purchased at once, so that the only thing necessary on that will be your immediate authorization to make such purchase without public letting.

In the case of the automobile, it will be necessary for funds to be provided in some way by the Finance Committee, and the Honorable Board of Aldermen is being addressed with a view to securing the necessary funds.

Yours very truly, CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was laid over.

No. 304—(S. O. No. 29).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 661), the annexed request from the Department of Public Charities for authority to purchase trees, shrubs, etc., without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $4,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having carefully examined the subject, it believes the statements made in the letter of application to be correct and that infinitely better results can be obtained by direct purchase.

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

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the purchase of trees, shrubbery, privet and other agricultural and botanical supplies, at a cost not to exceed four thousand dollars ($4,000).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, JOHN McCANN, FRANK T. DIXSON, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK J. DOTZLER, WILLIAM DUGGAN, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, foot of E. 26th St., February 19, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—We would respectfully request permission to purchase in the open market trees, shrubbery, privet and other agricultural and botanical supplies, Code No 1996, which appropriation has been granted to this Department not to exceed the sum of $4,000.

This request is made for the reason that during the year 1912 this Department purchased these items upon specification, and the results were not satisfactory. In an effort to remedy this condition, the Department of Parks was consulted as to their specifications, and it was ascertained that such items as trees, shrubbery, privet, etc., were purchased in the open market, this privilege having been granted to them under section 618 of the Charter, and it has been their experience that the best results can never be obtained by specification. This same privilege of purchasing in the open market was granted by this Department last year by the preceding Board of Aldermen, and I trust that the same will be done this year, as I believe the best results can be obtained in this way. Respectfully yours,

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 446—(S. O. No. 30).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1035), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to contract with Columbia University for testing electric meters at a cost of $1,500, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is an annual grant and has inured not only to the benefit of the City, but to the other interests involved. No possible advantage could be obtained by advertisement.

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

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electrictiy be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract, without public letting, with the Trustees of Columbia University for testing electric meters at an expenditure of fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, JOHN McCANN, FRANK T. DIXSON, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK J. DOTZLER, WILLIAM DUGGAN, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, New York, March 24, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—This Department for several years past has had a contract with Columbia University by which the Department can obtain the services of the University Laboratory in testing electric meters for private consumers, in order to check the charges of the companies and also for testing electrical appliances submitted for use in electrical installations throughout The City of New York; further, for testing lighting apparatus for the City.

This contract enables the Department to obtain the services of an impartial referee with only academic affiliations in matters which are apt to cause dispute and possible contentions between the manufacturing and contracting interests and this Department.

Advertising for bids in this case would not prove beneficial to the City. I would therefore apply for permission to let this contract without public letting. This has been the procedure for several years past, and the Board of Aldermen has acceded to our request in each instance.

The amount of the fee we pay the University is $1,500. A copy of the proposed form of contract is forwarded with this letter.

I am, very truly yours, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 285—(G. O. No. 188).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed resolution requesting heads of City departments to be lenient with per diem employees who were late in reporting for work on February 14, 1914, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this matter having already received the consideration of departmental authorities, it recommends that the said resolution be filed.

Resolved, That the Executive Heads of the various Departments and Bureaus of The City of New York, including the Department of Education, shall make no deduction from the salary of per diem employees who may be employed in the various departments of The City of New York by reason of the fact that such per diem employees were delayed in getting to work on the 14th day of February, 1914, providing such delay was caused by such per diem employees being unavoidably detained by reason of the severe snow storm on said date and the tying up of the railroads.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 381—(G. O. No. 189).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 868), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of Deputy Commissioners, Department of Street Cleaning, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having carefully examined the subject, it believes that another deputy is needed at headquarters to relieve the Commissioner of the care of much detail which now requires his attention to the detriment of the manifold questions of importance which constantly arise, and it, therefore, recommends that the position of Deputy Commissioner (Main Office), at $6,000 per annum, be approved.

It does not seem to the Committee that the position of Deputy Commissioner in The Bronx carries with it any less responsibility than such offices in Manhattan and Brooklyn, whose incumbents receive $5,000 per annum, and it, therefore, recommends that so much of the resolution as relates to the Deputy Commissioner (Borough of The Bronx) be rejected.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in so much of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 13th, 1914, in relation to the establishment in the Department of Street Cleaning of grades of positions in addition to those heretofore established, as relates to the following item—Deputy Commissioner (Main Office) for one incumbent with salary of six thousand dollars ($6,000) per annum—and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby rejects so much of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 13th, 1914, in relation to the establishment in the Department of Street Cleaning of grades of position in addition to those heretofore established, as relates to the following item—Deputy Commissioner (Borough of The Bronx) for one incumbent with salary at the rate of four thousand dollars ($4,000) per annum.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 423—(G. O. No. 190).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 942), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of Farm Superintendent, with maintenance at $1,800, and Farm Instructor, with maintenance at $900 per annum, Department of Public Charities, respectfully

REPORTS.

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed positions to be necessary to carry on the work contemplated by the Departmental authorities on the farm at New Hampton, N. Y. The attached communication from Commissioner Davis explains the matter more in detail.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held Marchm 20, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Farm Superintendent, with maintenance	$1,800 00	1
Farm Instructor, with maintenance	900 00	4

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

D. W. BEDELL, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., MICHAEL CARBERRY, HYMAN POUKER, ANTHONY J. McNALLY, JACOB WEIL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Department of Correction of The City of New York, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers St., New York, March 30, 1914.

To the Chairman, Committee on Salaries and Grades, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

My Dear Sir—I have received a notice of the meeting of the Commission on Salaries and Offices which will consider application of the Department of Correction for one Farm Superintendent at a salary of $1,800 per year and maintenance, and four Farm Instructors, at a salary of $900 per year to $1,200 per year, with maintenance, with an increase of $100 per year.

It is impossible for me to be present at the meeting, and, therefore, I desire to transmit to your honorable body the following information:

These officers are for the new farm at New Hampton which is connected with the New York City Reformatory for Male Misdemeanants at Harts Island. The salary of the Farm Superintendent has been provided for by a gift for the balance of the year; that of the Farm Instructors will be provided for by transfers within the departmental budget. If the farm colony is to be a success, it will be necessary to have in charge as Superintendent and Farm Instructors men who have received special training in agricultural methods and who can impart this instruction in a practical way These Instructors will take the place and make unnecessary the employment of Keepers who would otherwise be necessary and whose salaries would be equal to that of Farm Instructors. Very respectfully yours,

KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

Nos. 439 and 467—(G. O. No. 191).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 24 and 31, 1914 (Minutes, pages 1029 and 1121), the annexed resolutions in favor of appointing Julius L. Seward and Alexander Loewy as City Surveyors, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these applicants having filed the customary references as to character and ability it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed City Surveyors:

Julius L. Seward, of 55 Irving place, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Alexander Loewy, of 468 Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That Julius L. Seward, of 55 Irving place, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That Alexander Loewy, of 468 Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 462—(G. O. No. 192).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1054), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing the position of Assistant to the President of the Board of Aldermen and abolishing the position of Chief Examiner in the same office, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution is but a change of title to more clearly and effectively describe the duties performed by this officer. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 27, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Assistant to the President	$5,000 00	1

—and that the following grade of position in the office of the President of the Board of Aldermen be and is hereby abolished:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chief Examiner	$5,000 00	1

—the abolishment not to become effective until after the position of Assistant to the President has been exempted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of said position of Assistant to the President as set forth therein and agrees with the provision of said resolution abolishing the grade of position of Chief Examiner.

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

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on General Welfare—

Nos. 259, 268, 409 and 411 (G. O. No. 193).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on February 10 and March 17, 1914 (Minutes, pages 487, 490, 928 and 930), certain proposed ordinances known as Introductory Nos. 259, 268, 409 and 411, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Nos. 259, 409 and 411, which relate to pool and billiard parlors, have been withdrawn by their introducers; No. 268, an ordinance relative to ticket speculators requires no further consideration, the Committee having favored other ordinances.

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

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, JOHN J. REARDON, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 431 (G. O. No. 194).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 980), the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing a public employment bureau in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this proposed ordinance was forwarded by his Honor the Mayor with the letter hereto annexed, and was accompanied by a memorandum and report, which were printed on the date of introduction. City Chamberlain Bruere and Commissioners Kingsbury, Moskowitz and Bell appeared before the Committee and urged favorable action, and no opposition has developed. It has been found advisable to make a few minor changes, to conform with recent legislation at Albany.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a public employment bureau in the Department of Licenses.

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

Section 1. There shall be a Public Employment Bureau in and for The City of New York, attached to the Department of Licenses, with the principal office in the Borough of Manhattan, and a branch office in such other boroughs as may be deemed necessary and designated by the Commissioner of Licenses for the purpose of aiding unemployed persons in securing employment and employers of labor in securing employees, but no fee shall be charged by said Bureau, or any officer or employee thereof for such purpose.

Section 2. The employees of said Public Employment Bureau shall consist of such Assistants and Clerks as may be found necessary for properly carrying on the work of said Bureau, and they shall be appointed and removed by the Commissioner of Licenses in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed and established pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

Section 3. There shall be kept in the principal office of said Bureau and in each and every branch office thereof such system of records as may be necessary properly to record and classify, according to trade or profession, (1) all applicants for positions; (2) all positions to be filled as reported to said Bureau; (3) all persons sent to those seeking employees; (4) all such persons who secure employment, and (5) such other records as the Commissioner of Licenses deems necessary. A report of the transactions of each branch office shall be transmitted each day to the principal office of the Public Employment Bureau in the Borough of Manhattan.

Section 4. The Public Employment Bureau shall, in so far as it is feasible, cooperate with such employment bureaus or intelligence offices as now exist, or which are now or may hereafter be established and conducted by the United States or the State of New York.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a public employment Bureau in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses.

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

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as may be deemed necessary and designated by the Commissioner of Licenses for the purpose of aiding unemployed persons in securing employment and employers of labor in securing employees, but no fee shall be charged by said Bureau, or any officer or employee thereof for such purpose.

Section 2. The employees of said Public Employment Bureau shall consist of such Assistants and Clerks as may be found necessary for properly carrying on the work of said Bureau, and they shall be appointed and removed by the Commissioner of Licenses in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed and established pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, March 24, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Unemployment is a persistent problem. While it is not a function of government directly to provide employment for those out of work, the establishment of free labor agencies, where employers may obtain workers and the unemployed obtain work, is a well recognized governmental function.

America is far behind the European countries in the establishment of labor agencies. For a number of years past both England and Germany have had systems of free employment agencies. In America a few states have established agencies which are modeled after those in operation abroad. The results thus far appear to be satisfactory. Free agencies have also been introduced into a few American municipalities, and while in many cases they have proved their worth, in other instances, perhaps due to lack of aggressive management, the good results have not been commensurate with the money expended.

Soon after the present City administration took office the Mayor's attention was directed to the acute situation in this community with respect to unemployment. An experimental employment bureau was opened at No. 29 Lafayette st., Manhattan. The establishment of this bureau had the effect of directing the attention of the entire country to the subject of unemployment.

The City's experimental bureau began operation February 14, 1914. During the month of its operation it has found employment for 3,973 persons. I call your attention to a memorandum of the Committee on Unemployment attached hereto which makes the recommendation that the agency be made permanent. The report of Mr. Adolphus Ragan, who has been in immediate charge of the bureau, also attached, shows what has been accomplished.

I am submitting a suggested ordinance providing for the establishment of a public employment bureau in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses. I trust that your honorable body will give the matter your careful consideration, and if, in your judgment, this proposal is wise, that you will provide for the establishment of such an agency by ordinance.

Respectfully, JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Public Thoroughfares—

Nos. 362, 373 and 438 (G. O. 195).

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on March 10 and 24, 1914 (Minutes, pages 853, 861 and 1028), certain papers known as Introductory Nos. 362, 373 and 438, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these papers require no further consideration. No. 362 is an opinion from the Corporation Counsel on ordinance regulating width of tires. No. 373, recommending a bus service across Central Park, has been withdrawn by the introducer. No. 438, a proposed ordinance regulating processions and parades, has been withdrawn by the introducer.

The Committee therefore recommends that the said papers be ordered on file.

D. M. BEDELL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., FRANK MULLEN, F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, JAMES F. MULLEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Which was laid over.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 12 (Int. No. 303).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 660), the annexed request for $9,180 special revenue bonds for operation of new morgue, under Department of Public Charities, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the help asked for this purpose to be necessary. Inasmuch as the funds cannot well be furnished until May 1, the Committee has made the resolution so that it covers the necessary salaries from that date, and it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of six thousand one hundred and sixty dollars ($6,160), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Public Charities for the purpose of paying help for the new morgue, situated on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, from May 1 to December 31, 1914, as follows:

Assistant Morgue Keeper (day), at $600 per annum	$400 00
Clerk, at $720 per annum	480 00
Hearse service, Helper (day), at $480 per annum	320 00
Hearse service, Helper (night), at $480 per annum	320 00
Boat and dock service (day), at $600 per annum	400 00
Boat and dock service (day), at $480 per annum	320 00
Boat and dock service (night), 2 at $480 per annum	640 00
Elevator Attendant (day), 2 at $480 per annum	640 00
Elevator Attendant (night), at $480 per annum	320 00
To handle bodies (day), 2 at $600 per annum	800 00
To handle bodies (day), 2 at $480 per annum	640 00
To handle bodies (night), 2 at $480 per annum	640 00
Cleaner, at $360 per annum	240 00
	$6,160 00

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, foot of E. 26th St., February 21, 1914.

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

Dear Sir—We would respectfully request that special revenue bonds to the amount of $9,180 be issued to provide the necessary funds to pay the following help for the new Morgue situated on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital:

Functions.	Number.	Salary.	Total.
Morgue Keeper	1	$1,080 00	$1,080 00
Assistant Morgue Keeper (day)	1	600 00	600 00
Assistant Morgue Keeper (night)	1	600 00	600 00
Clerk	1	720 00	720 00
Hearse Service, Driver (day)	1	600 00	600 00
Hearse Service, Helper (day)	1	480 00	480 00
Hearse Service, Driver (night)	1	600 00	600 00
Hearse Service, Helper (night)	1	480 00	480 00
Boat and Dock Service (day)	1	600 00	600 00
	1	480 00	480 00
Boat and Dock Service (night)	2	480 00	960 00
Elevator Attendant, Basement to Ground Floor (day)	1	480 00	480 00
Elevator Attendant, Basement to Ground Floor (night)	1	480 00	480 00
Elevator Attendant to Chapel and to 29th St. Entrance	1	480 00	480 00
To Handle Bodies on Ground Floor (day)	2	600 00	1,200 00
	1	360 00	360 00
To Handle Bodies on Ground Floor (night)	2	480 00	960 00
To Handle Bodies, Second Floor (day)	2	480 00	960 00
Cleaners	1	360 00	360 00
	23		$12,480 00
Less the amount available for the present Morgue in the appropriation for 1914			3,300 00
			$9,180 00

This request is made because the present Morgue, located at the foot of E. 26th st. and which under the law is under the jurisdiction of this Department, is inadequate both in size and facilities.

The new Morgue, ample in capacity and splendidly equipped, has been constructed in connection with the Pathological Building at Bellevue Hospital.

We have not sufficient help to operate this new Morgue which the Trustees of Bellevue Hospital are willing to turn over to this Department with the approval of the Sinking Fund Commissioners. Should this money be granted and this new Morgue put in operation, the present Morgue—which is built on the pier just outside the bulkhead at the foot of E. 26th st.—can be demolished or used for other purposes.

Very truly yours, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Which, on motion of Alderman Squiers, was laid over until the next meeting.

No. 13 (Int. No. 417).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 937), the annexed request from the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library for $8,320 special revenue bonds for operation of two new branches, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. No Budget allowance was made for this purpose because it could not be determined at the time when these branches would be ready. The date is now fixed as the 1st of July. The amounts asked for seem to be reasonable, and the Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of eight thousand three hundred and twenty dollars ($8,320), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library for the purpose of operating two branch libraries, as follows:

Brownsville Children's Library	$4,430 00
Eastern Parkway Branch	3,890 00
	$8,320 00

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

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Brooklyn Public Library, 26 Brevoort Place, March 20, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In accordance with the custom the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library made application on December 19 to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropriation of $8,320, to be used for the operation of two new branches (Eastern Parkway and Brownsville Children's Library), in connection with the library system.

Under date of March 6 the Board of Estimate and Apportionment passed the following resolution:

"At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held March 6, 1914, a report was presented from the Comptroller relative to the request of the President of the Brooklyn Public Library for an appropriation of $8,320, to be used for the operation of two new branch libraries, and recommending that provision for this purpose should be made by transfer of funds, if possible, but if no funds can be obtained from the 1914 Budget appropriations, by the issue of special revenue bonds under subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter."

In accordance with that resolution the Trustees of the Library desire to say that there are no Library funds from which a transfer can be made, and in accordance with the accompanying resolution the Trustees ask that the Board of Aldermen authorize the issue of special revenue bonds for the purpose named

Respectfully yours, NATHANIEL H. LEVI, Secretary Pro Tem.

Brooklyn Public Library, 26 Brevoort Place, March 20, 1914.

At a meeting of the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library held Wednesday, March 18, it was voted, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of March 6, 1914, to make application to the Board of Aldermen for an appropriation of the following amounts of money for the maintenance of the Brownsville Children's Library and the Eastern Parkway Branch, from July 1 for the balance of the year:

	Brownsville Children's Library.	Eastern Parkway Branch.
Number of Assistants	10	8
Salaries	$3,330 00	$2,640 00
Periodicals	100 00	250 00
Binding	100 00	100 00
Janitor's supplies	100 00	100 00
Office supplies	300 00	300 00
Light and heat	500 00	500 00
	$4,430 00	$3,890 00

Permit us to state that the Eastern Parkway Branch will be ready to open in May and the Brownsville Branch in July, but neither can be opened until the funds for their maintenance have been supplied by the City.

NATHANIEL H. LEVI, Secretary Pro Tem.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 14 (Int. No. 434).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 1028), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $2,500 special revenue bonds for purchase of furniture and fittings by the Sheriff of Kings County, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes an appropriation to be necessary for this purpose. The Sheriff is about to move to larger quarters and will require additional furniture. Some of the furniture now in use is so dilapidated as to be of no value and must be replaced. The Committee believes, however, that $2,000 will be sufficient, and recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

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

and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand dollars ($2,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Kings County for the purpose of purchasing furniture, filing cabinets and other office fixtures for the fitting out of his new office in the Terminal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Kings County for the purchase of furniture, filing cabinets and other office fixtures for the fitting out of his new office in the Terminal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn.

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Office of the Sheriff of Kings County, 186 Remsen St., Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, N. Y., March 30, 1914.

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

My Dear Sir—As suggested by you, I enclose an approximate estimate of what is required to furnish and equip the Sheriff's office on its removal to its new headquarters.

For partition, running counters, rails and metal filing cases	$500 00
For furnishing the room for trials with platform, rail, Commissioner's bench, jury box, chairs and benches	500 00
For inlaid linoleum	400 00
For carpets and rugs	300 00
For desks	250 00
For chairs	200 00
Bookcase	30 00
Five desks	325 00
Expense for moving, which includes all material in the present headquarters, old records and safe	250 00

Very truly yours, LEWIS M. SWASEY.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 15—Int. No. 146.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 20, 1914 (Minutes, page 184), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to purchase two auto trucks, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be advisable. The details are fully set forth in the application. Similar permission has been heretofore given to this same department for purchase of such trucks, and this method has worked out satisfactorily in every respect. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and is hereby authorized to purchase two automobile trucks, one to be assigned to the distribution system, Borough of Queens, and the other to the Brooklyn watershed, the expense thereof not to exceed $2,000 for each automobile truck.

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, January 14, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—In the Budget allowances for this year provision was made for the purchase of two automobile trucks, one to be assigned to the distribution system, Borough of Queens, and the other to the Brooklyn watershed. The amount to be expended is not to exceed $4,000.

The truck assigned to the Borough of Queens is to be used for transporting the men between their station and locations where their services are required for the repair of breaks, and for conveying tools, equipment and repair parts of pipes and hydrants. It will also transport material required by the different repair companies. In the past horses and wagons have been used, but on account of the long distances to be traveled, together with unfavorable weather conditions retarding the progress of the wagons, it is considered advisable that an automobile truck be used for this purpose. It is to the City's interests that where breaks occur they be repaired in the least possible time, in order that claims for damage to private property resulting from escaping water may be avoided or reduced to a minimum.

The automobile truck desired for the Brooklyn watershed is to be used for transporting material and the men assigned to well work on the island. Considerable time is lost by the men assigned to this work being required to wait for material and they are delayed in waiting for railroad trains, which at present are the only means of travel between the different points where their services are required. At present horses and wagons are used, but this means of transportation is very slow.

Owing to the fact that it is impossible to prepare contract specifications for automobiles upon which competitive bidding could be secured, as they would necessarily include certain parts which are now covered by patent rights and which the City could not lawfully appropriate as its own idea of construction, I would respectfully request that you present this matter at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen. I would request that authority be granted me to purchase these two automobile trucks without public letting. Attached hereto is a draft of resolution relative to this matter.

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 16—Int. No. 243.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 10, 1914 (Minutes, page 452), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Queens for authority to purchase an automobile without public letting at a cost not to exceed $2,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject it believes the proposed permission to be advisable. The President, as stated in his letter of request, expects to offer an old machine in part payment. Departmental heads all testify that it is practically impossible to secure results by preparation of specifications for automobiles. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase an automobile in the open market, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed two thousand dollars ($2,000).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, February 3, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In the Budget for the year 1914, provision has been made for an automobile for the use of the President of the Borough of Queens. The car now assigned to him is in a state of disrepair, and is, in fact, unsafe for use. It is desirable that a new car be obtained for him as soon as possible.

The Budget allowance provided contemplates an expenditure of $2,000. It is our judgment that there is no advantage in providing for the securing of this car by contract. We believe that it will be possible to effect some sort of an exchange on the car now in use as a part payment on a new automobile.

We therefore respectfully request your approval, in accordance with section 419 of the Charter, for the purchase of an automobile without public letting at a price not to exceed two thousand dollars ($2,000), and would thank your Board if you will dispose of the matter as quickly as possible for the reason stated, namely, that the car now assigned to the Borough President is unsafe for use. Very truly yours,

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 17—Int. No. 276.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 508), the annexed resolution authorizing the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to purchase eleven automobiles without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $6,050, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary because of the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in providing for purchase of autos in the Budget, as is set forth in the letter of request, only one style of automobile being available at this price.

It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and is hereby authorized to purchase, without the formality of advertising for competitive bids or proposals, eleven (11) new Ford runabout automobiles with express bodies and equipment, at an expense not to exceed six thousand and fifty dollars ($6,050).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, February 9, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—The Budget allowances for the hire of horses and wagons belonging to and used by the Foremen of the several repair companies of the different boroughs are sufficient only to pay for this service up to March 1. In lieu of the conveyances used by the Foremen in their tours of inspection of the work being performed in their districts, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment provided a sufficient sum of money for the purchase of Ford automobiles with express bodies. The use of automobiles will make it possible for the Foremen to exercise supervision of their forces at a less cost to the City.

The Ford runabout fitted with express body is the style of car which, in my opinion, is suitable and well adapted for the service required. The Ford automobile is a standard car and the vast number of this make now in use would indicate that it is recognized by private interests as giving a definite satisfactory service. The fact that the Ford car is a recognized standard, both as to price and service, makes it desirable that the Board of Aldermen grant authority to me to procure these automobiles without public letting.

The sum of $6,050 has been appropriated for the purchase of eleven equipped automobiles and I would respectfully request that this communication be presented by you at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen for their consideration.

I am enclosing a draft of resolution for adoption. Yours very truly,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas F.), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, White, Wilmot—57.

Negative—Aldermen Kenneally, McCourt and Stapleton—3.

No. 18—Int. No. 300.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 24th, 1914 (Minutes, page 658), the annexed request from the Park Commissioner of Manhattan and Richmond for authority to purchase an automobile, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $2,500, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this request are fully set forth in the letter of application. As it is the unanimous opinion of department heads that better results can be obtained in the open market in the purchase of autos, and the Commissioner having promised to find the funds within his own department, the Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase an automobile in the open market, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500).

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, February 17, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

My Dear Mr. McAneny—I am sending you herewith a communication addressed to your Honorable Board, with reference to a matter of considerable urgency to the Park Department, which I hope it will be convenient for you to assist in expediting to a final decision. Very cordially yours,

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, February 16, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—I hereby request that this Department be authorized to purchase an automobile for the service of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, to replace an old and unserviceable car which will be sold if this request is granted.

The only service automobiles this Department has are two old second-hand cars, one of them a small rebuilt Chalmers, used by the Superintendent, and an old rebuilt Lozier used by the Commissioner. The latter car is in such condition that it cannot be continued in use more than a very few weeks, possibly less than a month. An estimate has been had from the Lozier Company for the repairs necessary, and these are fixed by them at between $750 and $800, simply on repairs to machinery. The only Budget item which is available for the use of this car is $150, which is only intended for the normal tire, gasoline and supply requirements of the Department. So that even for repairs for this car, an appropriation would have to be asked for for the entire amount.

This Lozier is of a needlessly high power for City street use; is expensive to operate and consumes an unnecessary quantity, both of oil and gasoline, and under City conditions, racks itself so that costly repairs have been constantly necessary in order to keep it running.

The need for a car is urgent, and it is believed that an appropriation of $2,500 will enable the Department to purchase a rebuilt car of first-class make, capable of rendering adequate service to this Department. This car is in constant service, as it must be frequently turned over to the Chief Engineer, the Landscape Architect and Architect for emergency cases.

The amount asked for I believe to be the minimum within which it will be safe to attempt the purchase of a car so that it will fit the Commissioner's needs. I therefore beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board, the following resolution for consideration:

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Park Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase an automobile in the open market, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500).

As the need is urgent, and at any moment the Department is apt to find itself without any departmental means of transport, it is respectfully asked that this matter be acted upon at the earliest possible moment. Respectfully,

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 19—Int. No. 377.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 864), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to enter into a contract for installing water mains and appurtenances in and along the Broadway subway route, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $4,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this application are fully set forth in the letter of request. It is distinctly a matter of economy in time and money to do the work in the manner proposed and the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and is hereby authorized to expend, without public letting, the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000), under an agreement to be entered into with the Dock Contracting Company for furnishing and installing water mains and appurtenances in and along the Broadway subway route between Bleecker st. and Union square, the work to be done in accordance with plan of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity marked "M. B. 429."

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, New York, March 9, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen on January 27 a resolution was adopted concurring in the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing the issue of corporate stock in the sum of $4,000, the proceeds whereof to be used in the betterment of the distribution system along portions of the Broadway subway route. By the action of the Mayor in approving the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, the money is now available.

In the Department's application for funds it was explained that by reason of the subway construction the Department could make many valuable improvements in its distribution system at a cost considerably less than if the work were undertaken later or at a time when it would be necessary to remove and replace street pavement.

The Dock Contracting Company are under agreement with the Public Service Commission to build the section of subway along the line where improvements to the distribution system are desired. At the present time this company are in absolute control of the excavation wherein these alterations and changes to the distribution system are desired, and as no other company or individual, under these conditions, could undertake to install the work under the Department's proposed plans, I respectfully request that I be authorized to enter into a contract with the Dock Contracting Company for furnishing the necessary labor and material to improve the distribution system in accordance with Plan M. B. 429, on file in this office, at an expenditure not to exceed $4,000. I attach hereto draft of resolution for adoption.

Yours very truly, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 20—Int. No. 425.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 943), the annexed request from the Comptroller for authority to contract, without public letting, for labor, material, etc., necessary to arrange exhibit of The City of New York at International Exposition to be held at Lyons, France, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. This is a case where it is impossible to prepare specifications. The work is to be done at Lyons, and it is impossible to calculate just what will be required.

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

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby authorized to expend without contract at public letting a sum not in excess of $25,000 for labor, material, supervision and transportation necessary to arrange exhibit of The City of New York at the International Exposition to be held at Lyons, France, during the six months commencing with May 1st, 1914.

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Finance, City of New York, March 19, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith for adoption by the Board of Aldermen a copy of a resolution to authorize the expenditure without a public contract of the sum of ..... for the purpose of arranging and preparing an exhibit for the coming Paris Exposition.

The urgency of the situation will appeal to you, and I would ask that you use every possible means to have the resolution passed at the earliest possible date.

Yours very truly, EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Signed for and in the absence of the Comptroller.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 21—Int. No. 435.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 1028), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Sheriff of Kings County to purchase furniture and fittings, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. The Sheriff is about to move into new quarters, and there is no time for preparation of specifications and advertising.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Sheriff of the County of Kings be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the purchase of furniture, filing cabinets and other office fixtures at an expense not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) for the fitting out of his new office in the Terminal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN DIEMER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, W. F. QUINN, JACOB WEIL, WILLIAM DUGGAN, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cole, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, the Vice-Chairman—66.

GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 95—Int. No. 261.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on February 10, 1914 (Minutes, page 487), the annexed "ordinance relating to places of public amusement," respectfully

REPORTS:

That a public hearing was held thereon at which appeared advocates in favor of the proposition, but none in real opposition thereto. The trend of opinion was all for a suppression of the existing ticket speculating evil, and those in attendance felt that the suggested ordinance will prove a remedy for and abate existing conditions. The ordinance herewith recommended contemplates agreements with licensees of places of public amusement and the Police Department, else no license will issue, and under the provisions of which a license shall become null and void for any infraction of said agreements.

The Committee believes this ordinance a direct step to the suppression of this long complained of infliction on the public, and therefore recommends that the same be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE relating to places of public amusement.

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

Section 1. No license shall be granted for any or all of the purposes set forth in section 1472 of the Greater New York Charter unless an application therefor, subscribed by the person or corporation seeking said license, shall first be made to the Police Department upon a printed form of application to be furnished by said department, which said application shall contain plainly printed therein the following agreements on the part of the licensee, to wit:

First—That the price of each and every ticket of admission issued by or on behalf of the licensee herein shall be plainly and legibly printed on such ticket, and no price in excess of that so designated shall be asked or accepted by or on behalf of the licensee.

Second—That no ticket of admission shall be issued, sold or offered for sale by or on behalf of the licensee or by or on behalf of any manager, agent, servant or employee of the licensee at a price in excess to that designated thereon or with the knowledge, purpose or intention that such ticket is to be resold or offered for resale, and no licensee and no manager, officer, agent or employee of any licensee shall, directly or indirectly, receive any consideration of any nature whatsoever upon the sale of any such ticket beyond or in excess of the price designated thereon, or directly or indirectly enter into any arrangement, agreement or understanding for the receipt of any such consideration.

Third—This license shall be and become null and void upon the entry of a judgment for the penalty prescribed in section 3 of this ordinance for a violation of any of the foregoing agreements by such licensee, or his agents or employees.

Section 2. Every such license shall contain plainly printed therein the agreement on the part of the licensee prescribed in section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. In addition to any other penalty prescribed by law or ordinance, every person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section of this ordinance shall be liable to a penalty of $50 for each offense, to be recovered in an action to be brought therefor in the name of The City of New York.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after approved by the Mayor.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, ROBERT H. BOSSE, JOHN J. REARDON, ARNON L. SQUIERS, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which, on motion of Alderman Curran, was laid over until the next meeting.

No. 96—Int. No. 262.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on February 10, 1914 (Minutes, page 487), the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating the matters provided for in section 1473 of the Greater New York Charter, etc., respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, together with having held a well attended public hearing thereon, it believes the said ordinance should be adopted. It amends in measure the "Second Schedule" of the Greater New York Charter, enlarging the powers of the Police Department with respect to places of public amusement, thereby bringing the owners of such places to a stricter and better account to the public. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE regulating the matters provided for in section 1473 of the Greater New York Charter, as re-enacted by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, section 1423 being one of the sections specified under the title "The Second Schedule Sections to Remain in Force Until Changed by the Board of Aldermen."

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

Section 1. The Police Department is hereby authorized and empowered to grant licenses required pursuant to the provisions of section 1472 of the Greater New York Charter, for the exhibition to the public in any building, garden or grounds, concert room or other place or room within The City of New York, any interlude, tragedy, comedy, opera, ballet, play, farce, minstrelsy, or dancing, or any other entertainment of the stage, or any part or parts therein, or any equestrian, circus or dramatic performance, or any performance of jugglers, or rope dancing, or acrobats, to continue in force until the first day of May next, ensuing the grant therof, on receiving for each license so granted, and before the issuing thereof, the sum of five hundred dollars; except that in the Borough of Richmond the fee for such license shall be one hundred dollars; and every manager or proprietor of any such exhibition or performance who shall neglect to take out such license, or consent, or cause, or allow any such exhibiton or performance or any single one of them without such license, and every person aiding in such exhibtion, and every owner or lessee of any building, part of a building, garden, grounds, concert room or other room or place, who shall lease or let the same for the purpose of any such exhibition or performance or assent that the same be used for any such purpose, except as permitted by such license, and without such license having been previously obtained and then in force if the same shall be used for such purpose, shall be subject to a penalty of one hundred dollars for every such exhibition or performance, which penalty shall be prosecuted, sued for and recovered in the name of The City of New York, and shall be paid to the Chamberlain of The City of New York, to be paid into the treasury of said City. *Such licenses shall be uniform and may, in the discretion of the office or department charged with the duty of issuing the same, contain provisions and conditions which, in the judgment of such officer or department, may be essential for the welfare of and beneficial to the people of and visitors to The City of New York, including provisions and conditions respecting the tickets or other tokens entitling the holders thereof to admission to such places and respecting the hours of opening and closing.*

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, JOHN J. REARDON, ROBERT H. BOSSE, ARNON L. SQUIERS, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which, on motion of Alderman Curran, was laid over until the next meeting.

No. 162 (Int. Nos. 163 and 415).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 20 and March 24, 1914 (Minutes, pages 214 and 935), certain requests for special revenue bonds, known as Introductory Nos. 163 and 415, respectfully

REPORTS:

That No. 163, which is $1,800 for an auto for the Coroner of Richmond, has been heretofore disapproved by the late Mayor, and in the opinion of the Committee is unnecessary.

The Corporation Counsel states that the $5,000 asked for will not be needed until late in the year.

The Committee recommends that the said documents be placed on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

No. 163 (Int. No. 413).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 933), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Queens, asking for an amendment to the approval of a site for a refuse destructor, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the letter of request explains the reasons for this application. In accordance with the opinion of the Corporation Counsel the Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE selecting a site to be acquired for use as a refuse destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby selects as a site to be acquired for use as a refuse destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens, the following lands situate and lying in the Borough and County of Queens, State of New York, described in metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of old Wainwright ave. (now known as Wainwright court), at the intersection of the northerly side of Wainwright ave. with the easterly side of Thetis ave. (now known as Beach 109th st.); thence running northerly 606.82 feet in the continuation of the said easterly side of Thetis ave. to the bulkhead line as established by the Jamaica Bay Improvement Commission and as approved by the Secretary of War; thence easterly along said bulkhead line 250.23 feet; thence southerly in a continuation of the easterly line of Undine ave. (now known as Beach 108th st.), 625.26 feet to the northerly line of said old Wainwright ave. at its intersection with the said easterly line of Undine ave.; thence westerly 250.12 feet along said northerly side of Wainwright ave. to the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. The Corporation Counsel is hereby authorized and directed to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of said lands and premises.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall not preclude the acquisition of the above described lands and premises, or any part thereof, by purchase from the owner or the respective owners thereof, at a price authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Sec. 4. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare two similar surveys, maps or plans of said lands and premises and file the same—one in the office of this Board and the other in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, in accordance with the provisions of section 1436 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, February 27, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—On July 15, 1913, your Board adopted a resolution approving of the selection of a site to be acquired by the President of the Borough of Queens for use as a refuse destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, described as follows:

"The following described lands located in Ward 5, in the County of Queens, in the City of New York, and known on the tax map as Block 15, Plate 38, Lots 132 and 132½, facing to the south a distance of 150 feet on Wainwright ave., including Undine ave.; between Wainwright ave. and Jamaica Bay; continuing thence on straight lines to the said Jamaica Bay."

I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the ordinance heretofore approved does not describe the premises as to metes and bounds. Transmitted herewith are two copies of survey of the property sought to be acquired, and which is described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northerly side of old Wainwright ave. (now known as Wainwright court), at the intersection of the northerly side of Wainwright ave. with the easterly side of Thetis ave. (now known as Beach 109th st.); thence running northerly 606.82 feet in the continuation of the said easterly side of Thetis ave. to the bulkhead line as established by the Jamaica Bay Improvement Commission and as approved by the Secretary of War; thence easterly along said bulkhead line 250.23 feet; thence southerly in a continuation of the easterly line of Undine ave. (now known as Beach 108th st.), 625.26 feet to the northerly line of said old Wainwright ave. at its intersection with the said easterly line of Undine ave.; thence westerly 250.12 feet along said northerly side of Wainwright ave. to the point or place of beginning."

I respectfully request that your Board will amend its previous action so as to include the description herewith transmitted. Yours very truly,

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 164 (Int. No. 419).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 940), the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of $22,000 corporate stock for use of the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the $290.30 deducted from this appropriation is to be applied toward another building now being erected for the same Department. It recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held March 20, 1914:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 25, 1911, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000), in addition to the amounts heretofore authorized, to provide means for the acquisition of a site and the erection of a new building in the vicinity of Dyckman street and Broadway for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, for quarters for engine and hook and ladder companies, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be amended to make the amount read twenty-one thousand seven hundred and nine dollars and seventy cents ($21,709.70).

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 165 (Int. No. 420).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 940), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $290.30 corporate stock for use of the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this amount has been saved in another appropriation for the same Department, and is made necessary because of the unforeseen construction of a sewer to which connection must be made.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred and ninety dollars and thirty cents ($290.30), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for the purpose of providing means for the erection of a new building at Unionport, Borough of The Bronx, adjoining Engine Company 64 for use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, for quarters for hook and ladder companies.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 20, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and ninety dollars and thirty cents ($290.30), in addition to the amount heretofore authorized for the purpose of providing means for the erection of a new building at Unionport, Borough of The Bronx, adjoining Engine Company 64, for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, for quarters for hook and ladder companies, and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

HENRY H. CURRAN, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 166 (Int. No. 357).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 10, 1914 (Minutes, page 817), the annexed resolution in favor of grading Efficiency Engineers, etc., in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee is informed by Commissioner McGinley that the purpose of this resolution is to transfer a bureau from the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to that of the Commissioners of Accounts. As the latter office has no such titles, these grades are necessary. It is not proposed to appoint other incumbents to these places in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and no increases in salaries are involved.

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 6, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Efficiency Engineer	$6,000 00	1
Efficiency Engineer	5,000 00	1
Efficiency Engineer	4,000 00	1
Efficiency Accountant	2,100 00	1
Associate Efficiency Engineer	2,700 00	2
Associate Efficiency Engineer	2,400 00	1
Chief Efficiency Examiner	3,500 00	1
Efficiency Examiner	1,800 00	2
Efficiency Examiner	1,500 00	2
Efficiency Inspector	1,200 00	1
Sewer Cleaner	1,200 00	1
Assistant Foreman	1,200 00	1
Computer	1,500 00	2
Draftsman	1,500 00	2
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,500 00	1
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00	1
Typewriting Copyist	900 00	2
Tabulating Machine Operator	900 00	1

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 167 (Int. No. 379).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 865), the annexed resolution in favor of grading positions of Expert Accountants and Examiners under Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

That a more thorough estimate of the duties to be performed by the two Bureaus of Contracts and Standards about to be added to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has resulted in an application for these four positions. The Committee accepts the statement made by the Secretary of said Board to the above effect, and recommends that the said accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 13, 1914:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the positions and grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, and in addition to those included in the resolution adopted February 20, 1914, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Expert Accountant	$3,500 00	1
Expert Accountant	3.000 00	1
Examiner	3,000 00	1
Examiner	1,800 00	1

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 168—Int. No. 380.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 866), the annexed resolution in favor of amending a resolution covering certain grades of positions in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution covers but two changes of title, as is shown by the amendatory clause at the end thereof. The reason for these changes is that by making them it gives an opportunity to transfer employees under these titles from the Finance Department, and thus secure experienced men. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 13, 1914:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 20, 1914, which reads as follows:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Director	$6,000 00	2
Assistant Engineer	4,500 00	2
Assistant Engineer	3,000 00	3
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00	3
Assistant Engineer	1,950 00	1
Engineer	2,700 00	1
Mechanical Engineer	2,400 00	1
Electrical Engineer	4,000 00	1
Engineer Inspector	1,800 00	2
Draftsman	1,650 00	1
Draftsman	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,350 00	4
Draftsman	1,200 00	4
Inspector	1,650 00	1
Photographer	1,200 00	1
Salary and Grade Examiner	3,000 00	2
Salary and Grade Examiner	2,400 00	4
Salary and Grade Examiner	2,100 00	2
Examiner	4,000 00	1
Examiner	3,500 00	2
Examiner	3,000 00	4
Examiner	2,100 00	2
Examiner	2,400 00	1
Clerk	2,100 00	1
Clerk	1,800 00	1
Clerk	1,650 00	1
Clerk	1,200 00	2
Clerk	1,050 00	1

—be and the same is hereby *amended by eliminating the line Examiner at* $4,000 *and substituting in place thereof the line Expert Accountant at* $4,000 *and by eliminating the line Clerk at* $1,800 *and substituting in place thereof the line Examiner at* $1,800.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 169—Int. No. 382.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 868), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of positions in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of Secretary to Committee at $5,000 and $4,000 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these positions have been created in pursuance of the organization of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment into certain committees. It is anticipated that these officials will prepare the work of the various committees in such form that the Board members will be relieved of all detail, and for this purpose highly trained men are needed. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 13, 1914:

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

Secretary to Committee, $5,000 per annum, for three incumbents.

Secretary to Committee, $4,000 per annum, for three incumbents.

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

D. M. BEDELL, HYMAN POUKER, JACOB WEIL, MICHAEL CARBERRY, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 170—Int. No. 383.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 869), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of position of Flagger at $4.50 per diem, under President, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed grade to be necessary to comply with the prevailing rate of wages established for such workers. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 19, 1913:

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

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Flagger	$4 50	Unlimited

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 171—Int. Nos. 410 and 412.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 17, 1914, (Minutes, pages 930 to 931), the annexed resolutions in favor of appointing G. M. Fosdick and Cornelius L. Both as City Surveyors, respectfully.

REPORTS:

That these applicants having furnished the customary references as to character and ability, the Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That the following persons be and they are hereby appointed City Surveyors:

G. Morris Fosdick, of Springfield Gardens, in the Borough of Queens.

Cornelius L. Both, of 831 Nostrand avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That G. Morris Fosdick, of Springfield Gardens, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That Cornelius L. Both, of 831 Nostrand ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 172—Int. No. 421.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 24, 1914, (Minutes, page 941), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Clerk, Department of Parks, Brooklyn, at $1,650 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it finds that this is merely a change of title and does not carry with it any change in salary rate.

It recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Appointment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 20, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	$1,650 00	1

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 173—Int. No. 408.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on March 17, 1914, (Minutes, page 928), the annexed ordinance in favor of permitting the temporary attachment of United States Mail boxes to buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be necessary. In many instances it has been considered advisable for the city authorities to remove the lamp posts to which such boxes were heretofore attached. The proposed plan is in substitution for such service which under the removal of the supporting posts has necessarily ceased. The Committee recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the temporary attachment of United States Mail boxes, known as letter boxes, to buildings.

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

Section 1. The Post-Office authorities of the Federal Government, and owners of property in Greater New York, are hereby given permission, subject to the approval of any Borough President having jurisdiction, to attach temporarily small mail boxes, known as letter boxes, to any building or part thereof; provided, however, the consent in writing of the owner of the property be given and filed with the Borough President having jurisdiction, and further provided the work be done without cost to the city.

Section 2. Application for permission to attach any letter box as provided in Section 1 hereof, must be made in writing to the President of any Borough having jurisdiction, and in the form prescribed by him.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WM. D. BRUSH, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, JOHN J. REARDON, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burns, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kochendorfer, Levy, McGarry, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenbloom, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—57.

No. 174—Int. Nos. 237 and 443.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on February 3 and March 24, 1914 (Minutes, pages 447 and 1030), proposed ordinances containing certain regulations relative to coin-operating machines, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed ordinance introduced on March 24, known as Introductory No. 443, to be a wise regulation of the multifarious devices which are designed to coax small coins from pockets under the guise of rendering certain services and purveying candies, etc., and which bring to their promoters a revenue which all obtainable data show to be of large proportions. The Committee recommends that the said ordinance (No. 443) be adopted, and that No. 237 be placed on file.

AN ORDINANCE relating to coin-operating machines.

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

Section 1. Section 305 of article I, title II of chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 305. The following businesses must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely, public cartmen, truckmen, hackmen, cabmen, expressmen, drivers, junk dealers, dealers in second hand articles, hawkers, peddlers, venders, *coin-operating machines,* ticket speculators, coal scalpers, common shows, motion picture theatres, open air motion picture theatres, shooting galleries, bowling alleys, billiard tables, dirt carts, exterior hoists and stands within stoop-lines and under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations.

Section 2. Article III of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subdivision, to be numbered XVII and to read as follows:

XVII. Coin-operating Machines.

Sec. 360A. Any machine or mechanical device erected, located or maintained in any street, avenue, park or public place or place open to the public, operating or intended to be operated by the insertion therein of a coin or coins for the purpose of automatically weighing persons, exhibiting photographs or other pictures, playing music, supplying electricity, making photographs, furnishing opera glasses for temporary use, or for the vending and sale of postage stamps, chewing gum, candy, peanuts, cigars, cigarettes, matches, toilet articles, food, drinks or other commodities, shall be deemed to be included within the terms of this ordinance, and for each such machine so erected, located and maintained there shall be paid an annual license fee of one dollar. The Bureau of Licenses shall provide a license tag, or plate, for each machine or mechanical device licensed under the provisions of this ordinance, and such tag or plate shall plainly show the year for which the license was issued and shall be so constructed that it may be securely attached to the machine and readily seen and inspected at all times. The Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall cause the removal from any street, public place, or place open to the public, or any subway or elevated railroad station or platform, of any machine, included within the terms of this ordinance, to which a license tag, or plate, for the then current year is not attached. The maintenance and operation of each and every machine included within the terms of this ordinance, and not licensed as provided in this section, shall constitute a separate and distinct violation hereof.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect June 1, 1914.

WM. D. BRUSH, ARNON L. SQUIERS, WM. H. PENDRY, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, JOHN J. REARDON, Committee on General Welfare.

Which, on motion of Alderman Pendry, was recommitted to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 175—Int. No. 286.

The Committee on Water and Light, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed resolution in favor of approving pattern and prices of King meter, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this meter having passed the tests required by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (see letter of Commissioner Williams hereto attached), and having satisfied itself as to same by personal inquiry, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 475 of the amended Greater New York Charter, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the King meter, sizes from 5/8 to 2 inches, be and the same is hereby approved as to pattern and prices as water meters for use in The City of New York, to wit, as follows:

Size.	Price.	Connections.	Size.	Price.	Connections.
5/8-inch	$8 00	$0 40 per set	1½-inch	30 00	No charge
¾-inch	12 00	60 per set	2-inch	50 00	No charge
1-inch	16 00	80 per set			

JOHN S. GAYNOR, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, LOUIS JACOBSON, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, ANTHONY J. McNALLY, Committee on Water and Light.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, New York, March 24, 1914.

Hon. JOHN S. GAYNOR, Chairman, Committee on Water and Light, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—This is in response to your inquiry transmitted through Deputy Commissioner F. T. Parsons, who attended a meeting of your committee yesterday, which had before it for consideration action on the approval of the Department's applications for the adoption and use of the Nilo and King meters, manufactured by the Union Meter Company; the Eureka meter, manufactured by the Pittsburg Meter Company, and the Hersey Torrent meter, manufactured by the Hersey Manufacturing Company.

My predecessor recommended to the Board of Aldermen the approval of these meters on the following dates:

King, January 22, 1912; Eureka, January 23, 1912; Nilo, January 20, 1913; Hersey, June 16, 1913.

So far as I have been able to learn, no changes have been made in the construction of these meters since the date of their official test by the Department and, in consequence thereof, there appears to be no necessity for re-testing them. I know of no reason for withdrawing the recommendations of my predecessor concerning same. Yours very truly, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Chorosh, Curran, Delaney, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duiat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Ottes, Pendry, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Trau, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, President Mathewson, by John, G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—53.

Negative—Alderman O'Rourke—1.

No. 176—Int. No. 287.

The Committee on Water and Light, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed resolution in favor of approving Nilo water meter, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, and said meter having passed the tests of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 475 of the amended Greater New York Charter, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Nilo meter, sizes from 2 to 12 inches, be and the same is hereby approved as to pattern and prices as water meters for use in The City of New York, to wit, as follows: 2-inch, $40; 3-inch, $80; 4-inch, $160; 6-inch, $350; 8-inch, $600; 12-inch, $800.

JOHN S. GAYNOR, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, LOUIS JACOBSON, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, ANTHONY J. McNALLY, Committee on Water and Light.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Chorosh, Curran, Delaney, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Ottes, Pendry, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Trau, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, President Mathewson, by John, G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—53.

Negative—Alderman O'Rourke—1.

No. 177—Int. No. 288.

The Committee on Water and Light, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed resolution in favor of approving the Hersey water meter, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, and been assured that this meter has met the tests imposed by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 475 of the amended Greater New York Charter, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Hersey Torrent Meter, as to sizes and prices, is hereby approved for use in The City of New York, to wit, as follows:

2-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	$40 00	8-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	600 00
3-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	80 00	10-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	750 00
4-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	160 00	12-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	900 00
6-inch Hersey Torrent water meter	350 00		

JOHN S. GAYNOR, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, LOUIS JACOBSON, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, ANTHONY J. McNALLY, Committee on Water and Light.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Chorosh, Curran, Delaney, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Ottes, Pendry, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Trau, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, President Mathewson, by John, G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—53.

Negative—Alderman O'Rourke—1.

No. 178—Int. No. 289.

The Committee on Water and Light, to which was referred on February 17, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed resolution in favor of approving the Eureka water meter, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject and having been advised that said meter has passed the tests of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 475 of the amended Greater New York Charter, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Eureka meter, sizes from 1½ to 12 inches, be and the same is hereby approved as to pattern and prices, as water meters for use in The City of New York, as follows:

Size.	Price.	Connections.	Size.	Price.	Connections.
1½-inch	$30 00	No charge	6-inch	350 00	No charge
2-inch	40 00	No charge	8-inch	600 00	No charge
3-inch	80 00	No charge	10-inch	750 00	No charge
4-inch	160 00	No charge	12-inch	900 00	No charge

JOHN S. GAYNOR, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, LOUIS JACOBSON, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, ANTHONY J. McNALLY, Committee on Water and Light.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Berninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Chorosh, Curran, Delaney, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Ottes, Pendry, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Trau, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot, President Mathewson, by John. G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—53.

Negative—Alderman O'Rourke—1.

No. 179—Int. No. 38.

The Committee on Health, to which was referred on January 5, 1914 (Minutes, page 34), the annexed request from the Department of Health for the designation of the premises known as Seton Falls, in The Bronx, as a site for a hospital for contagious diseases, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has held a number of public hearings and private conferences at which every one interested has had an opportunity to appear. While considerable opposition has developed, it has been of the character which would object to a hospital for this purpose in any locality. The City has a site in Westchester which could be used, but it is only one-quarter the size of the one at Seton Falls, and is incomparably less well adapted for the purpose. After a full and fair consideration of the subject, the Committee believes that the Seton Falls site is an excellent one, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE selecting a site known as Seton Falls Park for a hospital for contagious diseases, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby selects as a site to be used as a hospital for contagious diseases, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, the following lands and premises situate and lying in the Borough and County of Bronx, State of New York, described in metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

Beginning on the southerly side of a proposed street known as 233d st., at a point distant two hundred (200) feet westerly from a point which would be the intersection of the said southerly side of said proposed 233d st. with the westerly side of Seton ave. if the westerly side of Seton ave., as shown on a map entitled "Map of Edenwald, etc.," made by Josiah A. Briggs, Civil Engineer, filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York March 23, 1898, by the Map Number 393, were extended southerly in a straight line, running thence southerly at right angles to the said southerly side of said proposed 233d st. fifty (50) feet; thence easterly parallel with the said southerly side of proposed 233d st. one hundred (100) feet; thence southerly at right angles to said last mentioned line twenty-five (25) feet; thence easterly again parallel with the said southerly side of said proposed 233d st. one hundred (100) feet to a point which would be in the westerly side of said Seton ave. if the said westerly side of Seton ave. were extended southerly in a straight line; thence southerly along what would be the continuation of the said westerly side of Seton ave., if the same were extended southerly in a straight line one thousand twenty and ten one-hundredths (1,020.10) feet, more or less, to the northerly side of Pratt ave., as shown on said map as a street sixty (60) feet wide; thence southwesterly along the said northwesterly side of Pratt ave. four hundred and thirty-nine (439) feet and eighty-nine one-hundredths of a foot (89.00), more or less, to the northeasterly side of a street or road called Schieffelin's lane; thence along the southerly boundary line of land hereby conveyed the following courses and distances: North forty-one (41) degrees seventeen (17) minutes and fifty (50) seconds west along the said northeasterly side of Schieffelin's lane one hundred and eighty-seven (187) feet and twenty-eight one hundredths of a foot (28-100); thence north forty-three (43) degrees nine (9) minutes and ten (10) seconds west still along the same one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet; thence north forty-seven (47) degrees fifty-six (56) minutes and fifty (50) seconds west still along the same one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet; thence north fifty-three (53) degrees six (6) minutes and forty (40) seconds west part of the way still along the same and part of the way along the boundary of land now or late of Thomas Fowler two hundred and forty-five (245) feet; thence north forty-four (44) degrees and thirty-one (31) minutes west still along land now or late of Fowler two hundred and twenty-four (224) feet and ninety-two one hundredths of a foot (92-100); thence north seventy-five (75) degrees four (4) minutes and thirty (30) seconds west still along the same sixty-four (64) feet; thence north eighty-four (84) degrees and seven (7) minutes west still along the same one hundred and fifty-nine (159) feet and ninety-five one hundredths of a foot (95-100); thence north seventy-seven (77) degrees eighteen (18) minutes and fifty (50) seconds west still along the same one hundred and ninety-four (194) feet to land now or late of Schieffelin; thence north twenty-eight (28) degrees three (3) minutes and twenty (20) seconds east along said land now or late of Schieffelin two hundred and eighty-five (285) feet and thirty-three one hundredths (33-100) of a foot; thence north forty (40) degrees and twenty-six (26) minutes east still along the same one hundred and thirty-one (131) feet and forty-nine one hundredths (49-100) of a foot; thence north thirty-two (32) degrees twenty-seven (27) minutes and ten (10) seconds east still along the same thirty (30) feet; thence north nineteen (19) degrees forty (40) minutes and forty (40) seconds east still along the same eighty-seven (87) feet and twenty-eight one hundredths (28-100) of a foot; thence north seven (7) degrees seven (7) minutes and forty (40) seconds west still along the same thirty-eight (38) feet and sixty-eight one hundredths (68-100) of a foot; thence north forty-five (45) degrees ten (10) minutes and forty (40) seconds west still along the same twenty (20) feet and five-tenths (5-10) of a foot; thence north nineteen (19) degrees ten (10) minutes fifty (50) seconds west still along the same seventy-nine (79) feet and one-tenth (1-10) of a foot; thence north twenty-two (22) degrees one (1) minute and ten (10) seconds west still along the same two hundred and seven (207) feet and eighty-four one hundredths (84-100) of a foot, more or less, to a point which would be in the easterly side of Monaghan ave., if the said easterly side of Monaghan ave., as shown on said map, were extended southerly in a straight line; thence northerly along what would be the continuation of the said easterly side of Monaghan ave., if the same were extended southerly in a straight line north forty-five (45) degrees fifteen (15) minutes and twenty (20) seconds, one hundred sixty-six and 38-100 (166.38) feet, more or less, to the southerly side of said proposed 233d st.; thence easterly and along the southerly side of said proposed 233d st. about one thousand and forty (1,040) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. The Corporation Counsel is hereby authorized and directed to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of said lands and premises.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall not preclude the acquisition of the above described lands and premises, or any part thereof, by purchase from the owner or the respective owners thereof, at a price authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Sec. 4. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare two similar surveys, maps or plans of said lands and premises and file the same—one in the office of this Board and the other in the office of the Register of the County of Bronx, in accordance with the provisions of section 1436 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JACOB WEIL, W. H. PENDRY, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., CHARLES I. MOORE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, FREDERICK TRAU, JACOB BARTSCHERER, Committee on Health.

Health Commissioner Goldwater addressed the Board in favor of this ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kochendorfer, Levy, McGarry, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Trau, Weil, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—43.

Negative—Aldermen Benninger, Burden, Donnelly, Ferguson, Fink and Schweickert—6.

No. 180—Int. No. 239.

The Committee on Markets, to which was referred on February 3, 1914 (Minutes, page 448), the annexed ordinance to abandon Fulton Market, respectfully

REPORTS:

That your Committee has thoroughly investigated the Fulton Market, Borough of Manhattan. A personal inspection of the said Market was made by the Committee. A financial report was obtained for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914, a copy of which is hereto attached and a letter was sent to the tenants and former tenants, a copy of same and a summary of replies is hereto annexed.

A public hearing on the matter was held and in view of the information obtained the Committee has come to the conclusion that it would be to the best interest of the City, owing to the large financial loss it has maintained and still maintains, in the running of the said Fulton Market, to abandon the same and the Committee further recommends that the proceeds of the sale of the present site be turned into the general fund for the acquisition of real estate for municipal market purposes.

The Committee therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE relative to the abandonment of Fulton Market.

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

Section 1. All that lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and bounded on the north by Beekman st., on the east by South st., on the south by Fulton st., and on the west by Front st., heretofore set aside by this Board as a public market and designated as "Fulton Market" is hereby declared to be no longer suitable for that purpose and such designation is hereby in all respects cancelled and revoked; and the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue the maintenance thereof as such public market and surrender the said lands and buildings thereon erected to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for any other public purpose or for sale in the manner provided by law.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor.

HYMAN POUKER, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ABRAHAM M. LEVY, ROBT. L. MORAN, JESSE D. MOORE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FREDERICK TRAU, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Markets.

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 6, 1914.

Mr. HYMAN POUKER, Chairman, Committee on Markets, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—In accordance with the request of even date from Mr. Charles W. O'Reilly, Clerk, Committee on Markets, I beg to offer the following financial statement concerning receipts and expenditures of Fulton Market:

During the year 1913 the entire receipts from the Fulton Market, from stand rent, wagon fees and permits, amounted to	$29,170 46
The expenses for the same period were as follows:	
Maintenance and Collector's salary.....	3,015 78
Interest at 4 per cent. on valuation.....	21,000 00
Loss from exemption from taxation.....	9,502 50
Making a total cost to the City.....	$33,518 28

The present amount of rental being received from the Market is $377.66 per week, or at the rate of about $19,600 per year, but that this amount will not be received during the year 1914 is indicated by the fact that four of the present tenants have stated that they will withdraw from the Market on or before May 1st, and the rental paid by these tenants would amount to $2,000 per annum.

In 1912 the receipts from the Market for stand rents were about $37,000.

In 1913, as above stated, the receipts were a little more than $29,000 and it is probable, if the Market is allowed to continue during the year 1914, that the receipts will fall to $17,000 or less for the entire year.

There are at present only 31 permit holders using this Market, which number will shortly be reduced, as indicated above. Yours respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

(Copy.)

February 3rd, 1913.

Honorable WILLIAM R. PATTERSON, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit an estimate covering necessary repairs and alterations to place Fulton Market in a sanitary and up-to-date condition:

New cement floor throughout ground floor of markets	$8,500 00
New cement sidewalk	2,500 00
New curb	500 00
New comfort station	7,500 00
New drainage system	5,000 00
New electric light system	1,000 00
Removing inside and outside stands	1,000 00
Repairs to interior woodwork of burned section	1,500 00
Replacing burned and damaged windows on street faces of market, and window glass throughout building (except skylights)	1,500 00
Repairs to skylights, including glass	2,500 00
New stairways and repairs	1,000 00
Repairs to tin roof	2,000 00
Repairs to slate roof	500 00
Repairs to woodwork and changing partitions and walls	1,500 00
New wood floors	500 00
New metal ceilings and walls	2,000 00
Pointing up, removing and new brickwork	2,000 00
Painting	7,500 00
New store fronts	6,000 00
Incidentals, etc. (10 per cent.)	5,500 00
	$60,000

Respectfully, LEROY F. COX, Assistant Engineer.

City of New York, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, March 11th, 1914.

Sir—It is the desire of the Committee on Markets, before reporting on the abolishment of Fulton Market to inquire of the old and former tenants, as to whether they will again rent space in the Fulton Market, in the event that the City would put the said market in a tenantable condition at an expense of about sixty thousand dollars ($60,000).

That would mean that the rental per square foot in the said market would be approximately $1.78.

An immediate reply would be greatly appreciated by the said Committee.

Respectfully, HYMAN POUKER, Chairman, Committee on Markets.

Summary of replies to inquiry sent to all 1912 and 1913 standholders in Fulton Market (copy of letter of inquiry annexed): Favorable (wholesale or retail, not indicated), 4; favorable (wholesalers), 4; apparently favorable (not specific as to rent; possibly evasive; one a wholesaler), 5; unfavorable, 4; in bankruptcy, 1; not found, 8; not heard from, 27. Number of standholders circularized, 53.

Which, on motion of Alderman Kochendorfer, was laid over until the next meeting.

No. 181 (Int. No. 465).

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

By Vice-Chairman Esterbrook—

Leo J. Burgmyer, 26 Herkimer st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Dennis J. Clare and Geo. H. Pettit.

Nelson L. North, Jr., 150 Hancock st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Frank W. Holmes and Geo. A. Logan.

By Alderman Bartscherer—
Eugene Riester, 74 Troutman st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Jos. Weigand and Frank Dedreux.
Louis Heyman, 401 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Paul Buss and Samuel Muhlstien.
By Alderman Bedell—
Andrew J. Maguire, 708 West End ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. D. Fleming and M. Samuel Siron.
Harry B. Raffel, 2 W. 88th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. T. Scharp and Oswald N. Jacoby.
By Alderman Benninger—
John A. Nugent, Dakota ave., Richmond Hill, L. I.
Endorsed by John J. Halsey and Daniel F. Nugent.
By Alderman Boschen—
Harold Hunter Cassidy, 321 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John W. Ingram and Albert Massey.
Emery C. Weller, 83 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Frank E. Mullen and John F. Curry.
Edward H. MacDermott, 510 W. 180th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry A. Miller and Harry T. Andrews.
By Alderman Bosse—
William J. McCarthy, 1838 71st st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Harold A. Callan and Matthew P. Breen, Jr.
Alexander S. Fischer, 3 Steins court, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Sigmund Beck, M. D., and Julian Robinson.
Isaac Marks, 1342 51st st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and P. McCormack.
By Alderman Brush—
Charles J. C. Clarke, 217 W. 110th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward Coyle and Horace A. Hocking.
Albert A. Raphael, 23 Morningside ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by William Goldsticker and Joseph H. Adams.
By Alderman Carroll—
Albert Janes, 21 E. 89th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. W. Fuhrmann and Frederick A. Entz.
Frederick James Dennis, 110 E. 57th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John P. Everick and Joseph F. Lamley.
Joseph Vincent DeRosa, 19 E. 88th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by William A. Eaton and Grover C. Oberle.
By Alderman Chorosh—
Max Louis Lowenstein, 133 Lenox ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Haskel Corenthal and Michael H. Solomon.
Hyman Oshansky, 64 W. 118th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Michael A. Kornreich and John L. Gates.
Isaac Rosenbloom, 138 W. 116th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel W. Wallach and Joseph H. Friedman.
By Alderman Coleman—
Edward Grotecloss, 116 Lefferts place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by William J. Gault and James B. Cooney.
John J. Walker, 13 St. Francis place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Arthur H. Walsond and Charles T. Murphy.
Elsie Marie Frey, 588 Washington ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Charles S. Berry and Lewis Hoch.
By Alderman Curran—
Frank D. Cunniff, 32 Washington Square West, Manhattan.
Endorsed by William J. Moran and John J. Buckley.
By Alderman Diemer—
Jacob Levy, 249 Hart st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Harry W. Brinley and Henry Kelly.
Abraham Saffir, 219 Pulaski st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Fred. Ross and Simon Stern.
By Alderman Dostal, Jr.—
Sigmund Schuer, 329 E. Houston st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Louis L. Kalen and Louis Carr.
William Sinkovitz, 113 E. 3d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isaac Siegel and Michael Fisher.
By Alderman Dotzler—
Benjamin Eskowitz, 745 E. 6th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Goldstein and Meyer Epos.
By Alderman Dujat—
Augustine M. Reilly, 450 National ave., Corona, L. I.
Endorsed by Nat C. Strong and Walter F. Durknamt.
Thomas F. Farrell, 19 E. Fillmore ave., Corona, L. I.
Endorsed by Charles P. Ricker and M. J. Roth.
By Alderman Ferrand—
Joseph Friedenberg, 416 Carlton ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by William R. Fagan and Leo V. Doherty.
James J. Clark, 189 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by William R. Fagan and Robt. F. Doyle.
Harry A. Sylvester, 652 Washington ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Leo V. Doherty and John S. Cohen.
Charles W. Hickson, 549 Bergen st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Leo V. Doherty and John S. Cohen.
Byron C. Belknap, 450 Dean st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Lucius S. Bayliss and James J. Clark.
Carl R. Fuller, 238 Clermont ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by William R. Fagan and John S. Cohen.
Albert Nugent, 519 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Leo V. Doherty and John S. Cohen.
By Alderman Fink—
J. Sterling Drake, 244 Deems ave., W. N. Brighton, S. I.
Endorsed by L. Wells and Orrin L. Brodie.
Harry F. Zurmuhler, 108 3d ave., W. N. Brighton, S. I.
Endorsed by Geo. F. Coyle and Carl D. Isaacs.
By Alderman Hamilton—
Leo Turbow, 26 E. 198th st., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Morris Salkind and Raymond Wilcox.
Charles W. Cowles, 1821 Morris ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by James H. Lehmaier and William M. Cluet.
By Alderman Hannon—
Abraham J. Norris, 17 Barrow st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Nugent and Wm. J. Lein.
By Alderman Hogan—
Joseph C. Harris, 31 Sidney place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. H. Ralston and Thos. P. Crowne.
Robert B. Hilliard, 159 Bergen st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. H. Ralston and Thos. P. Crowne.
Thomas Edward Mangan, 62 Livingston st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. H. Ralston and Chas. M. Hall.
Frank D. Hendrickson, 296 Dean st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. H. Ralston and Thos. P. Crowne.
John E. Lohrmann, 79 Warren st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by John J. Mannix and Wm. A. Ruddy.
Daniel H. Hall, 204 Pacific st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Ralph E. Hemstreet and Wm. B. Hurd.
Thomas C. Crawford, 171 Warren st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. W. Slater and J. S. Humphrey.
By Alderman Kochendorfer—
Regina Duryea, 8th st., Union Course, L. I.
Endorsed by A. Walker Otis and Gilbert F. Brush.
By Alderman Lein—
William L. Kleinle, 123 Lexington ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Barnet Kantor and Henry Ecker.
By Alderman Levy—
Harry Guion, 215 Scholes st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Barney Zirinsky and M. Barkan.
Harold Ahren Leschinsky, 3 Moore st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Nathan Helfat and Manuel Helfat.
By Alderman McCann—
Anna Wilson, 358 W. 53d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Chas. M. Edgerton and Jos. B. Mensing.
Howard S. LaVelle, 1730 Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. Quattlander and M. E. Duffy.
Cornelius M. Shannon, 235 W. 60th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Conrad Stollberg and John J. Hayden.
By Alderman McGarry—
William J. Cantwell, 101 10th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. W. Sparks and John J. O'Brien.
By Alderman McNally—
Emilie Smith, 1045 Hoe ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Vincent Volence, Jr., and William Baumgarten.
William R. Wiener, 943 Whitlock ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Maurice Muschel and Raymond C. Selby.
By Alderman Charles J. Moore—
Peter Horn, 45 Yale ave., Jamaica, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by John H. Meyer and Elias Helgans.
Barnett Schilling, 450 Bradford st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Herman A. Schlesinger and George Kerittel.
Harry F. S. Mott, 342 Liberty ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Thornton Earle and William R. Rust.
By Alderman Jesse D. Moore—
Harry King, 261 Devoe st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Frederick H. Chase and Richard Mott Cahoone.
By Alderman Molen—
Frank X. Jagocki, 707 3d ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Herman C. Lehrenkrauss and A. Simon.
William J. Heffernan, 594 4th ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Bernard M. Nolan and Jonas Litt.
By Alderman Moran—
William P. J. Bible, 1524 Pelham road, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jacob Weissberg and George A. Hefters.
By Alderman Frank Mullen—
Charles J. Anderson, 503 W. 148th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Philip A. Johann and Michael F. Bonneef.
Abraham Wielar, 287 Edgecombe ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. E. Warren and Charles A. Burr.
Mabel A. Hills, 289 W. 147th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Hines and Jeremiah F. Sullivan.
By Alderman James F. Mullen—
Arthur L. Davis, 20 E. 97th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Philip Munter and Marcus E. Mandelbaum
By Alderman Pendry—
Thomas J. Gowen, 1036 Halsey st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Jeremiah I. Bacon and Stephen J. Madigan.
By Alderman Quinn—
Jno. N. Ryan, 67 W. 73d s., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Emanuel J. Heitner and Alfred Seibert.
H. D. Tyler, 315 W. 79th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isaac Nelson and Charles Evans Hawthorne.
Marion M. Welsh, "Chattsworth," 72d st. and Riverside drive, Manhattan.
Endorsed by William J. Cullen and John C. Hamilton.
Walter D. Gubner, 580 West End ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Elias Siebert and Michael J. O'Connor.
By Alderman Reardon—
John Rak, Jr., 404 E. 76th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. Edenhahn and B. H. Farley.
Joseph Bergmann, 1427 2d ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by George W. Kearney and E. L. Coleman.
William Kohn, 1487 1st ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Harry D. Osgood and D. J. Halper.
By Alderman Robitzek—
John Joseph Monahan, 666 Crotona Park South, The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by James M. Vincent and Wm. J. Bolger.
Louis Smith, Jr., 1157 Vyse ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph Kleiner and Morris Lerghz.
Philip Wielar, 636 E. 170th st., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Lester H. Clark and Stephen J. Hassett.
Joseph A. Flanly, 1458 Wilkins ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by George Bloom and Herman Storck.
William J. Daly, Jr., 901 Trinity ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles J. O. Sullivan and Gerald Jackson.
John H. Gallagher, 2216 Adams place, The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John A. Erimmer and P. A. Geib.
Rose V. Pearl, 2322 Crotona ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by J. Rhoder O'Reilly and Max Sakowitz.
By Alderman Rosenblum—
Abraham J. Bernstein, 374 Saratoga ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Leo Horowitz and Louis Salzman.
Herman Rosahnsky, 1627 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by David Nurkubank and Henry E. Jacobs.
Samuel Rubinsky, 2218 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Alfred Schletter and William M. Chapman.
By Alderman Spencer—
Blaine Ewing, 4 W. 53d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. R. Heatlo and F. H. Bacon.
George Lyman Avery, 43 W. 36th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Simon Friedman and James Kenney.
By Alderman Squiers—
Leon Longuemare, 3412 Glenwood road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Alan McVeigh and Gilbert E. Briard.
Lucretia S. Banigan, 2250 Clarendon road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Philip A. Benson and A. Harper.
Ida L. Doxsey, 817 Park place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Jerry A. Wernberg and John S. Stryker.
Alexander R. Kellegrew, 354 E. 25th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Henry L. Bogert and Frank H. Quinby.
John C. Williams, 215 Clarkson ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Frederick M. Livingston and Robert S. Kuskeller.
John A. Donohue, Jr., 1298 Sterling place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by R. E. Montgomery and J. L. Rosenthal.
James B. Fisher, 910 Ocean ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Herman F. Schmaltz and J. D. Dixin.
George K. Marin, 366 E. 25th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Albert C. McEwan and Alfred G. Foote.
By Alderman Stapleton—
Samuel Lazarus, 5 and 7 Attorney st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Morris Hanft and Harris Glass.
By Alderman Stevenson—
Seward Goetschius Spoor, 800 President st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Benjamin G. Bain and Theo. J. Hearn.
Abraham Cook, 1633 8th ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Edward B. Kegel and Harry Rubenstein.
Henry H. Hess, 519 8th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. Walter Free and Harry V. Wing.
By Alderman Valentine—
Harry V. Webb, 429 46th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Charles Paradiso and Gilbert L. Kerr.
William R. Best, 348 61st st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Walter McLennan and Byrd D. Wise.
By Alderman Wendel, Jr.—
Eugene William Moran, 706 11th ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph J. Glennon and James P. Lysaght.

Frank J. Marrey, 442 W. 49th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jos. B. Mensing and Peter A. Rose.
Jacob Kleinman, 843 8th ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. V. Meckel and George F. Phillips.

Alderman Hannon moved that the foregoing resolution be amended by the addition of the following names:

By Alderman Hannon—
Harry P. Somerville, 140 Christopher st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Winters and John J. O'Connor.
By Alderman Ferrand—
David A. Scott, 261 Prospect place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Carroll P. Brennan and John A. Goodman.

Which amendment was unanimously accepted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Burns, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Molen, Moore (Charles J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (James F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Reardon, Robitzek, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, White, Wilmot; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—67.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, RESUMED.

No. 507—(G. O. No. 196).

By the President—

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

By O. Grant Esterbrook—
August George Beyer, 319 Halsey st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. F. Werner and W. H. Pendry.
Joseph I. Erenstoft, 15 Van Buren st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel Black and Samuel Erenstoft.
Sidney H. Weinberg, 231 Van Buren st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel Chugerman and Henry Meyer.
Wm. H. Van Pelt, Jr., 299 Putnam ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Richard C. Addg and F. L. Eschbach.
William E. Buckley, 123 Halsey st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip Reifschneider, Jr. and W. Burchard Smith.
By Alderman Bartscherer—
John W. Bose, 57 Irving ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Maxwell C. Burger and Benjamin F. Wingate.
Maurice L. Katz, 25 Bogart st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph Rittenberg and Wm. C. Rittenberg.
By Alderman Bedell—
Bernard J. Connolly, Jr., 42 W. 93d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by George W. May and Gilbert L. Kerr.
Frederick Gilbert Merrill, 26 W. 97th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Richard K. McGonigal and Fred. C. Williams.
William I. Lehman, 333 Central Park West, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Chas. E. Jones and R. M. Steineller.
Samuel Herman Sternberg, 72 W. 91st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry W. Pollock and Henry Feugelman.
Roy Conner Clark, 61 W. 91st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. W. Sullivan and Martin Bourke.
By Alderman Benninger—
John V. Dollard, Healy ave., Far Rockaway, Queens.
Endorsed by James A. Boylan and Chas. L. O'Reilly.
Patrick Henry Morrison, Rockaway Beach, Queens.
Endorsed by Berthold Davis and A. C. Benninger.
Michael Schoenherr, 300 St. Nicholas ave., Ridgewood, Queens.
Endorsed by Louis H. Meyer and George F. Schumacker.
Paul Chas. Josephs, 1820 Myrtle ave., Queens.
Endorsed by Emil Wolfertz and Philip J. Hoesten.
John P. Kissling, 242 Vernam ave., Arverne, Queens.
Endorsed by William J. Bipe and Emil A. Williams.
By Alderman Boschen—
John P. Walsh, 4620 Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel W. McCarte and Frederick J. McGuire.
George W. May, 185 Audubon ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by William Dunn and Gilbert L. Kerr.
Edward M. Cummings, 962 St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry Doniger and Max A. Feuerlicht.
Joseph E. Cavanagh, 601 W. 179th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Bernard E. Murphy and Chas. M. Kiefer.
Clarence J. Carroll, 600 W. 176th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by David Vogel and Joseph D. Jennings.
Mervyn, Wolff, 880 W. 180th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. H. Barnes and R. L. Cherry.
Clark G. Drum, 521 W. 159th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry S. Huipt and John T. Dooling.
By Alderman Bosse—
Gilbert D. Steiner, 8305 20th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John C. Robinson and A. G. Carroll.
Harry Richard, 1084 E. 17th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles Steckler and Alfred Steckler.
Guiseppe Termini, 1105 Avenue U, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Giovanni Lordi and Angelo Leguiti.
Andrew C. Kopf, Jr., 158 Bay 35th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. R. Jung and Robt. H. Klitz.
Samuel Waldman, 5418 14th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Morris Fatt and Jacob Shoben.
Philip Pariser, 2859 Cortland st., Coney Island, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip M. Bromberg and F. Lunde.
Vincent Massa, 1423 Mermaid ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Rocco Mega and Philip Perry.
George O. Sayer, 1744 W. 9th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William S. Pickard and Daniel C. Evans.
William Francis Doran, 1840 Coney Island ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James Smith and John Musano.
By Alderman Brush—
Max Wilhelm, 230 W. 113th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Rudolph Haurourtz and Morris Levy.
Henry Austin Steinbock, 403 W. 127th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John H. Loscann and John Kohmann.
Noah A. Stancliffe, 242 W. 104th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles J. Hardy and Frederick P. Whitaker.
Louis A. Solomon, 204 W. 110th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Goldberg and Abraham N. Pearlman.
Stansbury Hagar, 29 Claremont ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by William R. Dorman and Frank Barker.
Emile Dreyfus, 485 Central Park West, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Richard M. Henry and Jacob ———.
By Alderman Burden—
David Pantiel, 991 Van Alst ave., Astoria, Queens.
Endorsed by Edward Schnaubelt, Jr., and Harry H. Thayer.
Ludwig L. Scaserra, 265 Prospect st., Long Island City.
Endorsed by A. B. Campbell and Frank C. Eaton.
Henry Hansen, 547 9th ave., Long Island City.
Endorsed by Herman Korb and Henry Koch.
By Alderman Burns—
Morris William Blumenthal, 336 Rivington st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by N. Garmise and Philip Wallach.
By Alderman Carberry—
David Engel, 81 Johnson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. Selig and W. Haedrich, Jr.
By Alderman Carroll—
Dorothy Straus, 2 W. 86th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. Van Kaper and Ralph Folks.
David S. Myers, 59 E. 93d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Abraham Obbstein and Henry Feugelmann.
S. Earl Levene, 64 E. 90th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edgar Bromberger and Nathan D. Lewian.
By Alderman Chorosh—
Anna Galitz, 67 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Harry Lesser and Alexander Balgley.
Anna D. Rothstein, 47-49 W. 112th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Moses H. Rothstein and Moses H. Levine.
Isidor Tow, 12 E. 127th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Mortimer H. Israel and Alex. Daero.
Leopold Levy, 163 Lenox ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Lester Hochstadler and Edward J. Healy.
Levin L. Brown, 201 W. 120th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles Steckler and Harry Richard.
By Alderman Coleman—
William Mead, 14 St. Charles place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph A. Byrne and Walter Schulze.
John Cozza, 98 Skillman st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Fred. G. Milligan, Jr., and Edw. J. Reilly.
By Alderman Cunningham—
Harry Douglas McGahie, 50 1st place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Wm. J. McGahie and John Kochendorfer.
By Alderman Curran—
Caroline Morton Dexter, 29 E. 29th st. (Hotel Martha Washington), Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. Adams Brown and John Haynes Holmes.
By Alderman Delaney—
Arthur J. Archibald, 234 E. 89th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Milton Speisey and Gerald G. Schwartz.
John Joseph Madden, 1703 Lexington ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Stiefel and Richard O'Keeffe.
By Alderman Diemer—
Morris Besdine, 949 De Kalb ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel Rubin and L. Karp.
Jacob Schauf, 1295 President st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Diemer and Fred. Ross.
By Alderman Dixson—
Maximilian L. Seidman, 719 Driggs ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by L. Goldfarb and Louis Kassvary.
By Alderman Donnelly—
Edward S. Lynch, 338 Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph Steinberg and Louis Boehm.
By Alderman Dotzler—
Max Gelles, 653 E. 5th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Max Frieder and I. A. Krulewitch.
Samuel H. Kunstlich, 619 E. 5th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herman Hellenstein and Adolph Lawry.
Jacob Shapiro, 270 7th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. B. Scheeimer and A. J. Smith.
William Goldsmith, 222 7th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Aaron Gold and Henry Goldman.
By Alderman Dujat—
William E. Helm, 122 44th st., Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by Eugene J. Rooney and Thomas J. Phelan.
Samuel M. Greene, 27 W. Jackson ave., Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by Harry Fisher and Edwin G. Klein.
Henry Rocholl Engler, 153 Lefferts ave., Queens.
Endorsed by Chas. A. Barton and J. R. Malone.
By Alderman Eagan—
Thomas H. Argue, 350 E. 51st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Frank Martow and Henry A. Munk.
By Alderman Eichhorn—
Thomas Chas. Buichert, 1336 Hancock st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Diemer and John J. Decea.
William H. Kruse, 593 Evergreen ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Faneuil V. Weissehud and Emerson Hillyer.
By Alderman Ferrand—
John J. McHugh, 511 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frederick G. Robinson and John J. Byrne.
L. Harry Fisher, 421 Sterling place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thos. G. Edge and Charles F. Murphy.
Harry Wandmacher, 681 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by S. G. Nassenson and Allen H. Remsen.
Jacob Manne, 231 Park place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Richard M. Henry and Emile Dreyfus.
By Alderman Ferguson—
Thomas H. McLaughlin, 887 Brook ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles J. Friedrich and Fred. U. Fuhrman.
Sigmund Spreng, 781 St. Anns ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Morris Wilofener and Edward Marx.
By Alderman Gaynor—
John T. Comerford, 551 Wythe ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by P. J. Scully and D. W. McCoy.
Hannah Stein, 298 South 2d st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Louis J. Levy and J. C. Levi.
Alice Loughran, 540 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Vincent C. Nyse and John S. Gaynor.
John F. Mezger, 198 Wilson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William Lee and William J. Bogenshutz.
By Alderman Hamilton—
John Eichele, 1808 Anthony ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by F. R. Kemp and Wm. Z. Lewis.
Anthony McCarthy, 385 E. 198th st., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Louis H. Hahlo and Arthur Sweeny.
Henry M. Levin, 2092 Ryer ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Sigmund Rubin and M. L. Levine.
By Alderman Hogan—
Albert Emmons, 341 Hudson ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by D. V. Barnes and C. J. Brenning.
Clara King Litchfield, 46 Willow st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Mark S. Kiler and Reuben L. Haskell.
John W. Frost, 155 Amity st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Stephen G. Doig and H. V. Hammond.
By Alderman Igstaedter—
Solomon Brinn, 1580 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Wm. J. Dramond and Joseph Feinberg.
Edward H. Pessells, 151 W. 129th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. F. Sullivan and Frederick Richter.
George Washington Tucker, Jr., 623 W. 136th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. J. Scully and Jeremiah F. Sullivan.
By Alderman Jacobson—
Anna M. Schoenkopf, 78 Norfolk st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by David L. Rubinstein and Jacob Khason.
George H. Rosenstein, 185 Henry st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isadore I. Steinberg and Harry Yarss.
By Alderman Kenneally—
Martin J. Freiwald, 405 E. 18th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herman Kahn and Edward J. Bickermann.
Dominick John Guccione, 210 E. 19th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jas. H. Loon and Herman H. Schulz.

By Alderman Kochendorfer—
John M. Wellbrock, 4916 Ridgewood ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by Nelson L. North, Jr., and George A. Logan.
Philip J. Young, 389 Benedict ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by Ralph W. Covert and Philip Schneider.
Howard O. Wood, 58 Flushing ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by Arthur Watson Ladd and George C. Damon.
Samuel A. Hodges, 45 Vanderveer ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by Charles F. Douglas and Albert C. Schwarz.
John M. O'Neill, 4026 Brandon st., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by Jacob J. Kehr and William I. Carle.
Charles Edward Trinkaus, 848 Herald ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by Eugene H. Gates and Rufus King.
Adelaide A. Macdonald, 20 Dore ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by J. Sheldon Fosdick and Benj. Jay Humphrey.

By Alderman Lein—
Cornelius H. Farrel, 81 Lexington ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John T. Skelly and J. Jurin.
Leon Lewin, 330 3d ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by James H. McGann and William L. Herbert.

By Alderman Levy—
Abraham Miles, 37 Graham ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip Dubin and Philip Cann.

By Alderman McCann—
Flora A. Chickering, 351 W. 55th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Nathan T. Pulsifer and Arthur Phelps Marr.

By Alderman McNally—
Sadye Heitlinger, 850 Longwood ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert Jablin and J. Charles Grosbut.
William Band, 478 Brook ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Louis Fox and Lewis Robert Anschutz.

By Alderman Molen—
Louise B. Schattenkircher, 80 Hanson place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jas. H. Strain and Edward S. Schenck.

By Alderman Charles J. Moore—
Edward D. Lyons, 631 Crescent st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. M. Nelson and Walter W. Head.
Bernard J. Rielly, 109 Arlington ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James A. Sheehan and Frank A. Carroll.

By Alderman Frank Mullen—
Stephen S. Schloss, 522 W. 147th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Renwick M. Brown and William Rippey.
William Weiss, 509 W. 142d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Maurice Meyer and Arthur C. Kahn.
Thomas McSulla, 518 W. 146th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. McCormack and James H. Cross.

By Alderman James F. Mullen—
Philip Joseph, 1 E. 100th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. Ruliller and Abraham Straus.
Bernard H. Sandler, 1771 Madison ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and Nathan Lieberman.

By Alderman O'Rourke—
Ernest M. Garbe, 58 Harrison st., Stapleton, S. I.
Endorsed by Jeremiah A. O'Leary and Harold E. Wittemann.

By Alderman Pendry—
John Bulek, Jr., 89 Harman st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Lewis M. Swasey and Morris B. Law.
Warren Pierce White, 24 Cornelia st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Gilbert H. Rhoades and William J. Pape.

By Alderman Pouker—
John W. Donegan, 121 E. 126th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Colwell and William Robins.

By Alderman Quinn—
Louis Levit, 122 W. 102d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Rubin Auerbach and Isaac H. Kaplan.

By Alderman Reardon—
Samuel Einstein, 1283 3d ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Patrick J. McGrath and Joseph T. Smith.

By Alderman Robitzek—
John A. Murphy, 510 Tremont st., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by C. W. Collins and John N. Dick.
Hugh J. Begley, 694 Union ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John T. Mooney and Harry J. Sneudaira.
William Mahler, 1970 Hughes ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis S. Turner and Marcus Freiman.
Florence T. Everiss, 1830 3d ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Walter Whewell and Charles V. Halley, Jr.

By Alderman Rosenblum—
Lewis M. Cowen, 79 Grafton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by B. F. Friederman and Henry E. Cohen.
Aaron Reiser, 432 Rockaway ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Hyman Spitz and Morris Kissenbaum.
Jacob Seiderman, 551 Christopher ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Herman Lehman and Charles H. Levy.
Rose Dorlen, 1860 Sterling place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jacob A. Freedman and Marcus Palley.
Samuel Stern, 1498 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel E. Leventhal and Robert J. Frank.

By Alderman Squiers—
Harry Yarm, 948 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Benjamin D. Rose and Max Roehart, Jr.
William F. Bantje, 865 E. 21st st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by A. M. Coleman and Matthew J. Maroney.
William Harry Huelser, 2725 Church ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry J. F. Davey and J. F. Cummings,
Joseph M. McCaffrey, 255 Troy ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles H. Hewey and Henry F. Loble.
Vivian S. Kraeger, 890 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James M. Peake and Herbert Peake.
Joseph J. Miller, 822 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry A. Rubino and Herman C. Rubino.
Joseph H. Esquirol, 25 Crooks ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Adrian M. Williamson and Frank B. Steinbugler.
John Andrews Davies, 2913 Clarendon road, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William A. DeGroot and Francis A. McCloskey.
Jacob Stein, 1452 E. 17th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert J. Mayer and Peter A. Locke.
Frank Thorn, 154 Lefferts ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and Hyman R. Segal.
Lewis E. Birdseye, 850 E. 13th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph B. Cummings and Wm. H. Huelser.

By Alderman Stapleton—
Thomas A. Shiels, 283 E. Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. J. Scully and P. McCormack.
Richard J. Delehanty, 5 Madison st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Michael Stapleton and James P. Dwien.

By Alderman Stevenson—
David L. Blick, 1648 10th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jacob Stutsky and Myron Meger.
Thomas Tomguist Carlson, 481 6th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Abraham Worms and Isaac Katz.
Frederick J. Getren, 394 5th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John D. Books and Edward J. Renouard.
Christian Fluhr, 462 16th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Ernest M. Nasan and John E. Hinman.
George W. Carrougher, 363 12th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank Woodworth and Thomas E. Cleverly.
Robert E. Montgomery, 537 8th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Daniel A. Boyle and Charles F. Love.
George L. O'Neill, 316 12th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph S. Byrne and Richard M. Byrne.
Doretha S. Warsawer, 390 4th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Hyman Altman and Franklin S. Keller.

By Alderman Taylor—
William Bolles Hodgsdon, 735 Lexington ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Edwin H. Squiers and Charles G. Hall.
Frank Bennett, 712 Macon st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Clifton W. Wilder and Olian C. Semper.
Frederick C. Stopenhagen, 366 Bainbridge st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. J. Curtin and Fred. Balz.
Seymour Bluestone, 1058 Putnam ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by W. H. Pendry and B. H. Pendry.
Thomas B. Lineburgh, 737 Quincy st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Wm. F. McGowan and Percival F. Purcell.

By Alderman Trau—
Charles Alessi, 242 E. 116th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Michael A. Scudi and N. A. Bruns.
Charles Goldinger, 161 E. 106th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry Silver and David Wadro.

By Alderman Valentine—
Anthony F. Tuozzo, 947 70th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Gerard J. Cuono and Joseph M. Torrisi.
William Dunn, 575 52d st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Bernard J. Connolly, Jr., and Wm. J. Sullivan.
Arthur R. MacLoughlin, 339 78th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Embury McLean and R. E. Fox, Jr.
Paul V. Hoyler, 205 71st st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John W. Ockford and Guthrie B. Plarte.

By Alderman Wendel, Jr.—
Charles Galewski, 324 W. 51st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. M. Aurrett and Abraham S. Weltisch.
George Haag, 356 W. 45th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Louis Schianne and Henry B. Tiernan.

By Alderman White—
Alex. S. Weinberger, 233 E. 12th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Abraham G. Meyer and Leopold W. Beringer.

By Alderman Wilmot—
Max D. Goodman, Sun Hill road, near Jerome ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. Edelman and Arthur D. Wolf.
J. Henry Browne, 3355 Sedgwick ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank E. Brugman and Arthur V. Sheridan.
Andrew T. McKegney, 2486 Devoe terrace, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by James S. McCarthy and James J. Hines.
Which was laid over.

No. 508.

By Alderman Boschen—
Resolved, That the new street as laid out on the map covering the improvement of the old American League Baseball Park, runnig from W. 165th st. to W. 168th st., between Broadway and Fort Washington ave., Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby designated as "Knowlton place," and the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized to inscribe the maps and records of The City of New York in accordance therewith.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public thoroughfares.

No. 509.

By Alderman Burns—
Resolved, That Max Shapiro, of 311 Henry st., in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 510.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Railways Company to place and keep a temporary open structure for the shelter of relays of horses of the said Company during the months of June, July, August and September, 1914, in the carriageway, adjacent to the curb in front of the said Company's premises, 605 to 611 Grand st., in the Borough of Manhattan, said temporary open structure to be removed in October; the work to be done at said Company's expense, under the supervision of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the months of June, July, August and September, 1914.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 511.

By Alderman Carroll—
AN ORDINANCE to regulate the use of the streets of New York for processions and parades and to repeal section 1457 of the Greater New York Charter by authority of the Laws of 1901, chapter 466, section 3.
Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. No procession, parade or race shall be permitted upon any street, avenue or parkway in The City of New York without a written permit first obtained from the Police Commissioner. Application for such permit shall be made in writing upon a suitable form prescribed and furnished by the Police Department not less than thirty-six (36) hours previous to the forming or marching of such procession, parade or race.
Section 2. The Police Commissioner shall, after due investigation of such application, grant such permit subject to the following restrictions:
(a) He shall grant no permit where he has good reason to believe that the proposed procession, parade or race will be disorderly in character or tend to disturb the public peace.
(b) He shall grant no permit for the use of any street, avenue or parkway or material portion thereof which is ordinarily subject to congestion of traffic and is chiefly of a business or mercantile character except upon those holidays when the places of business along the route proposed are closed, or on Sunday when permitted by law on that day, or on other days between the hours of 6.30 p. m. and 9 a. m.
(c) Each such permit shall designate specifically the route through which the procession, parade or race shall move, and it may also specify the width of the roadway to be used, and may include such rules and regulations as the Police Commissioner may deem necessary.
(d) Special permits for occasions of extraordinary public interest, not annual or customary, or not so intended to be, may be granted by the Police Commissioner for any street, avenue or parkway and for any day or hour, with the written approval of the Mayor.
Section 3. The chief officer of any procession, parade or race for which a permit shall hereafter be granted by the Police Commissioner shall be responsible for the strict observance of all rules and regulations included in said permit.
Section 4. This ordinance shall not apply
(a) To the ordinary and necessary movements of the United States Army, United States Navy, National Guard, Police Department and Fire Department, or
(b) To such portion or portions of any street, avenue or parkway in The City of New York which may have already been or may hereafter be duly set aside as a speedway or as speedways, or
(c) To funeral processions of less than twenty-five (25) vehicles or one hundred (100) persons on foot.
Section 5. Every person participating in any procession, parade or race which shall or may take place, except in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars ($25) or imprisonment not exceeding ten (10) days, or both, in the discretion of the Court.
Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 512.

By Alderman Duggan—
AN ORDINANCE prescribing the fees to be paid for licenses to have and possess pistols or revolvers in dwellings or places of business, or to have and carry concealed a pistol or revolver in The City of New York.
Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Section four hundred and thirty-four of chapter ten of part one of

the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as amended by the Ordinance adopted January 24, 1911, and recived from his Honor the Mayor February 7, 1911, without his approval or disapproval thereof, is hereby amended to read as follows:

§434. [The Police Commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered, for reasons appearing to be satisfactory to him, to annul or revoke any permission given under this ordinance.] Every person to whom a [permit] *license* shall be granted [, as above provided ,] *to have and possess a pistol or revolver in a dwelling or place of business in The City of New York* shall pay therefor [the sum of $10.00, which shall be applied in aid of the Police Pension Fund, and return, in detail, shall be made to the Comptroller or the Police Commissioner monthly, under oath, of the amount so received and credited.] *an annual fee of* $2.00. *Every person to whom a license shall be granted to have and carry concealed a pistol or revolver in said City shall pay therefor an annual fee of $10.00; provided, that no fee shall be charged or collected for a license to have and carry concealed a pistol or revolver which shall be issued upon the application of the Commissioner of Correction, or the warden or superintendent of any prison, penitentiary, workhouse or other institution for the detention of persons convicted or accused of crime or offenses, or held as witnesses in criminal cases in The City of New York. The fees prescribed by this section shall be collected by the officials issuing the licenses referred to herein and shall be paid by them into the Police Pension Fund, and a return in detail shall be made monthly to the Comptroller by such officials of the fees so collected and paid over by them.* [All persons to whom such permission shall be given are hereby declared to be individually responsible for their own acts or the consequences that may arise from the use of loaded pistols, revolvers or firearms, carried under the permission obtained as provided in this ordinance.]

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 513.

By Alderman Dujat—

Resolved, That C. B. Fancy, of the Sage Foundation Homes Co., Forest Hills, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 514.

By the same—

Resolved, That George F. Carlin, of 21 Toledo st., Elmhurst, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 515.

By Alderman O'Rourke—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, has provided in the Budget for 1914 certain sums of money for Memorial Day observances in the various boroughs, in accordance with the provisions of law; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sums of money be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic and kindred associations in the various boroughs for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to pay to each of the Treasurers of the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic and kindred organizations in the various boroughs, upon his requisition, countersigned by the chairman and secretary of each of the various committees, the sums of money provided in said Budget, as follows:

Memorial Day Observances—

Code No. 3046	Borough of Manhattan	$3,000 00
Code No. 3047	Borough of The Bronx	1,000 00
Code No. 3048	Borough of Brooklyn	3,000 00
Code No. 3049	Borough of Queens	300 00
Code No. 3050	Borough of Richmond	300 00
Code No. 3051	Memorial Committee of the United Spanish War Veterans (Chapter 360, Laws of 1906)	2,500 00
Code No. 3052	Allowance to veteran associations for Decoration Day observances, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to Chapter 13, Laws of 1897	900 00

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 516.

By the same—

Whereas, A number of employees of The City of New York are members of the United Spanish War Veterans, an organization devoted to the support of the Government and to the furtherance of patriotic principles; and

Whereas, It is customary for the members of said organization to participate in the Memorial Day Parade and incidental patriotic observances; and

Whereas, The Eleventh Annual Encampment of the Department of New York will be held at Schenectady on July 6th, 7th and 8th, 1914, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Heads of all Departments and Bureaus of The City of New York, be directed to grant leave of absence with pay on May 30th, to all City employees who are members of said organization in order to enable them to participate in the said observance of Memorial Day, and a like leave of absence on July 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, 1914, to attend the said Department Encampment, provided, however, that satisfactory proof of such attendance shall be furnished to the Head of the Department or Bureau as the case may be, and if required; and be it further

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 517.

By the same—

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Coroner of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of purchasing an automobile. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 518.

By Alderman Rosenblum—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Education be and they hereby are requested to give their immediate consideration to the advisability and practicability of equipping public school buildings with baths and bathing pools for use this summer, as a substitute for the river baths, whose use has been forbidden this year because of the polluted condition of the river water.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 519.

By Alderman Squiers—

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

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

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

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

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 520.

By Alderman White—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the sale and use of "wood alcohol" in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Any substance known as wood alcohol, in its crude or deodorized form, having the chemical composition known professionally as C.H.30H, is hereby prohibited from being sold under any other name than "Wood Naphtha," nor shall it be lawful to use said chemical composition in any medical or toilet preparation. Said chemical composition, when sold as such, shall be labeled with a regulation poison label with the following words added: "This fluid taken internally, inhaled or used externally, is likely to produce blindness and lead to death." Said words shall be printed in type not less in size than eight point, as known to the trade, in red letters on a white field.

Section 2. Any person guilty of a violation of this ordinance, or any part thereof, shall upon conviction thereof before a City Magistrate, be punished by a fine of not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars for the first offense, and not less than fifty dollars for any subsequent conviction, and in default of payment of any fine so imposed shall be committed to the City prison for a term of ten days, each day of imprisonment to be taken as a liquidation of each dollar of such fine.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Health.

Alderman Donnelly moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 21, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1914.

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

Where two or more bills are embraced in the warrant, the dates of the earliest and latest are given. Where the word "Final" is shown, payment will not be made until 30 days after the completion and acceptance of the work.

All of the other warrants mentioned are 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 as to any of the below mentioned warrants, it is requested that reference be made by the Department of Finance voucher number.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
			Armory Board.	
30757			The National City Bank of Brooklyn, assignee of T. E. Quinn	$350 00
			Commissioners of Accounts.	
45605	4- 8-14	4- 9-14	Antonio Dalessandro as Chief Clerk	$10 50
46146		4-13-14	Stephen J. Delise	45 00
46147		4-13-14	Herman A. Schlesinger	15 00
46148		4-13-14	Klemens Wilkewich	10 00
46444		4-13-14	Samuel L. Judelsohn	10 00
			Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys.	
45900			Ludwig E. Antonius	$17 04
45901		4-13-14	Abraham N. Fauer	9 31
45902	4- 1-14	4-13-14	The New York World	1 38
45898		4-13-14	Abraham N. Fauer	5 00
45899		4-13-14	Thomas P. Fox	8 12
			Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.	
45173		4- 9-14	Robert Ferguson	$438 00
45179	3- 7-14	4- 9-14	Candee, Smith & Howland Co.	9 40
45182		4- 9-14	John Simmons Co.	21 50
45188	2-28-14	4- 9-14	Thos. A. Glendinning	2 50
45190	3- 3-14. 3-14-14	4- 9-14	Wm. Langbein & Bros.	56 40
45191	2- 7-14. 3-15-14	4- 9-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	20 70
45192	3- 2-14. 3-10-14	4- 9-14	E. Leitz	7 50
45194		4- 9-14	James McLean	35 00
45199			Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. of New York	81 81
45200	2- 3-14. 2-27-14	4- 9-14	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	24 17
45204	12-22-13	4- 9-14	H. Hahnenfeld	24 92
45205		4- 9-14	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	6 90
45206	1- 1-14	4- 9-14	Philipp Leser Co.	105 00
45210	12- 1-13.12-31-13	4- 9-14	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	372 36
45212	11- 7-13.12-29-13	4- 9-14	The S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Co.	29 28
45216	11-14-13.12-31-13	4- 9-14	Bloomingdale Bros.	57 56
45223	11-17-13	4- 9-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	48 75
45226	12-18-13	4- 9-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	4 65
45228	11-25-13	4- 9-14	The Spencer Optical Co.	58 00
45229			The Yale & Towne Manufacturing Co.	5 05
45230	1-19-14	4- 9-14	The Central Foundry Co	760 00
45231	7-29-13. 8- 9-13	4- 9-14	Gurney Elevator Co.	153 25
45232	2-28-14	4- 9-14	D. B. Pershall & Son	12 75
45233	2-16-14	4- 9-14	Lewis De Groff & Son	82 80
45234	2-21-14	4- 9-14	H. Hahnenfeld	18 11
45235	3- 7-14	4- 9-14	The Centauri Kumyss Co.	7 20
45237	2-24-14. 2-27-14	4- 9-14	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	16 56
45946		4-11-14	C. D. Noyes	153 00
			Department of Bridges.	
45138		4- 9-14	Olin J. Stephens	$111 00
45139	3-14-14	4- 9-14	The Diamond Towel Supply Co	27 30
45140	1-31-14	4- 9-14	Foster Scott Ice Co.	9 00
45141	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	The Mutual Towel Supply Co	25 74
45142	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Swan & Finch Co.	17 60
45143	3-18-14	4- 9-14	National Carbon Co.	112 10
45144	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	79 00
45145	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Henry Schultheis Co.	30 00
45146	3-19-14	4- 9-14	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	4 71
45147		3-19-14	John T. Horton	21 50
45148	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Henry Schultheis Co.	4 00
45149	3-27-14	4- 9-14	John A. Roebling's Sons Co. of New York	18 90
45150	3-20-14	4- 9-14	Thos. W. Kiley & Co.	23 50
45151	3-14-14. 3-18-14	4- 9-14	Independent Pneumatic Tool Co.	28 52
45152		3-26-14	Ichabod T. Williams & Sons	34 50
45153	3-19-14	3-11-14	E. B. Latham & Co.	36 00
45155	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Chas. Madden	18 10
45156	3-31-14	4- 9-14	John J. Kelly	25 25
45158	3-31-14	4- 9-14	The Popular Stables, W. C. Urban, proprietor	165 00
45159			City Island Garage, Harry E. Booth, proprietor	31 50
45161	3-23-14	4- 9-14	H. & B. Auto Sales Co.	43 35
45162	3-24-14	4- 9-14	The Goodyear Rubber Tire Co.	15 68
45163	3-20-14	4- 9-14	Martin Evans Co.	4 94
45164	3-27-14	4- 9-14	John J. Carolan	16 00
45165	3-21-14	4- 9-14	Cox Grass Mfg. Co.	22 50
45166	3-23-14	4- 9-14	Engelbert Tyre Co.	25 46
45167	3-20-14	4- 9-14	The Gwilliam Co.	7 25
45168	3-27-14	4- 9-14	The Goodyear Rubber Tire Co.	5 92
45169	1-30-14. 3-30-14	4- 9-14	Oriental Rubber & Supply Co., Inc.	63 70
45169	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Thomas Paulson & Son, Inc.	5 11
45170			The Petroleum Products Co.	12 50
45171		3-31-14	Engelbert Tyre Co.	25 46
45172	3-24-14	4- 9-14	A. J. & J. J. McCullom	10 70
			County Court, Queens County.	
42823	3-31-14	4- 6-14	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	$80 19
			County Clerk, Kings County.	
45915		4-11-14	Chas. S. Devoy, as County Clerk	$20 00
45916			Charles S. Devoy, as County Clerk	2 99
45919	4- 1-14	4-11-14	The Crescent Towel Supply Co.	3 25

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45920	3-31-14	4-11-14	Clynta Water Co	1 20
45921	3-31-14	4-11-14	Great Bear Spring Co	18 00
			County Clerk, Queens County.	
42820		4- 6-14	Art Metal Construction Co	$423 50
42821			Art Metal Construction Co	45 00
			Municipal Courts.	
43019	3-28-13	4- 6-14	Amberg File & Index Co	$118 12
			Court of Special Sessions.	
44457	1- 3-14	4- 8-14	Patrick Murphy	$38 00
			City Court, Kings County.	
44898		4- 8-14	Louis A. Zimmerman	$15 10
44899		4- 8-14	Louis A. Zimmerman	11 90
44904		4- 8-14	John T. Rafferty, Chief Clerk	11 00
44901		4- 8-14	Louis A. Zimmerman	16 10
44902		4- 8-14	Louis A. Zimmerman	23 75
44905		4- 8-14	Thomas F. Darcy	35 10
			City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.	
36101	3-18-14	4- 9-14	Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk	56 10
44231	3-31-14	4- 8-14	New York Towel Supply Co	29 95
			City Court of The City of New York.	
45001	3-24-14	4- 9-14	W. F. Murray Co	$13 20
45006	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co	1 75
			Supreme Courts.	
45673			John H. O'Donnell & Co	$9 50
44391		2- 1-14	George W. O'Keefe	84 00
			Department of Correction.	
45056			George Friedgen, Bandmaster	$30 00
45733	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Armour & Co	137 26
45737			Robert P. Lawless	2,815 88
45738			Francis H. Leggett & Co	430 95
45739	3-14-14	4- 9-14	Chas. S. Pray	251 91
45741	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Thomas Lenane	528 47
45743	11-13-13.12-31-13	4- 9-14	Peter J. Constant.....Final	11 14
46142			Frank J. Reynolds, General Bookkeeper and Auditor	68 27
			District Attorney, Queens County.	
45632	3- 5-14	4- 9-14	George W. Adee	$1 25
35466		3-18-14	Patrick Kehoe	63 77
35467		3-18-14	Charles A. Harden	62 24
39851		3-30-14	Charles A. Harden	43 02
			District Attorney, New York County.	
44413		4- 8-14	Joseph A. Zikmund	$7 50
44414		4- 8-14	Arnold J. Wisch	23 10
44415		4- 8-14	Charles H. Cheever	22 10
44432		4- 8-14	Lewyers' Title Insurance and Trust Co.	25 00
45930			Matthew Bender & Co	120 00
45931		4-11-14	New York Telephone Co	57 66
45932		4-13-14	George J. Fleck	3 70
45933		4-13-14	Theodore Groh	12 98
45934		4-13-14	Alphonse L. McCormack	17 01
45935		4-13-14	James H. Smith, Jr	21 94
45936		4-13-14	Harry D. Hayes	5 75
45937		4-13-14	James J. Kennedy	6 70
45938	4- 1-14	4-13-14	Empire State Window Cleaning and Towel Supply Co	2 16
45939	3-31-14	4-13-14	Great Bear Spring Co	1 50
45940	3-31-14	4-13-14	Remington Typewriter Co	60
46088		4-11-14	A. A. Courter	25 00
46090		4-11-14	J. W. Nawrocki	10 00
46153			Edward W. Krantz	26 04
			District Attorney, Bronx County.	
45864		4-11-14	Francis Martin, District Attorney	$10 00
			Department of Docks and Ferries.	
43675	4- 2-14	4- 7-14	B. I. Seckel	$13 90
43679	3-17-14	4- 7-14	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	65 50
43680	3-13-14	4- 7-14	James S. Barron & Co	90 00
			Board of Elections.	
44299	3-20-14	4- 8-14	Charles H. Aitken	$220 01
44300	3-28-14	4- 8-14	Charles H. Aitken	174 45
44301	3-28-14	4- 8-14	Charles H. Aitken	152 70
44302	3-25-14	4- 8-14	Reiners & Gabay	70 11
44303	4- 1-14	4- 8-14	Reiners & Gabay	196 46
44304	3-26-14	4- 8-14	Henry G. Grissler	82 98
44305	4- 3-14	4- 8-14	Henry G. Grissler	203 10
44306			Henry G. Grissler	197 41
			Department of Education.	
43056			Albers Bros.	$40 80
43064			The J. W. Pratt Co	54 65
43072		4- 6-14	William E. Mason	111 88
43093	12-27-13	4- 6-14	New York Construction Co	137 00
43423		4- 7-14	Richmond School Furniture Co	1,146 60
43484	2-16-14	4- 7-14	J. A. O'Brien	60 00
43663		4- 7-14	E. J. Johnson, Assignee of I. Rader	900 00
43665		4- 7-14	Wells & Newton Co. of New York	3,600 00
43739			Houghton, Mifflin Co	1,225 64
43967	2- 2-14	4- 8-14	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	54 00
43985		4- 8-14	Schoverling, Daly & Gales	234 00
44004		4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	54 00
44008			Houghton, Mifflin Co	95 00
44010	1-20-14. 1-22-14	4- 8-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	1,105 00
44019	1-28-14. 2- 9-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	472 70
44020	1-28-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	97 76
44026	1-31-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	960 97
44034	1-24-14. 1-26-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co.	14 00
44030	1-30-14. 2- 3-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	624 80
44041	1-21-14. 2- 3-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	491 78
44042	1-20-14. 1-30-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	59 20
44043	2- 7-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	300 84
44044	2- 7-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	36 40
44045	2- 7-14. 2-11-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	62 40
44046	2- 7-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	107 52
44053	1-29-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co.	64 80
44058	1-31-14. 2- 9-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	1,204 04
44086	2- 4-14	4- 8-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co	3 20
44091	2-10-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	8 50
44092	2- 3-14	4- 8-14	The A. S. Barnes Co	283 50
44099	1- 9-13	4- 8-14	Charles E. Merrill Co., Assignee of D. Appleton & Co	7 20
44104	1-26-14	4- 8-14	Charles Scribner's Sons	16 00
44501	2-13-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	28 00
44503	2-13-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	53 20
44507	1-27-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co	6 00
44518	1-26-14	4- 8-14	Scott, Foresman & Co	32 00
44528	1- 3-14	4- 8-14	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	48 60
44533	1-23-14	4- 8-14	Scott, Foresman & Co.	8 00
44534	1-23-14	4- 8-14	Scott, Foresman & Co	44 80
44559	2-11-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co.	2 64
44565	1-26-14. 2- 6-14	4- 8-14	Charles Scribner's Sons	71 80
44566	2-19-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	14 40
44570	1-21-14	4- 8-14	Scott, Foresman & Co	61 60
44571	1-23-14	4- 8-14	Charles Scribner's Sons	116 00
44581	1-17-14	4- 8-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	4 20
44588	1- 3-14	4- 8-14	Charles Scribner's Sons	177 00
44589	1- 2-14	4- 8-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	1,402 20
45292		4- 9-14	Daniel J. Rice	1,800 00
45295		4- 9-14	A. W. King	2,160 00
44599	2- 9-14. 2-13-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	132 80
44600	1-21-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	16 00
44601	1-21-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	226 00
44605	1- 2-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co	4 80
44610	2-10-14. 2-11-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	122 00
44611	1- 2-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	378 36
44620	1-28-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co	3 39
44621	1-14-14. 2- 4-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	44 00
44622	1-14-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	30 40
44623	2- 4-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	12 00
44627	1-30-14	4- 8-14	Houghton Mifflin Co.	15 00
44638	1-27-14	4- 8-14	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	90 00
44639	1- 5-14	4- 8-14	American Book Co.	8,178 23
44652	1- 2-14	4- 8-14	D. Appleton & Co	46 86
44980	2-19-14	4- 9-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co	28 02
			Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	
45676	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Great Bear Spring Co	$1 50
43817	2-27-14	4- 7-14	E. Belcher Hyde	$33 00
43819	3-26-14	4- 7-14	Keuffel & Esser Co	62 23
43823			J. J. Little & Ives Co	120 00
			Fire Department.	
43407	3-25-14. 3-26-14	4- 7-14	Keuffel & Esser Co	$45 21
43408	3-26-14	4- 7-14	James S. Barron & Co	57 60
43924	3-19-14	4- 7-14	Richard H. Freyberg	175 00
43926	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Stewart-Warner Speedometer Co	4 75
43932		4- 7-14	International Motor Co	257 97
43936	3-13-14	4- 7-14	International Motor Co	400 00
43937	1-22-14. 3-24-14	4- 7-14	Montgomery & Co.	103 40
44349		4- 8-14	Edgar A. Josselyn	25 00
44959			Horace Ingersoll Co.	103 88
44963	3-27-14	4- 9-14	Findeisen & Kropf Mfg. Co	41 75
44964		4- 9-14	Ernst Flentje	75 00
44966		4- 9-14	Croker National Fire Prev. & Engr. Co.	108 00
44967		4- 9-14	Herschell-Spillman Co.	30 27
44968		4- 9-14	Chas. J. Bogue Electric Co	23 50
44969		4- 9-14	Clarence L. Smith Co	42 30
45298	3-25-14	4- 9-14	Edward Wisely & Son	760 01
45299	3-14-14. 3-18-14	4-12-14	Burns Bros.	398 40
45300			Bacon Coal Co.	65 30
			Department of Finance.	
45647		4- 9-14	Joseph Weber	$100 00
45648			New York Life Insurance & Trust Co. as Trustee	1,675 08
45649		4- 9-14	Anna Vopelak	252 73
45650		4- 9-14	James Johnson	102 75
45651			New York Life Insurance & Trust Co. as Trustee	3,058 13
45652		4- 9-14	Bridget Lynch	117 05
45653			Charles A. Miller, Frank J. Miller and Ann M. Schneider, as Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Charles Miller, Deceased	473 90
45653		4- 9-14	Charles A. Miller, Frank J. Miller and Ann M. Schneider, as Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Charles Miller, Deceased	180 45
45654			Long Island City Realty Co	145 65
45654			Long Island City Realty Co	434 73
45655			Thomas Daly	590 26
45655		4- 9-14	Thomas Daly	1,759 24
45656			Joseph Plante and Domina Plante	460 15
45656		4- 9-14	Joseph Plante and Domina Plante	1,369 41
45658		4- 9-14	Peter J. Kelly	74 50
45659		4- 9-14	T. Frank Kelly	74 50
45660		4- 9-14	J. Jefferson Kelly	74 50
45661		4- 9-14	Nellie C. V. Heppert	74 50
45662		4- 9-14	David A. Kelly	74 50
45663		4- 9-14	Columb Kelly	74 50
45664		4- 9-14	Samuel Goodman	51 54
45665		4- 9-14	Emil Bottke and Emilie Bottke	203 14
45718	3-17-14	4- 9-14	National Surety Co	11 50
45803		4- 9-14	Estate of George Henry Warren	13 80
45812		4- 9-14	Charles L. Ritzmann	37 70
45813		4- 9-14	Dorothy B. Millman and Max Spivak.	67 55
45814		4- 9-14	Hyman Cohn & Emanuel Levy	1 30
46279			The Chamberlain of The City of New York	1,102,693 44
46280			The Chamberlain of The City of New York	319,770 63
46281			The Chamberlain of The City of New York	87,777 52
46282			The Chamberlain of The City of New York	15,192 87
47134			Metropolitan Avenue Realty Co., or Frederick F. Eisemann, attorney	3,000 00
			Department of Health.	
42229	3- 2-14	4- 3-14	William F. Allan	$90 84
44372		4- 8-14	Henry Allen	29 15
45306	3-12-14	4- 9-14	Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation	1 00
45307	3- 2-14	4- 9-14	The Superior Dental Supply Co	35 40
45308		2-28-14	The Standard Utility Co.	143 50
45309	2-28-14	4- 9-14	S. R. Smith Infirmary	436 00
45329		4- 9-14	S. J. Baker, M. D.	4 35
45330		4- 9-14	S. J. Baker, M. D., Director	1 30
45332	3-19-14	4- 9-14	Carroll Box & Lumber Co	2 10
45334			The Speed Key Selling Agency of New York, Inc.	3 15
45335			The Roberts Numbering Machine Co	10 00
45336			The Wabash Cabinet Co.	6 60
45340	2-14-14. 3- 6-14	4- 9-14	John Simmons Co.	18 00
45341	2-10-14. 3-12-14	4- 9-14	New York Stencil Works	10 90
45345			John Wanamaker, New York	8 25
45346	3-13-14	4- 9-14	Agent and Warden of Clinton Prison	4 50
45347	2-17-14	4- 9-14	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	16 56
45350	2-10-14	4- 9-14	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	2 10
45353		4- 9-14	E. G. Soltmann	8 16
45354		2-13-14	Schieffelin & Co.	6 00
45355		4- 9-14	Edward C. Striffler	6 21
45357	2-28-14	4- 9-14	James Goold	10 25
45359	2-28-14. 3-11-14	4- 9-14	Sheppard & Kellett	22 46
45360	2-24-14	4- 9-14	Reiff Bros. Co., Inc	7 80
45361	2-28-14	4- 9-14	The I. S. Remsen Manufacturing Co	50 65

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45362	1-20-14	4- 9-14	Reiff Bros. Co., Inc.	8 69
45363	1-19-14	2-24-14	The Fairbanks Co.	3 80
		Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.		
44434	3-31-14	4- 8-14	A. A. Benedict	$2 55
44436	4- 2-14	4- 8-14	Frederick O'Byrne	4 00
44438	4- 1-14	4- 8-14	R. E. Doyle	4 00
		Law Department.		
42520	3-30-14	4- 4-14	John J. Curtin	$83 30
44824		4- 8-14	James E. Keese	14 00
44827	3-31-14	4- 8-14	Stevenson & Marsters	13 80
44828	2-10-14	4- 8-14	Munson Supply Co.	3 15
44829	3-31-14	4- 8-14	Foster Scott Ice Co.	8 68
44830	4- 1-14	4- 8-14	W. C. Wilson	10 55
44832	4- 1-14	4- 8-14	J. & M. Steinberg	171 00
45060			W. A. Morschhauser	16 30
45061	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Peerless Towel Supply Co.	1 25
45062	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Kanouse Mountain Water Co.	1 50
45063	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	The Banks Law Publishing Co	5 40
45064	4- 3-14	4- 9-14	C. C. Clifford Co.	2 50
45889	4- 6-14	4-11-14	W. C. Wilson	14 35
45890		4-11-14	W. L. Gilbert	24 97
45892			M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co	5 50
		Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.		
43592		4- 7-14	Chas. Schaefer, Jr.	$804 46
45586		4- 9-14	New York Zoological Society, Percy R. Pyne, Treasurer	6,337 81
45642		4- 9-14	American Museum of Natural History, Chas. Lanier, Treasurer	2,412 54
45643		4- 9-14	American Museum of Natural History, Chas. Lanier, Treasurer	503 47
45896	3- 2-14. 4- 3-14	4-13-14	Flatbush Water Works Co	10 78
45897		4-13-14	Treasurer Brooklyn Institute of Arts & Sciences	2,420 11
		Police Department.		
44282	3-20-14	4- 8-14	R. & L. Co.	$45 52
44311			Frank J. Lennon Co	1,722 36
45641		4- 9-14	The Metropolitan Museum of Art, Howard Mansfield, Treasurer	10,006 17
45987		4-11-14	Wm. Bratter & Co	21 90
45988		4-11-14	Tower Bros. Stat. Co	10 70
45990		4-11-14	Joseph I. Grady, Inc	12 50
45994		4-11-14	Ferdinand Kuster	10 00
		President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
26988		2-27-14	Thompson & Kelsey	$1,189 75
42882		4- 6-14	Arthur H. Blanchard	40 00
42981		4- 6-14	John W. Sullivan Co.....Final	1,979 55
43848	2- 4-14	4- 7-14	George C. Lavery & Co., Inc	528 54
43849	2-21-14	4- 7-14	G. B. Raymond & Co	346 85
43852	1-21-14	4- 7-14	Ajax Portland Cement Co	81 50
43855			Standard Underground Cable Co	59 22
44463	3-18-14	4- 9-14	The H. B. Smith Co	2 94
44465	3- 4-14	4-10-14	The Babcock & Wilcox Co	10 50
44466	3-14-14	4-10-14	American Blower Co	77
44467	3- 6-14	4-10-14	American Radiator Co	11 82
44469	2-19-14	4-10-14	Christian Becker	5 50
44471			The Robert Bishop Mfg. Co	52 17
44471	2-13-14	4-10-14	The Robert Bishops Mfg. Co	52 17
44472	3-20-14	4-10-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co	2 76
44473	3-14-14	4- 8-14	The Garlock Packing Co	26 42
44474	3-13-14. 3-16-14	4-10-14	Montgomery & Co	5 92
44475	3-17-14	4-10-14	Pure Oil Co	12 00
44477	3-17-14	4- 8-14	The Barber Asphalt Paving Co	8 40
44478	3-18-14	4-10-14	Herring, Hall, Marvin Safe Co	1 50
44482			John Wanamaker, New York	81 00
44488	3-26-14	4- 8-14	Clarence S. Nathan	30 00
44489	12-31-13	4- 8-14	Foster-Scott Ice Co	167 65
44490		4- 8-14	Robt. Wetherill & Co., Inc	2,294 18
44492	3-10-14	4- 8-14	North-Eastern Construction Co	17 10
44494	2-10-14	4- 8-14	George E. Sealy Co	60 00
45505	4- 6-14	4- 9-14	The Asphalt Construction Co	2,323 79
45519			William A. Prendergast, Comptroller	2,149 50
45551	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Favor, Ruhl & Co	2 00
45552	3-12-14	4- 9-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co	5 16
45553	3-18-14	4- 9-14	Shaw, Walker Co. of New York	5 40
45554	3-23-14	4- 9-14	Kolesch & Co	6 60
45555	3-19-14	4- 9-14	Shaw, Walker Co. of New York	5 76
45556	3- 9-14	4- 9-14	Art Metal Construction Co	100 80
45557	3- 6-14	4- 9-14	Art Metal Construction Co	54 40
45558	3-30-14	4- 9-14	Nytanday Letter & Design Co., Inc	3 25
45559	3- 6-14	4- 9-14	The Electro-Sun Blue Print Co	450 00
45560	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Z. Graves & Co	244 00
45563	3-24-14	4- 9-14	E. B. Latham & Co	19 98
45564		4- 9-14	M. B. Brown Ptg. and Bdg. Co	47 25
45565	3- 5-14	4- 9-14	Revolute Machine Co	10 00
45566	3- 5-14	4- 9-14	F. E. Brandis Sons & Co	29 50
45568	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Otis Elevator Co	9 29
45569	3-27-14	4- 9-14	E. Belcher Hyde	21 00
45570	1-19-14	4- 9-14	The Arlington Co	10 00
45571	1-31-14. 3-31-14	4- 9-14	John Manning	22 60
45572	1-31-14	4- 9-14	Municipal Garage	19 93
45573		4- 9-14	The J. W. Pratt Co	32 35
45574	3- 9-14. 3-27-14	4- 9-14	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co	11 02
45575	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Typewriter Trading Co	33 00
		President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
45448		4- 9-14	S. M. De Pasquale	$4,946 18
45453		4- 9-14	M. Di Menna Construction Co	1,722 95
		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		
44708		4-13-14	John B. Creighton	$100 30
44718	3-26-14	4- 8-14	Philipp Dinger	27 00
44728	3-31-14	4- 8-14	Republic Construction Co	19 74
44729	4- 6-14	4- 8-14	C. H. Nammack	10 00
44730	3-27-14	4- 8-14	Peerless Garage Repair Shop	36 00
44732	3-23-14	4- 8-14	B. Hafker	11 01
44733	2-20-14	4- 8-14	Godfrey Keeler Co	106 01
44736	3-25-14	4- 8-14	Stevenson & Marsters	376 20
44740			Newman & Carey Co	1,084 60
45408	4- 2-14	4- 9-14	John B. Creighton, Secretary	49 00
45412	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Thomas Corr	21 50
45413	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Charles G. Moser	55 00
45414	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Charles G. Moser	55 00
45415	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Daniel A. Maher	5 50
45416	3- 3-14	4- 9-14	Great Bear Spring Co	37 20
45417	3-16-14	4- 9-14	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc	19 50
45418	3-18-14. 3-31-14	4- 9-14	P. W. Taylor	5 00
45419	3-27-14	4- 9-14	Dan Rocks	7 50
45420	3-31-14	4- 9-14	De Grauw, Aymar & Co	5 36
45421	3-31-14	4- 9-14	C. W. Keenan	5 20
45422	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Daniel A. Maher	5 50
45423	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Union League Stables, Inc	27 50
45424	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	M. P. C. Co., Inc., Opera Stables	27 50
45425	3-25-14	4- 9-14	William Staats	380 00
45426	3-28-14	4- 9-14	B. Hafker	32 25
45427	3-24-14. 3-28-14	4- 9-14	Cook Electric Co	14 50
45428	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Charles M. Sullivan, Assignee of Cook Electric Co.	32 75
45431	3-30-14	4- 9-14	The Banks Law Publishing Co	9 70
45433	3-31-14	4- 9-14	William T. Allen	27 50
45434	3-31-14	4- 9-14	William T. Allen	165 00
45435	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Brighton Stables	82 50
45436	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Owen Drum	27 50
45437	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Charles T. Holliday	16 50
45438	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Daniel A. Maher	38 50
45439	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Union League Stables, Inc	165 00
45444		4- 9-14	Wm. J. Shea, Engineer	17 35
45445		4- 9-14	Benjamin Schumacher	3 55
45879		4-11-14	Raphael Nazzaro Co	1,541 52
45878		4-11-14	Seaboard Construction Co	6,683 65
46086			John W. Sparks, Clerk	93 85
46087		4-11-14	John W. Sparks	20 00
		President of the Borough of Richmond.		
40818	1-14-14	3-31-14	Louis Wechsler	$201 82
44673	3-17-14	4- 8-14	Library Bureau	126 05
44674	3-10-14	4- 8-14	H. W. Koenig	2 90
44675	3-18-14	4- 8-14	National Conference on City Planning	2 16
44676	3- 1-14	4- 8-14	Killian's Garage	6 90
44677	3- 2-14	4- 2-14	W. B. Schutte	2 80
44678	3- 9-14	4- 8-14	W. B. McVicker Co	40 00
44679	3-13-14	4- 8-14	Staten Island Supply Co	11 60
44680	3- 3-14	4- 8-14	Staten Island Supply Co	3 73
44681	2-16-14	4- 8-14	Shannon Manufacturing Co	10 98
44682	3-13-14	4- 8-14	Frederick Burger & Son	1 90
44683	3- 1-14	4- 8-14	Killian's Garage	15 00
44684	1-31-14	4- 8-14	Jas. Thompson & Sons	49 76
44685	1-31-14	4- 8-14	Jas. Thompson & Sons	1 80
44686	1-31-14	4- 8-14	Staten Island Shipbuilding Co	6 20
44687	2- 2-14	4- 8-14	Staten Island Supply Co	22 23
44688	2- 1-14	4- 8-14	Joseph W. Wanty	6 25
44689	2-19-14	4- 8-14	High Grade Oil Refining Co	43 42
44690	2-13-14	4- 8-14	Hudson Oil Co	33 67
44691	3- 1-14	4- 8-14	Schutte Brothers	4 32
44692			W. B. McVicker Co	45 00
44693	3-10-14	4- 8-14	Merchant Engineers' Corporation of New York	58 50
		Permanent Census Board.		
43908	3-28-14	4- 7-14	Cornell Iron Works	$123 00
		Department of Public Charities.		
33851	12- 1-13. 12-30-13	3-16-14	Richmond Garage	$344 89
42036	2-11-14	4- 3-14	Art Metal Construction Co	119 70
44178	1- 6-14	4- 8-14	Agent and Warden Sing Sing Prison	825 65
44184	2-11-14	4- 8-14	Agent and Warden Auburn Prison	90 00
		Public Service Commission.		
44839	1-12-14. 3- 5-14	3- 5-14	Buff & Buff Mfg. Co	$71 05
44840		4- 8-14	Capitol District Reporting Co	17 60
44844	3-10-14	4- 8-14	Edison Storage Battery Co	46 80
45674		4- 9-14	The Degnon Contracting Co	32,771 75
45675		4- 9-14	The Degnon Contracting Co	23,959 63
		Register, New York County.		
44857	4- 3-14	4- 8-14	Keuffel & Esser Co	$15 79
44858	4- 1-14	4- 8-14	The Lithoprint Co	4 17
		Department of Street Cleaning.		
42497	2-24-14	4- 4-14	Agent and Warden Clinton Prison	$37 20
42792		4- 6-14	New York Press Co., Ltd	67 20
43505		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	189 00
43506		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	205 64
43507		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co	209 25
43508		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co	121 50
43509		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	135 00
43510		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	141 75
43511		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	189 00
43512		4- 7-14	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co.	81 00
44374	3-28-14	4- 8-14	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co	3 30
44375	3-23-14	4- 8-14	Montgomery & Co.	221 75
44376	3-26-14	4- 8-14	J. D. Johnson Co	3 55
44377	3-19-14	4- 8-14	N. & G. Taylor Co	75 00
44378	2-16-14	4- 8-14	Harry S. Houpt, Inc.	13 10
44379	3-16-14	4- 8-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co	72 63
44380	3-27-14	4- 8-14	Thomas C. Dunham, Inc.	24 00
44381	3- -14	4- 8-14	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc	16 93
44382			Stanley & Patterson	30 12
44383	3-28-14	4- 8-14	Valentine & Co.	65 60
44384	3-24-14	4- 8-14	John F. Warth	60 00
44385	3-30-14	4- 8-14	Margaret Glynn	62 20
44390	2-11-14. 3-24-14	4- 8-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	121 60
44398	3-13-14	4- 8-14	Hencken & Willenbrock Co.	35 40
44399	2- 4-14	4- 8-14	Burns Bros.	12 94
44400	3- 2-14	4- 8-14	Olin J. Stephens	133 33
44401	3-27-14	4- 8-14	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	102 75
44402	2-28-14	4- 8-14	Great Bear Spring Co.	2 70
44403	2- 4-14	4- 8-14	International Time Recording Co	5 00
44404	1-31-14	4- 8-14	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co	24 83
44405	3-28-14	4- 8-14	James McLaughlin Co.	50 00
44406	3-13-14	4- 8-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co	17 75
44407	3- 6-14	4- 8-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co	2 85
44408	3-23-14. 3-28-14	4- 8-14	Englebert Tyre Co.	64 00
44409	2-28-14	4- 8-14	Englebert Tyre Co.	141 60
44410	3-17-14	4- 8-14	The B. F. Goodrich Co.	10 47
44411	3-13-14	4- 8-14	New York Sporting Goods Co	1 90
44412	1- 2-14	4- 8-14	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	2,400 00
		Sheriff, Queens County.		
45589	4- 8-14	4- 9-14	James T. Kelly, Cashier	$4 50
45590	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Empire State Window Cleaning and Towel Supply Co.	4 44
45592	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc	1 10
45593		4- 9-14	Herman Gohlinghorst	8 71
45594		4- 9-14	William F. Desmond	30 06
44595		4- 9-14	Louis A. De Sutter	16 60
45596		4- 9-14	Anton Garbe	50 18
45597		4- 9-14	John Dwyer	7 80
45598		4- 9-14	Edward Howard	4 74
45599		4- 9-14	Frank C. Schulte	5 07
45600		4- 9-14	James W. Yerex	6 81
45601		4- 9-14	Robert H. Drouve	12 85
45602		4- 9-14	Frank De Bragga	14 60
45603		4- 9-14	Andrew D. Brown	13 51
45604	4- 2-14	4- 9-14	John F. Diemer Co.	7 06
45636	4- 4-14	4- 9-14	Lewis M. Swasey, Sheriff	10 00
45637		4- 9-14	Thomas J. Roper	6 95
45638		4- 9-14	Thomas E. Miller	10 35
45639		4- 9-14	Arthur R. Seward	10 15
45672	4- 3-14	4- 9-14	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co	11 00
		Department of Taxes and Assessments.		
45611			Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co	$53 40
45612	4- 3-14	4- 9-14	Nickel Towel Supply	14 64

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45613	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Henry Romeike, Inc.	15 00
45615	3-27-14	4- 9-14	E. Belcher Hyde	66 00
45623	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Joseph J. Mahoney	3 80
45624			James A. Tappen	4 60
			Tenement House Department.	
44346	4- 2-14	4- 9-14	Globe, Wernicke Co.	$125 00
44348	3-24-14	4- 8-14	Walter Fabreau	191 50
			Board of Water Supply.	
45249	1-30-14	4- 9-14	J. M. Barnhart	$30 00
45261	3- 1-14	4- 9-14	W. L. Post	11 95
45262	3-16-14	4- 9-14	American Society for Testing Materials	10 80
45281	3-19-14	4- 9-14	Henry Pape	36 11
46111		4-13-14	William C. De Witt, County Clerk	7 50
46112		4-13-14	E. A. Wood	20 00
46113		4-13-14	Charles L. Davis	55 00
46114		4-13-14	State Law Reporters, Inc.	580 41
46115		4-13-14	Isaac Greenburg	15 00
46116		4-13-14	E. A. Wood	17 60
46117		4-13-14	W. F. Wood	125 00
46118		4-13-14	Michael J. Shanahan	90 40
46119		4-13-14	James P. Kilby	50 60
46120		4-13-14	Leo C. Dessar	50 60
46122		4-13-14	Alexander Thomson, Jr., Division Engineer	11 27
46123		4-13-14	Compass Publishing Co.	18 00
46124		4-13-14	Sun Printing and Publishing Ass'n	190 40
46126		4-13-14	Stillman Appellate Printing Co.	4 50
46127		4-13-14	Thaddeus Merriman, Department Engineer	20 90
46128		4-13-14	J. Howard Williams, Mechanical Engineer	114 57
46129	3-31-14	4-13-14	Henry Romeike, Inc.	1 38
46292		4-13-14	American House and Window Cleaning Co.	25 00
			Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
43427	3-31-14	4- 7-14	Clark & Wilkins Co.	$350 00
43439			Shaw-Walker Co. of New York	46 00
43444	3-18-14	4- 7-14	Montgomery & Co.	31 02
43463	3-30-14	4- 7-14	Antonio Guiri	357 88
43465	3-20-14	4- 7-14	James S. Barron & Co.	40 12
43625		4- 7-14	John W. Peale	3,642 87
45071	3-11-14	4- 9-14	The Briarcliff Farms, Inc.	90
45072	3-11-14	4- 9-14	The Briarcliff Farms, Inc.	1 20
45073	3-31-14	4- 9-14	Schildwachter Ice Co.	10 40
45074	4- 1-14	4- 9-14	Gramatan Spring Water Co.	8 00
45075	3-23-14	4- 9-14	F. F. Fuhrmann	9 00
45076			John Wanamaker, New York	7 80
45077	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Vacuum Oil Co.	11 25
45079	3-25-14	4- 9-14	The Globe, Wernicke Co.	14 25
45080	3-24-14	4- 9-14	The Globe, Wernicke Co.	2 24
45081	3-27-14	4- 9-14	Goodyear's India Rubber Selling Co.	12 00
45082	3-28-14	4- 9-14	Nason Manufacturing Co.	14 20
45083	3-24-14	4- 9-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.	76 24
45084	3-16-14. 3-24-14	4- 9-14	Montgomery & Co.	15 70
45085	3-25-14	4- 9-14	The Van Dorn Iron Works Co.	16 50
45086		4- 9-14	Flaxitallic Casket Co.	30 00
45093	3- 5-14	4- 9-14	Tirrill Gas Machine Lighting Co.	28 55
45095	3-26-14	4- 9-14	P. W. Vallely, Inc.	23 05
45097		4- 9-14	Patrick J. Dwyer	104 00
45098		4- 9-14	The McGlynn Trucking Corp'n	105 00
45099		4- 9-14	John Gaffney	125 00
45100			Joseph M. Holahan	91 00
45101		4- 9-14	Gustave Hahn	106 29
45112		4- 9-14	William B. Birchall	60 00
45103		4- 9-14	O'Rourke's Garage	15 00
45104		4- 9-14	I. A. Silvie, Jr.	83 33
45109	1-20-14	4- 9-14	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.	178 50
45111		4- 9-14	Schultz Novelty Co.	27 20
45112			Watson Manufacturing Co.	46 00
45114		4- 9-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.	21 00
45116		4- 9-14	Merchant & Evans Co.	21 15
45784		4- 9-14	Clara Fink	26 74
45785		4- 9-14	Estates Contracting Co.	4 06
45786		4- 9-14	Lawyers' Title Insurance & Trust Co.	2 60
45787		4- 9-14	Clara Waterman	3 00
45788		4- 9-14	H. Mandelbaum	8 00
45789		4- 9-14	Josh W. Mayer	29 00
45790		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	75
45791		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	91
45792		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	75
45793		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	75
45794		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	2 25
45795		4- 9-14	Julius Tishman & Sons, Inc.	3 00
45796		4- 9-14	Lawyers' Title Insurance & Trust Co., Agents for Hilda A. Wolff, Owner	18 33
45797		4- 9-14	R. G. Packard Co.	36 49
45798		4- 9-14	R. G. Packard Co.	79 98
45799		4- 9-14	R. G. Packard Co.	27 88
45800		4- 9-14	Catherine Arthen	24 00
45801		4- 9-14	Arthur H. Murphy	8 00
45802		4- 9-14	Benjamin Gomzur	8 05
45804		4- 9-14	Ames & Co.	18 70
45805		4- 9-14	Charles Wilhelm	4 00
45806		4- 9-14	Charles Wilhelm and Henry Maul	7 00
45807		4- 9-14	Wm. A. Holton	52 60
45808		4- 9-14	United States Wood Preserving Co.	8 91
45809		4- 9-14	Walter Melton	6 00
45810		4- 9-14	Frederick Pflomm	16 40
45811		4- 9-14	Frank Krashes	287 86

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1914.

A statement is herewith submitted of all vouchers filed in the Department of Finance on this date in which is shown the Department of Finance voucher number, the date or dates of the invoices or bills, the name of the payee and the amount of the claim. Where two or more bills are embraced in one voucher, the dates of the earliest and latest are given.

If the vouchers are found to be correct, and properly payable to the respective claimants, it will be my endeavor to have the warrants therefor made ready for payment within the next seven days.

If any claimant within the time stated does not receive his warrant or a written notice in relation thereto, then written or verbal inquiry may be made at this office, using the Department of Finance voucher number as a ready means of reference.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance. Voucher No.	Invoice Dates.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
		Armory Board.	
47620		Chas. Meads & Co.	$6,908 50
47621		Pilcher & Tachau	705 55
47980	9- 5-13	Fritschy Bros.	58 50
47990	4- 9-14	American Blue Print Co.	2 36
47991	4- 3-14	American Blue Print Co.	44 29
47992	12-16-13	Follett Time Recording Co.	1 55
47993	12-14-13	Cortland Engineering Co.	44 45
47994	12-29-13	Santo Electric Appliance Co.	24 00
47995	1- 9-14	A. Pearson's Sons	133 05
47996	2- 9-14	A. Pearson's Sons	113 25
47997	2-11-14	A. Pearson's Sons	226 50
47998	11- 1-13	Hammacher-Schlemmei Co.	20 71
47999	1-31-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	11 50
48000	2- 4-14	A. Pearson's Sons	755 00
48001	2-13-14	A. Pearson's Sons	271 80
48002	3-20-14	Walter F. Barnes	238 58
48003	9- 6-13	McKesson & Robbins	28 20
48004	3-16-14	T. E. Quinn	724 00
		Department of Bridges.	
48113		Henry E. Fox	$8,425 39
		Coroner, Borough of Richmond.	
48098	3-31-14	N. Y. Tel. Co.	$15 97
		City Court, New York County.	
48063	4- 8-14	Public Service Cup Co.	$7 00
48064		Art Metal Const. Co.	233 60
48065	4- 3-14	Art Metal Const. Co.	56 40
		District Attorney, Bronx County.	
47885		The Banks Law Pub. Co.	$2,533 43
		Department of Docks and Ferries.	
47591		J. Edward Ogden Co.	$950 00
47592		Wm. F. Cunningham	1,740 19
47593	3- 7-14	Hart & Hutchinson Co.	92 40
47594	3-31-14	Polhemus Ptg. Co.	46 00
47595	3-16-14	Crane Co.	17 28
47596	3-23-14	Atlantic Basin Iron Works	484 78
47597	3-23-14	The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	29 70
47598		A. Allan & Son	55 25
47599	2-28-14	The Frank Richard & Gardner Co.	66 00
47600	3-30-14	Annin & Co.	142 65
47601	3-24-14	The Babcock & Wilcox Co.	210 00
47602		W. L. Woodside	273 86
47603	3-31-14	Acme Foundry Co.	155 25
47504	3-31-14	M. K. Bowman-Edson Co.	51 47
47605	3-31-14	Montgomery & Co.	13 68
47606	3-28-14	Kalt Lumber Co.	130 00

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47607	3-25-14	Gleason Works	35 00
47608	3-30-14	Jas. Shewan & Sons	565 2
47609	3-23-14	Jas. J. Mooney Co.	93 00
47610	4- 8-14	Merritt-Chapman Derrick Wrecking Co.	50 00
47611		W. D. Bush	38 31
47612		Jacob Rabel	35 55
		Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	
47613	3-20-14	Lord & Taylor	$44 06
47614	3- 2-14	The Realty Records Co.	40 00
47615	2-27-14	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	18 25
47616	2-28-14	N. Y. Tel. Co.	11 12
47617	2-28-14	Foster-Scott Ice Co.	4 17
47618		Jos. M. Schenck	6 85
		College of The City of New York.	
47964	1-28-14	Baron Printing Co.	$6 15
47965	2-28-14	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	4 05
47966	1- 9-14	Baron Printing Co.	20 00
47967	1-29-14	Isaac Goldmann Co.	12 50
47968	2-10-14	Theodore B. Starr, Inc.	10 00
47969	2- 5-14	The Phoenix Press	5 00
47970	2-10-14	McAuliffe & Booth	36 00
47971	1-30-14	The Business Press	18 00
47972	1-28-14	Baron Ptg. Co.	37 20
47973	2- 2-14	The Warren Press	391 00
47974	1-27-14	McAuliffe & Booth	9 80
47975	2- 5-14	The Phoenix Press	7 50
47976	1-30-14	Clarence S. Nathan	41 00
47977	2-28-14	Clarence S. Nathan	82 00
47978	1-15-14	Theodore B. Starr, Inc.	33 00
47979	3- 3-14	Merck & Co.	6 87
47980	2-18-14	West Disinfecting Co.	10 00
47981	2- 6-14	The Electric Smelting & Aluminum Co.	12 67
47982	2- 6-14	Eimer & Amend	61 20
47983		Parex Mfg. Co.	55 48
48984		Adolph Jacobs	3 20
47985	1-30-14	Toch Brothers	25 00
47986	2-11-14	Leon Hirsh & Son	6 13
47987	2- 5-14	Eimer & Amend	19 90
47988	2-25-14	H. T. Dakin	10 50
		Department of Education.	
47622	12- 8-13	J. Friedman	$23 50
47623	1-27-14	Lord & Taylor	28 33
47624	1-21-14	A. & W., Auburn, N. Y.	4 00
47625	2- 7-14	The Globe Wernicke Co.	53 20
47626	2-14-14	Bklyn. Window Shade Co.	63 50
47627	1-27-14	F. K. J. Kloes	13 80
47628	2- 9-14	Geo. Morley	34 00
47629	2- 6-14	Greenhut, Siegel-Cooper Co.	6 00
47630	11-21-14	Lignum Carpenter Works	47 00
47631	1-12-14	Wm. Rabe	110 00
47632		Daisy B. Angell	5 50
47633	2-27-14	Florence J. Bentley	6 30
47634	2-27-14	Laura Bingham	6 30
47635	2-27-14	C. Evelyn Crooker	6 30
47636	2-28-14	Florence I. Kerr	6 30
47637	2-27-14	Helen L. Scharf	6 30
47638	2-28-14	M. Louise Thompson	6 30
47639	2-28-14	Jenny Clare Heath	3 15
47640	2-28-14	Moses P. Wallace	6 30
47641	2-20-14	A. W. Ross	99 53
47657	2-13-14	F. I. Kloes	53 45
47658	1-14-14	J. Weiss	42 00
47659	1-27-14	H. Gordon	18 50
47660	1-27-14	J. Friedman	4 90
47661	1-30-14	H. Hanig	65 50

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47662	1-20-14	A. Doncourt	30 00
47671	1-20-14	A. C. Laurence	56 03
47672	1-31-14	Max Jackel	1 75
47673	1-19-14	Robertson & Conry	26 66
47674	1-19-14	James Curran Mfg. Co.	37 45
47675	1- 7-14	B. P. Eldridge	21 18
47676	2-14-14	Jas. J. Fay	45 94
47677	2-14-14	William Schuetz	18 18
47678	2-17-14	Henry Saal	18 58
47679	2-15-14	Julius Haas' Sons	235 82
47680	1-31-14	Moss & Kendall	19 10
47681	2- 3-14	Am. Ornamental Iron Wks.	33 55
47682	2-24-14	Flanagan, Fay Co.	73 69
47683	2-20-14	Jas. J. Fay	130 90
47684	1-29-14	Robertson & Conry	14 17
47685	2- 6-14	Anton Orgelfinger	9 72
47686	1-26-14	H. Pfund	11 07
47687	1-14-14	John Wenning	5 10
47688	1-28-14	H. Pfund	18 10
47689	1-27-14	Patrick Murphy	5 91
47690	1- 4-14	Emil Bertram	9 50
47691	1-31-14	Louis Guerr	3 45
47692	1-20-14	John Gerrard, Jr.	3 79
47693	1-20-14	Stolz & Greenberg	10 71
47694	1-29-14	John Gerrard, Jr.	3 24
47695	2- 5-14	John J. Fleming	9 57
47696	1-26-14	A. D. Evertsen Co.	35 55
47697	2- 5-14	Flanagan, Kramer Co.	27 55
47698	1-27-14	United Plbg. Cont. Co.	58 00
47699	1-26-14	John W. Sands	22 23
47700	2-10-14	R. Solomon & Son, Inc.	11 83
47709	10-31-14	N. Y. Tel. Co.	252 84
47701	12-17-14	Walter Siemers	34 00
47702	2- 3-14	Krengel Mfg. Co.	1 26
47703	1-28-14	E. G. Soltmann	2 50
47704		The Lithoprint Co.	90
47705	2- 3-14	Krengel Mfg. Co.	1 26
47706	1-19-14	Walter I. Browne	10 00
47707	2- 9-14	H. Gordon	12 92
47708	2- 6-14	A. Doncourt	11 00
47791	2-16-14	Samuel Lewis	5 00
47792	2-17-14	Standard Supply Co.	9 50
47793	1-22-14	Domestic Mills Paper Co.	77
47794	1-22-14	The Jos. Dixon Crucible Co.	2 80
47795	2- 6-14	Eberhard Faber	59
47796	2- 7-14	Snelling & Son	3 80
47797	1-20-14	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	1 32
47798	2-15-14	Geo. T. Montgomery	2 04
47799	2-16-14	Geo. T. Montgomery	29 26
47800	2-16-14	Geo. T. Montgomery	5 40
47801	1-27-14	Owen M. Dawson	3 15
47802	2- 9-14	Bloomingdale Bros.	21 50
47803	1-27-14	The H. B. Claflin Co.	11 18
47804	2- 4-14	M. J. Tobin	6 61
47805	2- 2-14	M. C. Hutchinson Co.	18 44
47806	1-26-14	World Book Co.	13 80
47807	2-11-14	Otto G. Smith	2 43
47808	2-14-14	Snelling & Son	95
47809	2-14-14	J. L. Hammett Co.	90
47810	1-30-14	The A. S. Barnes Co.	45 00
47811	1-29-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	9 60
47812	1-15-14	Domestic Mills Paper Co.	1 92
47813	1-23-14	James A. Miller	3 24
47814	1-29-14	D. C. Heath & Co.	66 00
47815	2- 7-14	American Book Co.	36 00
47816	2- 7-14	American Book Co.	1 60

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47817	2- 7-14	American Book Co.....	61 84
47818	1-29-14	Charles E. Merrill Co.....	17 84
47819	1-29-14	Ginn & Co.....	19 80
47820	1-31-14	Rand, McNally & Co.....	14 70
47821	1-29-14	Ginn & Co.....	12 00
47822	1-29-14	Charles E. Merrill Co.....	13 20
47823	1-21-14	Paul Baron	75 20
47824	1-26-14	Henry H. Harrison.....	75
47825	1-30-14	American Book Co.....	48
47826	1-26-14	Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.....	1 08
47827	2-16-14	M. J. Tobin.....	6 00
47828	1-29-14	Gerry & Murray.....	23 69
47829	1-27-14	Schieffelin Co.	1 25
47830	1-26-14	Schoverling, Daly & Gales..	2 40
47831	4- 6-14	Philp & Paul.....	1,339 00
47866	4- 7-14	Peet & Powers.....	1,620 00
47867	4- 8-14	Readsboro Chair Mfg. Co....	1,372 50
47868	4- 6-14	Samuel Gallucci	197 00
47869	4- 6-14	Samuel Gallucci	197 00
47832	2-16-14	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	4 30
47833	2- 7-14	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	3 17
47834	2-19-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	9 10
47835	2-16-14	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	15 76
47836	2-28-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	20 55
47837	4- 1-14	Narragansett Machine Co....	1,980 00
47838	2-23-14	Schoverling, Daly & Gales...	16 30
47839	2-17-14	Schoverling, Daly & Gales...	6 80
47840	2-19-14	C. H. Reynolds & Sons.....	736 99
47841	1-30-14	John J. Foley.....	360 00
47842	2-27-14	Callaghan & Roulet.....	170 10
47843	1-17-14	Snelling & Son.....	95
47844	2- 4-14	Peckham, Little & Co.....	1 02
47845	1-30-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	522 56
47846	1-31-14	Gerry & Murray.....	2 40
47847	1-14-14	Paul Baron	86 20
47848	1-27-14	Graham Paper Co.....	5 79
47849	2-14-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	36
47850	1-31-14	Charles J. O'Brien.....	60 00
47851	2- 2-14	Eberhard Faber	59
47852	2- 6-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	37
47853	2- 7-14	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	38
47854	1-12-14	Blaisedell Paper Pencil Co..	1 45
47855	1-20-14	Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	70
47856	2-14-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	1 83
47857	2- 6-14	Eberhard Faber	59
47858	1- 8-14	Eagle Pencil Co.....	32
47859	2-10-14	F. S. Banks Co.....	2 32
47860	2-19-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	66
47861	2- 2-14	Theo. P. Huffman.....	2 45
47862	2-11-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	1 29
47863	2- 3-14	Standard Oil Co.....	3 55
47864	2- 6-14	John T. Stanley.....	3 00
47870	2-28-14	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	5 69
47871	2-20-14	Paul Baron	30 80
47872	1-19-14	F. W. DeVoe & C. T. Raynolds Co.	60 00
47873	1-29-14	Jas. S. Barron & Co.....	25 60
47874	1-27-14	Annin & Co.....	125 00
47875	1-29-14	J. W. Buckley Rubber Co...	203 50
47876	1-17-14	Moller-Schumann Co.	146 00
47877	1-19-14	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	43 34
47878	1-31-14	Jones Packing Co.....	6 63
47879	1-29-14	M. Feigel & Bro.....	209 15
47880	2- 2-14	E. Steiger & Co.....	129 00
47881	1-19-14	Standard Oil Co.....	367 75
47882	2- 3-14	Standard Supply Co.....	73 50
47883	1-31-14	D. C. Heath & Co.....	24 00
47884	1- 2-14	Geo. W. Millar Co.....	26 55
		Board of Elections.	
47920		The Brooklyn Union Pub. Co.	1,670 36
47921		Brooklyn Freie Presse.....	1,516 00
47922		The Flushing Daily Times...	419 64
47923		Long Island Star Pub'g Co..	418 86
47924		The Staten Island World....	141 96
47925		The Staten Islander.....	141 96
47926	4-11-14	Henry G. Grissler.....	5 72
47927	4-14-14	I. Weissberger & Son.....	85 00
47928	4-10-14	James S. Hannon.....	3 00
47929	3-31-14	New York Telephone Co....	12 71
47930	3-31-14	New York Telephone Co....	5 51
47931	4- 4-14	The Tribune Association....	1,087 99
47932	4- 4-14	Morning Telegraph Co.....	948 02
47933	4- 6-14	The Bronx Record & Times.	481 81
47934	4-13-14	The Bronx Star	469 07
47935	4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle...	713 68
47936	4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Daily Times...	658 23
47937	4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Citizen.....	659 25
47938	4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Union Pub. Co.	701 94
47939	4- 8-14	Brooklyn Freie Presse.....	702 00
47940	2- 7-14	Long Island Star Pub'g Co..	579 15
47941	4- 6-14	The Daily Long Island Farmer	544 05
47942	4- 4-14	The Staten Island World...	547 60
47943	4- 8-14	The Staten Islander.....	547 56
47944	4- 7-14	The Tribune Association....	3,197 73
47945	4- 7-14	The New York Times.....	2,985 06
47946	4- 6-14	The Globe	3,067 04
47947	4- 6-14	The Evening Post.....	3,049 01
47948	4- 7-14	The Sun	3,776 35
47949	4- 8-14	New Yorker Staats Zeitung..	2,951 26
47950	4- 7-14	Morning Telegraph Co.....	2,957 32
47951		Sarasohn & Son.....	2,889 45
47952	4-13-14	The North Side News.....	480 48
47953	4-10-14	The Westchester Globe.....	445 77
47954	4-11-14	New York American.....	3,472 26
47955	4-13-14	The Brooklyn Daily Times..	1,729 02
47956		The Brooklyn Daily Times..	1,666 33
47957	4- 8-14	The Brooklyn Daily Times..	1,600 50
47958	4- 8-14	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	20 50
47959	3-31-14	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	6 51
47960	4- 7-14	Charles H. Aitken.....	240 79
47961	4- 9-14	Heiners & Gabay.....	37 50
47962	4-13-14	Charles H. Aitken.....	118 50
47963	4-11-14	Henry G. Grissler.....	118 50
48025	4- 7-14	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	10,740 00
48026	4- 7-14	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	12,394 00
		Fire Department.	
47760		Putnam A. Bates.....	161 25
47761		Putnam A. Bates.....	210 10
47762	3-12-14	Bacon Coal Co.....	597 51
47763	3-31-14	Elberon Hygeia Ice Co.....	27 54
47764	3-31-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	70
47765	2-10-14	W. F. Ford & Co.....	32 05
47766	3-25-14	New York Bottling Co.....	6 00
47767	3-18-14	Underwood Typewriter Co..	78 98
47768	3-30-14	Baker, Voorhees & Co.....	5 75
47769	2-14-14	Greenhut-Siegel Cooper Co..	134 00
47770	3-28-14	John H. H. Van Hoven.....	16 50
47771	3-18-14	The Fairbanks Co.....	21 60
47772	4- 2-14	Cairns & Bro.....	6 75
47773	3- 7-14	B. F. Goodrich Co.....	27 35
47774	3-21-14	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co...	1 62
47775	3-20-14	Merchant & Evans Co.....	40 40
47776	3- 6-14	B. F. Goodrich Co.....	5 00
47777	3- 3-14	Underwood Typewriter Co..	1 00
47778	3-26-14	New York Telephone Co....	75 00
47779	3-23-14	Reilly & McNeil.....	12 00
		Department of Finance.	
47577		Andrew J. Kelly	$90 00
47578		Wm. F. Burrough	70 00
47579		Wm. Sexton	45 00
47580		Jas. W. Hyde	145 00
47581		Henry Brady	145 00
47582		Wm. T. Sabine, Jr.....	145 00
47583		Jos. L. Cullman, Carrie Stix Weiss and Wm. S. Weiss as executors of and trustees under the Will of Samuel Weiss, deceased	34,946 18
47584		Saverio Agnelli	151 05
47585		Adam Miltenberger	378 32
47586		Geo. J. Feulner, individually and as guardian of the person and property of Fred J. Feulner et al.....	11,191 52
47587		Edwin W. Harlow	1,209 69
47588		Sarah A. Clark	537 29
47589		Daniel Mapes, Jr.....	216 29
47663		Simon Shapiro, assignee of Benj. Shapiro	38 42
47664		Michael Cummings	13 75
47665		Anna McHenry	20 00
47666		Jacob Hemley	3 00
47667		Guiseppi Curcio	35 14
47668		Dorothy Waters	6 00
47669		Martin Carey	17 50
47670		H. Seldin	4 50
48066		W. S. Wolfe	395 72
		Board of Inebriety.	
47642		Chas. Samson	$6 64
47643	4-11-14	E. Wilkinson	5 85
47644		American Dist. Tel. Co.....	1 65
47645		Western Union Tel. Co.	2 66
47646	4- 7-14	Welch Bros.	48 00
47647	3-17-14	Agent and Warden	15 00
		Law Department.	
47897		Frank L. Polk	$500 00
48119		Julius Harburger	7 85
48120		West Publishing Co.....	12 00
48121		Max S. Grifenhagen	103 95
48122	3-31-14	Charles J. J. Joyce.....	27 00
48123	4-14-14	Frederick Meakin	12 40
48124		John H. Ruehmling	5 75
48125		Storey & Doane	103 70
48126		Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	4 75
		Commissioner of Licenses.	
48107	3-31-14	Alex. Brennan	$13 00
48108	4- 1-14	Morris Dehane	14 00
48109	2- 4-14	The Banks Law Pub. Co....	15 00
48110		Henry Frank	36 00
48111		Rosenfield & Harris	2 00
48112	1-31-14	H. Aronson	12 00
		The Mayoralty.	
47885		E. M. Morgan	$100 00
		Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.	
47717	4- 8-14	Russell & Co.....	$20 00
47718	4- 4-14	Milton Bradley Co.....	19 00
47719	4- 4-14	Alex. Taylor & Co.....	44 30
47720	4- 4-14	Royal Eastern Elec. Sup. Co.	4 00
47721	4- 6-14	Saml. W. Cornell	28 00
47722	4- 9-14	N. Y. Belting & Packing Co.	9 50
47723	4- 4-14	Hall & Hurlbert	87 80
47724		Gewertz & Rabinowitz	1,880 00
47725		I. Meyer	19 50
47726		Samuel Shapiro	9 00
47727		Max Levine	9 00
47728		Arkawy Brothers	128 50
47729		Ernest Arnold	9 00
		President of the Borough of The Bronx.	
47895		Harris & Rose	$3,234 25
47896		Daniel J. Donelin	372 80
		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	
48100		Edward F. Cadley	$6 60
48101		Jas. J. Byrne	43 15
48102		J. E. Bristol	440 25
48103		Chas. Merz	16 90
48104		Benj. Leavy	7 00
48105		John C. Schrade, Inc.....	3,522 71
48106		A. B. Nicholas, Inc.....	280 70
		President of the Borough of Richmond.	
48005	2-28-14	Summers Supply Co.....	$5 00
48006	2-18-14	G. G. Brocker	52 80
48007	2-28-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	17 35
48008	2-28-14	Frederick Burger & Son....	5 00
48009	1-31-14	The Monon Supply Co., Inc.	35 00
48010	2-25-14	Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse	6 00
48011	2-27-14	E. J. O'Connor	8 00
48012	2-28-14	The B. F. Goodrich Co.....	3 15
48013	2-28-14	Buffalo Steam Roller Co....	86 90
48014	3-14-14	Frederick Burger & Son....	24 60
48015	2-13-14	Jas. Thompson & Sons.....	43 76
48016	2-16-14	Brady Brothers	9 75
48017	2-25-14	Brady Brothers	9 75
48018	2-16-14	Jos. W. Wanty	29 73
48019	2-10-14	Staten Island Shipbuilding Co.	7 79
48020	2-16-14	Staten Island Shipbuilding Co.	20 51
48021	2-18-14	Columbia Carriage, Wagon & Automobile Works	18 25
48022	2-16-14	George C. Goelze	12 00
48023	2-28-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	18 72
48024	3-20-14	Jos. Johnson's Sons	12 00
		Permanent Census Board.	
48114		George H. Chatfield	$6 25
48115	3-27-14	E. G. Soltmann	18 90
48116	4- 6-14	Van Brunt Tandy	4 50
48117	4- 2-14	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	15 75
48118	4- 8-14	Crowell Pub. Co.....	70 00
		Department of Public Charities.	
46737		Raymond F. Almirall	180 00
46738	3- 5-14	T. Fredk. Jackson, Inc.....	1,471 72
46739	3-13-14	B. Diamond	382 00
46778		Angus P. Thorne	12 50
46779		Rose Morrissey	6 45
46780		Angus P. Thorne	300 00
46781		Edward S. McSweeny	23 40
46782		William J. Doherty	9 45
46783		Edith Taylor	4 40
46784		William J. Doherty	1,428 00
46785		Sterling Potter	210 00
46786		Angus P. Thorne	1.857 00
46787		William J. Doherty	500 00
46788		Joseph D. Flick	11 60
47648		Julius Wolff	$2 40
47649		Julius Wolff	49 27
47650		M. Niklas	11 57
47651		Samuel Bernstein	1 18
47652		Edith Taylor	3 50
47653		Wm. C. Yorke	34 60
47654		E. L. Rossiter	201 21
47655		Treasurer, N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R. R. Co.....	8 95
47656		Treasurer, Penna. R. R. Co.	2 50
		Public Service Commission.	
48027	1-24-14	The Half Tone Press Co...	$2 75
48028	12-31-13	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	387 23
48029	2-25-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	19 45
48030	3-13-14	The American Law Book Co.	6 00
48031	3-18-14	Electric Railway Journal ...	1 75
48032		Foster-Scott Ice Co.....	2 00
48033	3- 4-14	Hodgman Rubber Co.....	4 05
48034	2-28-14	C. W. Jean Co.....	11 00
48035	3- 7-14	Kee Lox Mfg. Co.....	18 75
48036	3-11-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	34 73
48037		Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	7 32
48038	2-27-14	Ferdinand Kuster	16 65
48039	2-27-14	The Locomobile Co. of America	6 50
48040	3-18-14	The Long Island Hardware Co.	20 50
48041	3- 4-14	The Lufkin Rule Co.....	14 40
48042	3- 2-14	Manhattan Elec. Sup. Co....	11 28
48043	3- 5-14	The Manhattan Supply Co...	5 00
48044	3-20-14	Meliorate Mfg. Co.....	37 44
48045	3-21-14	Theodore Munnecke	5 00
48046	3- 3-14	Clarence S. Nathan.....	21 30
48047	2-20-14	Pannier Bros. Stamp Co....	2 07
48048	2-27-14	The Penn. Corp. Reporter...	6 00
48049	3- 9-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	58 30
48050	3- 3-14	W. M. Pringle & Co.....	28 00
48051	2-13-14	R. S. Ruggles & Co.....	16 14
48052	2-11-14	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	45 50
48053	2-28-14	Matthew J. Smith.....	6 40
48054	3-13-14	P. W. Vallely, Inc.....	19 00
48055	4-11-14	Ware & Co.....	19 20
48068		Fredk. L. Cranford, Inc.....	59,766 75
48069		Fredk. L. Cranford, Inc.....	34,205 49
48070		The Degnon Cont. Co.....	41,407 51
48071		O'Rourke Engrg. Const. Co..	12,524 32
48072		The Underpinning & Foundation Co.	16,180 83
48073		Dock Cont. Co.....	117,875 36
48074		E. E. Smith Cont. Co.....	48,191 02
48075		Bradley Cont. Co.....	6,089 50
48076		Bradley Cont. Co.....	58,472 19
48077		Patrick McGovern & Co.....	53,613 67
48078		Bradley Cont. Co.....	38,104 96
48079		Bradley Cont. Co.....	34,817 40
48080		Oscar Daniels Co.....	30,315 91
48081		McMullen, Snare & Triest Co.	90,938 48
48082		McMullen, Snare & Triest Co.	872 14
48083		Arthur McMullen & Hoff Co.	172,757 82
48084		Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.....	54,612 59
48085		Richard Carvel Co., Inc.....	33,628 21
48086		Cooper & Evans Co.....	12,062 34
48087		E. E. Smith Cont. Co.....	67,898 77
48088		Degnon Cont. Co.....	903 81
48089		U. S. Realty & Imp. Co.....	578 30
48090		Lawyers' Title Ins. & Trust Co.	25 00
48091		Initial Towel Sup. Co.....	3 30
48092	1-29-14	Lawyers' Title Ins. & Trust Co.	5 50
48093	2-28-14	Union Towel Supply Co....	8 76
48094		Benj. S. Little.....	31 12
48095		Milton J. Farrell.....	90 50
48096		Geo. L. Lucas.....	599 03
48097		Jesse O. Shipman.....	12 71
		Commissioner of Records, New York County.	
47891	4- 7-14	T. C. Moore & Co.....	$5 00
47892	4- 1-14	Direct Line Tel. Co.....	16 00
47894	3-31-14	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	3 20
		Department of Street Cleaning.	
47152		Ascher Detective Agency ..	$40 00
47153		Ascher Detective Agency ..	299 00
47730	4- 1-14	Olin J. Stephens.....	$17 25
47731	1-24-14	Bacon Coal Co.....	37 80
47732	1-31-14	Great Bear Spring Co.....	3 90
47733		Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	24 83
47734		Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	2 08
47735	1- 2-14	P. M. Lynch.....	85
47736		Nicholas Sabino	3 99
47737	4- 1-14	Bedford Auto Garage.....	43 15
47738	3- 7-14	Simmons Automobile Co.....	1 25
47739		The White Co.....	2 22
47740	2-28-14	Municipal Garage	11 37
47741	3-31-14	Lanigan Bros.	12 00
47742	3- 4-14	Library Bureau	4 03
47743		Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	1 50
47744	4- 1-14	Watson Wagon Co.....	988 00
47745	3-20-14	Englebert Tyre Co.....	99 96
47746	3-24-14	Annin & Co.....	17 31
47747	3-21-14	Chas. Beseler Co.....	3 90
47748	3-25-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	15 11
47749	3-27-14	Estate of Edward R. Ladew..	6 50

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47750	4- 3-14	Braunfels, Browning & Co...	1 25
47751	3-17-14	Coldwell Lead Co.....	4 15
47752	3- 2-14	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons..	386 00
47753	3-30-14	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons..	118 80
47754	3-30-14	Jos. Murray & Co., Inc.....	3 13
47756	12-12-13	The Manhattan Supply Co...	10 79
47757	3-18-14	Moran Towing & Transportation Co.	10 00
47758	3-21-14	O'Brien Bros., Inc.....	4,950 00
47759	4- 3-14	P. T. Dunn.....	896 00
47898	3-30-14	The Smith-Worthington Co..	365 83
47899	1-16-14	Wells & Newton Co.....	2 00
47900	3-31-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	12 50
47901	4- 3-14	Peter J. Constant.....	44 55
47902	3-31-14	Columbia Machine Works & Malleable Iron Co.....	75 00
47903	3-21-14	The Good Roads Machinery Co., Inc.	23 00
47904	3-11-14	William E. Kleine & Co.....	70 00
47905	4- 6-14	P. J. Langler.....	521 43
47906	3-27-14	N. Y. Sporting Goods Co....	3 00
47907	4- 1-14	The Smith-Worthington Co..	3 20
47908	3-23-14	Studebaker Bros. Co.....	49 00
47909	3-27-14	J. Newton Van Ness Co.....	13 20
47910	2-24-14	Addressograph Co.	2 00
47911	2-28-14	Kimball Electrical Const. Co.	2 10
47912	3-13-14	Jas. Tregarthen Son & Co...	954 32
47913	2-23-14	P. J. O'Rourke Electrical Engineering Co., Inc.....	198 00
47914	3-31-14	The Akron Rubber Tire Co..	220 00
47915	4- 1-14	Prospect Taxi Co., Inc.....	25 00
47916	3-31-14	O'Brien Bros., Inc.....	300 00
47917	3- 4-14	The Ohman Map Co., Inc....	37 50
47918		Brooklyn Union Pub. Co....	22 40
47919	3-11-14	The Ohman Map Co., Inc...	195 00
		Register, Bronx County.	
47304	4- 8-14	J. Schapiro	$5 95
47395	4- 8-14	P. H. Collins	1 95
		Sheriff, Queens County.	
46771		Fallon Law Book Co.....	$13 10
46772		City Prison of Queens, Department of Correction	150 50
46773	3-31-14	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	31 34
46774		James T. Kelly	1 94
		Board of Water Supply.	
47575		Paul S. Reeves & Co.....	4,531 00
47576		Harrison & Burton.....	28,610 81
		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
47462	12- 1-13	Wm. F. Ruddy	$5 50
47463	11- 1-13	Wm. F. Ruddy	5 50
47464	1- 7-14	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.....	119 00
47465	4- 1-14	Gramatan Spring Water Co.	60
47466	3-31-14	Foster-Scott Ice Co.....	60 67
47467	4- 1-14	The Morey La Rue Laundry Co.	3 00
47468	3-31-14	New York Sporting Goods Co.	191 97
47469	4- 1-14	Samuel Oilm	6 63
47470	3- 9-14	Shaw-Walker Co.	52 60
47471	2-20-14	Shaw-Walker Co.	21 00
47472		A. & W., Auburn Prison	73 75
47473	3-28-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	22 61
47474	3-17-14	Riehle Bros. Testing Machine Co.	10 50
47475	3-31-14	Patterson Brothers	11 47
47476	3-10-14	P. J. O'Rourke Electrical Engineering Co., Inc.	18 65
47477	3-31-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	4 90
47478	4- 1-14	D. J. Haggerty	39 00
47479		George Meyer	60 00
47480		George Meyer	60 00
47481		John Diehl	60 00
47482		Edwin Roberts	60 00
47483	4- 1-14	Wm. M. Sullivan	60 00
47484	2- 1-14	Wm. F. Ruddy	5 50
47485		G. W. Hudson	48 00
47486		J. J. Fagin	75 00
47487	3- 2-14	W. W. Cornell	83 33
47488	3- 2-14	Walter H. Ambrose	164 32
47489	1-16-14	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.....	156 00
47490	1-16-14	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.....	198 00
47491	1-16-14	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.....	125 40
47492	3-20-14	Montgomery & Co.....	5 60
47493	3- 2-14	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	4 84
47494	3- 2-14	John H. Hunter	4 98
47495	2-26-14	Linde Air Products Co.....	2 00
47496	2-26-14	O. M. Jones	14 25
47497	3- 2-14	Peter J. Donohue's Sons....	47 54
47498	3- 2-14	Atlantic Basin Iron Works..	45 03
47499	3- 2-14	The Brooklyn Electrical Supply Co.	14 43
47500	3- 2-14	The Columbia Machine Works & Malleable Iron Co.....	49 98
47501	3- 2-14	Atlantic Basin Iron Works..	42 30
47502	3- 6-14	Madison Auto Co.....	12 00
47503	12-18-13	Robert B. Russell	12 01
47504	12-18-13	Frank G. Baur	11 40
47505	12-18-13	W. & C. Sheehan	9 07
47506	12-18-13	Robert B. Russell	17 36
47507	10- 1-13	John F. O'Brien	15 27
47508	10- 1-13	Robert B. Russell	6 52
47509	12-18-13	L. Frisse	7 68
47510	1-15-14	Cranford Brothers	11 15
47511	1-15-14	Frank G. Baur	10 51
47513		J. L. Pultz	504 00
47514		J. L. Pultz	1 50
47515		John E. McGeehan	225 75
47516		Frank E. Hale	2 25
47517		A. H. Kirchner	24 00
47518		L. A. James	28 18
47519		Robt. J. O'Meara	7 47
47520		Henry Reppenhagen	4 00
47521		Peter A. Farrell	5 40
47522		Luther R. Sawin	18 45
47523		Geo. S. Skilton	6 52
47524		John A. Byrne	12 40
47525		J. L. Pultz	4 64
47526		J. L. Pultz	2 50
47527		John E. McGeehan	79 78
47528		A. H. Kirchner	64 95
47529		John F. Bussing	68 37
47530		J. L. Pultz	1 60
47531		The New Rochelle Water Co.	184 30
47532		Miss Rose Feuerlicht.....	8 43
47533		W. L. Scott.....	10 00
47534		Geo. S. Skilton.....	1 04
47535		John S. Hillabrant.....	59 30
47536		John E. Brennan, Care, Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co.....	73 25
47537		Alpheus Peck	76 10
47538		Michael F. Dalton.....	22 40
47539		Lewis Samuel	55 75
47540		Joseph F. Dougherty, care Manning	67 74
47541		Charles J. Schneider.....	55 72
47542		Stillman Appellate Printing Co.	5 00
47543	1-29-14	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., of New York.....	2 83
47544		William R. McGuire.....	29 25
47545		William R. McQuire.....	707 25
47546		John V. Harte.....	2 50
47547		Frank E. Hale.....	40 25
47548		John V. Harte.....	3 50
47619		A. G. Halleran & Co.....	580 79
47780		Flatbush Gas Co.....	15 00
47781		Brooklyn Borough Gas Co...	272 50
47782	2-17-14	The J. L. Mott Iron Works.	5,100 00
47783		Brooklyn Union Gas Co.....	528 90
47784		Chas. D. Norton Co.....	828 65
47785		High Grade Oil Refining Co.	816 63
47786		The Texas Co.....	653 62
47787		High Grade Oil Refining Co.	100 55
47788		A. D. Cook.....	1,670 00
47789		Carfagno & Dragonetti, Inc..	1,714 53
47790		Fred'k S. Ware.....	2,793 51

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals was held on Tuesday, March 3rd, 1914, at 3.30 p. m.

Present—Dr. Brannan, the President, in the chair, and Messrs. Farley, O'Keeffe, Paulding, Sachs and Stern, Trustees. Excused, Messrs. Kingsbury and Robbins.

Dr. George O'Hanlon, the General Medical Superintendent, reported as follows:

The delays in responding to ambulance calls exceeding ten minutes during the week ending February 28th, were as follows: One call at Gouverneur Hospital, 13 minutes, at two in the morning, and one at Harlem, about 40 minutes, at seven in the morning. The delay in each case was occasioned by difficulty in arousing the ambulance surgeon, and was complicated at Harlem by a misunderstanding between the Telephone Operator and the Messenger who was calling the doctor. At Bellevue, aside from the psychopathic calls, there were only three delays exceeding ten minutes. One of these, of 13 minutes, was occasioned by all of the ambulances being out at the time, and the others, 20 and 25 minutes, were caused by taking two calls at the same time. Although the ambulance service has been greatly crippled during the past week on account of the storms and the condition of the streets, all the calls in the ambulance districts of this Department have been responded to, as well as many calls from the district assigned to the New York Hospital.

The following transfers within the appropriations of this Department for the year 1913, are recommended:

From 382, Food Supplies, $500; 384, Fuel Supplies, $1,800; 397, Materials, $500; 399, General Repairs to Plant, $1,000; total, $3 800.

To 386, Medical and Surgical Supplies, $1,300; 388, Refrigerating Supplies, $170; 390, Office Equipment, $10; 391, Household Equipment, $240; 394, Motor Vehicles and Equipment, $20; 395, Wearing Apparel, $1,000; 396, General Plant Equipment, $310; 398, General Repairs to Building, $350; 403, Telephone Service, $150; 406, Contingencies, $250; total, $3,800.

The work at the School for Midwives has increased to such an extent that it seems desirable to fill the second position of Resident Obstetrician, which has been vacant since the school was established. An application for this position has been received from Dr. Max Rohde, who is a graduate of the University of Chicago, 1908, and of the Johns Hopkins Medical School, 1912. Dr. Rohde served at the Kansas City Hospital from July, 1912, to September, 1913, attended Charity clinics in Berlin in 1911, and is now substituting at Bellevue. His application has been approved by Drs. Flint and Edgar, Visiting Obstetricians to Bellevue Hospital. If this appointment is made, it will involve the promotion of Dr. Holladay from Assistant to Resident Obstetrician. Dr. Rohde's salary would be $900, with maintenance.

On separate motion, duly seconded and carried in each instance, action was taken upon the report of the General Medical Superintendent as follows:

The General Medical Superintendent was directed to reprimand the Telephone Operator at Harlem Hospital who was responsible for the delayed ambulance calls, and to issue specific instructions to the Telephone Operators of all the hospitals of the Department setting forth their duties in answering ambulance calls.

It was resolved to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve of the transfer of funds within the appropriations for 1913, as recommended by the General Medical Superintendent.

The promotion of Dr. Holladay and the appointment of Dr. Max Rohde were referred to the President, with power.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Chairman of the Building Committee reported that, as a result of a conference between the Department's Expert in Hospital Construction, the architect, representatives from the Board of Managers of the Training School and the Building Committee, the architects had been instructed to revise the plans for Pavilions F and G, so that the floor level of the kitchen and service rooms would be raised. This report was approved.

Mr. Paulding reported that he had again conferred with Mr. Arnstein on the proposed amendment to paragraphs 5 and 6 of section 692 of the Charter. After discussion, on motion, duly seconded and carried, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Trustees as a committee of the whole meet with the Executive Committee of the Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital; and it was further

Resolved, To hold a special meeting on Thursday, March 5th, 1914, to consider further the proposed amendment.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The minutes of the Medical Board of Fordham Hospital for February 5th, were presented. On motion, duly seconded and carried, the appointment of two Externes, who are to be supplied with meals and have their washing done in the hospital, was approved; the resignation of Dr. Joseph M. Sheridan as Assistant Surgeon to Out Patients, was accepted; the nomination of Dr. Joseph H. Babcock as Assistant Physician to Out Patients, was referred to the Conference Committee; the recommendation that the nose and throat clinic on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays be temporarily discontinued, and the cases referred to the clinic on the other days, until a Chief is appointed, was approved; and the award of diplomas to Drs. Gillette and Kitschbaum, who have completed their service on the house staff, was authorized.

The minutes of the Executive Committee of the Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital for February 11th were presented. On motion, duly seconded and carried, the request for the appointment of a clinical Pathologist to the Out Patient Department, was referred to the General Medical Superintendent, and the nominations to the Interne staff of the Third Division were approved, as follows:

James Patrick Hennessy, Jr., 2 years, July 1st, 1914. Henry Edward Dwyer, 2 years, July 1st, 1914. Robert Allen Torrence, 2 years, July 1st, 1914. Russell John Trout, 2 years, January 1st, 1915; John Herbert Hermann, 2 years, January 1st, 1915. Augustus Bertram Dykman, 2 years, January 1st, 1915. Joseph Edward Connery, 18 months, January 1st, 1915.

A letter dated January 21st was presented from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, transmitting a copy of a report on the linen and sewing rooms of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, which had been forwarded to the Mayor on January 20th. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried, to refer this report to the Board of Managers of the Training School for reply.

Letters were presented from Dr. G. L. Brodhead under date of January 28th, and from the Supervising Nurse of Fordham Hospital under date of February 18th, reporting on sepsis cases developing in Harlem and Fordham Hospitals, respectively. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried, to inform the Medical Board of Harlem and Fordham Hospitals that the Trustees regret the development of sepsis poisoning in the maternity wards of these hospitals, and to instruct them to take every precaution to prevent its continuance or recurrence.

A letter dated January 31st was presented from the Chairman of the Committee on Legislation of the Medical Society of the State of New York, relating to an act before the Legislature on the subject of habit forming drugs. On motion, duly seconded and carried, this communication was ordered placed on file.

A letter dated January 29th was presented from the Standard Testing Laboratory of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting information as to the desirability of providing standard specifications for thermometers purchased for use in City Departments. On motion, duly seconded and carried, this letter was referred to the General Medical Superintendent.

A communication dated February 27th was presented from the Rock Island Butter Company, relative to the butter contract with the Department. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried to refer this to the Committee on Supplies, with power.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 10th was presented, granting permission to purchase in the open market, without public letting, fresh fruits and vegetables during the year 1914, to an amount not exceeding $2,000. As the amount requested by the Department for this purpose was $12,000, it was moved, seconded and carried to request the Board of Aldermen to amend this resolution so that authority would be issued to the amount of $12,000.

The minutes of the Board of Managers of the Bellevue Training School for February 13th were presented. On motion, duly seconded and carried, the request for a new refrigerator for the Nurses' Residence, at a cost of $1,500, was referred to the Building Committee.

A letter under date of February 5th was presented from the Mayor, requesting the Department to maintain its expenditures within the appropriations. The President reported that he had replied that this was impossible, as the Budget allowance for the Department is not adequate, and the expenditures are dependent upon the number of patients applying for treatment. On motion, duly seconded and carried, the action of the President was approved.

Letters were presented from Dr. Maurice Packard and Dr. S. L. Cash, applying for appointment to the place of Physician to Out Patients and Assisting Visiting Physician to Gouverneur Hospital. It was moved, seconded and carried, to refer these communications to the Gouverneur Medical Board for recommendation.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on February 10th was presented, authorizing the purchase in the open market, without public letting, of two automobile ambulances at a cost not to exceed $5,000. On motion, duly seconded and carried, this resolution was ordered placed on file.

A communication dated February 26th was presented from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting copies of two resolutions adopted on February 20th, (1) transferring $13,779.97 within the appropriations for 1913, and (2) transferring $5.000 from the Department of Docks and Ferries; $4,073.27 from the Department of Parks of Brooklyn, and $1,700 from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, to the appropriations of this Department. On motion, duly seconded and carried, this communication was ordered placed on file.

Mr. Sachs presented a letter from M. George Mechanic, relative to conditions at Fordham Hospital while his brother was a patient there. On motion, duly seconded

and carried, this was referred to the General Medical Superintendent for investigation and attention.

A communication dated February 17th was presented from the Contract Clerk and Auditor, transmitting the proposed contract for telephone service during the year 1914. On motion, duly seconded and carried, the execution of this contract was approved.

Two letters were presented from H. F. J. Porter, dated January 28th, inquiring whether the Trustees desire to have him supervise the work of providing fire resisting construction, in the same manner as was done in the Department of Public Charities, and also make reports on the other hospitals of the Department. It was moved, seconded and carried, to place these communications on file, pending the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the Trustees' request of January 30th, 1914.

A letter dated February 10th was presented from A. L. A. Himmelwright, associate of H. F. J. Porter, requesting that the letter transmitted with the report on fire resisting construction at Bellevue Hospital submitted by Mr. Porter be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and made part of that report. As the Trustees had learned that this report would be acted upon by the Board of Estimate on March 6th, this communication was placed on file.

A letter was presented from the Mayor under date of February 27th, notifying the Trustees of the reappointment of Mr. Samuel Sachs as a member of the Board, and calling attention to reports on Bellevue and Allied Hospitals made by the Commissioners of Accounts and by the Board of Estimate Committee on Inquiry into the Departments of Health, Charities and Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried, to authorize the Secretary to send a reply to this communication, a draft of which was approved. The President asked permission to send a letter to the Mayor on the subjects mentioned in his letter of February 27th, and on motion, duly seconded and carried, this request was approved.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was seconded and carried.

J. K. PAULDING, Secretary.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals was held on Thursday, March 5th, 1914, at 4.30 p. m.

Present—Dr. Brannan, the President, in the chair; Messrs. Farley, O'Keeffe, Paulding, Sachs and Stern, Trustees, and Mr. Kingsbury, Commissioner of Public Charities. Excused, Mr. Robbins.

The Board of Trustees as a committee of the whole reported that they had that day met with the Executive Committee of the Medical Board of Bellevue Hospital to discuss the proposed amendment to the Charter, as set forth in Assembly Bill No. 1005 (Int. No. 936), introduced by Mr. Conkling on February 27th, 1914, the proposed changes in so far as they apply to paragraph six of section 692 of the Charter being the same as set forth in the letter from the Chief Examiner of the Board of Aldermen to the President of the Board of Trustees under date of February 13th, 1914. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and carried, to endorse the amendment to paragraph six of section 692 of the Charter, as set forth in the bill before the Assembly referred to above.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was seconded and carried.

J. K. PAULDING, Secretary.

Department of Bridges.

Report for week ending April 4th, 1914.

Title Changed—April 1, 1 Foreman Painter, at $1,500 per annum, to Painter, at $4 per day.

Resigned—April 1, 1 Transitman, at $1,800 per annum; April 2, 1 Laborer, at $3 per day; April 3, 1 Watchman, at $2.50 per day; April 4, 1 Laborer, at $2.50 per day; April 4, 1 Bridge Painter, at $4 per day.

Deaths—March 29, 1 Laborer, at $2.50 per day.

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller—Open market orders, $3,919.32; contracts, $9,779; payrolls, $15,536.53; miscellaneous vouchers, $45; total, $29,279.85.

Moneys Received — Brooklyn Bridge: Rent, $2,394.73; privileges, $250; tolls, elevated railroad companies, $2,607.50; total, $5,252.23. Williamsburg Bridge: Rent, $641.66. Bridges over Harlem River and The Bronx: Rent, $275. Municipal Garage, Material, Labor and Storage, $567.99; total, $6,730.88.

Contracts Awarded—April 3: Equipment of the easterly tracks of the upper deck of the Manhattan Bridge; Vulcan Rail and Construction Company, No. 35 Meserole ave., Brooklyn, $159,462, the lowest formal bid received.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Services Ceased—Temporary Expert Adding and Billing Machine Operators, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, taking effect April 10: Agnes Moore, 213 E. 57th st.; Olive Mosher, 682 E. 2d st., Brooklyn; Anna Horstman, 244 Pennsylvania ave., Brooklyn; Natalie Bernstein, 567 W. 149th st.; Hannah Jacobs, 1624 Madison ave.; Grace Cassidy, 1151 Rogers ave., Brooklyn; Catherine Taylor, 229 Madison ave., Tompkinsville, S. I.; Ella McGovern, 7 Manhattan ave.; Edith Friel, 286 Suydam st.; J. A. McCarthy, 363 E. 7th st., Brooklyn; Morton Block, 2719 Avenue F., Brooklyn; Florence Lincoln, 660 Carroll st., Brooklyn; Isidore Goldstein, 1503 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn; Marion Taylor, box 134, Tompkinsville, S. I.; Joseph Metz, 128 W. 118th st.; Estelle Murray, 1132 Park ave.; Eleanor Moloughney, 653 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn; Gilbert Engelhardt, Woodhaven ave., Woodhaven; J. B. Battersby, 104 W. 32d st.; G. C. Schwartz, care of Ruiz, 79 W. 92d st.; Louis Rosen, 265 Osborn st., Brooklyn; Gertrude Krekell, 207 Columbus ave.; J. W. Marragh, 144 W. 109th st.; Jos. Gelberg, 949 E. 167th st.; Paul Silken, 492 E. 141st st.; Earl Hefner, 612 W. 137th st.; Ray Rieber, 443 Central Park West; Chas. Michel, 658 Faile st., The Bronx; Byron Levy, 249 W. 112th st., New York; Chas. L. Morganstern, 210 W. 123d st.; J. F. McKenna, 642 Amsterdam ave.; D. Richards, 536 W. 158th st.; Regina Newman, 888 Fox st.; Minna Kahn, 1053 Prospect ave., The Bronx; Minna Judin, 987 Union ave., The Bronx; R. Schrieber, 827 Hunts Point ave., The Bronx; Wm. Spalthoff, 540 W. 113th st.; Daisy Murphy, 14 W. 102d st.; Zelda Howitz, 864 Fox st.; Thos. Dollard, 740 2d ave.; Julia Murray, 815 Albany ave., Brooklyn; Sidney Mills, 46 S. Oxford st.; Jennie McLoughlin, 315 22d st., Brooklyn; Adelaide Carney, 1563 E. 10th st.; Watson Lyman, 144 Monroe st., Brooklyn; M. F. Gardiner, 601 W. 125th st.; Dorothy French, 1201 President st., Brooklyn; Bernard W. Knabe, 1653 82d st., Brooklyn; A. B. Fletcher, 1111 Westchester ave., The Bronx; N. Billings, 421 Halsey st., Brooklyn; H. L. Koelsch, 767 Elmore place, Brooklyn; G. J. Uress, 524 Bedford ave., Brooklyn; L. F. Betts, 454 15th st., Brooklyn; J. S. Burke, 450 St. Johns place, Brooklyn; Geo. Maloney, 265 Woodbine st., Brooklyn; C. Van Deusen, 2112 80th st., Brooklyn; Fred Schneider, 284 Ashford st., Brooklyn; Walter Dreifuss, 844 Nostrand ave., Brooklyn; M. M. Levinson, 1011 E. 178th st.; Aaron Arm, 107 Stockton st.; J. S. H. Miller, 863 E. 23d st., Brooklyn; Catherine McBarron, 67 Wilson st., Brooklyn; Helen Blunt, 18 Winslow st., Astoria; S. S. Tolk, 93 Hewes st., Brooklyn; H. Shipham, 744 Chauncey st., Brooklyn; E. B. Reimer, 221 Pulaski st., Brooklyn; Irving W. Peet, 682 McDonough st., Brooklyn; Elizabeth Frick, 7 E. 15th st.; Estelle Rotheim, 1414 Prospect ave., The Bronx; Ellen Kelly, 34 Manhasset place, Brooklyn; Marion Beyer, 90 Decatur st., Brooklyn; Murray Heitel, 713 Gates ave., Brooklyn; Rene Natelson, care of Muller, 1481 Vyse ave., The Bronx; Louis Meyer, 1407 60th st., Brooklyn; Otto C. Schmidt, 628 Sterling place, Brooklyn; Wm. Lesser, 1685 St. Johns place, Brooklyn; C. J. Baker, 631 W. 12th st.; J. J. Schmuck, 271 Weirfield st., Brooklyn; Ralph B. Webb, 681 Lincoln place, Brooklyn; Sylvester Johnston, 125 Cumberland st., Brooklyn; Walter Tregoning, 348 E. 139th st.; Frank McLaughlin, 2309 Beverly road, Brooklyn; Sydney Rayved, 1351 55th st., Brooklyn; John McCarthy, 22 4th place, Brooklyn; M. Schwartz, 514 W. 134th st.; J. W. Lang, 308 E. 85th st.; R. B. McClary, 461 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn; E. A. Levine, 222 Metropolitan ave., Brooklyn; H. O. Purviss, 494 12th st.; J. Schwartzman, 144 Pennsylvania ave., Brooklyn; Emma Jaeger, 36 Lee ave., Brooklyn; Daisy McCarthy, Corona, Long Island; Fred Greiss, 43 Edsall ave., Brooklyn; J. F. Zisman, care of Silberstein, 81 E. 4th st.; Hilda Wolff, 38 Washington ave., Richmond Hill; F. Otto, 505 W. 124th st.; Edna Darling, 16 N. Henry st., Brooklyn; Florence Zerbia, Spruce st., Richmond Hill; Thos. DeLong, 60 Devoe st., Brooklyn; Patrick Reilly, 166 Colden ave., Flushing; Vincent P. Drasba, 2 Hooker st., Glendale, L. I.; Phillip Sherman, 2 Hooker st., Glendale, L. I.; John Geres, 664 5th ave., College Point; Chas. Meisner, 53 Hillside ave., Jamaica; E. C. Otto, 505 W. 12th st.; Fred Bendernagle, 352 S. Johnson ave., Morris Park; Wm. Morris, 79 Wilson st., Brooklyn; John P. Driscoll, 356 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn; Chas. Prinz, 347 Rodney st., Brooklyn; S. Feinberg, 2 Arden st., New York City; Thos. Torrocco, Maspeth, L. I.; Samuel Feinberg, 562 Willoughby ave., Brooklyn; Wm. Teifenbach, 1922 Wallace ave., The Bronx; Edward Sonin, 302 Tompkins ave., Brooklyn; Chas. Buchfuhrer, 228 E. 102d st.; Ethel Liftschild, 188 Lincoln place, Brooklyn.

Compensation Changed—Temporary Expert Adding and Billing Machine Operators, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, from 1½ cents per bill to 50 cents per hour: Anna Englander, 847 Fox st., The Bronx; Margaret Regan, 1447 Pacific st., Brooklyn; May Devanney, 541 W. 36th st., Manhattan; Helen Schwartz, 1000 Hoe ave., The Bronx; Nan Donnelly, 336 75th st., Brooklyn; Ella Ketcham, 133 W. 140th st.; Gertrude Moloney, 2031 Morris ave., The Bronx; May Loftus, 188 Amity st., Brooklyn; Margaret Kelly, 449 1st st., Brooklyn; Adelaide I. Roberts, 2151 7th ave.; Fanny Levy, 205 E. 114th st.; G. McCaffery, 634 Coster ave., The Bronx; A. F. Keller, 1445 E. 10th st.; Josephine Scharf, care of Mrs. Frech, 225 W. 110th st.; John Edgerton, 207 Hemlock st., Brooklyn; Wm. Taylor, 1107 Dorchester road, Brooklyn; H. S. McNee, 1341 Pacific st., Brooklyn; S. S. Himmel, 113 E. 108th st.; Edith Rosenau, 25 10th ave., Long Island City; P. J. Kleinschmidt, 203 Lincoln ave., Brooklyn; Lucy DeLong, 60 Devoe st., Brooklyn; Wm. Faist, 1031 47th st., Brooklyn.

John G. Faist, Clerk, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, salary fixed at $1,500, being a reduction from $1,650, taking effect April 10, 1914; Shepard A. Morgan, 829 Park ave., Manhattan, appointed Secretary to the Department of Finance, at $6,000 per annum, taking effect April 4, 1914, vice George L. Tirrell, whose resignation has been accepted, taking effect as of the close of business April 3, 1914. Robert B. McIntyre has been transferred from Examiner to Supervising Statistician and Examiner, at $6,000 per annum, taking effect as of April 4, 1914. J. Tilden Adamson resigned as Supervising Statistician and Examiner, taking effect as of the close of business April 3, 1914.

Thomas Lester Coakley, Clerk in the Law and Adjustment Division, salary fixted at $480, taking effect as of April 1, 1914. Lena B. Miller, 150 S. 4th st., Brooklyn, transferred from Stenographer and Typewriter at $750 in the Tenement House Department to Clerk (Card Indexer) at same salary in the Finance Department, taking effect April 13, 1914. Albert Auerbach, Clerk in the Paymaster's office, resignation accepted to take effect at the close of business April 13, 1914. Charles A. Bruning, Clerk in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Manhattan, died April 10, 1914. Harry Levine, Temporary Clerk, Brooklyn office, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, resiged, close of business March 31, 1914. Joseph M. Coyne, Temporary Clerk, Queens office, Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, services ceased close of business March 31st, 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Queens.

Appointed—John B. J. Steinert, Myrtle and Parkview aves., Glendale, L. I., Engineer, at $4.50 per day, April 15th, 1914.

Appointed—John F. Streeseman, Riverdale, Driver with wagon and team, at $5 per diem, to take effect April 11, 1914. Drivers with wagons and teams, at $5 per diem, to take effect April 6, 1914: Anello Grunaldi, 710 E. 218th st.; James Tunney, 1355 Webster ave.; David P. Winkelman, 441 Concord ave.; John Leeder, Fieldstone road. Fred Anderson, Van Cortlandt Park, Driver with horse and cart, at $3 per diem, to take effect April 6, 1914. Michael Hannigan, Riverdale ave. and 259th st., Park Laborer. Climbers and Pruners, at $2.50 per diem: Thomas Dempsey, 745 E. 137th st.; George Eastman, 4184 Park ave.. Cleaners, at $1,75 per diem: Annie Smart, 576 E. 169th st.; Evelyn A. Reno, 835 E. 156th st.; Margaret Degnan, 500 E. 163d st.; Emma Smith, 4358 Park ave.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

March 5th, appointed Clerks, 2nd grade, at $600 per annum: James F. Mullen, Bureau of Highways; Joseph E. Flynn, Bureau of Administration.

March 4th, John W. McCarthy, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving at $4 per diem in the Engineering Division of the Bureau of Highways, reassigned to duty.

March 6th, promotion of Charles C. Robesch, from Laborer at $4 per diem to Inspector of Cement Tests at $1,200 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Sewers and Highways.

March 10, transfer of Margaret L. Moore, No. 195 12th st., Long Island City, Stenographer and Typewriter at $600 per annum, in the Department of Health, to a similar position at $900 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Sewers and Highways. Wages of the following Bricklayers increased from $5.60 to $6 per diem, effective from February 20, 1914: John T. Grady, Bureau of Sewers; Chas. M. Nolan, Bureau of Sewers; James Coleman, Bureau of Highways Laborers, at $2.50 per diem, in the Bureau of Highways, reassigned on dates specified: Richard H. Allen, February 26, 1914; Filippo Bisaccio, February 26, 1914; John Knab, February 27, 1914; Harry Primrose, February 27, 1914; James McAvoy, February 28, 1914; John Schleicker, March 3, 1914. John Kane, Paver, at $5 per diem, in the Bureau of Highways, reassigned, February 25, 1914. Services of Thomas V. McCarron, temporary Clerk, 1st Grade, at $300 per annum, in the Division of Audit and Accounts, terminated at the close of business February 25, 1914.

March 11, services of Catherine M. Langen, temporary Stenographer and Typewriter, at $900 per annum, in the Division of Engineering, Highways, terminated at close of business this date.

March 12, Florence C. Byrne, No. 4032 Brandon st., Wodhaven, L. I., reinstated as Stenographer and Typewriter at $900 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Highways. Reassignment to duty of John T. Allen, Foreman at $4 per diem in the Bureau of Highways.

March 13th, services of Philip A. Fox, temporary Topographical Draftsman at $1,500 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Bureau of Sewers, terminated at the close of business on this date.

March 17th, transfer of Philip J. Barry, Rodman at $1,050 per annum from the Topographical Bureau to the Bureau of Highways, Division of Egineering, Construction.

March 18th, transfer of Agostino Sabato, from Laborer to Sweeper, at $2.50 per diem and assigned to Bureau of Street Cleaning.

March 19th, resignation of Frank L. Klee, temporary Topographical Draftsman, at $1,500 per annum in the Bureau of Sewers, accepted to take effect at the close of business on this date. Appointment of Frank L. Klee, No. 711 McDonough st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, at $1,500 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Bureau of Sewers. Promotion of Thomas J. Lynch, No. 191 8th st., Long Island City, from Laborer to Messenger at $4 per diem in the Bureau of Administration.

March 20th, temporary assignment of John M. Fitzgerald, No. 245 Van Alst ave., Long Island City, Telephone Operator at $1,050 per annum as Clerk, 3rd Grade, at $1,200 per annum in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. Appointment of Thomas A. Mullaney, No. 161 Pearsall st., Long Island City, as Telephone Operator at $1,050 per annum, for three months.

March 18th, appointment of Charles F. Stram, as Rodman, Grade C, at $1,200 per annum, in the Engineering Division of the Bureau of Sewers for nine months.

March 19th, appointment of Robert A. Kearns, as Rodman, at $1,200 per annum, in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Bureau of Sewers, for nine months. Death of Michael Curran, Sweeper, at $2.50 per diem in Bureau of Street Cleaning.

March 20th, appointed Rodman, Grade C, at $1,200 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Bureau of Sewers for nine months: Hugh F. Bresnan, Charles A. Brushaber.

March 21st, suspension without pay of John J. Monaghan, Clerk, 4th Grade, at $1,800 per annum, in the Division of Payrolls, Administration, pending the outcome of charges of absence without leave Suspension of John J. Wissel, Clerk, 2nd Grade, temporarily assigned as Clerk, 3rd Grade, at $1,200 per annum in the Bureau of Administration, this Department, pending the outcome of charges of absence without leave.

March 23d, transfer of Gustave Glaser, from Ticket Agent at $80 per month in the Department of Docks and Ferries to Clerk, 2nd Grade, at $600 per annum in the Division of Audit and Accounts. Death of Michael Curran, Sweeper, at $2.50 per diem in the Bureau of Street Cleaning. Appointed temporary inspectors of Sewer Construction at $4 per diem in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Sewers: John Fox, No. 86 Washington st., Jamaica, L. I.; John Freeman, No. 82 Edsall ave., Ridgewood, L. I.; Stephen J. McClancy, No. 26 Pearson st., Long Island City.

March 24th, appointment of John J. Scanlon, No. 368 Oakland ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, 2nd Grade, at $600 per annum, in Division of Audit and Accounts, Administration. Temporary appointment of Edward J. Young, No. 15 Ely ave., Long Island City, as Topographical Draftsman, at $1,500 per annum, in Division of Engineering, Construction, Sewers.

March 25th, transfer of Frederick J. Steinbeck, Rodman at $960 per annum in the Board of Water Supply to Rodman, Grade B, at $1,050 per annum, in the Topographical Bureau.

March 27th, appointed Transitman at $1,500 per annum in the Division of Engineering, Construction, Sewers, on dates specified: James J. Kelly, March 18; Francis X. Fish, March 23; John C. Fagan, March 27; Clifford D. Landauer, March 27.

March 24th, appointment of Ernest M. Roggelin, Jr., No. 38 Lexington ave., Maspeth, L. I., Foreman at $4 per diem in the Bureau of Highways. William Zimmer, Assistant Foreman in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, rerated from $3.25 per diem to $900 per annum.

March 25, Hugh M. O'Brien, Assistant Foreman at $3.25 per diem, reassigned to duty in Bureau of Highways and transferred to Bureau of Street Cleaning; effective as of March 24, 1914.

REGISTER, NEW YORK COUNTY.

Services Ceased—George B. Berkman, Typewriter Copyist in the Reindexing Department, at 25 cents per index page, taking effect at the close of business April 6, 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Appointments—James J. Parker, 164 Butler st., Brooklyn, Clerk, office of the Secretary, $300 per annum, March 27, 1914; Charles Patorno, 328 E. 19th st., Manhattan, Clerk, Bureau of Supplies, $300 per annum, March 30, 1914; John G. Granath, 279 Dean st., Brooklyn, Clerk, Bureau of School Buildings, $300 per annum, March 26, 1914; Charles E. Bunce, 39 Granite st., Brooklyn, Clerk, office of the City Superintendent of Schools, $900 per annum, April 6, 1914; Loretta P. Foley, 150 W. 62d st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, office of the Secretary, $600 per annum, April 6, 1914; Anna E. James, 338 15th st., Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Supplies, $600 per annum, April 8, 1914; May L. Morris, 2120 Arthur ave., The Bronx, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of School Buildings, $600 per annum, March 30, 1914; Edith M. Smith, 3191 Perry ave., The Bronx, Stenographer and Typewriter, office of the City Superintendent of Schools, $750 per annum, April 6, 1914; Michael Naughton, Jr., 1908 Prospect ave., The Bronx, Inspector of Fuel in the Bureau of Supplies until the return to duty of Owen M. Kiernan, $1,150 per annum, April 9, 1914; Selma Biow, 921 Tiffany st., The Bronx, Stenographer and Typewriter, office of the City Superintendent of Schools, $600 per annum, April 13, 1914; Hannah Strasburger, 163 E. 95th st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, as Clerk to the Local School Boards of Districts Nos. 16 and 17 and to District Superintendent Jameson, $600 per annum, March 30, 1914; Carmina Medalie, 1971 7th ave., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, as Clerk to the Local School Board of Districts Nos. 19 and 22 and to District Superintendent Conroy, $600 per annum, April 6, 1914; John P. Reynolds, Jr., 1151 Dean st., Brooklyn, Inspector of Heating and Ventilation, $2,093.33 per annum, April 1, 1914; Paul Wiebe, Cleaner, Brooklyn Truant School (not exceeding three months), $25 per month with maintenance, March 28, 1914; Joseph H. McInerney, Janitor with Knowledge of Steamheating, Public School 3, Richmond, $1,536 per annum, April 6, 1914; John J. Spellmen, Janitor with Knowledge of Steamheating, Public School 12, Richmond, $1,380 per annum, April 1, 1914; Hugh Smith, Cleaner, Morris High School, The Bronx, $480 per annum, March 31, 1914; Thomas F. Carroll, Cleaner, Manual Training High School, Brooklyn, $480 per annum, March 31, 1914; John Smith, Cleaner, Curtis High School, Richmond, $480 per annum, March 31, 1914; John T. Vaughey, Cleaner (temporary), Curtis High School, Richmond, $480 per annum, March 31, 1914.

The employment of John Cusack, Caretaker in the Brooklyn Truant School, at the rate of $35 per month with maintenance, was continued for an additional period of not more than six months from March 1, 1914. Charles Kane, Janitor-Engineer of Public School 5, Queens, assigned to duty at Public School 23, Queens, taking effect April 1, 1914, at $1,668 per annum. The compensation of Janitor of Public School 50, The Bronx, increased from $150 per month, temporary, to $4,236 per annum, to take effect April 13, 1914, subject to action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen.

Emergency Appointments—Goerge H. Atkinson, 120 W. 117th st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, office of the City Superintendent of Schools, $900 per annum, March 30, 1914. Elsie D. Hohns, 286 11th st., Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter, Division of Reference and Research, for two periods of fifteen days each, at $750 per annum, March 27, 1914. Edna A. Eckhoff, 421 Marion st., Brooklyn, Clerk, office of District Superintendent Conroy, $900 per annum, April 1, 1914.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

General Administration.

Appointed—Clerks: M. Thomas, Hotel St. George, Brooklyn, at $1,650 per annum, to date from March 25th, 1914; John A. Knowles, 1554 57th st., Brooklyn, at $750 per annum, to date from March 23d, 1914.

Highways.

Reassigned—Jeremiah J. Murphy, 95 1st place, Brooklyn, Laborer, at $2.50 per day, to date from March 16th, 1914. William E. Carberry, 679 Vanderbilt ave., Brooklyn, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at $4 per day, to date from March 25th, 1914. Salvatore Misiani, 92 Skillman st., Brooklyn, Asphalt Worker, at $2,50 per day, to date from March 20th, 1914.

Public Buildings and Offices.

Services Ceased—Edward Lawlor, 864 Macon st., Brooklyn, Licensed Fireman, (emergency), at the close of business March 5th, 1914. Thomas A. Drew, 61 Douglas st., Brooklyn, Stationary Engineer (emergency), at the close of business March 25th, 1914.

Reassigned—Joseph Boyle, 447 Grand ave., Brooklyn, Stationary Engineer, at $4.50 per day, from March 27th.

Sewers.

The following named Inspectors of Sewers and Basins were retired from active service by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to date from January 1st, 1914:

Retired—Henry L. Desplace and Patrick J. Bray, Inspectors of Sewers and Basins, to date from January 1, 1914.

Appointed—Otto Ebbinghaus, 752 E. 220th st., The Bronx, Mechanical Draftsman, at $1,350 per annum, to date from March 9th, 1914.

Died—Daniel Murray, 811 Rogers ave., Brooklyn, Inspector of Sewer Construction, March 22d, 1914.

Reassigned—William J. McNeece, 74 Clermont ave., Brooklyn, Laborer, at $2.50 per day, to date from March 24th, 1914.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Salaries Fixed—Samuel Einstein and John L. Dederick, Clerks, $1,650 and $540 per annum, respectively, to take effect April 1, 1914.

Services Ceased—Harry McCartney, Laborer, April 1, 1914; Samuel T. Adams, Transitman, March 31, 1914; J. P. Heath, Assistant Engineer, April 7, 1914; Chas. G. H. Summers, Patrolman, March 27, 1914; Henry P. Olmstead, Patrolman, April 7, 1914.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Bureau of Buildings.

Salary Fixed—William E. Lyons, Inspector of Plumbing, $1,500 per year, effective April 6th, 1914. Charles P. Schmidt, Inspector of Plumbing (temporary), $1,350 per year, effective April 6, 1914.

Services Ceased—Ralph E. Cameron, Engineer Inspector at $1,500 per year, taking effect at the close of business on April 15th, 1914.

Appointed—Peter J. McLaughlin, 32 W. 65th st., Manhattan (temporarily), Inspector of Plumbing, at $1,200 per year, taking effect April 13.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Retired—David J. Johnson, Bridge Tender, effective as of May 1, 1914; Michael Supple, Wireman, effective as of May 1, 1914; Bart J. Downs, Machinist's Helper, effective as of May 1, 1914; Jas. Dillon, Bridge Tender, effective as of May 1, 1914; Peter Matthews, Laborer, effective as of May 1, 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Died—Samuel Wells, Machinist's Helper, April 4, 1914.

Appointed—Hanbury Armitage Watkins, Chief Confidential Inspector, $2,200 per annum, to take effect April 16, 1914.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

Appointments—Hospital Helpers: February 19th, Helen Kayser, $180; Catherine Drexel, $180; February 20th, Kate Logan, $180; Emil G. Begman, $240; February 22nd, Ellen Piatt, $180; February 23rd, Mary Fingerhut, $180; February 24th, Ellen McDonough, $180; Lewis Bender, $240; Dorothy Montgomery, $180; Annie Tietz, $180; Mary Donnelly, $180; Margaret Hassett, $180; Feb. 25th, Robert Daly, $240; John H. Wilmont, $240; February 27th, Catherine Stark, $180; Rose Rooney, $240; Mary McNamara, $180; Gussie Knope, $180; Alfred Hutchinson, $240; February 28th, Fred Eugene, $240; March 1st, Harry H. Hartmann, $240; Peter Collins, $300; George Kevorkian, $300. Laundryman: Patrick Howard, $480. Hospital Helpers: John Pataky, $240; Mary Lonyinger, $300; Mary Koval, $240; March 2nd, August Morris, $240; Mary Carney, $180; Christine Rabinsky, $180; Bertha Brendler, $180; Susie Sullivan, $180; Margaret Smith, $180; March 3rd, James Rafferty, $240; Mollie McInerney, $180; Paul N. Akens, $240; Elmer, Grant, $240; Robert Clyde, $180; March 4th, Lizzie MacDonald, $180; Daniel Walsh, $240. Auto Engineman: Charles Duam, $900. Hospital Helpers: Hugo Fischer, $240; Mary Gillis, $180. Fireman: John McMahon, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: March 5th Katie Meehan, $192; Evelyn Williams, $180; Peter Sheehan, $240; March 6th, Elizabeth Reed, $180; John MacDonald, $240; Edward Lynch, $240; Frances LeRoy, $192; March 7th, Charles Peterson, $240; March 9th, Murray Holty, $240; James Cronin, $180; Michael Rose, $240; March 10th, Robert Craig, $240; James Reilly, $240; Edward Rosenblack, $240; Rose Williams, $180; Bertha Knowlton, $192; Mary Bayer, $240; John Ibbitson, $240; Margaret Devine, $180; March 11th, William Leonard, $240; Michael Hanamy, $240; Robert Sumtoff, $240; March 1st, Michael Moroney, $240; Rupert Margeson, $240; Gertrude Doyle, $240; Joe Luke, $240; March 2nd, Bertha Brendler, $180; March 4th, Catherine Sheehan, $240; March 6th, Thomas Logan, $240; March 7th, Gertrude Kearney, $216; March 9th, Frances Smith, $180; Mary Manning, $180; Annie Flynn, $180. Bookkeeper: William K. Taylor, $1,200. Hospital Helpers: Paul Powell, $420; March 11th, Alfred Nelson, $240; Mary Shanley, $180; Frank Golen, $240; March 12th, Teresa Clancy, $180. Fireman: Edward McPhillips, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: Margaret Wood, $180; March 13th, Clara Kroegel, $180; Michael Clancey, $240; William Andrews, $240; Annie Tully, $180.

Resignations, Dismissals, Etc.—Hospital Helpers: February 21st, Helen Kayser, $180; February 22nd, Kathryn Gaffney, 180; February 23rd, Kate Logan, $180; Eugene Ruploeg, $240; Albert McGargle, $240; February 26th, Mollie McInerney, $180; Philip Tulon, $240; Annie Klinki, $180; Kate St. Jacques, $180; Raymond Riker, $240; February 28th, Mary Koval, from $300 to $240; Mary Lonyinger, from $240 to $300; Katie Rodokosky, $180; Cecelia Burke, $180; Mary McNamara, $180; Mary Murray, $180; Annie O'Donnell, $180; John Ibbitson, $240; Rose Rooney, from $216 to $240; Fanny Kaplin, $180; Patrick Howard, from $300 to $480. Laundryman: Simon Zaramba, $480. Hospital Helpers: George Kevorkian, $240; Peter Collins, from $240 to $300; March 1st, William Davis, $240; Mary Clarke, $180; Katie Skintic, $180; Herman Reutlinger, $240; March 2nd, Michael Holmes, $240; Robert Daly, $240; Bernard Leary, $240. Fireman: Edward McPhillips, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: March 3rd, Margaret Fsanis, $180; Walter Geary, $240; George Wort, $240; Margaret Walsh, $192; March 4th, Fred Eugene, $240; Annie Tietz, $180; Elizabeth Bennett, $180; March 5th, Paul Schubert, $240; Margaret Norton, $180; Edward T. Carroll, $240; March 6th, Fred Holbrooke, $240; March 7th, Thomas Scanlon, $240; George McLean, $240; Minnie Heald, $240; March 8th, Susie Sullivan, $180; Frances Le Roy, $180; Frank Keenan, $240; March 9th, Frank Miller, $240; Walter Peterson, $240; Joseph Strehar, $240; Mary Donnelly, $180; John Gunn, $240; Ellen Harbey, $180; Essie Corcoran, $180; Peter Kiernan, $240; Gerald Montgomery, $240; March 10th, Carl Dellner, $240; Joseph Hohn, $180; Louise Cahill, $240; George Huxham, $240; Mary Gillis, $180; Mary Gibbons, $180; Ellen Murray, $180; Katie Scanlon, $180; March 6th, Catherine Sheehan, $240; Herman Helen, $180; Adele Hanssen, $180. Bookkeeper: March 7th, Robert B. Miller, $1,200. Hospital Helper Mechanic: March 10th, Thomas Murray, $600. Hospital Helpers: Harold Herman, $240; Paul Akens, $240; Margaret Hogan, $180; March 8th, Minnie Harrigan, $180; Joseph Herbert, $240; James Morris, $240; William K. Taylor, $420. Fireman: March 11th, John McMahon, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: Margaret Howard, $180; Nora Wilson, $180; George Kaffenberger, $240; Edwin Felsch, $240; Elizabeth Fisher, $180; Frank Collier, $240; March 12th, William O'Connor, $240; Michael McDermott, $240; Nellie Kelly, $180; Lizzie Davis, $180; Augustine Anastasisder, $240; Charles Hartman, $240; Johanna Spanjard, $180; Paul Lichtenfeld, $240; Annie McCarthy, $180; March 13th, Robert Matthews, $240; Jesse Smith, $180; March 14th, Mary Bayer, $180; Martha Mooney, $180; Agnes Sperling, $180; Annie Wade, $180; Martin Egan, $240.

Appointments, Nurses' Residence—Hospital Helpers—Mar. 1st, Mabel Eldridge, $192; Mar. 3, Oscar Emile, $240; Mar. 9, Peter Bjorn, $240; Mar. 11, Pat. O'Brien, $240; March 12th, Jerry Eshro, $240; March 13th, Julia Martin, $240.

Resignations—Hospital Helpers: February 28th, Catherine McConnell, $192; March 2nd, John Murray, $240; March 8th, Antonio Tunis, $240; March 9th, Mabel Eldridge, $240; March 10th, Geo. Malches, $240; March 11th, Patrick O'Brien, $240.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

COMPETITIVE ELIGIBLE LISTS.

Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C, Promulgated April 8, 1914.

1. Scheuer, Alfred A., 704 W. 180th st., 94.10.
2. Kandel, Chas., 77 2d ave., 90.30.
3. Gruenewald, Edmund J., 845 Union ave., The Bronx, 88.70.
4. Mellor, Chas. E., 1011 E. 178th st., 88.40.
5. Sternberg, Irving, 312 W. 111th st., 88.30.
6. White, Albert N., 2065 Belmont ave., The Bronx, 87.70.
7. Clarkin, Henry J., 2083 Clinton ave., The Bronx, 87.
8. Muller, Martin, 6505 15th ave., Brooklyn, 86.80.
9. Vanderbrook, Raphael H., 492 Chauncey st., Brooklyn, 86.40.
10. Halock, Geo. W., 6410 15th ave., Brooklyn, 86.20.
11. Harber, Joseph, 479 E. 159th st., 86.10.
12. Rotrosen, Phineas, 311 Henry st., 86.
13. Lordly, Leonard C., 127 Riverside drive, 86.
14. Klee, Fredk. L., 711 McDonough st., Brooklyn, 85.90.
15. Findlay, Wm., 1120 Woodycrest ave., 85.80.
16. Gibb, Frank C., 600 E. 164th st., 85.40.
17. Martin, Geo. F., 1406 Webster ave., The Bronx, 85.20.
18. Whynus, C. Paulding (N. Q.), 16 Forbes st., Poughkeepsie, 85.10.
19. Black, Henry S., 778 E. 169th st., 85.10.
20. Lintner, Adolph J., 703 E. 133d st., 84.80.
21. Liebhaber, Max E., 987 Union ave., The Bronx, 84.80.
22. Glassberg, Morris, 443 Cyrus place, The Bronx, 84.60.
23. Johnson, Grank C., 295 State st., Brooklyn, 84.40.
24. Klein, Arthur, Box 183, Pleasantville, N. Y., 84.10.
25. Schnitt, Louis, 1791 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 84.10.
26. King, Wm. E., 580 W. 161st st., 84.10.
27. McWililams, Chas. M., 811 E. 178th st., 83.90.
28. Melke, Frank J., 392 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 83.90.
29. Wirshup, Morris I. (N. Q.), 171 Pearl st., Brooklyn, 83.90.
30. Ash, Wm. J., 1462 75th st., Brooklyn, 83.70.
31. Walter, Louis, 76 Juniper ave., Maspeth, 83.50.
32. Garvin, Stephen L. (N. Q.), 1990 Clinton ave., The Bronx, 83.30.
33. North, Edgar M., 7901 13th ave., Brooklyn, 83.30.
34. Bold, Ralph E., 26 7th ave., 83.20.
35. Margolis, Louis (N. Q.), 1407 5th ave., 83.10.
36. Levy, Harry W., 1090 St. Nicholas ave., 82.90.
37. Grotecloss, Edw., Jr., 2007 Sedgwick ave., 82.90.
38. Johnson, Andrew K., Washington ave., Pleasantville, 82.80.
39. Peck, Allen J., 859 Whitlock ave., The Bronx, 82.60.
40. Spencer, Albert H., 429 Sanford ave., Flushing, L. I., 82.50.
41. Stewart, Willfred (N. Q.), 2911 Avenue D, Brooklyn, 82.40.
42. Siggelkow, John, Brook st., Mt. Kisco, N. Y., 82.20.
43. Heaney, Eugene W., 450 E. 179th st., 81.90.
44. Cummings, Jos. T., 202 E. 68th st., 81.80.
45. Goldberg, Morris A., 1046 College ave., The Bronx, 81.70.
46. Doon, Chas. W., 212 E. 188th st., 81.60.
47. Trommer, Lazarus, 271 Pennsylvania ave., Brooklyn, 81.40.
48. Cook, Wm. B., 142 Kenilworth place, Brooklyn, 81.40.
49. Frankel, Jesse, 31 W. 111th st., 81.10.
50. Balland, Samuel B., 18 Tompkins ave., Brooklyn, 80.80.
51. MacAdam, Harry E., 364 E. 53d st., Brooklyn, 80.50.
52. Glock, Alfred R., 533 8th ave., Long Island City, 80.40.
53. Lorber, Benj. (N. Q.), 2 Avenue D, 80.40.
54. Hampton, Geo. E., 2108 Valentine ave., The Bronx, 80.40.
55. Friedman, Wm. H., 1808 Prospect place, Brooklyn, 80.30.
56. O'Connor, Frank J., 1272 Clay ave., The Bronx, 80.20.
57. Cunningham, Wm. A., 193A Schaeffer st., Brooklyn, 80.20.
58. Einhorn, Elias, 814 E. 166th st., 80.10.
59. Gover, Jesse (N. Q.), 414 Richmond terrace, New Brighton, S. I., 80.
60. Strange, Gerard C., 4633 Richardson ave., The Bronx, 80.
61. Brimberg, Jacob, 521 W. 125th st., 79.70.
62. Blum, Harry, 25 W. 114th st., 79.50.
63. Bernstein, Irving M., 1449 Minford place, The Bronx, 79.30.
64. Wasserman, Chas. W., 1949 82d st., Brooklyn, 79.20.
65. Pierce, Henry B., 1908 Vyse ave., The Bronx, 79.20.
66. Weintraub, Vicot, 107 W. 117th st., 79.
67. Solonsky, Maurice, 885 Stebbins ave., The Bronx, 79.

68. Gallanter, Jacob, 365 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, 78.60.
69. McSweeney, John F., 647 Dean st., Brooklyn, 78.40.
70. Umans, Jacob (N. Q.), 141 W. 117th st., 78.10.
71. Schwerin, Ben., 748 Jackson ave., The Bronx, 78.10.
72. Herrington, Edw. J., 646 57th st., Brooklyn, 77.90.
73. Rubenstein, Robt. L., 67 E. 104th st., 77.80.
74. Barbon, Geo., Box 190, Rye, N. Y., 77.50.
75. Higbie, Wilfred H., Lakeview ave., Springfield, L. I., 77.40.
76. Law, John B., 1269 Teller ave., The Bronx, 77.30.
77. Orner, Edw. (N. Q.), 345 Jackson ave., Long Island City, 77.20.
78. Bennett, Benj. G., 1410 Fulton st., Brooklyn, 77.10.
79. Schnapp, John, 16 W. Belmont st., The Bronx, 76.70.
80. Eager, Robt. J. P., 204 W. 82d st., 76.50.
81. Dudnick, Benj. J., 99 Meserole ave., Brooklyn, 74.70.
82. Hymans, Harold, 427 E. 158th st., 74.40.
83. Ahneman, Edw. F., 2713 Kingsbridge terrace, The Bronx, 74.20.
84. Mandell, Solon B., 132 E. 82d st., 72.30.

Janitor Engineer, Promulgated April 8, 1914.

1. McCarville, Alfred F., 345 St. Anns ave., The Bronx, 91.10.
2. Aumack, Harry C., 623 Gerardi ave., Woodhaven, L. I., 90.
3. Albie, Eugene P., 720 E. 175th st., 88.25.
4. Mellen, William P. (N. Q.), 4009 Syoset st., Woodhaven, 87.65.
5. Lawlor, Martin J., 273 Classon ave., Brooklyn, 87.45.
6. Patterson, Fred. A., 614 Greene ave., Brooklyn, 87.40.
7. Rohan, Patrick, 2161 8th ave., 87.20.
8. Cottier, James F., 264 Westervelt ave., New Brighton, 87.10.
9. Muller, Karl H., 1245 Amsterdam ave., 86.95.
10. Hammond, Jos. I., 1471 Vyse ave., Brooklyn, 86.75.
11. Lieber, Julius, 697 Dawson st., The Bronx, 86.15.
12. LaPoint, Charles, 149 Beechwood ave., New Brighton, 86.
13. Moynihan, Eugene P., 82 Cherry st., Richmond Hill, L. I., 85.80.
14. Larsen, Karl M., 572 57th st., Brooklyn, 85.65.
15. Burton, John W., 632 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 85.
16. Lindgren, Alfred E., 218 Willoughby ave., Brooklyn, 84.80.
17. Lyons, Bernard, 342 E. 42d st., 84.50.
18. Netterfield, Andrew O., 96 Lowell ave., Jamaica, 84.35.
19. Penny, George E., 17 4th place, Brooklyn, 84.05.
20. Brown, Lester W., 46 Riker ave., Woodside, L. I., 83.90.
21. Burke, Patrick J., 340 E. 139th st., 83.70.
22. McGinn, Harry H. (N. Q.), 501 W. 141st st., 83.50.
23. Enright, John, 218 E. 74th st., 83.50.
24. Smith, James, 639 53d st., Brooklyn, 83.35.
25. Schappert, Herman, 827 Melrose ave., The Bronx, 82.75.
26. Linsky, Martin, 1015 Pacific st., Brooklyn, 82.75.
27. Hagedorn, Henry J., Jr., 143 Dresden st., Brooklyn, 82.10.
28. O'Donnell, Hugh J., 348 W. 22d st., 81.95.
29. McKueen, Robert, 396 2d st., Brooklyn, 81.85.
30. Krauss, Edw., 308 W. 126th st., 81.30.
31. Mahoney, Maurice, 1133 Longfellow ave., The Bronx, 81.25.
32. Dolphin, Alex., New York ave., corner Mathias st., Jamaica, L. I., 81.25.
33. Feldermann, Fritz D. (N. Q.), 1336 Boone ave., The Bronx, 81.25.
34. Wood, Purnell, 117 Covert st., Brooklyn, 81.10.
35. Schumann, William, 393 Audubon ave., 81.05.
36. Connors, William H., 104 W. 83d st., 81.05.
37. Jennings, William H. (N. Q.), 28 E. 198th st., 80.85.
38. Canning, James J. (N. Q.), 314 E. 159th st., 80.80.
39. Brooks, Ernest J., 4585 Park ave., 80.20.
40. Mellen, James C., 9506 Avenue L, Brooklyn, 79.85.
41. McInerny, Jos. H., 2107 Amsterdam ave., 79.85.
42. Wing, Wm. N., 600 E. 7th st., Brooklyn, 79.50.
43. Senff, Fred. W. (N. Q.), 944 Spruce st., Morris Park, L. I., 79.50.
44. O'Connell, Patrick, 785 Columbus ave., 79.45.
45. Powell, Edwin E., 448 Benedict ave., Woodhaven, 79.25.
46. Kelly, Patrick J., 756 Manhattan ave., Brooklyn, 79.15.
47. Smith, Henry R., 215 92d st., Brooklyn, 78.35.
48. Murphy, Henry, 579 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 78.35.
49. Davison, Robt., 1241 Biglow ave., Wodhaven, 78.35.
50. Blake, James W., House of Refuge, Randalls Island, 78.25.
51. O'Connor, Thos., 15 Josephine st., Castleton Corners, S. I., 78.15.
52. Molloy, Thos., 1858 Holland ave., The Bronx, 78.
53. Winters, John J., 55 Doscher st., Brooklyn, 77.70.
54. MacIntosh, Neil W., 2160 E. 17th st., Brooklyn, 76.95.
55. Shading, Charles F. 535 Essex st., Brooklyn, 76.85.
56. Burns, Harry F., 1604 42d st., Brooklyn, 76.50.
57. Dewey, William H., 73 W. 130th st., 76.50.
58. Nugent, Thos., 765 Post ave., West Brighton, S. I., 76.40.
59. Hanlon, Charles (N. Q.), 10 3d st., Woodhaven, 76.05.
60. Tomlin, Edw. H., 739 Ocean View ave., Woodhaven, L. I., 75.45.
61. McCarthy, John J., 412 E. 52d st., 75.
62. Murphy, John F., 103 E. 127th st., 75.
63. Griswold, Wm. H., 2110 Vyse ave., The Bronx, 74.40.
64. Jennings, Charles F., 234 E. 123d st., 74.20.
65. Dela Motta, Gustavus (N. Q.), 446 Chauncey st., Brooklyn, 73.85.
66. McGowan, John, 2341 Webster ave., The Bronx, 73.50.
67. Aitken, Edwin T., Jr., 673 Amsterdam ave., 73.50.
68. O'Neill, John, 100 Underhill ave., Brooklyn, 73.50.

Stationer, Promulgated April 8, 1914.

1. Plunkett, Edw. J., 123 W. 96th st., 82.60.
2. Roche, Wm. F., 5412 6th ave., Brooklyn, 81.60.
3. Cox, John D., 118 E. 32d st., Brooklyn, 81.60.
4. Seiersen, Chas. W., 1012 1st ave., 21.20.
5. Wonderly, Elbert E., 457 Park place, Brooklyn, 80.
6. Newmann, Chas. M., 896 Irvine st., The Bronx, 78.
7. Summer, Herbert A., 43 Christopher st., Montclair, N. J., 76.60.
8. Belter, Theodore J., 682 McDonough st., Brooklyn, 75.60.
9. Herber, Alfred L., 107 S. 8th st., Brooklyn, 75.60.
10. Rothblum, Benj., 41 E. 7th st., 75.40.
11. Marsteller, Eli C., 262 E. 25th st., Brooklyn, 74.80.
12. Schultz, Henry P., 466 Madison st., Brooklyn, 74.20.
13. Roscher, Fred C., 13 Jefferson place, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., 73.

Third Grade Deputy Medical Superintendent, Promulgated April 8, 1914.

1. Heard, Geo. P., 333 W. 50th st., 83.
2. Mereness, Henry E., 250 W. 104th st., 78.50.
3. Healey, Albert M., 42 Barrow st., 73.50.
4. Byrne, Wilfred P., 105 W. 84th st., 73.50.
5. Price, Thomas I., New York Home for Aged and Infirm, Blackwells Island, 71.50.
6. Frischbier, Chas. P., 1180 Hancock st., Brooklyn, 70.50.

PROMOTION LISTS.

Typewriting Copyist, Third Grade, Promulgated April 8, 1914.
Board of Education, Bureau of Supplies.

1. Connolly, Thos. J. A., 73 N. 7th ave., Rockaway Park, L. I., 81.90.

Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent, Promulgated April 8, 1914.
Street Cleaning Department.

1. Gunther, Aug. F., 2784 Creston ave., The Bronx, 82.01.
2. Ward, Michael J., 92 Dean st., Brooklyn, 81.60.
3. Carroll, John F., 118 Clinton ave., Brooklyn, 81.20.
4. Taylor, Alfred A., 1091 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, 81.01.
5. Stearns, Fred L., 52 W. 126th st., 79.50.
6. Brogan, James H., 2407 Valentine ave., The Bronx, 78.90.
7. Dwyer, Bartholomew F., 100 Heyward st., Brooklyn, 77.90.
8. Asip, James W., 534 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 77.70.
9. Greene, Edw. P., 27 Columbus ave., 77.50.
10. Doyle, James C., 327 Hoyt st., Brooklyn, 77.50.
11. Reilly, Terence J., 124 W. 91st st., 77.50.
12. Dunphe, Carroll S., 212 E. 3d st., Brooklyn, 77.
13. Pope, John, 250 Bement ave., West New Brighton, 76.80.
14. Doody, Cornelius F., 2333 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, 76.50.
15. Newiger, Arthur E. L., 340 Powell st., Brooklyn, 74.40.
16. Dobbins, Joseph A., 67 W. 128th st., 72.10.

Foreman, Grade 1, *Promulgated April* 8, 1914.
Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

1. Morgan, John S., 156 E. 29th st., 91.50.
2. Fahey, James, 244 E. 87th st., 89.50.
3. Adelson, Chas. I., 1717 Madison ave., 85.50.
4. Pierce, Bernard J., 110 Front st., 85.
5. McCormack, Edward, 178 E. 85th st., 84.
6. Purcell, David A., 1049 Park ave., 82.62.
7. McQuade, Wm. J., 68 E. 121st st., 82.
8. Dooley, Michael J., 249 E. 85th st., 82.
9. Buckley, Timothy F., 301 E. 65th st., 80.92.
10. Fraer, Daniel T., 428 W. 37th st., 79.82.
11. Volkmann, Max C. A., 72 E. 108th st., 79.
12. Brazil, James J., 305 W. 69th st., 79.
13. Cahill, James P., 3134 Broadway, 78.12.
14. Gilday, Thomas, 484 E. 141st st., 78.
15. Klein, Aaron A., 290 S. 2d st., Brooklyn, 77.50.
16. Finnerty, John, 142 W. 62d st., 77.
17. Evans, Thos. J., 259 E. 204th st., 76.42.
18. Lee, Joseph, 444 E. 122d st., 76.12.
19. O'Brien, James E., 28 Carlton ave., Brooklyn, 76.02.
20. Owens, James, 507 W. 159th st., 75.37.
21. Fitzpatrick, John, 293 10th ave., 74.20.
22. Griffin, John, 119 E. 105th st., 73.70.
23. Nolan, Michael, 167 Bond st., Brooklyn, 72.57.
24. Mulligan, Wm. F., 1153 3d ave., 72.20.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.
City Hall. Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor.

Bureau of Licenses.
57-59 Centre st. Telephone, 2030 Worth.
Julian Rosenthal, Chief of Bureau.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.
City Hall. Telephone, 4334 Cortlandt.
John L. Walsh, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Municipal Building. Telephone, 4315 Worth.
James McGinley, Acting Commissioner.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
City Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
P. J. Scully, Clerk.

President of the Board of Aldermen.
City Hall. Telephone, 6725 Cortlandt.
George McAneny, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.
300 Mulberry st. Ambulance Calls—3100 Spring. Administration Offices—7586 Spring.
D. C. Potter, Director.

ARMORY BOARD.
Hall of Records. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

ART COMMISSION.
City Hall. Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.
John A. Mitchell, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
320 Broadway. Telephone, 29 Worth.
Alfred P. W. Seaman, Chairman.
St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.
F. J. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.
280 Broadway. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3254 Worth.
Lamont McLoughlin, Clerk.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
City Hall. 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.
Katharine B. Davis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Pier "A," N. R. Telephone, 300 Rector.
R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Board of Education.
Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.
Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in July, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except July and August.
Thomas W. Churchill, President.
A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.
General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.
J. Gabriel Britt, President.
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.

Other Borough Offices.
The Bronx.
368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 336 Melrose.
Brooklyn.
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 693 Main.
Queens.
64 Jackson ave., Long Island City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.
Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 m.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
Office of the Secretary.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Joseph Haag, Secretary.

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

Bureau of Franchises.
277 Broadway. Telephone, 4563 Worth.

Standard Testing Laboratory.
125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin.

Efficiency and Budget Advisory Staff.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 1684 Worth.

Bureau of Standardization of Supplies.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Bureau of Contract Supervision.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.
Municipal Building, 20th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3280 Worth.
Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m.
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
157 East 67th st. Telephone, 640 Plaza.
Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 2653 Main.
Robert Adamson, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.
Burial Permit and Contagious Disease offices always open.
Bronx, 3731 Third ave. Brooklyn, Flatbush ave., Willoughby and Fleet sts. Queens, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.
S. S. Goldwater, Commissioner.
Eugene W. Scheffer, Secretary.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 7116 Spring.
Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 3 o'clock.
Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.
Office of Corporation Counsel.
Main office, Hall of Records. Telephone, 4600 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone, 2948 Main.
Frank L. Polk, Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone, 5916 Main.
Queens office, Municipal Building, Long Island City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 3460 Worth.

Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

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

COMMISSIONER OF LICENSES.
277 Broadway. Telephone, 2828 Worth.
George H. Bell, Commissioner.

METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE COMMISSION.
17 Battery place. Telephone, 1694 Rector.
George A. Soper, President.
James H. Fuertes, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone, 1580 Worth.
Henry Moskowitz, President.
Frank A. Spencer, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL EXPLOSIVES COMMISSION.
157 East 67th st. Telephone, 640 Plaza.
Meetings at call of Fire Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Arsenal, Central Park. Telephone, 7300 Plaza.
Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.
Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2640 Tremont.
Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

Borough of Queens.
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.
Walter G. Eliot, Commissioner.

BOARD OF PAROLE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY OF MISDEMEANANTS.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.
Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

PERMANENT CENSUS BOARD.
114 East 47th st. Telephone, 3591 Murray Hill.
George H. Chatfield, Secretary.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 1268 Worth.
J. A. Glendinning, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.
Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.
Bureau of Dependent Adults, foot of East 26th st. The Children's Bureau, 124 East 50th st.
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.
John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.

PUBLIC RECREATION COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 1471 Worth.
Meeting every second Tuesday at 2.30 p. m.
Cyril H. Jones, Secretary.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
154 Nassau st., Manhattan. 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays. Telephone, 4150 Beekman.
Edward E. McCall, Chairman.
Travis H. Whitney, Secretary.

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
John Korb, Chief Clerk.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.
John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Hall of Records. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
Lawson Purdy, President.
C. Rockland Tyng, Secretary.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.
Bronx office, 391 East 149th st. Telephone, 107 Melrose.
John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22d floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.
Charles Strauss, President.
W. Bruce Cobb, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors.
Telephones: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.
Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George.
William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d ave. and 177th st. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.
Douglas Mathewson, President.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
President's office, Borough Hall. Telephone, 3960 Main.
Lewis H. Pounds, President.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
President's office, 17th floor, Municipal Bldg.
Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Bldg.
Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Telephone, 4227 Worth.
Marcus M. Marks, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
President's office, Borough Hall, Long Island City. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Flushing, L. I. Telephone, 1740 Flushing.
Maurice E. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
President's office, New Brighton, Staten Island. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Charles J. McCormack, President.

CORONERS.
Manhattan, 70 Lafayette st. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 5057 Franklin.
Bronx, Arthur and Tremont aves. Telephone, 1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.
Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.
Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

Unless otherwise stated, the County offices are open for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.
William F. Schneider, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.
Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.
Thomas Allison, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
~~119~~ Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John F. Cowan, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.
299 Broadway. Telephone, 4984 Worth.
New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.
Max S. Grifenhagen, Sheriff.

SURROGATES.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
William V. Leary, Chief Clerk.
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

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

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23; Part II, Room No. 10; Part III, Room No. 14; Part IV, Room No. 1, Court House. Clerk's office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 4154 Main.
John T. Rafferty, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.
James C. Cropsey, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone 1454 Main.
Thomas R. Farrell, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2840 Main.
Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 6988 Main.
Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2830 Main.
Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.
186 Remsen st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main.
Lewis M. Swasey, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3945 Main.
John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

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

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

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.
John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 3d ave. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturday to 12 m.
Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.
Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.
James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.
161st st. and 3d ave.
George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.
Leonard Rouff, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.
Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point.
Matthew J. Smith, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 9631 Hunters Point.
Thorndyke C. McKennee, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone 3766 Hunters Point.
George Emener, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

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

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, Second Monday of March, First Monday of October.
Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, First Monday of May, First Monday of December.
Special Terms, without Jury—Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court, at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.
Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond, S. I.
Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.
Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.
William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.
Joseph F. O'Grady, Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
New York County—66 3d ave. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.
Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.
Bronx County—355 E. 137th st. Court held on Wednesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose.
Michael Murray, Clerk.
Kings County—102 Court st. Telephone, 627 Main.
Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk.
Queens County—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Monday and Thursday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica.
Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk.
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Building, St. George. Court held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
William J. Browne, Clerk.

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

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.
First Division.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.
Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan place.
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.
Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 6th ave.
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.
Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.
Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.
Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

Second Division.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.
First District—318 Adams st.
Second District—Court and Butler sts.
Fifth District—249 Manhattan ave.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.
Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt aves.
William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

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

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.
All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturday until 12 m.
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerks offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—54-60 Lafayette st. Additional Part is held at southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 6030 Franklin.
Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.
Fourth District—Parts I. and II, 207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.
Fifth District—Broadway and 96th st. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.
Sixth District—155 E. 88th st.
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st.
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan place. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.
Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Parts I and II. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 457 Westchester.
Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—State and Court sts. Parts I and II. Telephone, 7091 Main.
Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.
Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 955 Williamsburg.
Fourth District—14 Howard ave.
Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.
Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.
Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.
First District—115 5th st., Long Island City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.
Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.
Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.
Second District—Former Edgewater Village Hall; Stapleton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court open at 10 a. m.
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.
Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, Main 4280.
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
Part V, 161st st. and 3d ave., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 9088 Melrose.
Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department.
Madison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day, Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10.30 a. m. Telephone, 3340 Madison Square.
Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 o'clock a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.
503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 7452 Main.
Joseph H. DeBragga, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.
William F. Schneider, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.
County Court House. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.
Joralemon and Fulton sts., Brooklyn. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 5460 Main.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.
County Court House, L. I. City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month except July, August and September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part II, January, February, March, April, May and December. Special Term for trials, January, April, June and November. Naturalization, first Friday in each Term.
Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.

Richmond County.
Trial Terms held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Terms for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall, St. George.
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department, of The City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's Office, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO (2) TOURING CARS FOR THE USE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
The time allowed for the performance of the contract is thirty (30) calendar days after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.
The amount of security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.
No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit which shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.
The contract will be awarded according to law as soon as practicable after the opening of bids.
For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, also as to guarantee to be given by the contractor, bidders are referred to the specifications.
Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan.
A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.
New York, April 10, 1914. a13,22

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

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

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

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meeting of the Commissioners appointed under said acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 223, 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.
Dated New York City, July 26, 1911.
WILLIAM D. DICKEY, CAMBRIDGE LIVINGSTON, DAVID ROBINSON, Commissioners.
LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Board of Revision of Assessments.
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.
JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

Board of City Record.
The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.
DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1245, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1914.

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES:

No. 1. HORSE SHOE PADS.
No. 2. LEATHER SOLES.
No. 3. WINDOW GLASS.
No. 4. IRON AND STEEL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be:

No. 1 and No. 2, before December 31, 1914.
No. 3, thirty days.
No. 4, before November 30, 1914.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pair, per light or 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 for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class—each of the Boroughs constituting a class, except in the case of iron and steel, which will be awarded by classes.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated April 3, 1914. a6,21

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Proposals.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

Part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting for and in behalf of The City of New York (hereinafter called the "City"), invites proposals to construct Section No. 2 of Route No. 20, a part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The points within The City of New York between which the said part is to run and the route or routes to be followed are briefly as follows:

Section No. 2. Beginning at a point under Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, about thirty (30) feet east of the easterly building line of Broadway and extending thence easterly under Canal street to a point about thirty-five (35) feet east of the easterly building line of the Bowery.

The general plan of construction calls for a subsurface railroad having two tracks.

The Contractor will not be required to provide or lay tracks, ties or ballast, nor to do station finish work.

The work under the contract will include the care and support of buildings, vaults, sewers, pipes, railroads and other surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of pavements and other surfaces.

Two alternative designs for the Railroad have been prepared, which are known as Alternative S and Alternative T, respectively. The design for Alternative S calls for a steel beam and concrete structure, and the design for Alternative T calls for a structure partly of steel beam and concrete construction and partly of cast iron tunnel construction. The method of construction for Alternative S is by trench excavation under cover, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission, and the method of construction for Alternative T is partly by trench excavation under cover and partly by tunneling, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission, as set forth in the forms of contract. Proposals may be submitted for either or both of such Alternatives.

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

The Contractor must complete the work within thirty-two (32) months from the delivery of the contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000). As further security fifteen (15) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal ten (10) per centum of the total estimated amount to be paid to the Contractor under the contract. Thereafter there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor.

A fuller description of the work to be done in the case of each Alternative and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract for each Alternative and in the contract drawings therein referred to. A separate form of contract has been prepared for each Alternative. Copies of the forms of contract, contract drawings, and forms of bond and contractor's proposal may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. The forms of contract and the contract drawings and the forms of bond and contractor's proposal are to be deemed a part of this Invitation.

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

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until the 12th day of May, 1914, at twelve fifteen (12.15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened,

Separate forms of proposal have been prepared for Alternatives S and T. Proposals for each Alternative must be in the form prescribed for such Alternative by the Commission. The Commission may award the contract for either Alternative.

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

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed *"Proposal for Constructing Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Route No. 20, Section No. 2, Alternative* "*, and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. If any bidder shall submit proposals for both Alternatives, the proposal for each Alternative shall be in a separate sealed envelope properly endorsed as aforesaid. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a National or State bank or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in New York City. One such certified check for thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) will be sufficient to enable a bidder to bid upon both alternatives. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope or envelopes containing the proposal or proposals.

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

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

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

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

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, April 14, 1914.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

By EDWARD E. MCCALL, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. a16,m12

*Here insert *S* or *T*, as the case may be.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

Part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting for and on behalf of The City of New York (hereinafter called the "City"), invites proposals to construct Section No. 2 of Routes 4 and 36, a part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The points within The City of New York between which the said part is to run and the route or routes to be followed are briefly as follows:

Section 2. Beginning at a point under Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, about one hundred and six (106) feet north of the northerly building line of West 26th street and extending thence northerly under Broadway to a point about ninety-eight (98) feet north of the northerly building line of West 38th street.

The general plan of construction calls for a subsurface railroad having four tracks.

The Contractor will not be required to provide or lay tracks, ties or ballast nor to do station finish work.

The work under the contract will include the care and support of buildings, vaults, sewers, pipes, railroads and other surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the reconstruction of the comfort station at Greeley Square, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of pavements and other surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation under cover, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission.

The Contractor will be required to prosecute the work of construction from working shafts located at the points specified in the contract.

Bidders must examine the form of contract and the specifications, including the specifications for the reconstruction of the comfort station at Greeley Square, and the contract drawings, must visit the location of the work and inform themselves of the conditions along the line of the work and make their own estimates of the facilities and difficulties attending the execution of the work.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Copies of the forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal and of the contract drawings may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. The forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal and the contract drawings are to be deemed a part of this Invitation. Copies of specifications, prepared by the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Manhattan, for the reconstruction of the comfort station at Greeley Square may also be obtained at the said office of the Commission.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be made as the work proceeds.

The Contractor must complete the work within thirty-two (32) months from the delivery of the contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities, in the sum of two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($225,000). As further security fifteen (15) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal ten (10)) per centum of the total estimated amount to be paid to the Contractor under the contract. Thereafter there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until the 24th day of April, 1914, at twelve fifteen (12.15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission.

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

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed *"Proposal for Constructing Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Routes Nos. 4 and 36, Section No. 2."* and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in The City of New York. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

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

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

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

Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within five (5) days after the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, March 31, 1914.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

By EDWARD E. MCCALL, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. a2,24

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

Part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") invites proposals to construct Section No. 1 of Routes 4 and 38, a part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The points within The City of New York between which the said part is to run and the route or routes to be followed are briefly as follows:

Section No. 1. Beginning under Battery Park, in the Borough of Manhattan: The westerly track about four hundred and seventy-five (475) feet south of the northerly building line of Battery place and about one hundred and thirty (130) feet east of the easterly building line of Greenwich street produced; the easterly track at a point about three hundred and five (305) feet south of the northerly building line of Battery place and about ninety-five (95) feet east of the easterly building line of Greenwich street produced; both tracks extending thence northerly under Battery Park and Greenwich street to a point about seventy (70) feet south of the southerly building line of Vesey street.

The general plan of construction calls for a subsurface railroad having two tracks.

The Contractor will not be required to provide or lay tracks, ties or ballast nor to do station finish work.

The work under the contract will include the care and support of buildings, vaults, sewers, pipes, railroads and other surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of pavements and other surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation under cover, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission.

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

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation. Copies of the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and contractor's proposal may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The City of New York (hereinafter called the "City"), and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company will both be parties to the contract; the Interborough Rapid Transit Company being a party for the purpose of disbursing part of its contribution toward the cost of construction as provided in the contract dated March 19, 1913, between the City and said Company for additional rapid transit railroads. The liability of Interborough Rapid Transit Company will be limited to an amount equal to ninety-five per centum (95%) of the total estimated amount to be paid to the Contractor under the contract.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be made monthly as the work proceeds.

The Contractor must complete the work within thirty-three (33) months from the delivery of the contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities in the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000). As further security fifteen (15) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal ten (10) per centum of the total estimated amount to be paid to the Contractor under the contract. Thereafter there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 17th day of April, 1914, at twelve fifteen (12.15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission.

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

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed *"Proposal for Constructing Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Routes Nos. 4 and 38, Section No. 1,"* and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a National or State bank or trust company having its principal office in the City of New York, and satisfactory to the Commission. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

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

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

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

Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within five days after the contract is executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, March 18, 1914.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

By EDWARD E. MCCALL, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. m23,a17

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE COAL TO THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the coal and for the complete performance of the contract will be seventy (70) calendar days after the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30) per cent .of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

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

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

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated April 6th, 1914. a11,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LINSEED OIL TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the oil and for the complete performance of the contract will be one hundred and twenty (120) calendar days after the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City.

The bidder shall state a unit price for each item contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the award, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder in an aggregate sum for the total of all items.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

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

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

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated March 30, 1914. a4,16

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before April 23, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Brooklyn.

4052 41st St., between 14th and 16th Aves.

Borough of The Bronx,

4053 Baychester Ave., between Boston Road and Pelham Bay Park.

4054 Boston Road, between White Plains Road and the north line of the City.

4055 Burnside Ave., from Aqueduct Ave. to the westerly side of Sedgwick Ave.

ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, WM. C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, Board of Assessors.

ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan.

April 11, 1914. a11,22

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, April 14, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1914, TO 4 P. M. TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1914,

for the position of

DRAUGHTSMAN, Grade C.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., Tuesday, April 28, 1914, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or proper postage is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. *Applications, forwarded by mail, upon which full postage is not prepaid, will not be accepted.*

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Technical, 7 (to be divided into two parts,

75% on each); Mathematics, 3. 70% total required.

Candidates must be skillful and neat draughtsmen with knowledge of projection, perspective and general drafting. They must be able to lay out and letter a title, plot from engineering notes and to various scales and to compute areas, curves, quantities, etc., essential in drawings of engineering work. Special training or work in mechanical, architectural, structural or topographical drawing is not required.

Candidates must bring to the examination a drawing board not less than 24" x 30" and all necessary instruments and supplies, including drawing ink, but not drawing or tracing paper.

The minimum age is 18 years. The salary is from $1,200 to but not including $1,800 per annum.

Numerous vacancies are likely to occur in various city departments.

a14,28 F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, April 9, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1914, TO 4 P. M. THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914,

for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT (LAY) MUNICIPAL SANATORIUM, OTISVILLE, N. Y.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, APRIL 23RD, 1914, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed, stamped envelope, or proper postage, is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. *Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid will not be accepted.*

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 5; Experience, 5. 70 per cent. is required on the Duties paper and 70 per cent. on Experience.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications, and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. The experience will then be rated. Candidates receiving less than 70 per cent. on experience will not be summoned for the mental test.

The person selected as a result of the examination will be in general charge of the property interests, grounds, buildings, construction and repairs of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Otisville, N. Y. The plant covers about 1,300 acres, upon which 116 buildings are at present erected. The Superintendent has supervision over the general development of the plant, including study of plans and all constructive work. He has supervision over farm, garden, dairy, stables and general storehouses. He is in charge of water supply, roads and sewage system.

Candidates should have extended administrative experience in building construction or in the care of large estates, or in large institutions, hospitals or sanatoriums. Hospital or institutional experience, while desirable, is not essential. A physical examination will precede the mental.

It is useless for candidates without the requisite training to apply for examination.

Candidates must be at least 21 years and no more than 50 years on the last day of filing applications.

There is one vacancy at a salary of $3,000 per annum, with maintenance.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within The City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside The City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elswhere.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary. a9,23

COURT HOUSE BOARD.

Court House Site.

NOTICE OF SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO.

Sale No. 3.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court House Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, standing upon the property owned by The City of New York, acquired for the site for the new Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following buildings will be offered for sale, which are more particularly described on certain maps on file in the office of the Court House Board, Room 1101, No. 115 Broadway, New York City.

PARCEL 13.

Lot A—Damage Map No. E. 57. No. 50 Park st. One one-story brick building.

Lot B—Damage Map No. E. 56. No. 52-54 Park st. One five-story brick building and two one-story brick extensions.

PARCEL 14.

Lot A—Damage Map E. 64. No. 60 Centre st. One six-story brick building with one one-story brick extension.

Lot B—Damage Map No. E. 63. No. 58 Centre st. One six-story brick building and one one-story brick extension.

PARCEL 15.

Lot A—The southeast corner of Centre and Worth sts. Nos. 66 68 Centre st. One five-story brick buildink.

Lot B—Damage Map. No. E. 65. Nos. 62-64 Centre st. One four-story brick building and one three-story brick rear building; and one three-story brick building and one two-story brick rear building.

Sealed bids will be accepted only upon forms to be obtained from the office of the Court House Board, inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, and will be received by the Secretary of the Board at Room 1101, No. 115 Broadway, New York City, not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1914.

and will be opened at the meeting of the Court House Board to be held at 4.30 o'clock p. m. on that day, and awards will thereafter be made and announced.

Bids must be per parcel, as above indicated. Awards will be made at the discretion of the Board, per parcel, to the highest bidder.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check, in a sum equal to twenty-five (25) per centum of the amount of the bid.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Court House Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid.

All bids must state clearly (1) the parcel and lot number, and the damage map number, as above, of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid per parcel and per lot, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

The buildings will be sold for removal immediately after possession is given to the contractor, which will be about June 1, 1914, subject to the terms and conditions of the sale attached to the form of bid above referred to.

THE COURT HOUSE BOARD. MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Chairman; L. LAFLIN KELLOGG, Secretary; EDWARD M. GROUT, E. CLIFFORD POTTER, CHARLES STECKLER, 115 Broadway, Room 1101. April 6, 1914. a6,23

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1914.

for

CONTRACT 118.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ELEVEN SUPERSTRUCTURES ALONG THE LINE OF CATSKILL AQUEDUCT.

The buildings are to be of brick with concrete-stone trimmings.

Ten of the buildings are 30 feet by 39 feet by 27 feet and the other is somewhat smaller. The substructures or foundations of the buildings have been built, and the City will furnish and erect the tile roof for the buildings. The work is located in the towns of Phillipstown, Putnam County, and Cortlandt, Yorktown and Mt. Pleasant, Westchester County, New York.

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

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of three thousand dollars ($3,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 24 months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars ($10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

W. BRUCE COBB, Secretary. a2,21

NOTE—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the CITY RECORD, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan,
CONTRACT NO. 1425.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SPRINKLING CERTAIN NEW MADE LAND ON THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 184 calendar days.

The amount of security required is $2,500.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per day of eight hours for furnishing all of the labor, sprinklers, horses, harness and drivers necessary to do the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and if awarded will be awarded to the bidder whose price per day is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Sprinkling shall be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

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

Dated April 10, 1914. a13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan,
CONTRACT NO. 1419.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING REPAIRS TO PIER 56, AT THE FOOT OF E. 4TH ST., EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 100 calendar days.

The amount of security required is $6,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price for furnishing all the labor and material, and for making all of the repairs called for in Class 1; a price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for making all of the repairs called for in Class 2; and a total price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for doing all of the work as called for in Classes 1 and 2. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and award, if made, will be made to the bidder whose total price is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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

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

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

Dated April 3, 1914. a6,17

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan,
CONTRACT NO. 1418.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING REPAIRS TO PIER 52, AND 132 FEET 10 INCHES OF BULKHEAD SOUTHERLY THEREOF, AT THE FOOT OF STANTON ST., EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 100 calendar days.

The amount of security required is $8,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price for furnishing all the labor and material, and for making all of the repairs called for in Class 1; a price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for making all of the repairs called for in Class 2; and a total price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for doing all of the work as called for in Classes 1 and 2. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and award, if made, will be made to the bidder whose total price is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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

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

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

Dated April 3, 1914. a6,17

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Resolution Adopted.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health held March 31, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That all existing rules and regulations heretofore adopted by the Department of Health, and now in full force and effect in The City of New York, in relation to the sale and care of milk, cream, condensed milk, dipped milk and condensed skimmed milk, and the use of a sediment tester for testing milk, be and the same are hereby repealed, to take effect on and after June 1, 1914.

Resolved, That the following rules and regulations relating to the sale and care of milk, cream, condensed milk, dipped milk and condensed skimmed milk, and the use of a sediment tester for testing milk, be and the same are hereby adopted, to take effect on and after June 1, 1914:

Grades of Milk or Cream which May be Sold in The City of New York.

GRADE "A"—GUARANTEED MILK OR CREAM.

Definition.

Guaranteed milk or cream is milk or cream produced at farms holding permits therefor from the Board of Health and produced and handled in accordance with the minimum requirements, rules and regulations as herein set forth.

Tuberculin Test.

1. Only such cows shall be admitted to the herd as have not reacted to a diagnostic injection of tuberculin.

2. All cows shall be tested annually with tuberculin, and all reacting animals shall be excluded from the herd.

Bacterial Content.

Grade "A" Guaranteed Milk shall not contain more than 10,000 bacteria per c. c., or cream more than 50,000 bacteria per c. c., when delivered to the consumer or at any time prior to such delivery.

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 35; methods, 60; total, 95.

Time of Delivery.

Thirty-six hours.

Bottling.

Milk shall be delivered to consumer only in sealed bottles which have been sealed at the dairy.

Labeling.

Caps of bottles shall be white and shall contain the words "Grade A" in black letters in large type with the designation as to the subdivision to which it belongs.

GRADE "A"—CERTIFIED MILK OR CREAM.

Definition.

Certified milk or cream is milk or cream certified by a milk commission appointed by the Medical Society of the County of New York or the Medical Society of the County of Kings, as being produced under the supervision and in conformity with the requirements of that commission as laid down for certified milk or cream and sold under a permit therefor issued by the Board of Health, the requirements of which shall not be less than those for guaranteed milk.

Tuberculin Test.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

Bacterial Content.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 35; methods, 60; total, 95.

Time of Delivery.

Thirty-six hours.

Bottling.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

Labeling.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

GRADE "A"—INSPECTED MILK OR CREAM (RAW).

Definition.

Inspected milk or cream (raw) is milk or cream produced at farms holding permits therefor from the Board of Health and produced and handled in accordance with the minimum requirements, rules and regulations as herein set forth.

Tuberculin Test.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

Bacterial Content.

Inspected milk (raw) shall not contain more than 60,000 bacteria per c. c., and cream more than 300,000 bacteria per c. c., when delivered to the consumer or at any time prior to such delivery.

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 25; methods, 50; total, 75.

Time of Delivery.

Thirty-six hours.

Bottling.

Unless otherwise specified in the permit, this milk or cream shall be delivered to the consumer only in bottles.

Labeling.

Same as "Guaranteed Milk."

GRADE "A"—SELECTED MILK OR CREAM (PASTEURIZED).

Definition.

Selected Milk or Cream (Pasteurized) is milk or cream handled and sold by dealers holding permits therefor from the Board of Health, and produced and handled in accordance with the requirements, rules and regulations as herein set forth.

Tuberculin Test.

No test.

Bacterial Content.

Selected Milk (Pasteurized) shall not contain more than 50,000 bacteria per c. c., and Selected Cream (Pasteurized) more than 250,000 bacteria per c. c., when delivered to the consumer or at any time after pasteurization and prior to such delivery. No milk supply averaging more than 200,000 bacteria per c. c. shall be pasteurized for sale under this designation.

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 20; methods, 47; total, 67.

Time of Delivery.

Thirty-six hours.

Bottling.

Same as "Inspected Milk or Cream (Raw)."

Labeling.

Caps of bottles shall be white and shall contain the words "Grade A" in black letters in large type, date and hours between which pasteurization was completed, place where pasteurization was performed, name of the person, firm or corporation offering for sale, selling and delivering same.

Pasteurization.

Only such milk or cream shall be regarded as pasteurized as has been subjected to a process in which the temperature and exposure conform to one of the following:

155° 6 min.
152° 12 min.
148° 18 min.
145° 20 min.
140° 30 min.

GRADE "B"—MILK OR CREAM (PASTEURIZED).

Definition.

Pasteurized Milk or Cream is milk or cream produced and handled in accordance with the minimum requirements, rules and regulations herein set forth, and which has been pasteurized in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Health for pasteurization.

Tuberculin Test.

No tuberculin test required.

Bacterial Content.

No milk under this grade shall contain more than 100,000 bacteria per c. c., and no cream shall contain more than 500,000 bacteria per c. c., when delivered to the consumer or at any time after pasteurization and prior to such delivery.

No milk supply averaging more than 1,000,000 bacteria per c. c. shall be pasteurized in this city for sale under this designation during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March, or more than 2,000,000 bacteria per c. c. during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September.

No milk supply averaging more than 300,000 bacteria per c. c. shall be pasteurized outside of this City for sale under this designation during the months of October, November, December, January, February and March, or more than 500,000 bacteria per c. c. during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September.

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 20; methods, 35; total, 55.

Time of Delivery.

Thirty-six hours, with the exception of "Sour Cream."

Bottling.

Same as "Inspected Milk or Cream (Raw)."

Labeling.

Caps of bottles and tags affixed to cans shall be white and marked "Grade B" in bright green letters in large type, date and hours between which pasteurization was completed, place where pasteurization was performed, name of the person, firm or corporation offering for sale, selling and delivering same.

Pasteurization.

Same as "Selected Milk or Cream (Pasteurized)."

GRADE "C."—MILK OR CREAM (PASTEURIZED).

Definition.

"Grade C Milk or Cream" is milk or cream not conforming to the requirements of any of the subdivisions of "Grade A" or "Grade B," and which has been pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the Board of Health.

Tuberculin Test.

No tuberculin test required.

Scores of Dairies Producing.

Equipment, 15; methods, 25; total, 40.

Time of Delivery.

Forty-eight hours.

Labeling.

Caps of bottles and tags affixed to cans shall be white and shall contain in red the words "Grade C" in large type and "For Cooking" in plainly visible type, and cans shall have properly sealed metal collars, painted red on necks.

Pasteurization.

Same as "Selected Milk or Cream (Pasteurized)."

General Rules and Regulations.

Permits.

1. A permit for the sale of milk or cream of any grade or designation may be granted only after an application has been made in writing on the special blank provided for the purpose.

2. A permit for the sale of milk or cream of any grade or designation may be granted only after the premises where it is proposed to care for and handle such milk shall have been rendered clean and sanitary.

3. Every permit for the sale of milk or cream shall expire on the last day of December of the year in which it is granted.

4. No wagon shall be used for the transportation of milk, condensed milk or cream without a permit from the Board of Health. A wagon permit for the sale or transportation of milk, condensed milk or cream shall be conspicuously displayed on the outside of the wagon, so that it may be readily seen from the street. The said wagon shall bear the name of the company and the person engaged in the sale of said milk, condensed milk or cream, and the business address of same, in letters at least 3" in height and conspicuously placed.

5. Every permit for the sale of milk or cream of any grade or designation in a store shall be so conspicuously placed that it may be readily seen at all times.

6. All stores selling or keeping for sale milk, condensed milk or cream will be frequently inspected and scored by a system adopted by the Department of Health, and the revocation of the permit of any store may ensue if the score is found repeatedly below the required standard.

7. The revocation of a permit may ensue for violation of any of the rules and regulations of the Department of Health.

8. The revocation of a permit may ensue upon repeated conviction of the holder thereof of the violation of any section of the Sanitary Code relating to the adulteration of milk or cream of any grade or designation.

9. The revocation of a permit may ensue upon repeated conviction of the holder thereof of the violation of any section of the Sanitary Code.

10. No milk or cream shall be held, sold or offered for sale in The City of New York which is produced on dairies which do not score 40% or over on the official dairy score card, approved by the Board of Health.

Sanitary Requirements.

1. Milk, condensed milk or cream shall not be kept for sale nor stored in any stable, or room used for sleeping purposes, or in any room if in communication with such stable or room, or with water-closet apartments, except when such water-closet apartments are enclosed by a vestibule, the doors of the same being provided with a spring or other device to keep them closed at all times, the door of the water-closet opening

toward said toilet and the door of vestibule opening toward said store.

2. Milk, condensed milk or cream shall not be sold or stored in any room which is dark, poorly ventilated or dirty, or in which rubbish or useless material is allowed to accumulate, or in which there are offensive odors.

3. The vessels which contain milk, condensed milk or cream, while on sale, must be protected by suitable covers, and vessels so placed in the store that the milk, condensed milk or cream will not become contaminated by dust, dirt or flies.

4. Cans containing milk, condensed milk or cream shall not be allowed to stand on the sidewalk or outside of the store door.

5. Milk, condensed milk or cream must not be transferred from cans to bottles or other vessels on the streets, at ferries or at railroad depots.

6. Vessels in which milk, condensed milk or cream is kept for sale shall be kept either in a milk tub, properly iced, or in a clean icebox or refrigerator in which these or similar articles of food are stored.

7. All containers in which milk, condensed milk or cream is handled, transported or sold must be thoroughly cleaned before filling, but such cleaning shall not be done, nor shall any containers be filled in any stable or in any room used for sleeping purposes, or in any room having connection with such stable or rooms, or with water-closet apartments, except when such water-closet apartments are enclosed by a vestibule, the doors of the same being provided with a spring or other device to keep them closed at all times, the door of water-closet opening toward said toilet and the door of vestibule opening toward said store.

8. All dippers, measures or other utensils used in the handling of milk, condensed milk or cream must be kept clean while in use, and must be thoroughly cleaned with hot water and soapsuds directly after each day's use.

9. The icebox or icetub in which milk, condensed milk or cream is kept must be maintained in a thoroughly clean condition, and must be scrubbed at such times as may be directed by the Department of Health.

10. The overflow pipe from the icebox in which milk, condensed milk or cream is kept must not be directly connected with the drain pipe or sewer, but must discharge into a properly trapped, sewer-connected, water-supplied open sink.

11. No person having a contagious disease, or caring for or coming in contact with any person having a contagious disease, shall handle milk.

Methods.

1. No milk or cream shall be dipped from cans stored in any room in which rubbish or dirty material is allowed to accumulate, or in which there are offensive odors.

2. All cans or other receptacles used for milk or cream shall be cleaned thoroughly upon emptying.

3. The cans from which milk or cream is dipped shall be packed in ice, and shall be kept covered at all times, except when the milk or cream is being actually dipped therefrom.

4. After each day's use all utensils shall be thoroughly cleaned with hot water and soda, and then with boiling water.

5. All utensils used for dipped milk or cream shall be kept clean.

6. The icetubs in which milk or cream is stored shall be painted inside and outside, and shall be kept clean at all times.

7. A separate dipper shall be provided for each can from which the supply is being served, and such dipper shall remain in the can between dippings until all the milk in the can has been disposed of.

8. All goods sold in milk stores must be either in unbroken packages, or must be so placed, protected and handled that no dust or odors therefrom can injuriously affect the milk.

9. Dry sweeping and dusting in rooms in which milk or cream is dispensed is prohibited.

10. The tags on cans of milk or cream must be kept on file in the store for at least two months, for inspection by the Department of Health.

11. The attendant shall wear clean, washable outer clothing.

12. Only such persons shall be employed as are free from infectious diseases which may be transmitted in the handling of milk.

Labeling.

Each container or receptacle used for bringing milk or cream into The City of New York shall bear a tag stating, if shipped from a creamery, the location of the said creamery and the date of shipment; or, if shipped directly from a dairy, the location of the said dairy and the date of shipment.

All milk or cream brought into The City of New York to be pasteurized shall have a tag affixed to each and every can, indicating the place of shipment, date of shipment, and the words "to be pasteurized at" (stating location of pasteurizing plants).

As soon as the contents of such container or receptacle are sold, or before the said container is returned or otherwise disposed of, or leaves the possession of the dealer, the tag thereon shall be removed and kept on file in the store where such milk or cream has been sold for a period of two months thereafter for inspection by the Department of Health.

Every wholesale dealer in The City of New York shall keep a record in his main office in the said City, which shall show from which place or places milk or cream, delivered by him daily to retail stores in The City of New York, has been received and to whom delivered, and the said record shall be kept for a period of two months for inspection by the Department of Health, and shall be readily accessible to the inspectors of the said Department at all times.

Pasteurization.

1. All containers in which pasteurized milk or cream is delivered shall be plainly labeled "Pasteurized." Labels must also bear the date and hours between which pasteurization was completed, the place where pasteurization was performed, and the name of the person, firm or corporation offering for sale, selling and delivering same.

2. Only such milk or cream shall be regarded as pasteurized as has been subjected to a process in which the temperature and exposure conform to one of the following:

No less than 155 degrees F. for at least 6 minutes.

No less than 152 degrees F. for at least 12 minutes.

No less than 148 degrees F. for at least 18 minutes.

No less than 145 degrees F. for at least 20 minutes.

No less than 140 degrees F. for at least 30 minutes.

3. The milk or cream after pasteurization must be at once cooled and placed in clean containers and the containers immediately closed.

4. Milk or cream which has been heated in any degree will not be permitted to be sold in The City of New York unless the heating conforms with the requirements of the Department of Health for the pasteurization of milk or cream.

5. Permits will not be granted to pasteurize milk or cream unless all forms of apparatus connected with said pasteurizing plants have been approved by the Board of Health.

6. No milk or cream shall be labeled "Pasteurized" in The City of New York unless said milk or cream has been pasteurized under permit from the Board of Health and subject to the rules and regulations thereof.

7. No milk or cream shall be pasteurized a second time.

8. No pasteurized milk or cream shall be sold in bottles unless bottling has been performed at the place of pasteurization.

9. Each plant for the pasteurization of milk or cream shall be equipped with suitable automatic time and temperature recording devices, indicating to what temperature the milk or cream has been heated and the length of time it was subjected to such heat, as well as the time when such record was made.

10. The receiving or handling of any milk or cream which does not comply with the minimum requirements, in rooms or in apparatus where Grade A Pasteurized Milk is handled or treated, is hereby prohibited.

Rules and Regulations for the Sale of Dipped Milk and Cream in Stores in The City of New York.

1. Milk, condensed milk or cream shall not be kept for sale nor stored in any stable, or room used for sleeping purposes, or in any room if in communication with such stable or room, or with water-closet apartments, except when such water-closet apartments are enclosed by a vestibule, the doors of the same being provided with a spring or other device to keep them closed at all times, the doors of water-closet opening toward said toilet and the door of vestibule opening toward said store.

2. The term "domestic purposes" shall be held to apply to rooms used for sleeping purposes or for cooking purposes other than the preparation of the midday meal.

3. Milk or cream shall not be handled or sold in any room which is unduly crowded.

4. Milk or cream shall not be dipped from cans stored in a room in which butter or cheese is manufactured.

5. Milk or cream may be stored in a cooling or refrigerating room, or ice chest, the construction of which has been approved by the Department.

6. No milk or cream shall be dipped from cans stored in a milk booth.

7. Milk shall be kept at a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit, or below, at all times.

Equipment.

1. Rooms in which milk or cream is handled or sold shall be well lighted.

2. The floors, walls and ceilings shall be smooth and must be kept clean and sanitary.

3. All windows and doors shall be properly screened.

4. An adequate supply of hot water shall be provided for the washing of utensils.

5. A sufficient number of properly constructed icetubs or other adequate refrigerating facilities for cans of milk or cream shall be provided.

6. All utensils used for dipped milk or cream shall be of the seamless sanitary type, heavily tinned.

Rules and Regulations for the Use of a Sediment Tester.

1. A sediment tester, approved by the Department of Health of The City of New York, must be used in all creameries shipping milk to The City of New York.

2. All milk received at any creameries so shipping milk as aforesaid must be tested thereat by the person having the management and control of such creamery, at least once a week, the result of such test to be posted in a conspicuous place in the creamery, and duplicates of such test forwarded to the Department of Health at the end of each month.

3. A photograph or gauge established by the Board of Health of The City of New York must be used as a standard in the creameries herein referred to in determining whether milk contains excessive sediment.

4. Where the maximum of sediment is shown to habitually exist in milk tested as aforesaid at any creamery it will constitute sufficient cause to rate the milk as Grade C, with the right of said Board to exclude such milk from The City of New York when such conditions continue.

Rules and Regulations for the Purpose of Restricting the Sale of Condensed Skimmed Milk.

Definition.

Condensed skimmed milk is milk in which the butter fat is less than twenty-five (25) per cent. of the total milk solids.

Regulations.

The cans containing such milk shall be colored bright blue and shall bear the words "Condensed Skimmed Milk" in block letters at least two inches high and two inches wide, with a space of at least one-half inch between any two letters. The milk shall be delivered to the person to whom sold in can or cans of the character required in this regulation.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

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Amendments to Sanitary Code.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health held March 31, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That section 53 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended, to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, so as to read as follows:

Section 53. No milk which is watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into The City of New York, or held, kept, sold or offered for sale at any place in said City; nor shall anyone keep, have, sell or offer for sale in the said City any such milk.

The term "adulterated milk," when so used in this code, means:

First—Milk containing more than eighty-eight and one-half per centum of water or fluids.

Second—Milk containing less than eleven and one-half per centum of milk solids.

Third—Milk containing less than three per centum of fats.

Fourth—Milk drawn from animals within fifteen days before or five days after paturition.

Fifth—Milk drawn from animals fed on distillery waste or any substance in a state of fermentation or putrefaction, or on any unwholesome food.

Sixth—Milk drawn from cows kept in a crowded or unhealthy condition.

Seventh—Milk from which any part of the cream has been removed.

Eighth—Milk which has been diluted with water or any other fluid, or to which has been added, or into which has been introduced, any foreign substance whatever.

Ninth—Milk the temperature of which is higher than 50 degrees Fahrenheit, or which contains an excessive number of bacteria.

Tenth—Milk produced in violation of the rules and regulations adopted by the Board of Health.

The provisions of this section shall not be applicable, however, to modified milk held or offered for sale under permits therefor from the Board of Health, pursuant to the rules and regulations of said Board.

Resolved, That section 56 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, so as to read as follows:

Section 56. No milk or cream shall be held, kept, offered for sale or sold and delivered in The City of New York under either or any of the designations known as Grade A, B or C, or any of the subdivisions thereof, or any of the designations Condensed Skimmed Milk, Condensed or Concentrated Milk, or Modified Milk, without a permit in writing therefor from the Board of Health, subject to the conditions thereof.

By the term "modified milk" is meant milk of any subdivision of the classification known as "Grade A: for Infants and Children," which has been changed by the addition of water, sugar of milk or other substance intended to render the milk suitable for infant feeding.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to milk or cream, except "modified milk," when said milk or cream is entirely consumed on the premises; nor to condensed milk or condensed skimmed milk when contained in hermetically sealed cans. The permit shall specify the grade of the milk or cream which the holder of the permit is authorized to keep, sell, offer for sale or deliver.

Resolved, That section 56a of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, so as to read as follows:

Section 56a. All milk or cream held, kept, offered for sale or sold and delivered in The City of New York shall be so held, kept, offered for sale or sold and delivered under either or any of the following grades or designations and under no other, and in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be adopted by the Board of Health, namely:

Grade A—For Infants and Children.

1. Certified or guaranteed milk or cream.
2. Inspected milk or cream (raw).
3. Selected milk or cream (pasteurized).

Grade B—For Adults.

1. Pasteurized milk or cream.

Grade C—For Cooking and Manufacturing Purposes Only.

Milk or cream not conforming to the requirements of any of the subdivisions of Grade A or Grade B, and which has been pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the Board of Health.

Condensed skimmed milk.

Condensed or concentrated milk.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to buttermilk or to milk products commonly known as Kumyss, Matzoon, Zoolak, dried milk or milk powder, or to other similar preparations, or to modified milk.

Resolved, That section 56b of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby adopted, to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, to read as follows:

Section 56b. The rules and regulations governing the sale of dipped or loose milk or cream are hereby made a part hereof, and a copy of such rules and regulations shall be posted and kept posted in a conspicuous place where said milk or cream as aforesaid is sold.

Resolved, That Section 56c of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby repealed to take effect on or after January 1, 1914.

Resolved, That section 57 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended, to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, so as to read as follows:

Section 57. No cream which is adulterated shall be brought into The City of New York or held, kept, sold or offered for sale in said City, nor shall anyone keep, have, sell or offer for sale in said City any such cream. The term "cream" means that portion of milk represented in milk fat which rises to the surface of milk on standing or is separated from it by centrifugal force. The term "adulterated," when used in this section, refers to cream in which any foreign substance whatever has been added, or which has been put through a process by means of which it has been made to appear better than it really is, or which contains less than 18 per cent. of butter fat.

The provisions of this section shall apply to all cream products and preparations such as sour cream, smeteny, homo or milk curds.

Resolved, That section 183 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended, to take effect on or after June 1, 1914, so as to read as follows:

Section 183. It shall be the duty of all persons having in their possession bottles, cans or other receptacles containing milk or cream, which are used in the transportation or delivery of milk or cream, to clean or cause them to be cleaned immediately upon emptying.

No person shall use or cause or allow to be used any receptacle which is used in the transportation and delivery of milk or cream for any purpose whatsoever other than the holding of milk or cream; nor shall any person receive or have in his possession any such receptacle which has not been washed after holding milk or cream or which is unclean in any way.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, No. 57 CHAMBERS ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 1, 1914.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls of Real Estate and personal property in The City of New York for the year 1914 have been delivered to the undersigned and that all taxes on said Assessment Rolls are due and payable as follows:

All taxes on personal property and one-half of all taxes on real estate are due and payable on

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and the remaining and final one-half of taxes on real estate shall be due and payable on Monday, the 2nd day of November, 1914.

All taxes become liens on the real estate affected thereby on the respective days when they become due and payable as hereinbefore provided, and shall remain such liens until paid.

The second half of the tax on real estate, which is due as hereinbefore provided on the second day of November, may be paid on the first day of May or at any time thereafter, providing the first half shall have been paid or shall be paid at the same time, and on such payments of the second half as may be made in such manner prior to November 1st, a discount shall be allowed from the date of payment to November 1st at the rate of four per centum per annum.

NO DISCOUNT IS ALLOWED ON PERSONAL TAX BILLS.

Penalty on unpaid taxes on Real Estate begins June 1st, and December 1st; on unpaid personal taxes, June 1st.

Taxes are payable at the office of the Receiver of Taxes in the Borough where the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building.

Borough of The Bronx, 177th st. and Arthur ave.

Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.

Borough of Queens, Court Square, Long Island City.

Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George.

FRED H. E. EBSTEIN, Receiver of Taxes.

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Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMpanies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to $50,000.

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

Construction.

One company on a bond up to $25,000.

Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

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

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.

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

January 1, 1914.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

OPENING AN UNNAMED STREET, on the easterly side of RIVERSIDE DRIVE, extending from West One Hundred and Seventh-seventh street to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Buena Vista avenue. Confirmed August 7, 1912; entered April 13, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the unnamed street where it is intersected by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and running thence generally northwardly along the easterly line of the unnamed street to the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of the unnamed street to the intersection with the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of the unnamed street as the street is laid out where it adjoins Buena Vista avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from its easterly side, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence generally southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the unnamed street, as this street is laid out south of the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the intersection with a line at right angles to the unnamed street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to the unnamed street to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Municipal Building, north side, 3d floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 12, 1914, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 13, 1914. a16,27

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 15.

GARFIELD STREET—OPENING, from West Farms road to Morris Park ave., and FILLMORE STREET—OPENING, from Van Nest ave. to Morris Park ave. Confirmed March 9, 1914; entered April 7, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West Farms road with the prolongation of a line midway between Garfield st. and Taylor st., and running thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Taylor st. and Garfield st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Morris Park ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Morris Park ave; thence northeastwardly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from the northwesterly line of Morris Park ave., to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 110 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Fillmore st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fillmore st.; thence southeastwardly along the said line distant 110 feet northeasterly

from the northeasterly line of Fillmore st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Mead st. and Van Nest ave.; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Mead st. and Van Nest ave. to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Garfield st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Garfield st.; thence southeastwardly along a line parallel with the northeasterly line of Garfield st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of West Farms road; thence southwestwardly along the centre line of West Farms road to the point or place of beginning.

McGRAW AVENUE—OPENING, between Beach (Clason's Point road) ave. and Unionport road. Confirmed March 10, 1914; entered April 7, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of McGraw ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to McGraw ave., where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Unionport road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Unionport road, and running thence southeastwardly along the said line parallel with Unionport road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of McGraw ave. and Benedict ave., as these streets are laid out east of Pugsley ave.; thence westerly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of McGraw ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to McGraw ave.; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with McGraw ave. to the intersection with the easterly line of Storrow st.; thence westwardly in a straight line to a point in the westerly line of Storrow st., where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of McGraw ave. and the northerly line of Westchester ave. as these streets are laid out between White Plains road and Beach ave.; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Beach ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Beach ave.; thence northwardly and always 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Beach ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between McGraw ave. and Wood ave. as these streets are laid out west of White Plains road; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between McGraw ave. and Wood ave., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Wood ave. and McGraw ave. as these streets are laid out between Storrow st. and Gray st.; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of McGraw ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to McGraw ave.; thence eastwardly and always 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of McGraw ave. and the prolongation thereof to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 6, 1914, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 7, 1914. a11,22

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD—SECTIONS 12 AND 14.

ALABAMA AVENUE—OPENING, from Newport st. to New Lots ave., from Hegeman ave. to Stanley ave., and from Fairfield ave. to Vandalia ave.; GEORGIA AVENUE—OPENING, from Riverdale ave. to New Lots ave., and from Fairfield ave. to Vandalia ave.; PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE—OPENING, from New Lots ave. to Wortman ave., and from Cozine ave. to Vandalia ave. Confirmed February 28, 1914; entered April 7, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the north by the northerly line of Hegeman ave.; on the east by a line midway between Alabama ave. and Georgia ave.; on the south by the centre line of Stanley ave., and on the west by a line midway between Malta st. and Alabama ave.

2. Beginning at a point on the southerly line of New Lots ave. where it is intersected by the prolongations of a line midway between Williams ave. and Alabama ave. as these streets are laid out north of New Lots ave., and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Williams ave. and Alabama ave., and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Newport st.; thence eastwardly and parallel with Newport st. to the intersection with a line midway between Alabama ave. and Georgia ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Alabama ave. and Georgia ave. to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Riverdale ave.; thence eastwardly and parallel with Riverdale ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave. to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the centre lines of Riverdale ave. and New Lots ave.; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point midway between New Jersey ave. and Vermont st.; thence southwardly along a line always midway between New Jersey ave. and Vermont st. and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Vandalia ave.; thence westwardly and parallel with Vandalia ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave.; thence northwardly along the said prolongation of a line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave., a distance of 100 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Vandalia ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Malta st. and Alabama ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Malta st. and Alabama ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Fairfield ave.; thence eastwardly along the northerly line of Fairfield ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave. to the intersection with the southerly line of New Lots ave.; thence westwardly along the southerly line of New Lots ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above assessments were 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 within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 6, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 7, 1914. a11,22

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING, from easterly curb line of Amsterdam ave. to line 220 feet east. Area of assessment: Both sides of W. 129th st., from Amsterdam ave. to a point 220 feet easterly and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 7, 1914, and entered on April 7, 1914, in the Records of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Municipal Building, north side, 3d floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 6, 1914, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

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FIRST WARD.

GRAHAM AVENUE—CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Fourth and Eighth aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Graham ave., from 4th to 8th aves.

BEEBE AVENUE—PAVING, between William and Academy sts. Area of assessment: Both sides of Beebe ave., from William st. to Academy st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

WOOLSEY AVENUE—HOUSE CONNECTION DRAINS, between Steinway and 2d aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Woolsey ave., from Steinway ave. to 2d ave.

SKILLMAN PLACE—SEWER, between Hunter and Jackson aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Skillman place, between Hunter and Jackson aves.

PIERCE AVENUE—SEWER, between 3d and 4th aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Pierce ave., between 3d and 4th aves.

MARION STREET—SEWER, between Webster and Payntar aves. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 56, 57 and 146 adjacent to said improvement.

HULST STREET—SEWER, between Greenpoint and Anable aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hulst st., from Greenpoint to Anable aves.

JACKSKON AVENUE—SEWER, easterly side, between South Washington place and Skillman place. Area of assessment affects property in Block No. 170.

SECOND WARD.

GEORGE STREET—HOUSE CONNECTION DRAINS, between Wyckoff and Cypress aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of George st., from Wyckoff ave. to Cypress ave.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 7, 1914, and entered April 7, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 6, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 7, 1914. a11,22

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TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

SEWERS in ROCKAWAY AVENUE, from Riverdale ave. to Lott ave.; LOTT AVENUE, from Rockaway ave. to Thatford ave.; NEWPORT STREET, from Thatford ave. to Rockaway ave., and in THATFORD AVENUE, from Newport st. to Vienna ave. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 3558, 3559, 3560, 3573, 3574, 3575, 3586 to 3590 inclusive, 3599 to 3603 inclusive, 3614, 3615, 3616, 3625, 3626, 3627, 3636 and 3637.

BELMONT AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Pennsylvania ave. to Wyona st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Belmont ave., from Pennsylvania ave. to Wyona st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

ELDERTS LANE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Pitkin and Liberty aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Elderts lane, between Pitkin ave. and Liberty ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting aves.

MONTAUK AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Atlantic to Liberty aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Mantauk ave., from Atlantic to Liberty aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 15.

EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Clarendon road to Avenue D. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 35th st., from Clarendon road to Avenue D, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Twelfth ave. and West st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 36th st., from 12th ave. to West st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

EIGHTY-SECOND STREET — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between 18th and 20 aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of 82d st., from 18th to 20th aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from 13th ave. to 14th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 84th st., from 13th to 14th aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 7, 1914, and entered April 7, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 6, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 7, 1914. a11,22

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—OPENING, from 1st st., or Bullard ave., to Barnes ave., and EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING, from Bullard ave. (1st st.) to Barnes ave. Confirmed February 28, 1914; entered April 1, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Bullard ave. where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between E. 235th st. and E. 236th st., and thence running northwardly, westwardly and northwardly along the said westerly line of Bullard ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between E. 237th st. and Nereid ave.; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Nereid ave. and E. 237th st. and the prolongation thereof to the intersection of a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of E. 237th st. and the southwesterly line of Nereid ave., as these streets are laid out between White Plains road and Byron ave.; thence southeastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Barnes ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Barnes ave.; thence southwestwardly and parallel with Barnes ave. to the intersection with a line midway between E. 234th st. and E. 235th st.; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between E. 234th st. and E. 235th st. to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of White Plains road; thence northeastwardly and parallel with White Plains road to the intersection with a line midway between E. 235th st. and E. 236th st.; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between E. 235th st. and E. 236th st. and the prolongation thereof to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 1, 1914. a6,16

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

BUSH STREET—SEWER, between Columbia and Hicks sts. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bush st., between Columbia and Hicks sts.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

UNION STREET—PAVING, between Franklin and Bedford aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Union st., from Franklin to Bedford ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

RIVERDALE AVENUE — SEWER, from Christopher ave. to a point 100 feet west of Powell st.; SEWER BASIN at the northwest corner of RIVERDALE AVENUE and JUNIUS STREET. Area of assessment affects properties in Blocks Nos. 3812, 3813, 3814, 3829 and 3830, adjacent to above improvements.

THATFORD AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Riverdale ave. and New Lots road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thatford ave., from Riverdale ave. to New Lots road, and to extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

SEWER BASINS at the northeast and northwest corners of BERRIMAN STREET AND DUMONT AVENUE. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 4069 and 4070.

DINSMORE PLACE—SEWER between Chestnut and Logan sts. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dinsmore place, from Logan st. to Chestnut st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 14.

NEW LOTS AVENUE—PAVING between New Jersey and Dumont aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of New Lots road, from New Jersey ave. to Dumont ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11.

PILLING STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Evergreen ave. to right of way of Long Island Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of Pilling

st., from Evergreen ave. to the Long Island Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue.

PILLING STREET—PAVING, from Evergreen ave. to the Long Island Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of Pilling st., from Evergreen ave. to the railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating street and avenue.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 15.

CHURCH AVENUE—PAVING, from New York to Brooklyn ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Church ave., from New York to Brooklyn ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

SEWER IN HENRY STREET, between E. 8th st. and Ocean parkway, and in EAST SEVENTH STREET, between Henry and Johnson sts. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 5320 and 5321.

SEWER BASIN on CHURCH AVENUE, opposite E. 8th st. Area of assessment affects Block 5341.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

WEBSTER AVENUE—SEWER, between Gravesend ave. and 47th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Webster ave., from 47th st. to Gravesend ave.

FIFTEENTH AVENUE—SEWER, between 52d and 53d sts. Area of assessment: Both sides of 15th ave., from 52d to 53d st., including property in Block No. 5664.

SIXTEENTH AVENUE—PAVING, from 44th to 47th st., and from 48th to 54th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 16th ave., from 44th to 47th st., and from 48th to 54th st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING, from 13th to 15th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 75th st., from 13th to 15th ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 20.

EAST SIXTEENTH STREET—SEWER, from summit about 252 feet south of Avenue J to Avenue J. Area of assessment affects Lot 8 in Block 6717 and Lots 1, 76, 78, 80 and 84 in Block 6718.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 21.

WEST THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Neptune and West aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of W. 3d st., from Neptune ave. to West ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 31, 1914, and entered on March 31, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 31, 1914. a6,16

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TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

GERMAN PLACE—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from Westchester ave. to Rae st. Area of assessment: Both sides of German place, from Westchester ave. to Rae st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

NELSON AVENUE—PAVING AND ADJUSTING CURB, from Featherbed lane to Macombs road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nelson ave., from Featherbed lane to Macombs road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 17.

EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET, EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREET and EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES, from Bronxwood ave. to Laconia ave. Area of assessment affects property on both sides of above streets between the avenues above mentioned, extending through half the block on each side of the improvement.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 31, 1914, and entered March 31, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING from a line 220 feet east of the easterly curb line of Amsterdam ave. to Convent ave. Area of assessment affects Lots 5, 12 and 19 in Block 1969 and Lots 9, 24, 25, 26 and 27 in Block 1968.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING AND CURBING from Broadway to Riverside drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of W. 141st st., from Broadway to Riverside drive.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, between Audubon and St. Nicholas aves., and between Broadway and Wadsworth ave. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 2133 and 2145.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 31, 1914, and entered on March 31, 1914, in the Records of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 3d floor, north side, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 1, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 31, 1914. a6,16

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1914, ON registered 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 853 in the Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., in the Borough of Manhattan.

The coupons that are payable in New York or in London for the interest due on May 1, 1914, on assessment bonds and 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 Guaranty Trust Company, 140 Broadway, New York City, in United States money, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling.

The coupons that are payable only in New York for interest due on May 1, 1914, on bonds and stock of the present and former City of New York, and of former corporations now included in The City of New York, except the former County of Queens, will be paid on that day at the office of the said Guaranty Trust Company.

The coupons that are payable on May 1, 1914, for interest on bonds issued by the former County of Queens will be paid on that day at the Queens County Bank, Branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, Borden ave. and Front st., Long Island City.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable May 1, 1914, will be closed from April 10 to May 1, 1914.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1914. a1,m1

Corporation Sales of Buildings.

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

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

Borough of The Bronx,

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Muliner ave., from Morris Park ave. to Bear Swamp road, in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 25, 1914, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914.

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

PARCEL NO. 309/310. Three-story frame house, No. 851 Morris Park ave., and part of three-story frame house, 853 Morris Park ave. Cut 46.2 feet on west side by 6.3 feet on rear. Upset price, $250.

PARCEL NO. 311/312. Three-story frame house, No. 849 Morris Park ave., and part of three-story frame house, No. 847 Morris Park ave. Cut 12.6 feet on front by 5.7 feet on rear. Upset price, $250.

PARCEL NO. 316. Frame shed and fence in rear of two-story frame house on Graham st. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 325. Board fence in rear of lumber yard. Upset price, $2.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 20th day of April, 1914, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 20, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York, City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1914. a3,20

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

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

Borough of The Bronx,

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Chatterton ave., from Virginia ave. to a point 265 feet east of Zerega ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held March 25, 1914, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1914.

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

PARCEL NO. 197. Fence and part of steps on the west side of Chatterton ave., 500 feet west of Olmstead ave. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 198. Wall east of and adjoining Parcel No. 197. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 199. Wall east of and adjoining Parcel No. 198. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 201. Fence, part of steps and part of shed on the north side of Chatterton ave., 190 feet west of Olmstead ave. Cut shed 6.1 feet on west side by 6.2 feet on east side. Upset price, $5.

PARCEL NO. 214. Fence on the north side of Chatterton ave., 150 feet east of Olmstead ave. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 215. Fence east of and adjoining Parcel No. 214. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 218. Fence and part of steps on the north side of Chatterton ave., 250 feet west of Castle Hill ave. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 219. Fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 218. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 231. Fence and part of steps of two houses on the north side of Chatterton ave., 90 feet east of Castle Hill ave. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 232. Fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 231. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 233. Fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 232. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 234. Fence east of and adjoining Parcel No. 233. Upset price, $5.

PARCEL NO. 235. Fence east of and adjoining Parcel No. 234. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 236. Iron fence and part of steps of two houses east of and adjoining Parcel No. 235. Upset price, $5.

PARCEL NO. 237. Part of one and one-half story frame barn east of and adjoining Parcel No. 236. Cut 4.5 feet on east and west sides. Upset price, $10.

PARCEL NO. 239/240. Iron fence and part of steps on the north side of Chatterton ave., 180 feet west of Havemeyer ave. Upset price, $5.

PARCEL NO. 241. Iron fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 240. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 242. Iron fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 241. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 243. Iron fence and part of steps east of and adjoining Parcel No. 242. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 244. Fence at the northwest corner of Chatterton ave. and Havemeyer ave. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 249. Fence on the south side of Chatterton ave., 200 feet east of Castle Hill ave. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 259. Part of one-story frame extension on the southeast corner of Havemeyer ave. and Chatterton ave. Cut 4.9 feet on east and west sides. Upset price, $10.

PARCEL NO. 260. Fence east of and adjoining Parcel No. 259. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL NO. 261. Fence east of and adjoining Parcel No. 260. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 262. Fence and part of steps on the southwest corner of Chatterton ave. and E. 177th st. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 264. Fence on the northeast corner of Chatterton ave. and E. 177th st. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL NO. 268. Fence, part of one-story frame building, part of two-story frame building and part of one-story frame stable at the northwest corner of Zerega ave. and Chatterton ave. Cut one-story frame building 5.3 feet on east and west sides. Cut two-story frame building 5 feet on east and west sides. Cut stable 6 feet on west side by 5.7 feet on east side. Upset price, $25.

PARCEL NO. 274. Part of one-story frame shed on the south side of Chatterton ave., 95 feet west of Zerega ave. Cut 5.4 feet on west side by 5.3 feet on east side. Upset price, $10.

PARCEL NO. 276/278. Part of three-story frame factory, part of one-story brick building, and part of one-story frame building at the northeast corner of Zerega ave. and Chatterton ave. Cut three-story factory 5.2 feet on west front by 5 feet on rear. Cut one-story buildings 5 feet on west side by 4.7 feet on east side. Upset price, $50.

PARCEL NO. 262/283. Part of one-story frame house on the southeast corner of Zerega ave. and Chatterton ave. Cut 2.3 feet on east and west sides. Part of two and one-half story frame building and shed adjoining. Cut 2.2 feet on west side by 3.4 feet on east side. Upset price, $25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 17th day of April, 1914, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes marked "Proposals to be opened April 17, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1914. a1,17

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISsioner of Docks, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for dock purposes in the

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the building now located at the outer end of the pier at the foot of E. 25th st., East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held March 25, 1914, the sale by sealed bids, of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1914.

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

PARCEL NO. 1. Building and contents situated at the outer end of the pier at the foot of E. 25th st., East River, Borough of Manhattan. The description and special conditions under which removal must be made are as follows: The structure to be sold consists of a one-story frame building covered with corrugated sheet metal, 150′ long, 54½′ wide, 19.6′ high at the eaves and 27′ high at the peak, and is located about 25′ inshore of the outer end of the E. 25th st. pier. The roof of this structure is supported by 11 trusses 7.85′ high of 3″ x 12″ timbers, with a clear span over the shed; these trusses are supported by 8″ x 8″ posts 17′ long. Studding is of 3″ x 4″ scantling on 2′ centres and about 19′ long. There are also six (6) sliding doors on the sides of the shed, 9′ long and 9½′ high; four (4) doors, two at each end of the shed, 6′ wide and 12′ high.

In the above enclosure are located two frame storage lockers covered with corrugated sheet metal each 20.7′ wide, 24.4′ long and 10.6′ high, each with three frame doors 2.65′ wide and 7′ high, sheathed with galvanized sheet iron. Also one frame shed within the same enclosure 15.5′ long, 13.2′ wide and 11′ high to be sold. The roof of the main building is covered with slag and cement roofing. The building and the two small buildings located within the main structure is to be entirely removed, it being a condition that no part of the decking of the pier is to be disturbed, and should it be found necessary to remove any part of the planking or decking of the pier, the portion so disturbed must be replaced by the purchaser. The structures may be removed from the water side, and if removed in this manner no charge will be made for wharfage for the vessels conveying the material from the premises.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 16th day of April, 1914, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 16, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 26, 1914. m31,a16

Sales of Tax Liens.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF MANHATTAN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of September 4, October 9, November 13, December 18, 1913, January 15, February 26, and April 2, 1914, has been continued to

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1914.

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated April 2, 1914.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. a4,m7

NOTICE OF CONTINUANCE OF BROOKLYN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Brooklyn, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of October 15th, November 5th, December 3rd, 1913, and January 7th, February 11th and March 18, 1914, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1914.

at 2.30 p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 2, in basement of the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dated March 18, 1914.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collecter of Assessments and Arrears. m20,a22

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2032, 20th floor, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1914.

ITEM "A." FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF A REFRIGERATING PLANT, AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN WASHINGTON MARKET, LOCATED AT WASHINGTON, VESEY, FULTON AND WEST STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

ITEM "B." FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF A REFRIGERATING PLANT, OMITTING INSULATION PROVIDED FOR ON BRINE PIPES OUTSIDE OF MACHINE AND CONDENSER ROOMS, IN WASHINGTON MARKET, LOCATED AT WASHINGTON, VESEY, FULTON AND WEST STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be sixty (60) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

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

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder of the item selected and determined upon.

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Charles H. Higgins, 95 Liberty st., Borough of Manhattan. MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

City of New York, April 14, 1914. a14,24

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS: 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF WASHED GRAVEL.

The time for the completion of the contract is until December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than 1½% of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS: 1,100 CUBIC YARDS OF WASHED GRAVEL OR GRITS, TO BE DELIVERED ON MACADAM ROADS.

The time for the completion of the contract is until September 30, 1914.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than 1½% of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS: 1,000 CUBIC YARDS OF WASHED GRAVEL OR GRITS, TO BE DELIVERED AT CORPORATION YARDS.

The time for the completion of the contract is until December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than 1½% of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS: 5,500 CUBIC YARDS OF ASPHALT WEARING SURFACE SAND, TO BE DELIVERED AT THE MUNICIPAL ASPHALT PLANT, SITUATED ON THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN 90TH AND 91ST STS.

The time for the completion of the contract is until December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than 1½% of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder must deposit samples of sand with the Borough President at the office of the Chief Engineer of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, on or before the time of making his bid.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

a14,24 MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALL PLUMBING WORK IN ADDITION J, AND FOR CERTAIN ROUGH WORK IN ADDITION K OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK, ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, OPPOSITE EAST EIGHTY-FIRST STREET.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the work will be five hundred consecutive calendar days.

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

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave.

CABOT WARD, President; THOMAS W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Bark Board at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.

FOR CLEANING AND PAINTING FENCES IN FOREST PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The work consists of cleaning and painting fences in Forest Park, as per specifications.

The Engineer's estimate of the linear feet of fences to be cleaned and painted is as follows:

Type 1, 2,063 linear feet.
Type 2, 5,223 linear feet.
Type 3, 7,107 linear feet.

The time allowed for the completion of the work let will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars ($1,000). Cash or certified check for Fifty Dollars ($50) must accompany bid.

Items must be bid for separately, but the bids must show the aggregate or lump sum.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens. "The Overlook," Richmond Hill, L. I., upon personal application, or by mail only when request is accompanied by ten (10) cents in stamps to pay postage.

CABOT WARD, President; WALTER G. ELIOT, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, Commissioners of Parks.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CRUSHED STONE SCREENINGS AND COW BAY SAND TO PARKS AND PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the completion of contract forty (40) days.

2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CRUSHED STONE AND CRUSHED STONE SCREENINGS TO PARKS AND PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the completion of contract thirty (30) days.

3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY-TWO THOUSAND (52,000) GALLONS OF MACADAM ASPHALT BINDER, IN TANK CARS, AT LONG ISLAND RAILROAD TERMINALS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the completion of contract forty (40) days.

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

A deposit of one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must accompany estimate.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

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

CABOT WARD, President; THOMAS W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan.

1. FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF THE SUBSTRUCTURE AND SUPERSTRUCTURE OF ADDITIONS J AND K, AND THE INTERIOR FINISH COMPLETE OF ADDITION J OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK, ON THE WEST SIDE OF 5TH AVE., OPPOSITE E. 81ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, EXCLUSIVE OF PLUMBING AND HEATING AND VENTILATION.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Thousand Dollars ($300,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be five hundred (500) consecutive calendar days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of $15,000 must accompany bid.

2. FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE STEAM HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK FOR ADDITION J, THE STEAM AND RETURN CONNECTIONS FROM ENGINE ROOM, ETC., TO AND EXTENDING THROUGH ADDITION J, AND CHANGES IN DUCT WORK OF ADDITION D AS REQUIRED BY BUILDING ADDITION J FOR THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH AVE., OPPOSITE 81ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be five hundred (500) consecutive calendar days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of $1,000 must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914.
Borough of The Bronx,

NO. 5. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, ON TRINITY AND JACKSON AVES., AND E. 158TH ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000).

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

NO. 6. FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, ON TRINITY AND JACKSON AVES. AND E. 158TH ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty-four Thousand Dollars ($24,000).

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

Borough of Manhattan,

NO. 7. FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 2, 12, 14, 19, 25, 31, 59, 62 (Items 1 and 2), 77, 79, AND 188, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 1, $500; P. S. 2, $600; P. S. 12, $200; P. S. 14, $100; P. S. 19, $100; P. S. 25, $100; P. S. 31, $600; P. S. 59, $800; P. S. 62, $500 (Item 1); P. S. 62, $700 (Item 2); P. S. 77, $200; P. S. 79, $1,000; P. S. 188, $300.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and for each item on Public School 62, and award will be made thereon.

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

NO. 8. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 11, 17, 26, 28, 32, 33, 45, 51, 56, 58, 67, 69, 84, 87, 94, 127, AND DEWITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 11, $600; P. S. 17, $300; P. S. 26, $100; P. S. 28, $200; P. S. 32, $300; P. S. 33, $300; P. S. 45, $200; P. S. 51, $500; P. S. 56, $500; P. S. 58, $300; P. S. 67, $300; P. S. 69, $300; P. S. 84, $100; P. S. 87, $100; P. S. 94, $100; P. S. 127, $100; DeW. C. H. S., $400.

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

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

Borough of Queens.

NO. 9. FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, AND ITEM 2, INSTALLING TEMPERATURE REGULATION IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 95, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF LARREMORE AVE., BETWEEN YALE AND HARVARD AVES., JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, $12,000; Item 2, $1,200.

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

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

On Nos. 5 and 6 the bids will be compared, and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Nos. 7, 8 and 9 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective Boroughs.

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

Dated April 15, 1914. a15,27

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF RETAINING WALLS, FENCES, SIDEWALKS, ETC., ON AND ABOUT THE ATHLETIC FIELD, ON AVENUES K AND L, AND BETWEEN E. 17TH ST. AND THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, FLATBUSH, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500).

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

NO. 2. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 3, 41, 66, 70, 83, 84, 85, 93, 106, 113, 125, 144, 155, 156, BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL, COMMERCIAL HIGH SCHOOL AND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 3, $500; P. S. 41, $300; P. S. 66, $1,000; P. S. 70, $600; P. S. 83, $800; P. S. 84, $400; P. S. 85, $1,000; P. S. 93, $600; P. S. 106, $1,600; P. S. 113, $400; P. S. 125, $400; P. S. 144, $1,200; P. S. 155, $600; P. S. 156, $1,000; B. H. S., $1,400; C. H. S., $2,000; G. H. S., $2,000.

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

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

NO. 3. FOR ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 36, ON STAGG AND TEN EYCK STS., BETWEEN BUSHWICK AVE. AND WATERBURY ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000).

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

NO. 4. FOR ERECTING STORM ENCLOSURES, COVERED PASSAGE, ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 89, NEWKIRK AVE. AND E. 31ST ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars ($400).

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

On Nos. 1, 3 and 4 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On No. 2 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Dated April 15, 1914. a15,27

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILE SERVICE FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION WITHIN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1914.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or classes of items herein contained or hereto annexed, per hour, by which the bids will be tested.

Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated April 11, 1914. a11,23

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914.
Borough of Manhattan,

NO. 1. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 6, 18, 27, 53, 59, 70, 73, 76, 77, 82, 96, 116, 117, 135, 158 AND 190, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 6, $400; P. S. 18, $300; P. S. 27, $200; P. S. 53, $600; P. S. 59, $600; P. S. 70, $300; P. S. 73, $300; P. S. 76, $300; P. S. 77, $400; P. S. 82, $400; P. S. 96, $200; P. S. 116, $100;

P. S. 117, $400; P. S. 135, $200; P. S. 158, $300; P. S. 190, $100.

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

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

NO. 2. FOR FURNITURE, ETC., FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 97, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF MANGIN ST., ABOUT 125 FEET SOUTH OF E. HOUSTON S., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, $1,200; Item 2, $1,000; Item 3, $500; Item 4, $500; Item 5, $500.

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

A separate proposal must be submitted on each item, and award will be made thereon.

NO. 3. FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 169, AUDUBON AVE., 168TH AND 169TH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500).

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

NO. 4. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 169, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF AUDUBON AVE., BETWEEN 168TH AND 169TH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000).

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

On Nos. 1 and 2 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

On Nos. 3 and 4 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated April 8, 1914. a8,20

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914.

Borough of Manhattan,

NO. 5. FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 72, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF LEXINGTON AVE., BETWEEN 105TH AND 106TH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO J. & L. MORELAND CO., INC., WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000).

The work in question is for the completion of said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the printed addenda (second) which has been inserted in the original specifications.

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

The bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate, and must examine the printed addenda attached to the contract and original specifications.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated April 8, 1914. a8,20

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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, 5TH ST. AND JACKSON AVE., LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE reeeived by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1914.

1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HARSELL ST., FROM THE EAST RIVER TO HAMILTON ST., AND IN HAMILTON ST., FROM HARSELL ST. TO PAYNTAR AVE., FIRST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

61 linear feet special 4' 9" reinforced concrete sewer.

568 linear feet 4' 9" reinforced concrete sewer.

229 linear feet 4' 6" reinforced concrete sewer.

598 linear feet 3' 6" x 2' 4" egg-shaped concrete sewer.

1 outlet, complete.

1 junction chamber at Hamilton st. and Paynter ave., complete.

1 junction chamber at Hamilton st. and Wilbur ave., complete.

6 manholes, complete.

1 cleaning shaft, complete.

1 receiving basin, complete.

25,000 feet B. M. timber for bracing and sheet piling.

8,000 feet B. M. timber for foundation.

6,000 linear feet of piles.

1,600 cubic yards of rock excavated and removed.

7,400 pounds of reinforcing steel, exclusive of reinforcing shown on plan.

30 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe for basin connections.

100 cubic yards of concrete, exclusive of concrete shown on plan.

34 spurs, 24 inches long, on 3' 6" x 2' 4" egg-shaped concrete sewer.

16 spurs, 24 inches long, on 4' 6" reinforced concrete sewer.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000).

2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN NEWTOWN ROAD, FROM 13TH AVE. TO 18TH AVE., FIRST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,230 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

750 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

10 manholes, complete.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars ($1,200).

3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF TEMPORARY RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF 19TH ST. AND BAYSIDE AVE., AND ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 19TH ST. AND 14TH AVE., AT WHITESTONE, THIRD WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

75 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

2 receiving basins, complete.

10 cubic yards of rock excavated and removed.

2,000 feet B. M. timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250).

4. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES ON THE FOUR CORNERS OF HANCOCK ST. AND BODINE ST., FIRST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4 single receiving basins, completed.

96 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe for basin connections.

5 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($350).

5. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES AT THE NORTHEAST, NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF THOMPSON AVE. AND COURT ST., FIRST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

140 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

2 manholes, complete.

3 single receiving basins, complete.

126 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe for basin connections.

3 spurs on 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

100 cubic yards of rock excavated and removed.

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

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars ($700).

6. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF MYRTLE AVE. AND WOODBINE ST., SECOND WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2 single receiving basins, complete.

60 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe for basin connections.

1 manhole, complete.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred Dollars ($200).

7. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN 12TH AVE., FROM VANDEVENTER AVE. TO THE EXISTING SEWER, ABOUT 475 FEET SOUTH OF WILSON AVE., FIRST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

543 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

450 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

3 manholes, complete.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from a total.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, New York, April 11th, 1914.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 11TH AVE., BETWEEN 61ST ST. AND THE NEW YORK AND SEA BEACH RAILROAD, AND BETWEEN 62ND ST. AND 65TH ST., WITH OUTLET SEWERS IN 62ND ST., BETWEEN 10TH AND 11TH AVES., AND IN 63RD ST., BETWEEN 10TH AND 11TH AVES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

847 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2.35 ..... $1,990 45

780 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2.05 ..... 1,599 00

690 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.65 ..... 1,138 50

2,665 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.80..... 2,132 00

21 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50 ..... 1,050 00

11 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $115 ..... 1,265 00

Total $9,174 95

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

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Six Hundred Dollars ($4,600).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 48TH ST., FROM 17TH AVE. TO 19TH AVE., AND AN OUTLET SEWER IN 18TH AVE., FROM 48TH ST. TO 49TH ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

379 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2.30 ..... $871 70

1,422 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.70 ..... 2,417 40

2,200 linear feet of 6-inch house connecting drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.85..... 1,870 90

15 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50 ..... 750 00

3 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $115.. 345 00

Total $6,254 10

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($3,200).

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN WEST ST., BETWEEN 50TH ST. AND AVENUE J.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

210 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $4.25 ..... $892 50

332 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2.45 ..... 813 40

150 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2 ..... 300 00

60 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.65 ..... 99 00

735 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.90 ..... 661 50

5 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50.. 250 00

4 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $120 ..... 480 00

Total $3,496 40

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($1,800).

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 52ND ST., BETWEEN 20TH AVE. AND WEST ST., CROSSING WEST ST. TO AVENUE J; ALSO SEWER BASIN AT THE NORTH AND WEST CORNERS OF 52ND ST. AND 20TH AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

653 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $3.05 ..... $1,991 65

60 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.70 ..... 102 00

430 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.95..... 408 50

7 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50 ..... 350 00

4 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $125 500 00

Total $3,352 15

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars ($1,700).

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN ATKINS AVE., BETWEEN BLAKE AVE. AND NEW LOTS AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

669 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.60 ..... $1,070 40

578 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.80 ..... 462 40

6 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50 ..... 300 00

One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $115 ..... 115 00

3,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, $18 ..... 54 00

Total $2,001 80

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 19TH AVE., FROM 64TH ST. TO 65TH ST., AND A SEWER BASIN ON 19TH AVE., AT THE NORTH CORNER OF 64TH ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

40 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $2.25 ..... $90 00

270 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.80 ..... 486 00

330 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.85 ..... 280 50

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50. 150 00

2 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $125.... 250 00

Total $1,256 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Hundred Dollars ($600).

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN CANARSIE LANE, FROM NOSTRAND AVE. TO EAST 31ST. ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

219 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.80 ..... $394 20

165 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drains, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.85 ..... 140 25

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50 ..... 150 00

1,500 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, $18 ..... 27 00

Total $711 45

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars ($400).

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON DUMONT AVE., AT THE SOUTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF BARRETT ST.; AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SARATOGA AVE.; AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF DOUGLASS ST., AND AT THE NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF HOPKINSON AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Six (6) sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $125 ..... $750 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars ($375).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimates of the total cost for the completed work are to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.), for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for this contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Borough of Brooklyn.

a10.22 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1914.

1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FRANKLIN AVE., FROM EASTERN PARKWAY TO WASHINGTON AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

5,250 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel, outside railroad area (1 year maintenance).

1,195 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel, within railroad area (no maintenance).

60 square yards adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

875 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area.

200 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.

55 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.

720 linear feet granite heading stones, set in concrete.

5,250 square yards present asphalt block pavement, outside railroad area, to be removed.

1,195 square yards present asphalt block pavement, within railroad area, to be removed.

5,250 square yards present concrete foundation, outside railroad area, to be removed.

1,195 square yards present concrete foundation, within railroad area, to be removed.

900 square feet new bluestone flagstones, furnished and laid.

3,000 square feet old flagstones, relaid.

2,000 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 50 working days. Security required, $10.000

2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAYS OF W. 15TH ST., FROM NEPTUNE AVE. TO SURF AVE., AND MERMAID AVE., FROM W. 15TH ST. TO W. 19TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

8,720 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

30 square yards adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

1,455 cubic yards concrete.

2,110 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.

350 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

215 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

20 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 40 working days. Security required, $7,500.

3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150,000 WOOD PAVING BLOCKS TO BE DE-

LIVERED TO CORPORATION YARD, WALL-ABOUT BASIN, FOOT OF HEWES ST.

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, 30 per cent of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. *The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.*

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 12 Municipal Building, Brooklyn. L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated April 6, 1914. a10,22

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearing.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

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

Whereas, The Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation has, under date of December 10, 1913, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate a freight terminal railroad across and along various streets and avenues within the district bounded by Meadow street, Thomson avenue, School street and Hunters Point avenue, Borough of Queens; and

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

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws this Board adopted a resolution on January 9, 1914, fixing the date for a public hearing thereon as February 6, 1914, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the New York Times and Evening Post, newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the CITY RECORD for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all the terms and conditions including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of , 19 , by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

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

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate railroad tracks in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, either at the same grade as the surface of the streets, or above or below the grade thereof, as shall be determined by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, pursuant to law, for the purpose of conveying goods, wares and merchandise only, the centre lines of which are as follows:

1. A double track crossing Pearson street parallel to Meadow street and about twelve (12) feet southeasterly therefrom.

2. A double track beginning on the southwesterly side of Anable avenue about twelve (12) feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Meadow street; thence northeasterly in a curve across Anable avenue to a point on the northeasterly side thereof.

3. A double track crossing Creek street parallel to Nott avenue and about twelve (12) feet southerly therefrom.

4. A double track crossing Orton street parallel to Nott avenue and about twelve (12) feet southerly therefrom.

5. A double track crossing Manly street parallel to Nott avenue and about twelve (12) feet southerly therefrom.

6. A single track crossing Nott avenue at right angles near the centre of the block between Orton street and Manly street.

7. A single track beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Davis street about eight (8) feet southwesterly from the intersection of said northwesterly side of Davis street with the southwesterly side of Pearson street; thence southerly in a curve across Davis street to the southeasterly side thereof at a point about seventy (70) feet southwesterly from the intersection of said southeasterly side of Davis street with the southwesterly side of Pearson street.

8. A single track beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Creek street near the centre line of the block between Anable avenue and Pearson street; thence southerly in a curve across Creek street to a point in the southeasterly side of Creek street about two hundred and fifty-five (255) feet northerly from the intersection of said southeasterly side of Creek street and the northerly side of Hunters Point avenue.

9. A single track beginning at a point on the westerly side of Creek street about seventy-two (72) feet southerly from the intersection of said westerly side of Creek street with the southerly side of Nott avenue; thence southeasterly in a curve across Creek street to the easterly side thereof at a point about one hundred and sixty-seven (167) feet southerly from the intersection of said easterly side of Creek street with the southerly side of Nott avenue.

10. A single track beginning at a point in the westerly side of Creek street about three (3) feet southerly from the intersection of said westerly side of Creek street with the southerly side of Nott avenue; thence northeasterly in a curve across Creek street and Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side of Nott avenue about sixty-five (65) feet easterly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Creek stret.

11. A single track beginning at a point on the southerly side of Nott avenue about two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet easterly from the intersection of said southerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Creek street; thence northeasterly in a curve across Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side thereof about sixty-five (65) feet easterly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Dutch Kills place.

12. A single track beginning at a point on the southerly side of Nott avenue about two hundred and ninety-five (295) feet westerly from the intersection of said southerly side of Nott avenue with the westerly side of Orton street; thence northeasterly in a curve across Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side thereof about ten (10) feet easterly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Queens place.

13. A single track beginning at a point on the southerly side of Nott avenue about one hundred and fifty (150) feet westerly from the intersection of said southerly side of Nott avenue with the westerly side of Orton street; thence northeasterly in a curve across Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side thereof about fifty (50) feet westerly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the westerly side of Orton street.

14. A single track beginning at a point on the westerly side of Orton street about three (3) feet southerly from the intersection of said westerly side of Orton street with the southerly side of Nott avenue; thence northeasterly in a curve across Orton street and Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side of Nott avenue about fifty-nine (59) feet easterly from the intersection of the said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Orton street.

15. A single track crossing Nott avenue at right angles near the centre line of the block between Manly street and Mount street.

16. A single track crossing Nott avenue at right angles near the centre line of the block between Mount street and School street.

17. A single track clossing Anable avenue at right angles near the centre line of the block between Orton street and Manly street.

18. A single track crossing Anable avenue at right angles near the centre line of the block between Manly street and Mount street.

19. A single track crossing Anable avenue at right angles near the centre line of the block between Mount street and School street.

20. A single track beginning at a point in Creek street on the centre line of the track hereinbefore described as No. 9; thence southeasterly in a curve to a point on the easterly side of Creek street about one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet southerly from the intersection of said easterly side of Creek street with the southerly side of Nott avenue.

21. A single track beginning at a point on the westerly side of Manly street about three (3) feet southerly from the intersection of said westerly side of Manly street with the southerly side of Nott avenue; thence northeasterly in a curve across Manly street and Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side of Nott avenue about fifty-nine (59) feet easterly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Manly street.

22. A single track beginning at a point on the westerly side of Mount street about two (2) feet southerly from the intersection of said westerly side of Mount street with the southerly side of Nott avenue; thence northeasterly in a curve across Mount street and Nott avenue to a point on the northerly side of Nott avenue about fifty-nine (59) feet easterly from the intersection of said northerly side of Nott avenue with the easterly side of Mount street.

23. A single track beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Pearson street about eighteen (18) feet southeasterly from the intersection of said northeasterly side of Pearson street with the southeasterly side of Meadow street; thence southwesterly in a curve across Pearson street to a point on the southwesterly side thereof about fifty (50) feet southeasterly from the intersection of said southwesterly side of Pearson street with the southeasterly side of Meadow street.

The said tracks hereby authorized are shown upon a map entitled:

"Map showing proposed tracks of Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation to be located in First Ward, Borough of Queens, in the territory bounded on the east by School street, on the south by Hunters Point avenue, on the west and northwest by Meadow street and on the north by Thomson avenue. To accompany petition verified December 10, 1913, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment,"

—and signed by Alfred A. Stuart, President, and Norman G. Degnon, Engineer; a copy of which is attached hereto, is to be deemed a part of this contract, is to be construed with the text thereof, and is to be substantially followed, provided that deviations therefrom and the description thereof which are not inconsistent with the other provisions of this contract may be permitted by resolution of the Board.

This grant is made with the understanding that the tracks herein authorized are to be operated as a necessary part of the railroad of the Company, as shown by the layout upon the map attached hereto, and is only granted upon condition that all of the tracks shown upon said map whether upon private property or upon streets or avenues shall be operated as one railroad.

Sec. 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and avenues to the construction and operation of said railroad shall be obtained by the Company within three (3) months from the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and a copy of such consents shall be filed with the Board within such time, or in the event that such consents cannot be obtained within such time, the Company shall, within said three (3) months or within one (1) month thereafter, make application to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners in the manner provided by the Railroad Law to determine if said railroad ought to be constructed; otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

Second—The said right to construct, maintain and operate said railroad shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor, until January 1, 1929, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of ten (10) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two (2) years and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding ten (10) years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, but in no case shall the annual rate so fixed be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three (3) months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of the original term of this contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company each paying one-half thereof.

Third—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and equipments of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

Fourth—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money:

(*a*) The sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) in cash within thirty (30) days after the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor and before anything is done in exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

(*b*) During the first term expiring January 1, 1924, an annual sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).

During the remainder term of five (5) years an annual sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

The annual charges shall commence from January 1, 1914.

All annual charges as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to September 30 next preceding. Provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and September 30 following shall bear to the whole of one year.

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

Fifth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract (whether original or renewal), notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railway or railroad company providing for payment for railway or railroad rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted (whether original or renewal), or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Sixth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any person or corporation a franchise or right to use the streets hereinbefore mentioned, or any part of them, for railroad purposes, and the Company shall not at any time oppose, but shall consent to the construction and operation of a railroad by any such other corporation or individual which may receive a franchise therefor from the City; provided, however, that nothing in this clause contained shall estop the Company from appearing before the Board and being heard on any application for rights in said streets.

Seventh—If the right of way on private property upon which the Company proposes to operate or any location of track herein authorized (all as shown on the map hereto attached) shall be crossed, intersected or joined by the right of way or tracks of another railroad corporation, then the Company shall unite with such corporation in forming the necessary connections between the railroads of the Company and such corporation, and shall grant the requisite facilities therefor, whether the tracks on the right of way of such corporation are at the same or a different grade from the tracks of the Company at the point of such crossing or intersection.

In case the Company and such corporation cannot agree upon the amount of compensation to be paid therefor, such compensation shall be fixed in the manner provided in section 22 of the Railroad Law.

When such railroads shall be so connected, the Company shall receive from such other corporation, and forward to their destination, all goods, merchandise and other property intended for points on its railroad, and receive and forward to the railroad of such other corporation all goods, merchandise and other property shipped by way of the Company's railroad and intended for points thereon, with the same despatch and at a rate of freight not exceeding the local tariff rate charged for similar goods, merchandise and other property received at or forwarded from the same points for individuals and other corporations.

The intent and purpose of the foregoing is to provide for the use of the Company's railroad by any other railroad which may be constructed in the vicinity, so that such other railroad may be afforded an outlet and rail connection with a trunk line railroad or a water connection with the Dutch Kills Creek by means of the railroad of the Company.

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

Ninth—Should it be deemed advisable by the Board at any time during the term of this contract to require the extension of the tracks of the Company to reach property owned by any individual or corporation making application to the Board for such extension, and the Board shall so order, then the Company shall, immediately after reaching an agreement with such applicants with respect to the terms upon which such extension shall be constructed, or in lieu thereof a determination of the arbitrators, as herein provided apply for and accept a franchise upon terms and conditions similar to those contained herein to extend its tracks beyond the tracks now planned by the Company, as indicated by the layout of track shown upon the map attached hereto, to the property of such applicant, and upon receiving such a franchise the Company shall, upon terms to be agreed upon between the petitioner and the Company, so extend its tracks and deliver and receive freight for shipment to all persons desiring such service along the line of such extension or extensions; such service to be performed at the rates charged for similar service upon the railroad herein authorized, or as may be fixed by the Board.

In case the Company and the applicants for such extension cannot agree upon the terms upon which such extension shall be constructed, including the division, if any, of the cost of the extension and of the maintenance thereof, then such terms shall be determined and fixed by three arbitrators selected in the following manner:

One fit and impartial person shall be chosen by the Company; one fit and impartial person shall be chosen by the applicant or applicants for such extension, and the two so chosen shall choose a third fit and impartial person. The decision under oath of any two of such persons who shall be so selected shall be final and conclusive. If either the Company or such applicant fails to appoint an arbitrator, as herein provided, or should the first two arbitrators fail to agree on the selection of a third arbitrator within thirty days after the first two arbitrators shall be chosen, or if no two arbitrators so selected shall agree upon the terms upon which such extension shall be constructed and maintained within sixty (60) days after the arbitrators shall be so selected, then such may be fixed by a commissioner appointed by the Supreme Court on the application of either party.

Tenth—The Company shall commence construction of any portion of the railroad herein authorized which shall be necessary to transport freight to or from property proposed to be so served, as indicated by the layout of the railroad shown upon a map attached hereto, within thirty (30) days from the date upon which application for service shall be made by the owner or occupier of such property, provided that the consents of the property owners, as herein required have been obtained, or, in lieu thereof, an order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court made pursuant to section 174 of the Railroad Law confirming the determination of the commissioners appointed thereunder that such railroad ought to be constructed, has been issued. If the consents of property owners have not been obtained, nor the order of the Appellate Division issued, at the time when application for the use of such railroad is made by such owner or occupier of such property, then, the Company shall commence the construction of that portion of the railroad for which application has been so made within thirty (30) days after the obtaining of such consents or the issuance of such order. The Company shall complete such portion of said railroad and place the same in operation within sixty (60) days after such application has been made by such owner or occupier of said property, or if neither the consents of the property owners or said order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court has been obtained at the time such application is made, then within sixty (60) days from the date of filing such consents or the date of such order. If the Company shall fail to complete the construction of the railroad and put the same in operation as herein required, all rights hereunder shall cease and determine, and all sums paid, or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City. Provided, however, that the period for commencement and the period for completion and placing the railroad in operation may be extended by the Board; and provided, further, that when the commencement or completion of said construction shall be prevented by legal proceedings in any court or by works of public improvement, or from other causes not within control of the Company, the time for the commencement or completion of such construction may be extended for the period of such prevention, but no delay shall be allowed for unless the court proceedings shall be diligently prosecuted by the company, and provided further, that in no case shall such delay be deemed to begin until the Company shall have given written notice to the Board of any such court proceedings or other occasion of delay, and deliver to the Board copies of any injunction or other orders, and the papers upon which the same shall have been granted, and unless upon the request of the Board the Company shall, in writing, consent that the Board either in its own name as a party, or in the name of the City as a party, may intervene in any such proceedings.

Eleventh—If the grade of the tracks or any portion thereof herein authorized be at any time during the existence of this contract changed to a position either above or below the surface of the streets or avenues, then the Company shall pay to the City any sum or sums which the City may be required by law to pay toward the change of grade of such tracks.

Twelfth—Said railroad shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City.

No construction upon said railroad shall be commenced until written permits have been obtained from the proper City officials.

In any permits so issued such officials may also impose such conditions, as a condition of

the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures, in the streets and avenues, over which such officials have jurisdiction, and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

The electrical equipment to be installed by the Company for the operation of the railroad within the limits of the City, whether the same be upon streets and avenues or upon private property, shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Thirteenth—The work of construction of the tracks hereby authorized shall be done in such manner as shall not substantially interfere with the ordinary use of any street or avenue as a public highway.

Fourteenth—During the period prior to January 1, 1916, cars may be operated upon said tracks by steam locomotives which shall be housed or boxed so as to conform with the type commonly known as the "dummy engine." On or before January 1, 1916, the Company shall discontinue the use of said dummy steam locomotives and operate said tracks by electric power or any other motive power which may be approved by the Board and consented to by the abutting property owners in accordance with the provisions of law and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York. It is understood, however, that no overhead wires except trolley wires shall be permitted for the operation of said tracks by the electric power.

Fifteenth—Neither pedestrians nor vehicles shall be prevented from crossing the tracks hereby authorized by the occupation of such tracks by cars or trains operated thereon, for a greater period than five (5) consecutive minutes at any time, and the aggregate of such periods shall not exceed ten (10) minutes in any hour between 7 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m.

Sixteenth—Should the Company be allowed to operate at the same grade as the streets and avenues, the Company shall station flagmen at such points as shall be necessary to exclude pedestrians and vehicles from the tracks at all times when cars or trains shall be operated thereon. Should it seem necessary in the opinion of the Board at any time during the term of this contract that gates be erected, maintained and operated across any of the streets or avenues for the purpose of excluding pedestrians and vehicles from the tracks hereby authorized, then the Company shall erect, maintain and operate such gates as may be designated upon thirty (30) days' notice by the Board to the Company.

Seventeenth—As long as the said tracks or any portion thereof shall remain in the streets and avenues during the term of this contract the Company shall, at its own expense, set the curbs and pave the entire roadway and sidewalk and keep the same in permanent repair upon that portion of Nott avenue between the southeasterly side of Meadow street and the westerly side of School street, that portion of Anable avenue between the easterly side of Orton street and the westerly side of School street and those portions of Davis street, Pearson street, Creek street, Orton street, Manly street, Mount street and Anable avenue, except Anable avenue between Orton street and School street, between the tracks and the rails of the tracks hereby authorized in said streets and avenues and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond such rails on either side thereof; all of the work to be done under the supervision of the local authorities in such manner and at such time as they may prescribe. In case of the neglect of the Company to make pavement or repairs after the expiration of twenty (20) days' notice to do so from the President of the Borough of Queens, said President may make the same at the expense of the Company, and the City shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any street or avenue, and in that event the Company shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper City official, at its own expense, and the provisions as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewed or altered pavement.

Eighteenth—Should the Company be allowed to operate at the same grade as the streets and avenues, it shall at all times keep that portion of Nott avenue between the southeasterly side of Meadow street and the westerly side of School street, that portion of Anable avenue between the easterly side of Orton street and the westerly side of School street and those portions of Davis street, Pearson street, Creek street, Orton street, Manly street, Mount street and Anable avenue (except Anable avenue between Orton street and School street), between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails, on either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow; provided, however, that the Company shall, at the option of the President of the Borough of Queens, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of street surface from house line to house line.

Nineteenth—Should the grades or lines of the streets and avenues in which the railroad is hereby authorized be changed at any time after the railroad has been constructed and during the term of this contract, the Company shall, at its own expense, change its tracks and appurtenances to conform with such new grades and lines, and during the construction of any public improvement upon said streets or avenues the Company shall take care of and protect the tracks and appurtenances at its own expense, all to be done subject to the direction of the City official having jurisdiction over the construction of such change.

Twentieth—It is agreed that the right hereby granted to operate a railroad shall not be in preference or in hindrance to public work of the City, and should the said railroad in any way interfere with the construction of public works in the streets and avenues, whether the same is done by the City directly or by a contractor for the City, the Company shall, at its own expense, protect or move the tracks and appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public work.

Twenty-first—Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage systems, or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets, required on account of the construction or operation of the railroad, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Twenty-second—Said railroad shall be constructed and operated in the latest approved manner of railroad construction and operation, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to the railroad equipment, including rolling stock and railroad appurtenances, from time to time, as such additions and improvements are necessary, in the opinion of the Board. Upon failure on the part of the Company to comply with the direction of the Board within a reasonable time, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Twenty-third—The rates for carrying property upon the tracks hereby authorized shall in all cases be reasonable in amount, subject to the control of the Board, and may be fixed by the Board after notice to the Company, and a hearing had thereon, and when so fixed such rates shall be binding upon the Company, and no rates in excess of those fixed shall be charged for such service.

Twenty-fourth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report not later than November 1 of each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding and at any other time upon request of the Board, which shall give the result of the operations of the railroad during the year and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Twenty-fifth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross receipts from all sources within the limits of the City, and shall, on or before November 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company, for the year ending September 30 next preceding, in such form as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of such gross receipts, the total length of track in operation within the limits of the City and the length of track constructed and operated under this contract and such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Twenty-sixth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board acting under the powers herein reserved, the franchise or consent herein granted, may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railroad constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Twenty-seventh—If the Company shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein provided, or fail to maintain its structures and equipment as herein provided in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided for.

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

Twenty-ninth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000), either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all of the terms and conditions of this contract and compliance with all orders of the Board acting under the powers herein reserved, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the rendering of efficient public service at reasonable rates, the repairs of the street pavement, the removal of snow and ice, the quality of construction of the railroad, and the maintenance of the property in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract; and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions, or compliance with such orders or either or any of them, the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company; or in case of failure to observe the said terms and conditions of this contract and orders of the Board acting hereunder relating to the obstruction of traffic and the maintenance of gates and flagmen, the Company shall pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each day of violation, all of which sums may be deducted from said fund.

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

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

Thirtieth—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets and avenues in which the Company is hereby authorized to operate.

Thirty-first—The Company hereby agrees that it will not institute any proceedings to acquire by condemnation any land, property, appurtenances or rights pursuant to any law, unless and until permitted to do so by resolution of the Board, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

Thirty-second—The words "notice" or "direction," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

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

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

Sec. 4. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By .....
[CORPORATE SEAL.] Mayor.
Attest:
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City Clerk.

DEGNON TERMINAL RAILROAD CORPORATION,
By .....
[SEAL.] President.
Attest:
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Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the result of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor and of the terms and conditions including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant or such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Friday, May 1, 1914, in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, May 1, 1914, in two (2) daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor therefor, and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Degnon Terminal Railroad Corporation, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will at a meeting of said Board to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 1, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, March 20, 1914. a8,m1

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the public hearing on the form of contract modifying contract dated July 10, 1912, granting a franchise to the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line by substituting a route on Fulton street, Ashland place and Lafayette avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a portion of its existing route, which was, by resolution duly adopted November 20, 1913, fixed for December 24, 1913, and was continued from time to time until March 20, 1914, when it was continued until this day, was continued until the meeting of April 17, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place all persons interested will have an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, April 3, 1914. a6,17

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

Whereas, The Union Railway Company of New York City has, under date of March 31, 1913, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate street surface railway extensions to its existing system upon and along the following routes:

First—East 136th street, from 3d avenue to Lincoln avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Second—From the intersection of Willis avenue and 134th street, Borough of The Bronx, over the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches to 125th street, Borough of Manhattan, and upon and along 125th street, Manhattan street, 12th avenue and West 129th street.

Third—From the intersection of the Willis avenue and Southern boulevard approaches to the Willis Avenue Bridge, upon and over said Southern boulevard or easterly approach to Southern boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, Section 172 of the Railroad Law and sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on April 10, 1913, fixing the date for a public hearing thereon, as May 8, 1913, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least fourteen (14) days in "The Evening Mail" and "New York Press," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the CITY RECORD for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for, and proposed to be granted to the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the adequacy of the compensation to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, containing the form of the proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Union Railway Company of New York City the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This Contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of , 1914, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Union Railway Company of New York City (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

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

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate double and single track extensions to its present street surface railway, with the necessary wires and equipment, for the purpose of conveying passengers only in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in The City of New York, upon the following routes, to wit:

First—Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in Lincoln avenue; thence westerly by double track in, upon and along East 136th street to and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in 3d avenue, Borough of The Bronx, in order that the title of said Company to operate over such route may be perfected and legalized.

Second—Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in Willis avenue, at or near the northerly side of East 134th street, Borough of The Bronx; thence southerly by double track in, upon and along Willis avenue and upon and over the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches to East 125th street, Borough of Manhattan; thence by double track westerly in, upon and along said East 125th street and West 125th street to Manhattan street; thence by double track westerly in, upon and along said Manhattan street to West 129th street; thence westerly by single track in, upon and along said Manhattan street to 12th avenue; thence southerly by double track in, upon and along said 12th avenue to West 129th street; thence easterly by single track in, upon and along said West 129th street to Manhattan street, and there connecting with the existing east-bound track in said Manhattan street.

Third—Beginning at and connecting with the above described tracks on the Willis Avenue Bridge at the intersection of the northerly and easterly approaches to said bridge; thence easterly and northerly by double track upon and over said easterly approach to and connecting with the existing tracks in Southern boulevard, Borough of The Bronx.

And to cross such other streets and avenues, named and unnamed, as may be encountered in said routes. The said routes, with turnouts, switches and crossovers, hereby authorized, are shown upon two maps entitled, respectively:

(a) "Map Showing Proposed Extension of the Union Railway Co. of New York City, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, to accompany petition dated March 31, 1913, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

(b) "Map Showing Proposed Extension of the Union Railway Co. of New York City, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York, to accompany petition dated March 31, 1913, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

—each of said maps is signed by Edward A. Maher, Vice-President, and T. F. Mullaney, Chief Engineer, a copy of each of said maps is attached hereto, is to be deemed a part of this contract, is to be construed with the text thereof, and is to be substantially followed, provided that deviations therefrom and additional turnouts, switches and crossovers which are consistent with the foregoing descriptions and the other provisions of this contract may be permitted by resolution of the Board.

The first and third routes above described to be operated by the Company as parts of continuous routes in connection with its existing lines in the Borough of The Bronx and the second route above described to be operated by the Company as part of a continuous route in connection with its existing lines in the Borough of The Bronx, to and over the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches, to 125th street in the Borough of Manhattan, and by means of trackage agreements with other companies upon and along 125th street and other streets to the intersection of Manhattan street and 12th avenue, and upon failure of the Company to so operate said routes, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Nothing in this contract shall be construed as permitting the construction of more than one double track street surface railway upon any of the routes hereinabove described.

Section 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and avenues to the construction and operation of said railway shall be obtained by the Company within three (3) months from the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and a copy of such consents shall be filed with the Board within such time, or in the event that such consents cannot be obtained within such time, the Company shall within said three (3) months or within one (1) month thereafter, make application to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners in the manner provided by the Railroad Law to determine if said railway ought to be constructed; otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

Second—That said right to construct, maintain and operate said railway shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor until August 2, 1936, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of twenty-five (25) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two (2) years, and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five (25)

years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, but in no case shall the annual rate so fixed be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three (3) months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of the original term of this contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company each paying one-half thereof.

Third—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money:

(*a*) The sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) in cash within three (3) months after the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor and before anything is done in exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

(*b*) During the first term of five (5) years, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than three thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars ($3,875), and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of three thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars ($3,875).

During the second term of five (5) years, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than seven thousand one hundred dollars ($7,100), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of seven thousand one hundred dollars ($7,100).

During the third term of five (5) years, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than seven thousand eight hundred dollars ($7,800), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of seven thousand eight hundred dollars ($7,800).

During the fourth term of five (5) years, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than eight thousand six hundred dollars ($8,600), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of eight thousand six hundred dollars ($8,600).

During the remaining term, expiring August 2, 1936, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than nine thousand four hundred and fifty dollars ($9,450), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of nine thousand four hundred and fifty dollars ($9,450).

The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be that portion of the gross receipts of the Company from all sources within the limits of the City as shall bear the same proportion to its whole gross receipts as the length of the extensions hereby authorized shall bear to the entire length of the railway of the Company in operation within the limits of the City.

The annual charges shall commence from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

(*c*) For the use of the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches during the term expiring August 2, 1916, an annual sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500); during the succeeding term of five (5) years expiring August 2, 1921, an annual sum of two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($2,750), and during the remaining term of fifteen (15) years expiring August 2, 1936, an annual sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000). The compensation herein reserved shall commence from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

All annual charges as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on November 1 of each year and shall be for the amount due to September 30 next preceding. Provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and September 30 following shall bear to the whole of one year.

Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, then such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid on or before November 1 in each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding.

The annual charges herein provided are intended to include the percentages of gross receipts now required to be paid by railway companies to the City pursuant to the Railroad Law, as amended, and such charges as are required under chapter 340 of the Laws of 1892 to be paid by the Company for these extensions, if said act applies to or controls the Company in relation to the rights and privileges hereby granted.

The City does not and shall not demand or require the payment by the Company of a percentage of gross receipts under the provisions of chapter 340 of the Laws of 1892, on the gross receipts earned on the extensions constructed pursuant to this contract.

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

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract (whether original or renewal), notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railway or railroad company providing for payment for railway or railroad rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted (whether original or renewal), or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fifth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any other corporation or to any individual a similar right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions over the routes hereinbefore described, and the Company shall not at any time oppose, but shall, upon request of the Board, consent to the use for street surface railway purposes of the tracks and appurtenances covered by this grant, or any portion thereof, by any such other corporation or individual which may receive a franchise therefor from the City.

Should the City at any time during the term of this contract grant to any other corporation or to any individual the right or privilege to operate a railway upon the tracks of the Company on the routes herein described, or any portion thereof, then the City shall, within thirty (30) days thereafter, give notice to the Company that such right has been granted, and of the name of the corporation or individual to which such right has been granted.

At the expiration of the ninety (90) days after the giving of such notice such individual or corporation shall have the right to begin the operation of cars upon the tracks of the Company upon the route, or any portion thereof, over which such corporation or individual may receive a right or privilege, and to use therefor the tracks, equipment, power and all other property of the Company which shall be necessary in the operation of the cars of such individual or corporation upon the tracks of the Company and shall have the right to continue such operation until this contract, or the right to use such property under the terms of this contract granted said corporation or individual by the City, shall expire. Such corporation or individual shall pay to the Company for the right to use such tracks, equipment, power and other property above described, such sum or sums as may be agreed upon in writing by such corporation or individual and the Company within said ninety (90) days, or in the event that such agreement cannot be reached within said ninety (90) days, such sum or sums as shall be determined in the manner hereinafter provided for.

If the Company and such corporation or individual cannot, prior to the expiration of said ninety (90) days, agree upon the compensation for the use of such tracks, then such compensation shall be fixed by three arbitrators selected in the following manner:

One fit and impartial person shall be chosen by the Company; one fit and impartial person shall be chosen by such corporation or individual, and the two so chosen shall choose a third fit and impartial person. The decision under oath of any two of said persons who shall be so selected shall be final and conclusive.

The compensation and expenses of the persons selected as arbitrators in the determination of such sum or sums shall be borne by the individual or corporation to which such right may be granted.

Within thirty (30) days after an agreement shall have been reached between said parties, or in case said agreement cannot be reached before the time specified herein, then within thirty (30) days after the determination of the arbitrators, as herein provided, should two of such arbitrators agree, the said parties shall file a duplicate copy of a written agreement with the Board which shall specify the sum or sums which shall have been agreed to by the said parties or determined by said arbitrators as the sum or sums which such corporation or individual shall pay to the Company for said privileges. If the Company fails to file the same with the Board within said thirty (30) days, then the right herein granted shall cease and determine.

If either party fails to appoint an arbitrator, as herein provided, or should the first two arbitrators fail to agree on the selection of a third arbitrator within thirty (30) days after the expiration of said ninety (90) days, or if no two of said arbitrators so selected agree upon the sum or sums to be paid by such individual or corporation within sixty (60) days after they shall have been so selected, then such sum or sums shall be fixed by the Supreme Court upon the application of either party.

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

Seventh—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and equipments of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues and upon the bridge shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at the termination of this contract as above, the Board shall so order by resolution, the Company shall, upon thirty (30) days' notice from the Board, remove any and all of its tracks and other equipment constructed pursuant to this contract, and the said streets, avenues and bridge shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Eighth—The Company shall commence construction of the railway herein authorized within three (3) months from the date upon which the consents of the property owners are filed with the Board or from the date of the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, made pursuant to section 174 of the Railroad Law, confirming the determination of the Commissioners appointed thereunder that such railway ought to be constructed, and shall complete the construction and place the same in full operation within six (6) months from the date of filing such consents or the date of such order, otherwise this right shall cease and determine, and all sums paid, or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided that the period for commencement and the period for completion and placing the railway in full operation may be extended by the Board, but the total extension of time for either of such periods shall not exceed in the aggregate six (6) months; and provided, further, that when the commencement or completion of said construction shall be prevented by legal proceedings in any court or by works of public improvement, or from other causes not within the control of the Company, the time for the commencement or completion of such construction may be extended for the period of such prevention, but no delay shall be allowed for unless the court proceedings shall be diligently prosecuted by the company, and provided further, that in no case shall such delay be deemed to begin until the Company shall have given written notice to the Board of any such court proceedings or other occasion of delay, and deliver to the Board copies of any injunction or other orders, and the papers upon which the same shall have been granted, and unless upon the request of the Board the Company shall, in writing, consent that the Board either in its own name as a party, or in the name of the City as a party, may intervene in any such proceedings.

Ninth—Said railway shall be constructed and operated in the latest approved manner of street railway construction and operation, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to the railway equipment, including rolling stock and railway appurtenances, from time to time, as such additions and improvements are necessary, in the opinion of the Board. Upon failure on the part of the Company to comply with the direction of the Board within a reasonable time, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Tenth—Said railway shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City.

No construction upon said railway shall be commenced until written permits have been obtained from the proper City officials.

In any permits so issued such officials may also impose such conditions, as a condition of the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures, in the streets and avenues and upon the bridge over which such officials have jurisdiction and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

The electrical equipment to be installed by the Company for the operation of the railway within the limits of the City, whether the same be upon streets and avenues or upon the bridge and its approaches, or upon private property shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Eleventh—The portion of said railway in the Borough of Manhattan shall be operated by underground electric power substantially similar to the system of underground electric power now used by the street surface railways in the Borough of Manhattan; provided that any other power may be used, except locomotive steam power, horse power or overhead electric power, which may be lawfully used, approved by the Board and consented to by the abutting property owners in accordance with the provisions of law and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York. The portion of said railway in the Borough of The Bronx and upon the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches, may be operated by overhead electric power substantially similar to the overhead electric system now in use by street surface railways in the Borough of The Bronx; provided that any other power may be used, except locomotive steam power or horse power, which may be lawfully used, approved by the Board and consented to by the abutting property owners in accordance with the provisions of law and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York.

Provided, however, that the Board, upon giving to the Company one (1) year's notice, may require the Company to operate its railway upon the whole or upon any portion of the routes herein authorized by underground electric power substantially similar to the system now in use on the street surface railways in the Borough of Manhattan, or by any other practical motive power then in use which does not require the use of poles and overhead wires in the streets and avenues, and upon the bridge and its approaches, and thereupon to discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets, avenues and bridge of the City.

Twelfth—Upon six (6) months' notice by the Board to the Company, all wires for the transmission of power, except trolley wires, for the operation of the railway, upon all or any portion of the routes hereby authorized, shall be placed in conduits beneath or alongside of the railway. The Company shall provide in such conduits two (2) ducts not less than three (3) inches in diameter for the exclusive use of the City. Such conduits shall be used only by the Company for the operation of its railway, and by the City, as above.

Thirteenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railway shall not exceed five (5) cents, and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than five (5) cents for one continuous ride, from any point on its road or on any road, line or branch operated by it or under its control to any other point thereof, or any connecting branch thereof within the limits of the City.

The Company shall carry free upon the railway hereby authorized during the term of this contract all members of the Police and Fire Departments of the City, when such employees are in full uniform.

Fourteenth—No cars shall be operated upon the railway hereby authorized, other than passenger cars and cars necessary for the repair or maintenance of the railway, and no freight cars shall be operated upon the tracks of said railway.

Fifteenth—The Company shall attach to each car run over the said railway proper fenders and wheel guards, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Sixteenth—All cars which are operated on said railway shall be heated during the cold weather, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Seventeenth—All cars operated on said railway shall be well lighted by electricity, or by some lighting system equally efficient, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Eighteenth—Cars on the said railway shall run at intervals of not more than thirty (30) minutes both day and night, and as much oftener as reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by the Board.

Nineteenth—The Company, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and avenues or bridge in or upon which said railway shall be constructed, shall cause to be watered at least three (3) times every twenty-four (24) hours when the temperature is above thirty-five (35) degrees Fahrenheit, the entire width of the streets, avenues and bridge, except when the width of such streets, avenues and bridge shall exceed sixty (60) feet between the curb lines, in which case the Company shall cause to be watered only sixty (60) feet in width of such roadway, and the Company shall provide for such purpose at least one tank car, the capacity of which shall be sufficient to water such streets, avenues and bridge in a satisfactory manner.

Twentieth—The Company shall at all times keep the streets, aveneus and bridge, upon which the said railway is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails, on either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow; provided, however, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of street surface from house line to house line.

And provided, further, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Bridges, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of roadway upon the bridge and its approaches.

Twenty-first—As long as said railway, or any portion thereof, remains in any street or avenue, or upon the bridge, the Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or bridge in or upon which the said railway is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails on either side thereof, under the supervision of the local authorities, whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe.

In case of the neglect of the Company to pave or repair the pavement on the streets after the expiration of twenty (20) days' notice to do so from the President of the Borough having jurisdiction, or in case of the neglect of the Company to pave or repair the pavement on the bridge after the expiration of thirty (30) days' notice so to do from the Commissioner of Bridges, said President or said Commissioner, as the case may be, may pave or repair the same at the expense of the Company. And the City shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any street or avenue, and in that event the Company shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper City official, at its own expense, and the provisions as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewed or altered pavement.

Twenty-second—Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage systems, or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets, required on account of the construction or operation of the railway, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Twenty-third—It is agreed that the right hereby granted to operate a street surface railway shall not be in preference or in hindrance to public work of the City, and should the said railway in any way interfere with the construction of public works in the streets and avenues or upon the bridge, whether the same is done by the City directly or by a contractor for the City, the Company shall, at its own expense, protect or move the tracks and appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public work.

Twenty-fourth—Should the grades or lines of the streets and avenues in which the railway is hereby authorized be changed at any time after the railway has been constructed and during the term of this contract the Company shall, at its own expense, change its tracks and appurtenances to conform with such new grades and lines, and during the construction of any public improvement upon said streets and avenues, the Company shall take care of and protect the tracks and appurtenances at its own expense, all to be done subject to the direction of the City official having jurisdiction over the construction of such change.

Twenty-fifth—The Company shall keep and maintain the tracks and the electrical equipment upon the bridge and its approaches necessary for the operation of cars thereon in good order and repair and in such manner as shall be approved and directed by the Commissioner of Bridges, and shall furnish all motive power required by the Commissioner of Bridges for the operation of its cars. If deemed necessary by the Commissioner of Bridges, the Company shall install and operate a system of signals to insure the safe and efficient operation of cars, such system to be approved by the Commissioner of Bridges. The Company shall submit to the Commissioner of Bridges plans and specifications for the proposed construction upon the bridge, which plans and specifications shall be approved by said Commissioner of Bridges before any part of said construction shall be commenced and the Commissioner of Bridges may require the Company to make such alterations in the bridge structure as are necessary in order to permit of the safe operation of cars thereon without in any way impairing the usefulness of the bridge. In the event of any necessity for changing the layout of tracks, curves, switches, sidings or platforms on the bridge, in order to facilitate operation of cars by the Company, said Company must do all the work and furnish all the labor and tools necessary for effecting such changes, which shall all be made under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Bridges, and no such changes or construction connected therewith, or relating thereto, shall be made unless the plan or plans for the same have been first submitted to the Commissioner of Bridges and approved by him.

Twenty-sixth—Before beginning the operation of cars the Company shall file with the Commissioner of Bridges a statement for his approval and assent as to the type of car which it proposes to operate and a sketch showing clearance dimensions, weight on axles and wheel spacing, or such other information as may be required by said Commissioner. All cars operated over the bridge by the Company and all equipment and appliances relating to such operation shall be subject at all times to the inspection of the Commissioner of Bridges or his authorized representatives, who shall have power to forbid the entrance to the bridge of cars which may for any reason be unsatisfactory, and who shall have power to direct the removal of any old or inadequate appliance and the substitution therefor of appliances of approved character.

Said Commissioner may adopt rules and regulations in regard to the number of cars to be operated over the bridge, the rate of speed of said cars, the movement and headway thereof, the type and weight of cars to be used and the condition thereof, the switching of cars and the use of platforms and the control of the electrical current used by the Company, and the said Commissioner may alter and amend any such rules and regulations so as to secure the safety and comfort of persons using the bridge and preserve the purposes for which the bridge was constructed, and, upon serving notice upon the Company that such rules and regulations have been made, amended or altered, the Company shall comply with all the requirements thereof.

Twenty-seventh—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the Commissioner of Bridges to make any alterations or changes in the construction, operation or management of the bridge or to affect in any way the control of such Commissioner over such bridge, as provided by the Charter of the City.

Twenty-eighth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report not later than November 1 of each year, for the year ending September 30 next preceding, and at any other time, upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued, for cash, for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.

9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year.
11. The total amount expended for same.
12. The names of the directors elected at the last meeting of the corporation held for such purpose.
13. Location, value and amount paid for real estate owned by the Company as by last report.
14. Location, value and amount paid for real estate now owned by the Company.
15. Number of passengers carried during the year.
16. Total receipts of Company for each class of business.
17. Amounts paid by Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation.
18. Total expenses for operation, including salaries.
—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Twenty-ninth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross receipts from all sources within the limits of the City, and shall, on or before November 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company for the year ending September 30 next preceding, in such form as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of such gross receipts, the total miles in operation within the limits of the City and the miles of railway constructed and operated under this contract, and such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company, for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Thirtieth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board or of the Commissioner of Bridges, acting under the powers herein reserved, the franchise or consent herein granted may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railway constructed and in use by vitrue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Thirty-first—If the Company shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures and equipment, as herein provided, in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company, specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may affect the surface of the streets or of the bridge shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided for.

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

Thirty-third—This grant is upon the express condition that any and all sums of money or any securities heretofore deposited with the Comptroller by the Company under and pursuant to franchises heretofore granted to it by the City for the faithful performance by the Company of the several franchises so granted, shall likewise form a fund for the performance by the Company of all of the terms and conditions of this contract and compliance with all orders of the Board or of the Commissioner of Bridges acting under the powers herein reserved, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the rendering of efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, the repairs of the street and bridge pavement, the repair and maintenance of tracks and equipment upon the bridge and its approaches, and the removal of snow and ice and the quality of construction of the railway and the maintenance of the property in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions or compliance with such orders, or either or any of them, the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same with interest, from the said fund after (10) days' notice to the Company; or in case of failure to observe the said terms and conditions of this contract and orders of the Board hereunder, relating to the headway, heating and lighting of cars, fenders, wheelguards and watering of street pavements, the Company shall pay a penalty of fifty dollars ($50) per day for each day of violation, and the further sum of ten dollars ($10) per day for each car that shall not be properly heated, lighted or supplied with fenders or wheel guards, in case of a violation of the provisions relating to those matters.

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

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

Thirty-fourth—The words "notice" or "direction," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the city, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the city. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Thirty-fifth—The words "streets or avenues" and "streets and avenues," wherever used in this contract shall be deemed to mean streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, concourses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement, encountered in the route hereinabove described, and upon or in which authority is hereby given to the Company to construct a railway.

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

Section 3. The grant of this privilege to the Company is likewise subject to the following conditions:

This contract shall not become operative until the Company shall procure and cause to be executed and approved in proper form for record and duly delivered to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

First—An agreement with the Third Avenue Railway Company, wherein said Company shall agree to permit the use of its tracks on 125th street, between 1st avenue and Manhattan street, by the Company, its successors or assigns, the City or any other company to which the City may, after the termination of this contract, grant or lease rights, and the compensation for such use shall not exceed the terms provided by section 2-Fifth of this contract. Upon the failure of the said Third Avenue Railway Company for any reason at any time hereafter to permit the use of its tracks on 125th street, between 1st avenue and Manhattan street, by the Company, its successors or assigns, the City or any other company to which the City may, after the termination of this contract, grant or lease rights, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Second—An agreement with the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company, wherein said Company shall agree to permit the use of its tracks on Manhattan street, from 125th street to 12th avenue; on 12th avenue, from Manhattan street to West 129th street, and on West 129th street, from 12th avenue to Manhattan street; by the Company, its successors or assigns, the City or any other company to which the City may, after the termination of this contract, grant or lease rights, and the compensation for such use shall not exceed the terms provided by section 2-Fifth of this contract. Upon the failure of the said Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company, for any reason at any time hereafter, to permit the use of its tracks on Manhattan street, between West 125th street and 12th avenue; 12th avenue, between Manhattan street and West 129th street, and West 129th street, between 12th avenue and Manhattan street, by the Company, its successors or assigns, the City or any other company to which the City may, after the termination of this contract, grant or lease rights, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Section 4. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the Laws of the State of New York.

Section 5. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of article 5, and the other provisions of the Railroad Law pertinent hereto, shall be strictly complied with by the Company.

Section 6. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By Mayor.

[CORPORATE SEAL]
Attest:
City Clerk.

UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY,
By
President.

[SEAL.]
Attest:
Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges are as hereinbefore specified, and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract, for the grant of such franchise or right;

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Friday, April 17, 1914, in the CITY RECORD and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, April 17, 1914, in two (2) daily newspapers, to be designated by the Mayor therefor, and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the Union Railway Company of New York City, together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment before authorizing any contract for the grant of a franchise applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract, or the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, April 17, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

(The New York Tribune and The New York Press designated.)

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, March 6, 1914. m25,a17

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE CONTRACT ABANDONED BY THE TARN CORPORATION: FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN 2D, 3D, 19TH AND PROSPECT AVES., AND IN 6TH AND 60TH STS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Sixteen Thousand Dollars ($16,000).

2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES, FOR REMOVING AND FOR RAISING EXISTING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST NEW YORK AVE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000).

3. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN 4TH, 47TH, 51ST, 57TH, 64TH, 66TH, 68TH, 69TH, 75TH, 76TH, 77TH and 83RD STS.; IN 17TH AND WEBSTER AVES., AND IN WAKEMAN PLACE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be seventy-five (75) working days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars ($7,000).

4. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN MERMAID AVE. AND IN W. 24TH AND W. 30TH STS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be forty (40) working days.

The security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500).

5. FURNISHING, DELIVERING, STORING AND TRIMMING COAL.

Time allowed for the completion of contract will be until July 31st, 1914.

Security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

6. FOR CONSTRUCTING A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE 72-INCH STEEL PIPE LINE AND THE MASONRY CONDUIT OF THE BROOKLYN WATER SUPPLY, AT SPRING CREEK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be seventy-five (75) working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500).

The bidder will state the price per unit for each item of work contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the award will be made to the lowest formal bidder in a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to 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, Room 2351 Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
Dated April 9th, 1914. a15,27

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at the above office until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914.
Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be sixty (60) calendar days.

The security required will be Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item contained in the schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder for all the work and materials contained in the schedule of quantities.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 2351 Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAMS WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
Dated April 9, 1914. a15,27

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE, BITUMINOUS AND GAS COAL.

The quantities are as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
3,640 tons egg coal.
8,000 tons buckwheat coal, No. 1.
800 tons pea coal.
600 tons stove coal.
8,000 tons bituminous coal.
400 tons gas coal.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
6,000 tons pea coal.
940 tons stove coal.

Borough of Richmond.
500 tons egg coal.
3,000 tons buckwheat coal, No. 2.
125 tons stove coal.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the balance of the year 1914.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required upon awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the contract.

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

The bidder will state the price per gross ton, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line, as stated in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Storekeeper of the Department, Room 1008, New Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated April 10, 1914. a11,22

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE STEAMER "THE BRONX."

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Thirteen Hundred Dollars ($1,300).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Sixty-five Dollars ($65) must accompany bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department, Room 1035, New Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated April 10, 1914. a13,23

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND FURNISHING AND APPLYING TWELVE (12) GASOLINE DRIVEN TRACTORS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and thirty-five (135) days.

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

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

No bid will be received from any contractor or any manufacturer who does not submit a sworn statement, prior to filing his bid, setting out that he has produced and placed in successful operation, for six months prior to the time of opening of these bids (which sworn statement shall contain the time and place of putting them in service) ten (10) tractors of the type called for by the specifications, including motor, transmission, lubrication and ignition.

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

Bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE COAL AS FOLLOWS:

1. 600 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before April 1st, 1915.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total *and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.*

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

Blank forms and further information may be

obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 155 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR THE DIVISION OF BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1914.

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

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

Bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East 67th st., Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH ST. AND 3D AVE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the above office until 10.30 a. m., on

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1914.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BLUE PRINT AND BLACK PRINT PAPER AND BLUE PRINT CLOTH.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is as directed during the year 1914, after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

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

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, the specifications may be seen, and other information obtained at said office.

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President.

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SUPREME COURT — FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing Reports.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title, by The City of New York, to certain lands and premises situated at and near the southeasterly corner of SECOND STREET and SECOND AVENUE, in the Seventeenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a Municipal Court House, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others to whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, at its office in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 16th, 1914, file their objections in writing with us at our office, Room 1728, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 28th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, April 15th, 1914.

CHARLES L. HOFFMAN, CHARLES J. LESLIE, GEORGE E. WELLER, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. a16,27

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier Old No. 49, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to certain bulkheads, dock or wharf properties on or near the southerly line of South street, in said Borough and City, between a point about 120 feet west of the westerly line of Clinton street and a point about 276.5 feet west of the westerly line of Montgomery street, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks and the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial Department, to be held in Part III thereof, at the County Court House, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 21st day of April, 1914, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York, for the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, determined upon by the Board of Docks on the 13th day of April, 1871, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 27th day of April, 1871, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks on the 30th day of December, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 3rd day of February, 1899, as further altered and amended by the Commissioner of Docks on the 25th day of February, 1913, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 11th day of June, 1913, and which said plan and alterations and amendments thereof are on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by The City of New York and appurtenant to the following described pier and bulkheads, situated on the East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, namely:

Parcel "A."

The bulkhead, dock or wharf property situated westerly of Clinton street, and lying between the easterly line of wharf property acquired by The City of New York from Mary Bell and the westerly line of wharf property acquired by The City of New York from James Keese, described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead in the vicinity of the southerly line of South street at its intersection with the easterly line of the wharf property acquired by The City of New York from Mary Bell by deed dated September 15, 1900, said point being where a line drawn in a southerly direction and parallel with the westerly line of Clinton street and distant westerly therefrom along the southerly line of South street about one hundred and twenty feet (120 feet) would intersect said bulkhead and running thence easterly and along said bulkhead a distance of about seventy-two and eighteen one-hundredths feet (72.18 feet) to a point where said bulkhead would be intersected by the westerly line of the wharf property acquired by The City of New York from James Keese by deed dated March 27, 1901, said point being where a line drawn in a southerly direction and parallel with the westerly line of Clinton street and distant westerly therefrom along the southerly line of South street forty-eight feet (48 feet) would intersect said bulkhead.

Parcel "B."

The bulkhead, dock or wharf property situated easterly of Clinton street, and lying between the easterly line of wharf property acquired by The City of New York under condemnation proceedings confirmed May 6, 1901, and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 49, described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead in the vicinity of the southerly line of South street at its intersection with the easterly line of the wharf property acquired by The City of New York under condemnation proceedings confirmed May 6, 1901, said point being at the intersection of the said bulkhead with a line drawn in a southerly direction and parallel with the westerly line of Montgomery street at a point in the southerly line of South street distant about eighty-eight feet (88 feet) easterly along said southerly line of South street from its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Clinton street, and running thence easterly and along said bulkhead a distance of about twenty-nine and three-tenths feet (29.3 feet) to its intersection with the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 49, as said pier existed before widening.

Parcel "C"

The bulkhead, dock or wharf property situated easterly of Clinton street and lying between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 49, and the westerly line of wharf property acquired by The City of New York from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, by deed dated August 8, 1903, described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead in the vicinity of the southerly line of South street at its intersection with the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 49, as said pier existed before widening, and running thence easterly and along said bulkhead a distance of about thirty-one and forty-eight one-hundredths feet (31.48 feet) to its intersection with the westerly line of the wharf property acquired by The City of New York from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company by deed dated August 8, 1903, said last mentioned point being where a line drawn in a southerly direction and parallel with the westerly line of Montgomery street and distant westerly therefrom along the southerly line of South street about two hundred and seventy-six and five-tenths feet (276.5 feet) would intersect said bulkhead.

Parcel "D."

Pier (old) No. 49, East River, as it existed before widening, situated between Clinton and Montgomery streets, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead in the vicinity of the southerly line of South street at its intersection with the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 49, East River, as said pier existed before widening, said point being distant about twenty-nine and three-tenths feet (29.3 feet) easterly along said bulkhead from its intersection with the easterly line of the wharf property acquired by The City of New York under condemnation proceedings confirmed May 6, 1901, and running thence easterly and along the northerly or inner end of said pier and along said bulkhead in the rear of same a distance of thirty-five and one-tenth feet (35.1 feet) to a point in said bulkhead where the easterly side of said pier as it existed before widening would intersect the same; thence southerly, outshore and along the easterly side of said pier as it existed before widening, a distance of three hundred and twenty-six and thirty-four one-hundredths feet (326.34 feet) to its intersection with the southerly or outer end of said pier as it existed before extension; thence westerly and along the southerly or outer end of said pier as it existed before extension, a distance of thirty-five and two-tenths feet (35.2 feet) to its intersection with the westerly side of said pier as it existed before widening, and thence northerly, inshore and along the westerly side of said pier as it existed before widening, a distance of three hundred and twenty-three and ninety-seven one-hundredths feet (323.97 feet) to the point or place of beginning.

Together with all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 6, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a8,18

Filing of Final Reports.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of CANAL STREET, between the Bowery and Chrystie street, in the Tenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and amended final report of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 April, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated New York, April 11th, 1914.

CHARLES W. STRONG, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. a11,22

Hearings on Qualifications.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of APPLETON AVENUE, from Fort Schuyler road to Westchester avenue; and ERICSON PLACE, from Fort Schuyler road to Appleton avenue, 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 Department, bearing date the 3d day of April, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, on the 6th day of April, 1914, James F. Donnelly, Ernest R. Eckley and Harry E. Diamond, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order James F. Donnelly, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said James F. Donnelly, Ernest R. Eckley and Harry E. Diamond, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of April, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 10, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a10,21

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of KINGSBRIDGE AVENUE, from Terrace View avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, to West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 3d day of April, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 6th day of April, 1914, Edward D. Dowling, Frank A. Spencer, Jr., and Harry E. Diamond, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order Edward D. Dowling, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Edward D. Dowling, Frank A. Spencer, Jr., and Harry E. Diamond, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of April, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 10, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a10,21

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRONX RIVER AVENUE, from Walker avenue and Rosedale avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 28th day of April, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 11th day of July, 1912, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly right-of-way line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Commonwealth avenue, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Commonwealth avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Mansion street and Merrill street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Mansion street and Merrill street to the intersection with a line midway between Commonwealth avenue and Rosedale avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Commonwealth avenue and Rosedale avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 1,000 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Bronx River avenue, as this street is laid out between Noble avenue and Croes avenue, the distance being measured at right angles to Bronx River avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Bronx River avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Beacon avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Beacon avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Beacon avenue to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Bronx River avenue; thence northwestwardly at right angles to Bronx River avenue to the intersection with the southeasterly right-of-way line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northeasterly along the said right-of-way line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of April, 1914.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of June, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated New York, March 31st, 1914.

CHARLES B. McLAUGHLIN, Chairman; MAX BENDIT, CHAS. SCHANO, Commissioners of Estimate; MAX BENDIT, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. a4,21

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GRAND AVENUE, from Burnside avenue to Fordham road; of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, from Aqueduct Avenue East to Davidson avenue; and of AQUEDUCT AVENUE EAST, from West One Hundred and Eightieth street to West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 27th day of April, 1914, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 24th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 28th day of April, 1914, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 12th day of January, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Beginning at a point on the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street where it is intersected by the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a point distant 105 feet westerly from the westerly line of Harrison avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Harrison avenue; thence southwardly

and parallel with Harrison avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection by the prolongation of the centre lines of West One Hundred and Eightieth street and West One Hundred and Eighty-first street as these streets are laid between Aqueduct Avenue East and Davidson avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Harrison avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Harrison avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Harrison avenue to the intersection with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a point distant 90 feet westerly from the westerly line of Davidson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Davidson avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Grand avenue to the intersection with the bisecting line hereinbefore described; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Davidson avenue and Jerome avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Davidson avenue and Jerome avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 200 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street, said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Eightieth street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 90 feet easterly from the easterly line of Grand avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Grand avenue to the intersection with the northerly line of Burnside avenue; thence westwardly along the northerly line of Burnside avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Grand avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Grand avenue to a point distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eightieth street, said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence westwardly and parallel with West One Hundred and Eightieth street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence northwardly along the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue to the point or place of beginning.

2. Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue where it is intersected by the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and running thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Aqueduct Avenue East, the said distance being measured at right angles to Aqueduct Avenue East; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Aqueduct Avenue East and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 150 feet westerly from the westerly line of Grand avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 150 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Grand avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Fordham road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fordham road; thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Fordham road to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Grand avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand avenue; thence southwardiy and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Grand avenue to the intersection with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westwardly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of April, 1914.

Fifth--That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 29th day of May, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated New York, March 31st, 1914.

ERNEST HALL, Chairman; JAMES W. O'BRIEN, Commissioners of Estimate; ERNEST HALL, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. a6,22

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing of Final Report.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LAWRENCE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Flushing avenue to Winthrop avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final supplemental and amended report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Trial Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the Queens County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that the said final supplemental and amended report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated New York, April 13, 1914.

LEANDER B. FABER, FRANK A. LEETE, Commissioners.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. a13,17

Filing Bill of Costs.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BOULEVARD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Vernon avenue and Broadway to Nott avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Trial Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the Queens County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of April, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Datel New York, April 10, 1914.

FRANK L. BACON, JOHN E. VAN NOSTRAND, JOHN ALLEN, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. a10,21

Hearings on Qualifications.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ELIOT AVENUE, from Metropolitan avenue to Mt. Olivet avenue; and from Juniper avenue to Queens boulevard, as now laid out, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of April, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 7th day of April, 1914, Almon G. Rasquin, John J. Kindred and Bernard F. McCabe, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order Almon G. Rasquin, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Almon G. Rasquin, John J. Kindred and Bernard F. McCabe, Esqrs., will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 23rd day of April, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 11th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a11,22

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of KIMBALL AVENUE, from Liberty avenue, near Digby street, to Liberty avenue, near Baker avenue, as said Kimball avenue is now laid out, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of April, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 7th day of April, 1914, John M. Fee, Harrison S. Moore and Henry Mollenhauer, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order John M. Fee, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John M. Fee, Harrison S. Moore and Henry Mollenhauer, Esqrs., will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 23rd day of April, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oatth by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 11th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a11,22

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, from East New York avenue to Foster avenue, excluding the right of way of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Edward M. Bassett, Jacob C. Klinck and Paul Howard Worth were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 27th day of March, 1914, Commissioners of Estimate, and Paul Howard Worth Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1914, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel. a8,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to PUBLIC PLAYGROUND within the area bounded by Douglass street, Dumont avenue, Hopkinson avenue, Blake avenue, Bristol street, Dumont avenue, Hopkinson avenue and Livonia avenue, in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Andrew C. Troy, Christopher C. Mollenhauer and Frederick Sparks were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 27th day of March, 1914, Commissioners of Estimate, and C. C. Mollenhauer Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1914, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel. a8,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BELMONT AVENUE, from Powell street to Junius street, and from Alabama avenue to Pennsylvania avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Thomas F. Hickey, Jay S. Jones and Simeon B. Chittenden were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 27th day of March, 1914, Commissioners of Estimate, and Jay S. Jones Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1914, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel. a8,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BROOKLYN AVENUE, from President street to Winthrop street, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Thomas D. Hewitt, Robert J. Kenworthy and James Callender were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 27th day of March, 1914, Commissioners of Estimate, and James Callender Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1914, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 8th, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel. a8,18

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWELFTH STREET (Westminster Road), from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 5th day of May, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 6th day of May, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 5th day of May, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 7th day of May, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of June, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ditmas avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ditmas avenue; on the east by a line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Foster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Foster avenue; and on the west by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Coney Island avenue, and on the westerly line of East Twelfth street as these streets are laid out between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue.

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 May, 1914.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated New York, April 16th, 1914.

AUGUSTINE R. McMAHON, EUGENE F. O'CONNOR, EUGENE P. DOANE, Commissioners of Estimate; AUGUSTINE R. McMAHON, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. a16,m2

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST NINTH STREET, from Foster avenue to Avenue T, and EAST TENTH STREET, from Foster avenue to Avenue Q, excluding the lands of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their amended and supplemental estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 29th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his amended and supplemental estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 30th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 18th day of May, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Coney Island avenue and East Tenth street, distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue Q, and running thence westwardly and parallel with Avenue Q to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the prolongations of the westerly line of Coney Island avenue and the easterly line of East Ninth street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue T, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Avenue T; thence westwardly and parallel with Avenue T to the intersection with a line midway between East Eighth street and East Ninth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Eighth street and East Ninth street to the intersection with the northerly line of Foster avenue; thence northwestwardly at right angles to the line of Foster avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence northeastwardly and parallel with Foster avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Foster avenue, and passing through a point on the southeasterly side of Foster avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Coney Island avenue and East Tenth street as laid out southerly from Avenue H; thence southeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Foster avenue to the southeasterly line of Foster avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Coney Island avenue and East Tenth street, and the prolongation thereof to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said

City, there to remain until the 15th day of May, 1914.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of June, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated New York, April 15th, 1914.

EVERETT GREENE, DAVID J. HOGAN, H. E. FARRELL, Commissioners of Estimate; EVERETT GREENE, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. a15,25

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue, from New Utrecht avenue to Twelfth avenue, from Sixteenth avenue to Seventeenth avenue, and from Eighteenth avenue to Nineteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their amended and supplemental estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 27th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his amended and supplemental estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 28th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 11th day of February, 1910, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street; on the southeast by the northwesterly line of Fort Hamilton avenue; on the southwest by a line midway between Forty-eighth street and Forty-ninth street, and on the northwest by the southeasterly line of Eighth avenue.

2. Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street; on the southeast by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Twelfth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Twelfth avenue; on the southwest by a line midway between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth street, and on the west by the westerly line of New Utrecht avenue.

3. Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street; on the southeast by the southeasterly line of Seventeenth avenue; on the southwest by a line midway between Forty-eighth street and Forty-ninth street, and on the northwest by a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Sixteenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sixteenth avenue.

4. Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the southeast by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Nineteenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Nineteenth avenue; on the southwest by a line midway between Forty-eighth street and Forty-ninth street, and on the northwest by the centre line of Eighteenth avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said amended estimate of damage and of said amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 14th day of May, 1914.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of June, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated New York, April 14th, 1914.

JOHN TOOMEY, HARRIS G. EAMES, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN TOOMEY, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. a14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of HULL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court dated the 3rd day of June, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of June, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street as shown upon section 2 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of June, 1908, and approved by the Mayor on the 5th day of August, 1908, and as shown upon section 17 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 26th day of June, 1908, and approved by the Mayor on the 5th day of August, 1908, and as shown upon sections 1 and 12 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and approved by the Mayor on the 4th day of June, 1909, and as further amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 2nd day of October, 1913, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 7th day of October, 1913, so as to relate to Hull avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Berlin avenue, and from Broad street to Mueller street.

The land to be excluded from the proceeding is more particularly bounded and described and shown in the petition of The City of New York attached to the aforesaid order.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of May, 1914, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of May, 1914, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs nd other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 4th day of May, 1914.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Area Number One: This being the westerly one of the two areas, and is described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Montgomery avenue with a prolongation of a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue, as the same are laid down between Montgomery avenue and Clifton avenue; running thence easterly along the prolongation of and along the line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue to an intersection with a line 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Old Berlin avenue; running thence southerly along a line 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Old Berlin avenue to an intersection with a line midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue; running thence westerly along a line midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue and the prolongation of the same to an intersection with a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Montgomery avenue; running thence northerly along a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Montgomery avenue to an intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Area Number Two: This being the easterly area, and is described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue with a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Broad street; running thence easterly along a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue to an intersection with the westerly line of Willow avenue; running thence northeasterly along a line to a point on the easterly line of Willow avenue midway between Hull avenue and Jay avenue; running thence easterly along a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Jay avenue to an intersection with the westerly line of Mueller street; running thence easterly along a line at right angles to Mueller street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Mueller street; running thence southerly along a line 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Mueller street to an intersection with a line at right angles to the westerly line of Mueller street which intersects the westerly line of Mueller street at a point midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue; thence westerly along said line at right angles to the westerly line of Mueller street; thence westerly along a line midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue to the easterly line of Willow avenue; thence southwesterly to a point on the westerly line of Willow avenue midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue; thence westerly along a line midway between the northerly line of Clinton avenue and the southerly line of Hull avenue to an intersection with a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Broad street; thence northerly along a line 100 feet from and parallel with the westerly line of Broad street to an intersection with a line midway between the northerly line of Hull avenue and the southerly line of Halle avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, our final report 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 June, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, 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, April 6th, 1914.

ALBERT C. COMBES, Chairman; JACOB N. IMANDT, PETER C. HENDRICKSON, Commissioners.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. a14,30

SUPREME COURT—THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Filing Reports.

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT, ULSTER COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, etc.

Business Damage Commission No. 1.
Business Damage Commission No. 2.
Business Damage Commission No. 3.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be presented to this Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the County Court House in the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, N. Y., on the 2d day of May, 1914, the following reports which have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster: Business Damage Commission No. 1, Eighteenth Separate Report, filed March 11, 1914; Business Damage Commission No. 2, Eighth Separate Report, filed January 13, 1914, and Ninth Separate Report, filed March 27, 1914; Business Damage Commission No. 3, First Separate Report, filed March 2, 1914.

And that The City of New York will move the confirmation of each and every one of the dismissals recommended in said reports, and will apply for taxable costs on each of said dismissals, except in cases where the Commission recommended a dismissal without costs.

And that The City of New York will oppose the confirmation of the award to John D. W. DuMond, Business Damage Commission No. 3, First Separate Report, as excessive, and contrary to the law and contrary to the evidence, and as a result of proceeding on an erroneous theory and upon the exceptions taken by The City of New York.

And for such other and further relief as may be just and proper, reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose each and any award, recommendation and computation included in said reports.

Dated New York, March 28, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, New York City. a11,m2

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of $50, the sum of $50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

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

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

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

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

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

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beamholes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department, and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a Department, chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.