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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, March 31, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., in relation to a request preferred by the Health Commissioner for an issue of \$66,400 special revenue bonds for mosquito war in Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

All persons interested in this matter are respectfully invited to attend.

m26,31 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing March 24, 1913.

Thursday, March 27, 1913.—10.30 a. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1617.—New York Consolidated Railroad Company.—"Application for approval of assumption of bonds of New York Municipal Railway Corporation and execution of mortgage therefor."—Whole Commission, 11 a. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1628.—Corporations subject to jurisdiction of Commission.—"Safeguarding employees from injury by high tension electrical apparatus"—Whole Commission, 2.30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1048—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Co. et al.—"Fenders and wheelguards"—Commissioner Maltbie, 4 p. m.—Commissioner Maltbie's room—Brooklyn Borough Gas Company—"Informal hearing as to rate for gas in 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn"—Commissioner Maltbie

Friday, March 28, 1913.—11 a. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1601.—Richmond Light and Railroad Company.—"Rehearing as to double-tracking Castleton avenue or Brighton Heights line"—Commissioner Cram, 2.30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1438—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, et al.—"Additional cars and service"—Commissioner Williams, 2.30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1573.—Long Island Railroad Company.—"Application for approval of exercise of rights in carrying out improvements between Brooklyn-Queensboro line and Fresh Pond Junction"—Commissioner Williams, 2.30 p. m.—Room 310.—R. T. 3041.—New York Connecting Railroad.—"Application for approval of change in certificate as to terminus of railroad in Borough of Queens and rental"—Commissioner Williams, 2.30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1627.—Interborough Rapid Transit Company.—"New station at 99th street and Columbus avenue on Ninth avenue elevated line"—Commissioner Eustis.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held every 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.

Borough of Richmond.

Bureau of Buildings.

Report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Richmond, for the week ending March 8, 1913:

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$50,891), 22; plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$4,068), 10; plans filed for plumbing (estimated cost, \$5,120), 18; construction inspections made, 300;

iron and steel inspections made, 2; plumbing and drainage inspections made, 113; violations of law reported, 1; violation notices issued, 1; unsafe building notices issued, 1; permits granted for demolition of buildings, 2; notifications of the law allowed as regards concrete footings under foundations, 8.

JOHN SEATON, Superintendent of Buildings.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, March 25, 1913, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

In the absence of the President, the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Present:

Aldermen

Ardolph L. Kline, Vice-Chairman.	O. Grant Esterbrook.	Otto Muhlbauer.
Niles R. Becker.	William Fink.	Thomas J. Mulligan.
Daniel M. Bedell.	Ralph Folks.	Courtlandt Nicoll.
John A. Bolles.	John S. Gaynor.	James J. Nugent.
John H. Boschen.	Otto C. Gelbke.	George M. O'Connor.
Robert H. Bosse.	Edward V. Gilmore.	Thomas H. O'Neil.
William D. Brush.	Henry F. Grimm.	John J. O'Rourke.
Michael Carberry.	James Hamilton.	William H. Pendry.
Charles P. Cole.	Joseph M. Hannon.	Charles A. Post.
Daniel R. Coleman.	Abram W. Herbst.	Hyman Pouker.
Hugh J. Cummskey.	Oscar Igstaedter.	John J. Reardon.
Frank Cunningham.	William P. Kenneally.	Philip J. Schmidt.
Henry H. Curran.	Francis P. Kenney.	W. Augustus Shipley.
Charles Delaney.	Max S. Levine.	James J. Smith.
James L. Devine.	Nathan Lieberman.	Michael Stapleton.
John Diemer.	John Loos.	Frederick H. Stevenson.
Frank T. Dixson.	John McCann.	Jacob J. Velten.
Frank J. Dotzler.	John F. McCourt.	John F. Walsh.
Frank L. Dowling.	William P. McGarry.	Jacob Weil.
Robert F. Downing.	Samuel Marks.	Louis Wendel, Jr.
Alexander Dujat.	James F. Martyn.	James R. Weston.
John T. Eagan.	James J. Molen.	John J. White.
Edward Eichhorn.	Jesse D. Moore.	Frederick H. Wilmot.
	George A. Morrison.	George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works.
		Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works.
		Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx.
		Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works.
		George McAneny, 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 18, 1913.
		On motion of Alderman Hannon, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.
		No. 3185.
		Being a communication from one Richard H. Ewart in relation to dogs at large in the City streets.
		Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.
		COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.
		The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Coroners, Borough of Manhattan:
		No. 3186.
		Board of Coroners, Borough of Manhattan, New York, 70-74 Lafayette st., March 18, 1913.
		Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:
		Dear Sirs—I respectfully make application to your honorable Board to issue \$175 of revenue bonds to meet a deficiency in the payment for the services of Ignatius Canale, a temporary Italian Interpreter in the Coroners' office for the last quarter of 1912. Very truly yours,
		ANTONIO DALESSANDRO, Chief Clerk.
		Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
		The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Sheriff of Queens County:
		No. 3187.
		Office of the Sheriff, Queens County, County Court House, Long Island City, March 18, 1913.
		Board of Aldermen, City of New York, New York City, N. Y.:
		Gentlemen—I respectfully request your honorable Board to recommend the issuance of the respective special revenue bonds to meet expenditures made and about to be made by this office:
		(1) To the amount of \$2,000 to meet a deficit which will exist in account No. 3904, Carfare, Care of Prisoners, for the year 1913 (the original amount allowed being \$500).
		(2) To the amount of \$200 to meet a deficit which will exist in account No. 3895, Office Supplies, Administration, for the year 1913 (the original amount being \$150).
		(3) To the amount of \$225, in order to pay the sum of \$150 for the premium of the bond of the Sheriff, and the sum of \$75 for the premium of the bond of the Under Sheriff, this request being made because we have no funds against which we can draw for the payment of this amount.
		Thanking you for your attention, I am, very truly yours,
		GEORGE EMÉNER, Sheriff of Queens County.
		Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
		The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the District Attorney of Queens County:
		No. 3188.
		District Attorney's Office, Queens County, N. Y., Long Island City, March 18, 1913.
		Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York City:
		My Dear Sir—Owing to the great increase of business in my office, it is absolutely necessary that I should have three more Process Servers. There are but three now in the office and these men since the middle of last September have been working from early morning until midnight frequently and on many Sundays, as well as the two recent holidays of this year. They have been pushed to such an extent that they have all been laid up at different times because of the exposure to inclement weather while tired out, and I have been obliged not only to hire emergency help, but to use Clerks and even some of the Assistants to serve subpoenas.
		It is also necessary that the position of Bookkeeper and Clerk be created for this office. The work required of such a man is now being done by the Indictment Clerk and Stenographer, greatly interfering with his regular duties and compelling him to work Sundays and holidays and late at night. This latter necessity is well known to the Comptroller, who has written to us about it, suggesting that I make application for the creation of such a position.
		The insufficiency of my staff is so apparent that a recent Grand Jury, among other things, recommended that I be given a sufficient working force. Copy of these resolutions of the Grand Jury were sent to the various City officials and are now in their hands. I would thank you if you would have the required form of resolution drawn and the matter presented to the Board of Aldermen, so that some action may be taken thereon and the relief afforded as speedily as possible. Very truly yours,
		MATTHEW J. SMITH, District Attorney.
		Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.
		The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk of Richmond County:
		No. 3189.
		County Clerk's Office, Richmond County, Richmond, N. Y., March 22, 1913.
		To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City:
		Gentlemen—Due to the insufficient amount of help in my office and the number of papers accumulated from not being able to copy same with the present amount of help

employed, from which every day I receive a number of letters and requests to have same returned and which for the last three or four years I have repeatedly asked for more help and denied the same. I hereby make application for special revenue bonds amounting to \$7,000 for copying deeds, releases, mortgages, assignments, judgments, lis pendens, satisfaction of mortgages, power of attorney, Sheriff certificates, payments of capital stock, bonds, order appointing receivers, etc., consisting of: 6,772 papers or about 65,000 folios at five (5) cents a folio, to be entered by

Temporary Copyists	\$3,250 00
To four (4) Temporary Comparers.....	972 00
To permanent help which will be necessary to keep current work up—	
three Clerks at \$1,200 per year.....	2,700 00

One Clerk at \$900 per year.....

675 00

Total..... \$7,597 00

Hoping that this will meet with your approval, I remain, very respectfully,

C. LIVINGSTON BOSTWICK, County Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

No. 3190.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary. 277 Broadway, March 17, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 13, 1913, amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, authorizing the issue of \$50,000 corporate stock, to provide means for reconstruction of sewers, Borough of Manhattan, by reducing said amount to \$49,000.

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

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 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 fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), to provide means for reconstruction of sewers, Borough of Manhattan, 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 forty-nine thousand dollars (\$49,000).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 13, 1913. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 10, 1913.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On February 18, 1913, the President of the Borough of Manhattan requested a rescindment of \$1,000 on a corporate stock authorization of \$50,000 for the reconstruction of sewers, Borough of Manhattan, and that a resolution authorizing \$4,500 for the construction of a sewer under the pier at the foot of W. 129th st., Borough of Manhattan, be amended to provide for an additional \$1,000. In connection therewith we report as follows:

The President states that the \$1,000 is required because of unforeseen delays in constructing the sewer under the 129th street pier. This sewer is the lowest in the Borough of Manhattan, and it is impossible for the work to be done except at low tide. For this reason and on account of the adverse weather conditions, the progress of the work has necessarily been very slow, thus occasioning the additional cost. Engineers of the Borough President's office and of the Department of Finance are of the opinion that the estimated increased cost of \$1,000 is reasonable.

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

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHELL, President, Board of Aldermen; GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 3191.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, March 21, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 18, 1913, recommending the establishment, in the Department of Education, of the following grades of positions:

Title.	Rate of Compensation.
Assistant Local Superintendent	\$2 per lecture
Electric Stereopticon Operator (including rental of electric lantern)	5 per lecture
Inspector	4 per lecture

I also transmit copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Title.	Rate of Compensation.
Assistant Local Superintendent	\$2 per lecture
Electric Stereopticon Operator (including rental of electric lantern)	5 per lecture
Inspector	4 per lecture

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 18, 1913. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, March 17, 1913.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 12, 1913, the Board of Education requested the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grades of position for incumbents in the Public Lecture Bureau, as follows:

Local Superintendent, per lecture	\$3 00
Assistant Local Superintendent, per lecture	2 00
Stereopticon Operator, per lecture	3 00
Electric Stereopticon Operator (including rental of electric lantern), per lecture	5 00
Inspector, per lecture	4 00

In connection therewith we report as follows:

The grades of Local Superintendent, at \$3 per night, and Operator, at the same rate, were established in the 1913 Budget. No action, therefore, is necessary on these items in the request.

Establishment of the other items is necessary for payment of incumbents for January and February. These incumbents have been regularly employed, but their grades have not been fixed under section 56.

We recommend that the Board of Aldermen be requested to establish grades for the three positions in the above list, which have not as yet been established, by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHELL, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Fire Commissioner:

No. 3192.

Fire Department of The City of New York, 157 E. 67th St., March 24, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Under date of December 27, 1912, a request was made for a revenue bond issue of \$234,470, for the purpose of purchasing fire hose for this Department. This was subsequently changed to \$202,370.

At a meeting of your Board on January 21, 1913, a resolution was passed authorizing the issue of \$100,000 for this purpose. A contract for 65,000 feet of 2½-inch hose was immediately entered into, the hose being required for the organization of new companies.

The hose situation, as set forth in the communication referred to, has since become more acute. Sixty-five thousand feet of 2½-inch hose are not sufficient to organize the new companies which alone require 71,750 feet. It can thus be seen that the quantity on hand in the old companies, which was below their quota on November 30, 1912, and has not since been replenished, is not what it should be and is becoming less after each fire until at the present moment the situation is dangerous and becoming more so every day.

It is, therefore, requested that your Honorable Board authorize a further issue of revenue bonds in the sum of \$102,370. A copy of resolution is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully, JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed one hundred and two thousand three hundred and seventy dollars (\$102,370), the proceeds to be applied to the purchase of hose for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York.

No. 3193.

Fire Department of The City of New York, 157 E. 67th St., March 22, 1913.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—A force of 52 Fire Telegraph Operators is required for the maintenance of a proper standard of efficiency of fire telegraph for the five boroughs in the greater City. A central station for the reception and retransmission of fire alarms is maintained in each borough. This service is, of course, necessarily maintained throughout the entire twenty-four hours and requires three tours, each of eight hours, for each day.

To provide one day off in seven for the operators four shifts of men are necessary to maintain this 24-hour service throughout an entire week. The minimum number of men which safely can be relied upon for a tour is two, to guard against the possible death of one, upon whom rests the responsibility of ordering fire apparatus to fires. The Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, therefore, require at least a minimum of two men per tour. The weight of the work in the other boroughs, Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, is such that the constant service of three men per tour is required.

It is necessary that the operator in charge of each tour be a veteran or specially skilled man, capable of assuming full responsibility. These operators in charge are paid \$1,500 per annum; all other operators are paid \$1,200 per annum.

The services are thus required of:

Twenty Telegraph Operators, in charge of shifts, at \$1,500 per annum each \$30,000 00
Thirty-two Telegraph Operators, at \$1,200 per annum each..... 38,400 00

Total \$68,400 00

The present force, as provided for in the Budget for 1913, consists of:
Twelve Telegraph Operators, at \$1,500 per annum..... \$18,000 00
Twenty-Two Telegraph Operators at \$1,200 per annum..... 26,400 00

Total \$44,400 00

These figures represent a shortage of 8 Operators at \$1,500 and 10 Operators at \$1,200 per annum each. This shortage is at present helped out by detailing Firemen of the uniformed force, whose services are now required with the new companies organized to provide additional fire protection. It therefore becomes necessary that the number of operators be increased.

As there are no funds at the disposal of the Department available for this purpose a special revenue bond issue will be necessary to provide for the compensation from May 1, 1913, until December 31, 1913, of the additional force required as follows:

Eight Telegraph Operators, at \$1,500 per annum, 8 months each..... \$8,000 00
Ten Telegraph Operators, at \$1,200 per annum, 8 months each..... 8,000 00

Total \$16,000 00

The amount required to pay for the services of these additional Telegraph Operators for 1914 will be included in the departmental estimate for that year.

Draft of necessary resolution is enclosed.

Early and favorable action is requested in this matter. Respectfully,

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the payment from May 1, 1913, until December 31, 1913, of the salaries of an additional force of Telegraph Operators required by the Fire Department of The City of New York.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 3194.

Fire Department of The City of New York, 157 E. 67th St., March 24, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—There is urgent need for the purchase of an automobile for the official use of the Fire Commissioner, for which purpose funds are available.

The machine is required for immediate use and its procurement by contract at public letting would necessarily require a considerable period of time.

I have, therefore, the honor to request that the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize the purchase of the automobile in the open market instead of by contract at public letting, at an expense not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

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

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes and empowers the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, an automobile for his official use in such capacity, at an expense not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Education:

Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., New York, March 19, 1913.

No. 3195.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHELL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to hand you herewith certified copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 12, 1913, relative to the establishment of the study of stenography and typewriting in the curriculum of studies in the elementary schools. Respectfully yours,

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

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Studies and Text Books respectfully reports that it has considered the following resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on January 14, 1913, and referred to it on January 22, 1913 (see Journal, page 99):

"Resolved, That the Board of Education be and hereby is requested to establish in the curriculum of studies in the elementary grammar schools the study of stenography and typewriting, so that graduates from said schools may be better enabled and more strongly equipped in their means for earning a livelihood."

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 12, 1913. A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Park Commissioner, The Bronx:

No. 3196.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 24, 1913.

Honorable JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—There exists in Van Cortlandt Park, south of the Colonial Garden and the main road leading into the park from the 242d Street Subway Station, an area of swamp lands covering approximately twenty-three and one-half (23½) acres, of which fully twenty (20) are typical mosquito-breeding grounds.

The many thousands who visit the park (50,000 on a fine Sunday not being an overestimate—and the number is increasing each season) find these pests a serious drawback to their enjoyment. In addition to this, the property in the neighborhood, which is highly taxed, is seriously interfered with in its development, by reason of the existing state of affairs.

In order to improve these conditions, and, in the doing so, reclaim a large part of the swamp area, which can then be used for playground purposes, I hereby respectfully request the Honorable Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) of special revenue bonds. This sum will, it is estimated, enable the Department to fill up the low places, and so drain the swamp lands into running water, that the mosquito breeding spots will be entirely eliminated, and a large area made dry and available for baseball grounds and other forms of athletics.

The work to be done, while temporary in character, or, I might say, preliminary to permanent reclamation of the swamp lands referred to, will return to the City, by reason of value added to park lands, more than the sum herein asked for. Respectfully,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 3197.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 18, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—There is need in the Borough of Queens for the employment of two Clerks and one Typewriting Copyist in addition to the force provided by the present appropriations and schedules. The additional force is required on account of the additional work put upon that borough in filling out statistical forms and reports, inventories and supply schedules, and the attendant accounting which must be done in order that this work may be properly and accurately done.

I have therefore to ask that your Honorable Board request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize revenue bonds for three such employees at \$900 each, say for a period of 8½ months, amounting to \$1,912.50. Yours truly,

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

No. 3198.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 24, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—There are approximately 130 iron watering troughs located upon sidewalks and in public squares in the Borough of Manhattan which are maintained at the expense of the City. They are of different designs and few are in very good order. The troughs have been in service a number of years and are costly to maintain. The supply to the bowls is shut off after the water has reached a certain height and fresh water does not enter again until the supply is lowered so as to release the valve.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals have alleged that where there is not constant circulation of water the horses are in danger of contracting glanders and other diseases. All of the watering troughs maintained by this Society are constructed to permit of a constant circulation of water and are, therefore, more sanitary. Apart from this, the cost of maintaining the privately owned troughs is not as expensive as those now in use by the City. This is due mainly to the fact that the ball-cock or operating valve which permits of the delivery when the water in the bowl has been lowered is very easily damaged, frequently caused by the shafts and poles of wagons striking the trough and misplacing the ball-cock.

A more substantial watering trough is desirable. In my opinion, it should be of stone, similar to the trough maintained by societies which look after the comfort and welfare of horses. Since the installation of many of the troughs there have been local changes and street improvements which have diverted the traffic to other streets, so that some of the troughs are seldom, if ever, used. It is my plan to relocate a number of them at points where they are required and necessary.

In addition to those maintained by private societies, it is estimated that 100 troughs will be ample. The expense of providing and installing the stone watering troughs, including the water service connection and sewer drain, is estimated at \$400 each.

I would, therefore, request that the Board of Aldermen authorize an issue of special revenue bonds to the extent of \$40,000 for this purpose. Yours truly,

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Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Coroners, Borough of The Bronx:

No. 3199.

Coroner's Office, Borough of The Bronx, 1932 Arthur ave., cor. Tremont ave., New York.

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 hundred dollars (\$300) the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Coroners, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of vehicular hire for the year 1913.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 3200.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 21, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—In the 1913 Budget appropriation for this Department, under the heading of "Illumination, Power and Heat Service," I find, on close analysis, that in a number of instances they are inadequate for the needs of the Department, and I would, therefore, request that you issue revenue bonds in addition to the present appropriations, as given below:

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822 Lighting Public Buildings, Queens.....	43,000 00	2,000 00
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Code No. 813, Extension of Service, Manhattan and The Bronx, \$10,000—At the time the Budget was made up we thought we could get along with \$15,000, but the requests for increase of service, as shown in the attached list of streets, require more funds than we anticipated. Assuming that the installation of these lamps will approximate July 1, we request an additional \$5,000 for lighting, and \$5,000 for the purchase of posts for the new and more powerful system of lighting the side streets in Manhattan. On account of the improved lighting of the avenues during the past two or three years, considerable complaint has arisen over the comparative darkness of the side streets. Careful investigations were made last summer and a system devised which will cure this defect by using more powerful illuminating units on higher posts. The increased height of the posts is necessary for the proper distribution of light. The design of posts we desire to use, we think can be obtained for \$15 a piece. This amount would give us about 330 posts to make a start on the more important residential sections of the Borough.

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It is understood that, in accordance with the procedure last year, all funds used for extension of service in street lighting shall be so expended that the cost in 1914 for such extensions shall not be more than twice the amount of increase for 1913.

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The preceding five accounts represent the major part of the increase desired for lighting streets and public buildings, and asked for in the Budget for 1913.

A last reduction was made in this Budget, just before it reached the final stage, which cut out \$8,000 from the extension of service for Brooklyn, reducing the amount from \$20,000 to \$12,000; \$6,000 from the amount allowed for extension of service in Queens, this account being \$15,000, and, therefore, reducing the Queens account to \$9,000. Further, \$30,000 was cut from Lighting Public Buildings, Manhattan and The Bronx, reducing this item from \$755,700. This, with the \$30,000 omitted from the Manhattan and The Bronx Street and Park Lighting, gave a total amount be-low the required Budget of \$74,000. The amounts from which these deductions were made had been allowed at the hearings of the Department and had been carried un-reduced up to the point of the final cut in the tentative Budget.

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As a matter of fact, the cost of automobiles for the General Inspectors amounted to but little more than the cost of horses and wagons, and the increased convenience and saving of time in getting from place to place more than made up for the slight increase.

I would request, therefore, that an allowance be made of \$7,700 for automobiles for seven (7) General Inspectors and five (5) Special Inspectors, whose work covers a large territory. This amount is based on eight months use of same, at an average price of \$95 per month.

No. 842, Hire of Horses and Vehicles without Drivers, \$520—For the few horses and wagons that were allowed to the department in the last Budget, the appropriation did not cover the full year, and we would ask that an additional \$520 be provided to keep these up throughout the balance of the year. This covers the use of two (2) equipments for four months each, at an average price of \$65 per month.

The prices given here are average prices, because the prices for hire of horses and wagons and automobiles vary slightly with the service required, the borough in which they are obtained, and also vary with night and day use.

In the year 1910, in addition to our other duties, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment required by resolution that all specifications and plans covering electrical installations in the Greater City should be submitted to the Bureau of Gas and Electricity of this department for approval before being advertised and let. After this is done these installations must be inspected by this department and a report made to the Finance Department, either by certificate or by letter, that the work has been installed in accordance with the specifications and the Electrical Code. Since 1910 this work has been increasing very rapidly, and we have been unable to obtain through the Budget the necessary additional force with which to handle this work. It is work re-quiring engineering design and inspection of a highly technical character, and involves a great deal of responsibility. In many cases we not only have to check plans and specifications but also to design the wiring and lighting installations and write the specifications for them, at the request of other departments who are not familiar with these subjects.

We have reached the limit of the present force of the Bureau of Gas and Electricity, which can only handle between four and five hundred of these plans a year without great delay. The requests are coming to us at a rate which means a demand this year for the passage of about eight to nine hundred of these plans, with a force than can only handle a part of it. This is causing delay and great annoyance to the other departments, without mentioning the annoyance to this department and the ex-cessive work required of its men. All this can be avoided if we can obtain the additional force listed below.

We request, therefore, revenue bonds aggregating \$15,800 for additional men covering the remaining period of the year, which may be figured as the eight months following May 1st next.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 12, 1913. A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Park Commissioner, The Bronx:

No. 3196.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 24, 1913.

Honorable JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—There exists in Van Cortlandt Park, south of the Colonial Garden and the main road leading into the park from the 242d Street Subway Station, an area of swamp lands covering approximately twenty-three and one-half (23½) acres, of which fully twenty (20) are typical mosquito-breeding grounds.

The many thousands who visit the park (50,000 on a fine Sunday not being an overestimate—and the number is increasing each season) find these pests a serious drawback to their enjoyment. In addition to this, the property in the neighborhood, which is highly taxed, is seriously interfered with in its development, by reason of the existing state of affairs.

In order to improve these conditions, and, in the doing so, reclaim a large part of the swamp area, which can then be used for playground purposes, I hereby respectfully request the Honorable Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) of special revenue bonds. This sum will, it is estimated, enable the Department to fill up the low places, and so drain the swamp lands into running water, that the mosquito breeding spots will be entirely eliminated, and a large area made dry and available for baseball grounds and other forms of athletics.

The work to be done, while temporary in character, or, I might say, preliminary to permanent reclamation of the swamp lands referred to, will return to the City, by reason of value added to park lands, more than the sum herein asked for. Respectfully,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 3197.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 18, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—There is need in the Borough of Queens for the employment of two Clerks and one Typewriting Copyist in addition to the force provided by the present appropriations and schedules. The additional force is required on account of the additional work put upon that borough in filling out statistical forms and reports, inventories and supply schedules, and the attendant accounting which must be done in order that this work may be properly and accurately done.

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Dear Sir—There are approximately 130 iron watering troughs located upon side-walks and in public squares in the Borough of Manhattan which are maintained at the expense of the City. They are of different designs and few are in very good order. The troughs have been in service a number of years and are costly to maintain. The supply to the bowls is shut off after the water has reached a certain height and fresh water does not enter again until the supply is lowered so as to release the valve.

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No. 3200.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 21, 1913.

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	4 Inspectors at \$1,200, for designing illumination and for inspection in the illumination division of the Bureau of Gas and Electricity. These men to design and pass on plans and specifications and further inspect the installation of same.....	\$3,200 00
	2 Inspectors at \$1,200, for the same service in the Borough of Queens. Up to this date the work has been performed by one man. This work has grown very much in the Borough of Queens in the last year and the results obtained at present are highly unsatisfactory	1,600 00
	2 Inspectors at \$1,200, for work in the Borough of Brooklyn on the inspection of public buildings in that borough. Public buildings in Brooklyn are increasing quite rapidly. The present force of four men, including the General Inspector, is very much overworked, and cannot make the necessary inspections required to avoid delay in getting out plans and specifications and inspecting the work on installation.....	1,600 00
	1 Typewriter Copyist at \$900, to be assigned to the Illumination Division in the Borough of Manhattan, in order to handle the increased output of work that will be obtained, if the Inspectors above asked for in this division are allowed us.....	600 00
		\$7,000 00
		\$15,800 00

The department has cut down the requirements of the force in the above list to the utmost, and it seems a most uneconomical policy to require the Bureau of Gas and Electricity to do this work and yet refuse to give the men necessary to perform it. The present condition is practically intolerable. We have in our hands at present, for design, revision and approval, nearly 200 separate projects from the several departments in the City, involving electrical and gas work. To pass these out properly and see that they are correct as to engineering and economical design, means that they can only be taken up slowly, and there is now an unwarranted delay, for the sole reason that we have not sufficient men to do the work. As it is, the present forces are working overtime to handle the more pressing things now before us. The situation is one demanding immediate relief, and I particularly urge that this request for revenue bonds be given very careful and earnest consideration.

No. 688. Salaries, Regular Employees, Inspection, \$665.33—In the Budgets for 1912 and 1913 I requested that three positions be created of Examiners for Moving Picture Operators. These operators have to be examined by this Bureau for their qualifications to handle the electrical portions of the work of displaying moving pictures. We asked for three positions—one Chief Examiner at \$1,800 and two Examining Inspectors at \$1,500 each per year. In 1912 we were allowed three positions at \$1,200 each, with an unassigned amount in the Budget of \$1,200, which was to be assigned as part of the salary of these positions. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment objected to giving us the positions with the salaries as asked for, for the reason that we were not going to appoint new men to these positions, but were going to appoint Inspectors who had had great experience in this work in the department. In other words, while the position was new, because it was desired to put one of the present employees in the new position, we could not have it at the higher salary, as it might be construed as a promotion. But, if we desired a new and untried man, of whom we knew nothing, to go into this position, he could get this salary.

We claim, therefore, now, that these are new positions, technically, and should not be taken solely from the point of view of a promotion, but as a proposition to fill the new positions with the men best qualified to fill them. It would be ridiculous to suppose that the work of examining these operators and passing on their qualifications and, further, under the law, investigating their delinquencies and taking the cases to court, could be handled by other than carefully selected and experienced men. The temptations of the position are very great, and only men of known experience and tried integrity should be placed in such positions.

I would ask, therefore, for revenue bonds to pay the salaries of these positions at the point which was originally allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as reasonable, but, for the reasons given above were never made available by them. This sum for the remaining two-thirds of the year would be \$665.33.

All the requests made above have been carefully worked out, examined and revised and are the minimum for the purposes desired.

With reference to the additional forces required and the establishment of the positions of Examiners of Moving Picture Operators at salaries commensurate with the work, I would say that these are matters which have been a growing necessity for two years and have been repeatedly asked for by this department. The lack of these forces and the delay in the work has now become well known throughout the City, and I would once more earnestly request that these proved and urgent needs of the department be filled as soon as possible.

It does not seem fair that my department and myself should be exposed to the criticism which now comes upon us for delay, when such delay is in no way our fault.

I am, very respectfully, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

Attached hereto is form of resolution submitted for your information, disposition and approval.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and is hereby respectfully petitioned, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in the sum of \$122,185.33, the proceeds of which to be used for the purpose of replenishing the following accounts of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (Bureau of Gas and Electricity), owing to insufficiency of allowance in 1913 Budget, viz.:

Street and Park Lighting	\$54,000 00
Lighting Public Buildings	31,000 00
Power for City Departments.....	2,000 00
High Pressure Fire Service.....	3,000 00
General Repairs to Lampposts.....	7,500 00
Transportation, Hire of Automobiles.....	7,700 00
Transportation, Hire of Horses and Vehicles without Drivers.....	520 00
Personal Service, Salaries, Regular Employees—	
Code No. 685.....	\$8,800 00
Code No. 688.....	7,665 33
	16,465 33

\$122,185 33

Proposed Street Lighting for 1913, Borough of Manhattan.

Note—Numeral equals number of plan.

Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.
	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.	
Avenue B, Houston to 20th st.—No. 334..	26	..	18	..	\$1,810 00
Following policy of improving lighting on avenues by the installation of double arc lamp system.					
Broadway, Battery to 14th st.—No. 309 ..	47	..	..	..	6 2,115 00
Memorandum from Hon. H. S. Thompson re improvement of lighting. Roadway to be widened 2 feet on each side. Subway under construction, Vesey to 12th st.					
Broadway, 35th to 41st st.—No. 309 ..	7	..	..	..	6 315 00
Memorandum from Hon. H. S. Thompson re improvement of lighting. Roadway to be widened 2 feet on each side.					
Broadway, 15th to 23d st.—No. 357 ..	10	..	..	..	6 450 00
Memorandum from Hon. H. S. Thompson re improvement of lighting. Roadway to be widened 2 feet on each side.					
Broadway, northwest corner of 72d st. ..	1	..	..	..	8 60 00
Lighting at this intersection should be improved by the installation of an additional arc lamp.					
Avenue C, East Houston to 18th st.—No. 375 ..	30	..	43	..	11 1,650 00
Resolution of Board of Aldermen for the installation of electric arc lamps and following policy of Department of improving lighting on avenues by the installation of double arc lamp system.					
*Chelsea lamp, marginal street, 22d and 23d st. ..	..	2	..	..	6 25 50
Ornamental electrolier on isle of safety should be lighted on account of obstruction being in roadway, Department of Docks and Ferries.					
Downtown section, Canal to Houston st., west of Bowery ..	75	..	224	..	6 875 00
Exterior street, E. 71st to E. 79th st.—No. 343 ..	8	..	..	..	6 360 00
Should be lighted as street is opened. Runs along the East River and would be used considerably on summer nights.					
Fire alarm lamps ..	..	240	..	..	4 1,790 00
Requisition of Fire Department, on account of extension of signal system.					
*James Slip and Cherry st. ..	..	1	..	..	6 13 25
Requisition of Society of New York Free Cold Water Fountain, on account of erection of ornamental fountain.					
Lewis st., east side, 1 north of Grand st..	..	..	1	..	10 18 99
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.					
Lexington ave., 60th to 132d st.—No. 262A and 262B ..	140	..	218	..	4 3,875 00
Improvement of lighting necessary on account of construction of subway.					
Morningside Drive and 116th st.—A. B. 12 ..	..	2	..	..	9 40 00
Account of erection of monument to Carl Schurz.					
Municipal Building, F. G. 17 (10 pr. of flaming arcs, 20 enc. arcs) ..	..	..	..	..	9 925 00
Northern ave., north of 181st st.—No. 501.	..	..	3	..	6 33 55
Park ave., 59th to 96th st. ..	3	441	223	..	3 1,440 00
Requisition of a number of property owners and real estate operators for improvement of lighting. Considerable opposition to installation of arc lamps. Papers with Commissioner.					
Park ave., southwest corner, 134th and 135th sts. ..	2	..	4	..	8 60 00
Central Park West and 86th st.—7 B. 19 ..	..	2	..	..	9 38 25
Shelter should be lighted by the installation of two incandescent lamps.					
Park, Central ..	..	8	..	..	5 85 00
Improvement of lighting, where necessary, on account of omission on original installation.					
Park, Central, mall and under Terrace Bridge ..	..	20	..	..	8 340 00
Unnecessary during winter months.					
Park, Central, east wing, Terrace Bridge—A. K. 515 ..	..	2	..	..	8 34 00
Requisition of Department of Parks. Two incandescent lamps should be installed in connection with laying new pavement.					
Park, Central, Bethesda Fountain—F. G. 22 ..	..	2	..	..	4 17 67
Requisition of Department of Parks for two additional incandescent lamps before laying new pavement around fountain.					
Park, Tompkins Square—B. Q. 9, 10 ..	10	..	..	..	5 375 00
Requisition of Department of Parks to place wires under ground. When this is done lighting should be improved.					
Park, Washington Bridge ..	..	17	..	..	6 217 00
Should be lighted for use of the public on summer nights.					
Post ave., north side, Dyckman to 207th st.—J. C. 15 ..	..	10	..	..	9 191 25
Account of erection of apartment houses, lamps should be installed.					
Riverside Drive, opposite 100th st.—No. 276 F. D. 9 ..	1	8	..	..	9 215 00
Request of Department of Parks, account of erection of Firemen's Memorial Monument; monument provides for two ornamental electroliers.					
Riverside Drive, east side of 129th st.....	..	2	..	..	6 25 50
This street leads down to 12th ave. at 129th st.; steep grade and sharp bend in road; much used for testing autos for hill climbing; lamps should be placed on viaduct supports.					
Riverside Drive and 155th st., 5 arc at \$80, 2 at \$90 ..	7	..	..	..	6 110 00
Riverside Drive, E. 158th to 165th st.—No. 530 ..	..	..	23	..	7 300 00
St. Nicholas ave., 155th st. to Amsterdam ave., No. 509 ..	13	..	28	..	8 300 00
Account traffic; street being paved.					
Sherman ave., Academy to 207th st.—No. J. C. 15 ..	..	12	..	..	8 204 00

* Layout unnecessary. † Layout on hand.

Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.	Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.
	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.			Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.	
Resolution of Board of Aldermen and request of M. Just, C. Hensle, Republican Club, 23d A. D., G. S. Payson, for the installation of lamps, account erection of apartment houses.						40th st., south side, 4 east of 10th ave.....			1		
Vanderbilt place, 42d to 45th st.....	5				225 00	Lighting of street can be improved by rearranging lamps.					
Account Grand Central Terminal improvements and consequent traffic.						42d st., north side and south side, 1 east of Madison, No. 43.....	2			6	90 00
Willis Avenue Bridge, Manhattan approach and draw—No. J. B. 4.....	12	30			160 00	Account of widening and improvement of lighting on 42d st. Ordered in 1911 but not done account of widening street.					
Request of Department of Bridges, account abandonment of private plant.						43d st., north side, 1 east of 3d ave*.....			1	7	13 00
2d st.; north side, 1 east of 1st ave.*; north side, 3 east of Avenue A*.....		2			34 00	Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.					
Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						44th st., north side, 4 east of 10th ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
3d Avenue Bridge, Manhattan approach, new case, top draw.....	17	40			267 00	44th st., south side, 6 east of 10th ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
Request of Department of Bridges, account abandonment of private plant.						44th st., north side, 5 east of 10th ave*....		1		9	17 00
4th ave., southwest corner 18th st*.....	1				67 50	46th st., Park to Madison ave—J-C-9.....	1			6	45 00
Arc lamp ordered in 1911 and 1912; should be installed in 1913; part of 4th ave. installation.						Request of N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., account of Grand Central Terminal Improvement.					
5th ave., 59th to 60th st., Sherman Monument*		8				47th st., Park to Madison ave—J-C-9....	1			6	45 00
Tungsten lamps should be installed in place of existing arc lamps.						Request of N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., account of Grand Central Terminal Improvement.					
5th ave., 42d to 44th st., isles of safety—G. H. 25	2				120 00	48th st., north side, 3 east of 6th ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
Request of Department of Public Works for installation of arc lamps on isles of safety.						48th st., south side, 4 east of 6th ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
5th ave. and 110th st.—No. 511; 3 pair flaming, 2 enclosed arcs.....						48th st., north side, 6 east of 6th ave*....		1		9	17 00
Lighting at Circle should be improved by installing flame arcs in place of enclosed arcs.						48th st., south side, 3 east of 3d ave*....		1		7	13 00
5th ave., 141st to 142d st.....						In order to improve lighting of street, gas lamp should be relighted.					
Section infested by gangs; street to be opened and paved; piano factories in vicinity.						48th st., Park to Madison ave—J-C-9....	1			6	45 00
8th ave., 31st to 33d st.—F. D. 21; 10-400 w., 20-250 w.....	7				500 00	Request of N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., account of Grand Central Terminal Improvement.					
Lighting around Post Office should be improved as in the case of Pennsylvania Railroad Station.						48th st., south side, 3 east of 2d ave*....		1		7	13 00
12th ave., south of 129th st.....						Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.					
See Riverside drive, east side of 129th st.						49th st., north side, 6 east of 10th ave*....		1		9	17 00
13th st., north side, 4 east of 1st ave*.....						Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
Street insufficiently lighted; gas lamp should be relighted.						49th st., south side, 3 east of 12th ave*....		1		8	15 00
16th st., 9th and 10th aves.....						Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
Request of Samuel Hellinger; gas lamp posts constantly being broken; should be replaced by electric arc lamps.						50th st., Park and Lexington aves*.....	1		2		23 00
16th st., south side, 1 east of 1st ave*....						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
16th st., north side, 1 east of 1st ave.....	R. & R.					51st st., Park and Lexington aves.....	1		4		
Street insufficiently lighted; gas lamp should be relighted.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
18th st., south side, 1 east of 1st ave*; south side, 3 east of 3d ave.....	D. & R.					52d st., Park and Madison aves.....	1		3		12 00
Lighting of street can be improved by relocating lamps.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
19th st., Broadway to Irving place.....	3				79 00	52d st., south side, 1 east of 8th ave*....		1		9	17 00
Arc lamps should be installed in place of existing gas lamps.						Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
23d st., south side, 2 east of Broadway—No. 87						52d st., Park and Lexington aves.....	1		3		12 00
Account widening and improvement of lighting on 23d st.; ordered in 1911 and 1912; not done account delay in widening street.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
24th street, south side, 1 east of 4th ave*..						54th st., south side, 3 east of 3d ave*....		1		9	17 00
Street insufficiently lighted; gas lamp should be installed.						Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
25th st., north side, 4 east of 7th ave*....						54th st., Park and Lexington aves.....	1		3		12 00
Street poorly lighted; gas lamp should be relighted.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
27th st., north side, 1 east of 7th ave*....						55th st., south side, 1 east of 9th ave*....		1		9	17 00
Street poorly lighted; gas lamp should be relighted.						Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
27th st., north side, 1 east of 3d ave*....						55th st., Park and Lexington aves.....	1		3		12 00
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
27th st., north side, 1 east of 8th ave*....						56th st., south side, 1 east of 9th ave*....	1		3		12 00
Street poorly lighted; gas lamp should be relighted.						Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
28th st., south side, 1 east of 5th ave*....						56th st., Park and Lexington aves.....	1		3		12 00
Account heavy traffic, arc lamp should be installed.						Account of Grand Central Terminal Improvements.					
29th st., north side, 1 east of 8th ave*....						56th st., 6th to 8th ave.....	5		11		100 00
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.						Arc lamps should be installed in place of existing gas lamps.					
31st st., north side, 1 east of 3d ave*....	R. & R.					58th st., south side, between Park and 3d ave*	2			4	60 00
31st st., south side, 1 east of 3d ave*....						Account great amount of traffic lighting should be improved.					
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						62d st., south side, 1 east of Madison ave*....		1		9	17 00
31st st., north side, 1 east of 2d ave*....						Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						63d st., north side, 1 east of 2d ave*....		1		9	17 00
31st st., south side, 3 east of 2d ave*....						Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.						63d st., south side, 1 east of 3d ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
30th st., north side, 1 and 4 east of 8th ave*....						63d st., north side, 1 east of 3d ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamps should be relighted.						65th st., north side, 1 east of 1st ave*....		1		9	17 00
39th st., north side and south side, 1 east of 10th ave*.....	R. & R.					Street dark at night. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
C. O. changing lighting of street.						66th st., south side, 1 east of Madison ave*....		1		9	17 00
39th st., north side, 1 and 2 east of Lexington ave*.....	D. & R.					Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
C. O. changing lighting of street.	R. & R.					68th st., south side, 2 east of Broadway*....		1		9	17 00
40th st., 11th ave. to piers.....	5					Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.					
Request of C. R. R. of N. J. for improvement of lighting on approach to pier which is to be used as freight and passenger station.						68th st., north side, 1 east of 3d ave*....		1		9	34 00
40th st., north side, 4 east of 10th ave....	R. & R.					68th st., south side, 3 east of 3d ave*....		1		9	17 00
40th st., south side, 3 east of 10th ave....						69th st., north side, 1 east of 2d ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
R. & R.						69th st., north side, 1 east of 2d ave*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
						69th st., north side, 2 east of Broadway*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
						69th st., south side, 4 east of Broadway*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
						69th st., south side, 1 east of Broadway*....	R. & R.	(1)		9	
						71st st., Avenue A to Exterior st., 494	R. & R.	(1)		9	
						Street leads to water front—poorly lighted. Bad neighborhood. Lighting should be improved.					
						E. 73d st., Avenue A to Exterior st., 495		2		6	90 00
						Street leads to water front. Poorly lighted. Bad neighborhood. Lighting should be improved.					
						E. 74th st., Avenue A to Exterior st., No. 504		2		6	90 00

Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.	Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.
	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.			Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.	
Street leads to water front and is poorly lighted. Bad neighborhood. Lighting should be improved.						Apartment houses under erection. Lighting should be installed when buildings are completed.					
E. 75th st., Avenue A to Exterior st., No. 496	2	..	..	6	90 00	215th st., Broadway to Park ter.—B-U-19. Steps under construction should be lighted when completed.	..	10	..	9	180 00
Street leads to water front—is poorly lighted. Bad neighborhood. Lighting should be improved.											\$22,619 68
E. 79th st., Avenue A to East End ave., 497	2	..	..	6	90 00	Proposed Street Lighting for 1913, Borough of The Bronx.					
Street leads to water front; bad neighborhood. Poorly lighted. Lighting should be improved.						Albany road, 233d st. to Van Cortlandt Park—No. 326	7	6	..	7	\$280 00
80th st., north side, 2 east of Park ave.*	..	..	1	..	17 00	Road being regulated, graded and widened. Lighting should be improved.					
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						Aqueduct ave., Highbridge to Washington Bridge .....	..	5	2	..	62 00
85th st., 5th to Madison ave.	1	..	..	6	45 00	Account erection of apartment houses, additional lamps should be installed.					
Lighting should be improved, account large amount of traffic and surface car line on same.						Aqueduct ave., Washington Bridge and Kingsbridge ave.—No. 398 A and B.	59	..	88	..	1,670 00
86th st., 1st ave. to Avenue A	1	..	..	6	45 00	This is a wide avenue with surface car line. Runs through several sections well built up and, when paved, will undoubtedly receive considerable traffic. Lighting should be improved now with a view to further improvement when paved.					
Lighting of street should be improved by the installation of an additional arc lamp.						Aqueduct ave., E., northeast corner Buchanan place .....	..	..	1	..	20 00
90th st., north side, 1 east of 2d ave.* ..	..	..	2	..	34 00	Gas lamp removed, account regulating and grading. Should be reset and re-lighted.					
90th st., south side, 3 east of 2d ave.* ..	..	..	..	..	..	Aqueduct ave., E. 182d st. to Evelyn place.	..	..	3	..	50 00
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamps should be relighted.						Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamps.					
91st st., south side, 3 and 4 east of Amsterdam* ..	R. & R. (2)	..	..	9	.....	Bailey ave., 231st to 233d st.—No. 326....	1	..	..	7	52 00
Lighting of street can be improved by relocating gas lamps.						Avenue being regulated, graded and widened. Lighting should be improved.					
92d st., north side, 4 east of Amsterdam* ..	R. & R. (1)	..	..	9	.....	Bainbridge, 204th st. to Jerome ave. ....	..	6	..	..	102 00
92d st., south side, 8 east of Amsterdam* ..	..	..	1	..	17 00	Request of A. J. Williams, President, Bedford Park Taxpayers' Association.					
92d st., south side, 1 east of Amsterdam* ..	Remove (1)	..	..	..	..	Lighting should be improved by installing additional Tungsten lamps.					
Lighting of street can be improved by relocating gas lamps.						Barnes ave., south side of Bronxdale—No. 456 .....	..	1	..	..	18 00
96th st., 3d ave. to East River	6	..	14	..	115 00	This avenue should be lighted in connection with the improvement of Bronxdale ave.					
Lighting of street should be improved by installing arc lamps in place of existing gas lamp.						Baychester ave., Baychester station to Eastern boulevard .....	..	9	..	6	19 00
97th st., East River to 2d ave.	2	..	6	..	22 00	It will be necessary to change the system on this avenue when the system on Pelham parkway is changed.					
Arc lamps should be installed in place of existing gas lamps.						Beach ave., Lacombe and Patterson—No. 503 .....	..	3	..	..	77 00
98th st., East River to 2d ave.	2	..	6	..	22 00	Lighting should be improved by the installation of Tungsten lamps.					
Arc lamps should be installed in place of existing gas lamps.						Bedford Park boulevard and Grand Boulevard and Concourse—No. H-H-8.....	9	..	..	..	473 00
102d st., north side, 1 east of Madison ave* ..	R. & R. (1)	..	..	9	.....	Transverse road under construction.					
102d st., south side, 1 east of Madison ave* ..	Remove (1)	..	..	..	..	It will be necessary to light same when completed.					
103d st., 2d to 3d ave.—No. 506.....	..	..	1	..	11 19	Benson ave., Westchester square to Frisby ave. ....	..	3	..	..	51 00
Street not properly lighted; gas lamp should be installed.						Request of Frank P. Van Riper. Avenue much used, account night school on same. Additional lamps should be installed.					
107th st., south side, 2 east of Lexington* ..	..	..	1	..	17 00	Bergen ave., 147th st. to Westchester—No. 428	6	..	..	..	540 00
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.						Request of New York Edison Co., for layout of arc lamps on underground circuit. Lamps to be installed on ornamental iron posts on underground service. Line poles to be removed.					
108th st., 2d to 3d aves., No. 506.....	..	..	1	..	11 00	Boscobel ave., Jerome to Aqueduct ave.	10	..	11	..	218 00
In order to improve lighting of street additional gas lamp should be installed.						Street fairly well built up with surface car line thereon; leads directly to Washington Bridge, and lighting should be improved.					
109th st., north side, 1 east of Madison ave* ..	R. & R. (1)	..	..	9	.....	Bogart ave., Rhinelander and Neilt.....	..	2	..	..	38 00
110th st., north side, 1 east of Park ave* ..	..	..	1	..	17 00	Three dwellings on block and incandescent lamps should be installed.					
Street insufficiently lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						Boston road (old), Bronx River to White Plain ave.—No. 448. (See Butler st.)					
111th st., south side, 2 east of Lexington ave* ..	..	..	1	..	17 00	Boston road, White Plains to Schieffelin lane—No. 307	43	..	..	..	2,258 00
Street poorly lighted. Gas lamp should be relighted.						This road being widened, graded and paved. Lamps temporarily removed from section now under construction. Will be much used by automobiles, as it is the shortest way to New Rochelle and points beyond.					
120th st., Amsterdam to Broadway, No. 317	3	..	7	..	57 00	Boston road, Schieffelin lane. to City line—C-U-16†	27	..	..	..	650 00
Request of Columbia University and Barnard College for improvement in lighting.						Boston road, 3d ave. to Southern boulevard	10	..	..	5	375 00
128th st., south side Convent ave., St. Nicholas ter., No. 527.....	..	..	3	..	50 33	This is one of the most important streets in The Bronx. Surface car line and considerable traffic on same. Lighting should be improved.					
129th st., Amsterdam to Convent aves., No. 536 .....	..	..	5	..	85 00	Bronxdale road, White Plains to Walker ave.—No. 456	16	46	..	..	200 00
Request of Central Building Improvement and Investment Co., and W. E. Thompson. Street newly opened. People living on Convent ave. will use this street to and from Amsterdam ave. cars and stores.						This road is now poorly lighted by arc lamps. Can be considerably improved by the installation of Tungsten lamps. Muliner ave. should be lighted at the same time.					
145th st., northwest corner Edgecombe ave.*	..	..	1	..	20 00	Brook ave., 156th st. to 3d ave.—No. 440..	7	..	..	7	214 00
New fire alarm signal lamp post requested lighted by the Fire Department.						Lighting of street should be improved, account traffic and account recent improvement of lighting on 3d ave.					
146th st., north side, 1 east of Broadway* ..	..	..	1	..	17 00	Burke ave., White Plains ave. and Bronx boulevard† .....	..	12	..	9	200 00
Lighting of street should be improved by relighting gas lamp.						There are a number of houses on avenue and lamps should be installed.					
153d st., north side, 1 east of Broadway..	R. & R. (1)	..	..	9	.....	Burnside ave., east of Aqueduct (Arches)† .....	..	2	..	..	39 00
155th st., north side, 1 east of St. Nicholas ave., No. 509	1	..	3	..	15 00	Lighting under arches should be improved by the installation of Tungsten lamps.					
Lighting of street should be improved by installing arcs in place of existing gas lamps.						Burnside ave., Aqueduct to Sedgwick.....	6	..	18	..	80 00
160th st., Fort Washington dr. to Riverside dr., No. 530 .....	..	..	7	..	80 00	Lighting should be improved by the installation of arc lamps in place of existing gas lamps.					
There are several apartment houses on this block and lamps should be installed.						Butler st. and others—No. 448.....	5	21	..	..	44 00
166th st., south side, 2 east of Amsterdam ave. ....	..	..	1	..	15 00	* Layout unnecessary. † Layout on hand.					
In order to improve lighting of block gas lamp should be relighted.											
173d st., Fort Washington to St. Nicholas aves.—No. 516 .....	..	..	2	..	30 00						
On account apartment houses erected on this block, lamps should be installed.											
176th st., Broadway to Audubon—No. 361.	..	..	2	..	33 00						
There are several apartment houses on this block and lamps should therefore be installed.											
179th st., Haven to Northern aves.—No. 500 .....	..	..	3	..	62 00						
On account apartment houses erected on this block, lamp should be installed.											
187th st., Wadsworth ave to Broadway....	..	3	3	..	7 00						
Lighting can be improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing gas lamps.											
204th st., Vermilyea to Sherman—No. J-C-15 .....	..	1	..	..	17 00						
On account erection of apartment houses, additional lamp should be installed.											
212th st., 10th ave. to Broadway—No. J-C-15	4	76 50						

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Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.	Estimated	Location.	Number of Lamps.				Mos. Cost, 1913.	
	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.				Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.		
This section is just northeast of the Zoological Gardens and is at present poorly lighted by arc lamps. Lighting can be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps.							Lighting of road should be improved by the installation of additional arc lamps.						
Castle Hill, Lyverre to Starling—No. 312 Pole line to be rebuilt by the N. Y. Telephone Co. and lighting should be improved.	1	..	..	6	50 00		Jerome ave., Boscobel to Burnside.....	8	..	..	5	300 00
City Island road, Shore road to Main st.. This road is much used, especially during summer months. Lighting can be greatly improved by changing system.	20	68	..	6	48 00		There is considerable traffic on this avenue and lighting should be improved when magnatite lamps now under test are removed.		..	..	2	15 00
Classon Point road and Bronx River plaza—AK-388 Temporarily discontinued. Unnecessary during winter months.	4	..	..	8	265 00		Kelly st., Prospect to 156th st..... There are several houses on this block, and lamps should therefore be installed.		..	1	..	21 00
Cortlandt ave. and 148th st—No. 428..... Request of New York Edison Co. for lay-out of lamps (arcs) on underground circuit. Lamps to be installed on ornamental iron posts on underground service. Line poles to be removed.	1	..	..	12	90 00		Kinsella ave., south of Bronxdale ave—No. 456..... Lamps should be installed in connection with the improvement of Bronxdale ave.		..	2	..	42 00
Coster st., Spofford and Randalls aves.†.. Request of Hy. Morgenthau, Broadway and Cortlandt st., City.	..	1	..	9	19 00		LaSalle ave., Fort Schuyler rd. and Gillespie†..... There are two houses on this block and lamps should be installed.		..	2	..	42 00	
Crosby ave., Paine st. to Waterbury ave.† There are three houses on this block and additional lamps should be installed.	..	2	..	8	34 00		Leggett pl., north of DeGraw ave..... Lamps should be installed in connection with the improvement of the lighting of this section.		..	2	..	42 00	
Deane place, south of Sackett ave.—No. 456..... Lamps should be installed in connection with the improvement of lighting on Bronxdale ave.	1	2	..	9	33 00		Leland ave., McGraw to Wood ave..... Lighting can be improved by changing system.		1	5	..	30 00	
Delavall ave., Boston road to Hollers ave.† There are several houses on block and lamps should be installed.	..	2	..	8	38 00		Light st., Dyer ave., station to White Plains rd.....		..	3	..	51 00	
Doris ave., Westchester to Glebe—No. 477. Heavy trees on avenue. Lighting would be greatly improved by changing system.	1	6	..	6	20 00		Lyon ave., Castle Hill and Zerega—No. 447 Heavy trees on street. Lighting would be greatly improved by changing system.		3	11	..	16 00	
Elder ave., north of Westchester ave.—No. 335..... New apartment houses have been erected. Lamps should be installed.	..	2	..	10	45 00		MacClay ave.—No. 308 (see Overing ave.) Manida st., Spofford to Randall†..... Request of R. E. Simon.		..	3	..	60 00	
Evergreen ave., Westchester to Bronx River—No. 461..... Account erection of apartment houses lamps should be installed.	..	2	..	10	45 00		McGraw ave., Tremont ave. to Leggett pl. Lighting can be improved by changing system.		3	6	..	99 00	
Faile st., Spofford and Randall aves.†.... Request of Hy. Morgenthau Co.	..	2	..	9	38 00		Morris ave., 163d to 170th st.†..... Account new fire house on block street should be lighted.		..	6	..	127 00	
Fire alarm lamps..... Fowler ave., Rhinelander and Neil aves.†..... There are three dwellings on block and lamps should be installed.	..	2	121	..	900 00		Mott ave., 163d to 161st st.—No. 413..... This avenue is the approach to the Grand blvd and Concourse, is much used by automobiles, and the present lighting is inadequate. Arc lamps should be installed on underground service.		10	..	11	8 436 00	
Fox st., Tiffany to Barretto.†..... Request of R. E. Simon. Several houses on block and lamps should be installed.	..	3	..	9	58 00		Overing ave.—No. 308..... Account rebuilding of pole line by the New York Telephone Co. and to improve lighting of these streets.		14	45	..	6 70 00	
Fulton ave., north of 173d st..... Request of Board of Education for additional lighting account evening lectures at Public School 4.	1	..	9	17 00		Mulinier ave., Brady to Bronxdale—No. 406 Request of Charles Bailey, 1950 Mulinier ave. To improve the lighting of this section it is proposed to replace the arc lamps on Bronxdale ave. with tung. incandescent lamps and to install additional incandescent lamps on Mulinier ave.		..	4	..	9 84 00
Gleason ave., St. Lawrence and Commonwealth*..... There are several houses on block and lamp should be installed.	..	1	..	10	23 00		Palisades pl., between Popham ave. and stairs to Sedgwick ave.†..... Stairway should be lighted.		..	2	..	7 31 00	
Glebe ave., Westchester to Zerega—No. 447 Heavy trees on street. Lighting would be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arcs.	5	10	..	6	96 00		Bronx pk., extension of Southern blvd.—No. 512..... Additional lamps should be installed in order to improve lighting of road.		..	..	1	5 10 100 00
Clover ave., Westchester to Glebe ave.—No. 447..... Heavy trees on avenue. Lighting would be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.	1	8	..	6	48 00		Park, Bronx pk. Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.		..	270	..	225 4 235 00	
Grand ave., south of Tremont ave.†..... Request of Saml. Jackson, 1701 Grand ave. Account of traffic at this location lamps should be installed.	..	3	2	..	9	24 00		Park, Claremont..... Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.		..	64	..	53 4 35 00
Grand Boulevard and Concourse—B-V-17, C-F-1..... <td>11</td> <td>..</td> <td>..</td> <td>7</td> <td>578 00</td> <td></td> <td>Park, Crotona..... Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.</td> <td></td> <td>..</td> <td>109</td> <td>..</td> <td>91 4 47 00</td>	11	7	578 00		Park, Crotona..... Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.		..	109	..	91 4 47 00	
Grand Boulevard and Concourse and Mosholu ave.—No. 540..... Dangerous account of sharp turn. Lamps should be installed.	..	..	3	11	80 00		Park, Echo..... Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.		..	11	..	9 4 6 00
Grace ave., 1 north of N. Y., W. & B. R. R.* Account store on block, tungsten lamp should be installed.	..	1	..	10	23 00		Park, Franz Siegel..... Change in system desirable to improve lighting and to preserve grass, etc.		..	21	..	17 4 14 00	
Grand Boulevard and Concourse, northwest side 170th st..... Arc lamp discontinued in June, 1912, should be relighted.	1	..	..	11	83 00		Park, Pelham Bay..... It will be necessary to change the lighting system in this park when the system on Pelham parkway is changed.		..	70	..	64 4 35 00
Guerlain place..... Lighting can be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.	..	7	..	9	.....		Park, St. Marys..... Change of system desirable to improve the lighting and to preserve the grass, etc.		..	61	..	51 4 25 00
Hilton ave., east of Bronxdale ave.—No. 456..... Lamp should be installed in connection with the improvement of Bronxdale ave.	..	1	..	9	21 00		Parker ave., Westchester to north of Glebe, No. 447..... Heavy trees on avenue. Lighting would be greatly improved by changing system.		..	5	..	6 70 00	
Hoe ave., 172d to 173d st.—No. 400..... Account erection of new apartment houses on this block, additional lighting should be installed.	..	..	3	1	28 00		Pelham parkway, Southern boulevard to Eastern boulevard..... Request of Department of Parks, The Bronx. This road is much used by automobiles and the lighting should be improved.		..	223	..	165 4 473 00
Hoe ave., 163d to Aldus st.—No. 514..... There are several apartment houses on this block and lamps should be installed.	..	..	7	..	118 00		Philip ave., Fort Schuyler road to Long Island Sound, No. 510..... Request of Estates Development Co. There is considerable traffic on this avenue and lamps should be installed.		..	5	..	8 86 00
Hobart ave., Middletown to Westchester—No. 507..... Request of G. Bochow, 1527 Country Club ave. As people use this street to get to cars on Westchester ave. lamps should be installed thereon.	..	4	..	10	93 00		Pierce ave., east of Deane place, No. 456 Lamps should be installed on this avenue in connection with the improvement of lighting on Bronxdale ave.		..	2	..	9 42 00	
Home st., junction Tiffany st. and Intervale—No. 507..... Account car line and large area of intersection additional lamps should be installed.	5	..	6	..	184 00		Prospect Hill road..... Lighting can be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.		12	32	..	6 150 00	
Hunts Point rd., Southern blvd.—Garri- son ave.	4	6	180 00		Randall ave., Manida to Faile st.†..... Request of R. E. Simon, Hy Morgenthau Co. Lighting should be improved by the installation of incandescent lamps.		..	3	..	9 60 00	

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	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.			Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.				
Request of M. D. Coultes. Lighting should be improved by installing tungsten lamps in place of existing arc lamps.						Willis Ave. Bridge, Bronx approach—No. J. B. 4	25	33						
Ryer ave., south of Burnside, No. 498	1	..	..	9	19 00	Request of Department of Bridges; private plant to be abandoned.	8	..	..	8	384 00	
Request of H. Doob, 102 5th ave. Two dwellings on block and tungsten lamps should be installed.						Wood ave., White Plains road to Tremont ave.	2	8	..	..	9	18 00
St. George crescent, 206th st.—Van Cortland ave.	1	..	9	17 00	Lighting can be greatly improved by changing system.							
Gas lamp discontinued, account regulating and grading, should be reset and relighted.						Wyatt ave., Bronx Park ave. to Devoe st. ....	..	2	..	..	9	42 00
St. Lawrence ave., Westchester to Randolph, No. 524	4	..	..	Request of Van Nest property owners; there are several houses on this block and lamps should be installed.								
Request of Bronx Gas and Electric Co. for pole-line layout.						3d Ave. Bridge, Bronx approach and draw —J. B. 4	10	52						
St. Peters ave., No. 308 (See Overung ave.)						Request of Department of Bridges; private plant to be abandoned.	8	..	..	8		176 00
St. Raymond ave., No. 308 (See Overung ave.)						3d ave., 137th to 139th st.—No. 303; 4 flaming, 3 enclosed	7	..	..	..	9	252 00
Seddon st., Dorsey st. to Maclay ave.	2	..	..	Request of North Side Board of Trade; street now improperly lighted.								
Street used by people living on Dorsey st. and St. Raymonds ave. Lamps should therefore be installed.			..	4	..	8	37 00	142d st., south side, 2 east of College ave.*.						
Simpson st., 163d to Tiffany st.	4	..	..		Request of Alderman Jas. A. Devine; lighting of street should be improved by the installation of an additional gas lamp.						
Request of R. E. Simon. There are several houses on block and lamps should therefore be installed.				..	4	..	9	77 00	144th st., Willis to Brook ave.					
Southern boulevard, Westchester ave. to 174th st., No. 517		2	..	23	6	9	390 00	Request of Alderman Jas. A. Devine; lighting of this street can be improved by the installation of incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.						
Request of Lederer Construction Co. Lighting should be improved by the installation of additional arc and gas lamps.						148th st., Cortland to Bergen—No. 428....	1	..	..	..	12	90 00
Southern boulevard, 174th st. to Tremont ave.	14	7	6	55 00	Request of New York Edison Co. for layout of arc lamps on underground circuit; lamps to be installed on ornamental iron poles on underground service; line poles to be removed.						
Request of Hy. Morgenthau Co. In order to improve lighting conditions, existing naphtha lamps should be replaced by gas lamps.		1	..	..	..	148th st., Bergen to St. Ann's ave.	2	9	..	..	9	40 00
Sedgwick ave., junction of Lind ave.						Improvement of lighting desirable; tungsten lamps should be installed in place of existing arc lamps.								
Request of Harold H. Harding. Lighting should be improved by the installation of one additional arc lamp.						149th st., 3d to Brook ave.—No. 428....	2	..	..	..	12	180 00
Starling ave., Castle Hill to Glebe, No. 447				..	3	..	..	Request of New York Edison Co. for layout of arc lamps on underground service; lamps to be installed on ornamental iron poles on underground circuit; line poles to be removed.				
This street should be lighted, as it is much used by people of vicinity.						149th st., 3d ave. to Mott ave.—No. 149....	7	..	..	..	12	630 00
Taylor ave., north of Wood ave.						There is a surface car line on this street; Italian colony; traffic quite heavy; lighting should be improved by placing arcs on both sides on underground service.								
One additional incandescent lamp should be installed, account change of system from arc to incandescent in this section.						150th st., Exterior st. to Girard ave.	1	3	..	..	11	12 00
Theriot ave., Tremont to Wood ave.						Lighting of street should be improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.								
One additional lamp should be installed in connection with the improvement of lighting in this section.						151st st., Melrose to 3d ave.		2	..	..	4	17 00
Tiebout ave., Steps, Ford to 183d st.				8	..	..	187 00	Lighting of street should be improved by the installation of two incandescent lamps.				
Steps under construction by Borough President, and lighting will have to be provided when same are completed.						153d st., 3d to Bergen ave.								
Tieman ave., and Boston Post road, 200 feet north of existing 2d lamp north of Boston road*						This street is at present unlighted. Gas lamps should be installed.								
Request of John Marx. Two-story building on block, and incandescent lamp should be installed.						161st st., 3d to Brook ave.								
Townsend ave., 172d to Belmont st.						Considerable traffic on this street, and lighting should be improved.								
There are two houses on this block and incandescent lamps should be installed.						161st st., Brook ave. to Jerome ave.		5	..	..	6	225 00
Tremont ave., 3d to Webster ave.—No. 439.						There is a surface car line and considerable traffic on this street. Lighting should be improved.								
Traffic on this street is greater than anywhere else in The Bronx; lighting should therefore be improved.		3	12	270 00	163d st., Westchester ave. to Southern blvd.							
Unionport road, east side, 5 north of Morris Park ave.—No. 453						Requisition of R. E. Simon. Account of apartment houses on this block lamps should be installed.								
Account railroad construction, one additional incandescent lamp should be installed.						165th st., Anderson to Summit								
Valentine ave., junction Tremont ave. and 176th st.						This street is only partly lighted. Additional lamps should be installed.								
Additional lighting needed; arc lamp should be relighted.						166th street, Teller to Morris Ave.		4	..	..	8	68 00
Van Cortlandt Park, Curlers Pond.						Requisition of Jos. L. O'Connell and E. Wenigman. Account of erection of new houses, additional lamps should be installed.								
Request of Thos. Nicholson, 44 E. 14th st.; lamps to be installed in order to light pond for curling club.						167th st., Sheridan to College								
Van Cortlandt Park, road through.						Car line on street and engine house nearby require the installation of lamps on this street.								
Walton ave., southeast corner 148th st.						168th st., Clay and Teller aves. (steps)—No. G. G. 1		6	..	..	6	74 00
Lamp discontinued in April should be relighted.						Lamps should be installed on stairs.								
Washington ave., Tremont to Pelham ave.						169th st., Boston and Tinton		2	..	..	5	19 00
Request of Hon. J. L. J.; there is considerable traffic on this avenue; lighting should be improved.						170th st., Transverse road and Grand boulevard and Concourse—H. H. 8	8	..	..	..	6	360 00
Westchester ave., Southern boulevard to Clason Point road.						173d st., Southern blvd. and S. Minford place—No. 505		2	..	..	9	34 00
Request of American Real Estate Co.; in order to improve lighting additional lamps should be installed.						Account of erection of apartment houses, gas lamps should be installed.								
Westchester ave., Main st. to Eastern boulevard—No. 382						173d st., Weeks ave. to Grand Boulevard and Concourse		4	..	..	6	14 00
Request of Hy. Kohlman, 1380 Theriot ave.; road recently opened; car line thereon; considerable traffic to and from Pelham Bay Park.						Gas main in street. Gas lamps should be installed in place of existing naphtha lamps.								
Wheeler ave., Westchester to W. 172d st.—No. 335						174th st. and Grand Boulevard and Concourse—No. C. Q. 10								
Request of American Real Estate Co.; there are several houses on this block and lamps should be installed.						Arch being constructed under the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and it will be necessary to light same when completed.								
White Plains ave., Tremont to Cuerlain place		5	21	..	9	66 00	176th st., Washington to Park ave.		1	8	45 00	
Lighting would be greatly improved by installing incandescent lamps in place of existing arc lamps.						Lighting of street should be improved by installing arc lamp in place of existing gas lamp.								
White Plains road (old)			7	25	..	7	177th st., N. Y. C. R. R. and Harlem River Requisition of Olin J. Stephens and New York Launch and Engine Co. Street is dark at night and lamps should be installed.		3	9	57 00
Lighting can be greatly improved by changing system; no additional cost.						178th st., Prospect to Mapes ave., Marion ave. to Southern blvd.—No. 329		3	..	..	7	39 00
Wickham ave., south of Barnes ave.						Gas lamps should be installed to improve lighting conditions on this street.								
Request of C. V. Moss and M. Steinblock; there are five houses on this street and lamps should be installed.						181st st., Mapes ave. to Southern blvd.		2	9	34 00		

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	Arc.	Inc.	Gas.	Naph.			
Resolution of Board of Aldermen and requisition of Hy. Harns. Account of people living west of Mapes ave, using this street, lamps should be installed.							
182d st., Park to Washington ave.	1	6			11 00		
One additional gas lamp should be installed to properly light this block.							
187th st., Marion ave, and Stevens place— H. D. 20	4	6			45 00		
Stairway at this location requires the installation of four gas lamps.							
225th st., Bronxwood to Laconia ave.	5	9			105 00		
Street regulated and graded and nine houses on same. Lamps should be installed.							
230th st., Broadway to Bailey ave.—No. 542	1	10			75 00		
Requisition of New York Edison Co. for pole line layout.							
231st st., Barnes to Bronxwood ave.	1	9			21 00		
Resolution of Board of Aldermen for the installation of lamps.							
232d st., Mt. Vernon to Napier ave.	3	10			56 00		
Gas lamps on this street should be re-lighted.							
					\$18,622 00		

† Layout on hand.

Proposed Street Lighting for 1913, Borough of Queens.

Location.	Arcs.	Incandescent	Gas.
Arlington ave, between Woodside and Shell road.....	11		
Arlington ave. and Kensington ter.....	1		
Avondale st., from Columbia to Willard.....	4		
Amber st., between Park and Prospect ave.....	3		
Atlantic ave, between Eldert lane and Snediker ave.....	8		
Atlantic ave, in vicinity Shaw ave. and Rockaway road.....	8		
Atlantic ave, east of Rockaway road.....	8		
Atlantic ave, vicinity of 2d st.....	3		
Atlantic ave, vicinity of 3d st. (church).....	6		
Atlantic ave, vicinity of 4th st.....	4		
Atlantic ave, vicinity of Canal st.....	6		
Atlantic ave, vicinity of Clinton place.....	6		
Anderson ave, west of 2d st.....	2		
Atlantic ave, between Yarmouth st. and Thrall ave.....	6		
Atlantic ave, between Thrall and Clinton place.....	2		
Briggs ave, north of Atlantic ave.....	2		
Briggs ave, north of Fulton st.....	1		
Briggs ave, east of Johnson ave.....	1		
Bergen and Hillside ave. (monument).....	4		
Bessemer place, between St. Anns and Park aves.....	10		
Bell ave., between Crocheron and Bradish aves.....	12		
Benedict ave, between Railroad and Atlantic ave.....	7		
Bergen Landing road, south of Old South road.....	6		
Bigelow place, between Broadway and University place.....	4		
Boardwalk, from Oceanus to Ward aves.....	8		
Bell ave., from Titus ave. to Broadway.....	6		
Broadway, from Norton place to Lockwood ave.....	2		
Barclay st., between Union and Bowne aves.....	2		
Brooklyn ave., from Cohens court to Pacific st.....	5		
Bay ave., from Lincoln to 6th ave.....	9		
Boulevard, between Carlton and Stratton aves.....	11		
Benedict ave, north of Atlantic ave.....	2		
Boyd ave., north of Atlantic ave.....	4		
Boulevard, Long Island City.....	5		
Chestnut st., north of Kimball ave.....	2		
Cedar ave., north of Kimball ave.....	1		
Columbia ave., between Boardwalk and Washington ave.....	3		
Conway ave. to Holliswood, north of Boulevard.....	4		
Columbus ave, north of Newport.....	3		
Cornelia st., between Myrtle and Covert aves.....	2		
Crescent st., from Wilbur to Webster aves.....	9		
Columbia ave., from Jamaica to Ashland.....	5		
Chestnut st., between Jamaica and Orchard.....	1		
Chestnut st., between Orchard and Myrtle aves.....	3		
Central ave, between Chestnut and Oak.....	3		
Canonbury road, Lawrence ave., Jamaica.....	6		
Canal st., between Broadway and University place.....	3		
Clinton place, between Broadway and Atlantic ave.....	1		
Centre st., Flushing.....	1		
Cedar ave., north of Lincoln ave.....	7		
Curtis ave., between Hillside and Central aves.....	2		
Clinton st., between Jackson and Prometcha aves.....	4		
Crescent st., between Broadway and Jamaica ave.....	3		
Clark st., between Broadway and Central ave.....	3		
Columbia ave., Laurel Hill.....	3		
Camelia st., between Elv ave. and Sherman st.....	4		
Chester ave., north of Washington ave.....	6		
Chester ave., north of Newport ave.....	9		
Clifton ave. and Long Island R. R. crossing.....	1		
Central ave., east of Merrick road.....	61		
Dennison ave., between Washington and Atlantic aves.....	1		
Division ave., between Myrtle and Long Island R. R.....	25		
Douglas Manor, streets in.....	25		
Decatur st., between Cypress and Myrtle aves.....	2		
Dickerson ave., north of Ocean.....	1		
Eldert ave, north of Lefferts place.....	3		
Eighth ave., from Boardwalk to Bay.....	7		
Elmwood st., from Woodhaven to Willard.....	1		
East Alley road, between Carlton ave. and Little Neck road.....	10		
Edward st., near Broad.....	5		
Edgemere ave., between Ocean and Beach aves.....	1		
Elm st., east of Manor ave.....	9		
Fourth ave., from Boardwalk to Washington ave.....	3		
Ferris st., between Oceanview and Woodhaven aves.....	5		
Fire alarm lamps, Richmond Hill.....	7		
Fire alarm lamps, Jamaica.....	7		
Fire alarm lamps, College Point.....	3		
Fire alarm lamps, Flushing.....	3		
Fourth st., between Grafton and Atlantic ave.....	5		
Ferry st., between Grafton and Atlantic ave.....	6		
Fairview ave., from Summit to Lenox.....	3		
Fourth ave., north of Woolsey ave.....	5		
Fifth ave., between 20th and 21st sts.....	1		
Franklyn place, in front of club.....	1		
Fourth st., under railroad bridge.....	1		
Franklyn st. and Ocean ave.....	2		
Fairview ave., between Lawrence blvd. and Broadway.....	1		
Ferris st. and Dumas place	1		
Fulton st., east of Woodhaven ave.....	5		
Forest Park	100		
Guion place, north of Pitkin place.....	5		
Garfield ave., from Rockaway road to 11th st	2		
Grafton ave., between Woodhaven and Oakley.....	12		
Gildersleeve ave., east of Clifton place.....	2		
Garden st., Curtis to Baker ave.....	1		
Grand blvd., between Flushing road and Bay Shore ter.....	2		
Gowan st. and Seminole ave.....	4		
Gherardi ave., north of Atlantic ave.....	4		
Hoffman ave., north of Liberty	5		
Hamilton ave., north of Kimball ave.....	2		
Hollis Park Gardens.....	10		
High st., between Summit and Lawrence.....	3		
Henley st., between Washington and Ocean.....	5		
Hawtree ave., from Flynn to Nolins.....	7		
Howard ave., between Fulton st. and Lamont ave.....	2		
Henry st., from Jackson to Park aves.....	2		
Helen ave., between Leahy and Boss aves.....	3		
Hawtree Creek road, south of Old South road.....	1		
Hillside ave., from Colden to Freedom road.....	5		
Hatch ave. and University place.....	1		
Hatch ave., between Grafton and Atlantic.....	1		
Hopkinton ave., between Grafton and Atlantic.....	1		
Hollis ave., between Grant and Dewey aves.....	4		
Hammels Dock	2		
Hudson ave., north of Ocean.....	2		
Higbie ave., from New York to Farmers ave.....	2		
Hillside ave., Richmond Hill to Queens.....	20		
"T" place, north of Elm st.....	9		
Jefferson ave., north of Atlantic ave.....	2		
Johnson ave., north of Fulton st.....	1		
Johnson ave., between Atlantic and Stewart.....	2		
Jackson ave., Long Island City.....	10		
Junction ave., North Beach.....	10		
Kimball ave., between Elm and Hamilton.....	2		
Lawn ave., north of Liberty.....	2		
Lefferts place, between Ryder place and Bayview aves.....	3		
Lefferts ave., north of Stewart ave.....	2		
Lefferts ave., north of Atlantic ave.....	2		
Lincoln ave., north of Washington ave.....	4		
Leggett ave. and Summit place.....	2		
Lebanon terrace, between Trowbridge and Hoyt.....	1		
Lincoln ave., between Orchard and Myrtle ave.....	3		
Lincoln st., between Montgomery and Rapelje.....	2		
Lewis st., between Jamaica and Hillside.....	2		
Lincoln ave., east of Cedar ave.....	1		
Locust ave., east of New York ave.....	22		
Liberty ave., Jamaica.....	10		
Long Island City, rearrangement of lighting by discontinuance of 100 arcs and replacing same with 850 incandescent, difference in price being equivalent to cost of 430 additional Tungstens	430		
Metropolitan ave., east of Walnut st.....	1		
McCormick ave., north of Liberty ave.....	2		
McCormick ave., north of Kimball ave.....	3		
Monmouth ave., north of Boardwalk.....	6		
Madison ave., between Monroe and Adam.....	1		
Morton ave., between Wayne and Pulaski.....	1		
Manor ave., between Jamaica and Ashland.....	3		
Maple ave., between Lawrence and Division.....	4		
Morningside ave., between Barrett st. and Newtown road.....	2		
Madison ave., between Seneca and Woodward.....	5		
Maple st., between Scott st. and Jamaica ave.....	5		
Morris ave., between Broadway and University place.....	4		
Monmouth ave., between Newport and Bayside drive.....	1		
Morris ave., between Chichester and Beaufort aves.....	1		
Monmouth ave., and Bayside drive.....	1		
McKinley st., between Polk and Park aves.....	4		
Montana ave., north of Newport.....	6		
Monteverde ave., from Grant st. 600 feet south.....	4		
Napier ave., north of Kimball ave.....	2		
New York ave. and Locust ave.....	1		
Ninth ave., north of Newport ave.....	3		
Napier place, north of Pitkin place.....	2		
Napier place, north of Atlantic ave.....	1		
North Hempstead turnpike, between Jamaica ave. and Fresh Meadow road	19		
Ninth ave., north of Potter ave.....	1		
Napier place, north of Fulton st.....	5		
Oxford ave., north of Kimball ave.....	2		
Oxford ave., north of Liberty ave.....	1		
Oak st., between Fulton and Stewart ave.....	2		
Pelham ave., north of Boardwalk.....	5		
Pettit place, from Broadway to Ithaca ave.....	2		
Park place, between Broadway and Atlantic ave.....	5		
Remsen ave., between Carlton and McNeil.....	1		
Richmond Hill ave., north of Abingdon road.....	3		
Rector st., between 6th st. and Rockaway road.....	1		
Robinson ave., between Sinclair and Laburnam.....	2		
Road to Administration Building, Forest Park.....	3		
Seventh ave., from Washington to Monmouth.....	4		
Stanhope st., east of Cypress ave.....	1		
Sixth ave., from Boardwalk to Washington ave.....	5		
Spoler ave., from Corona to Lawn aves.....	4		
Silver st., between Buchman and Anthon aves.....	1		
Spruce st., between Fulton and Stewart.....	1		
Sixteenth and 17th sts., between Laburnam and Oak.....	7		</

Location.	Arcs.	Incan-	Gas.	
Ward ave., between Railroad and Bay.....	4	..	..	Lincoln pl., between Eastern parkway ext. and E. New York ave..
Wayne st., between Morton and Dry Harbor road.....	..	3	..	5
Woodland ave., between Jamaica and Ashland.....	..	3	..	Sterling pl., 1st E. of Nostrand ave.....
Willard ave., between Jamaica and Ashland.....	..	4	..	1
Waterbury ave., between Jamaica and Forest Park.....	..	3	..	Sterling pl., between Rochester and Ralph aves.....
Washington ave., between Jamaica and Orchard.....	..	6	..	8
Washington ave., between Orchard and Myrtle.....	..	3	..	Prospect pl., between Buffalo and Ralph aves.....
Wellings st., between Jamaica and Orchard.....	..	4	..	5
Wellings st., between Broadway and Atlantic ave.....	11	..	..	Schenck ave., southwest corner Vienna ave.....
Walker ave., between Grafton and Atlantic ave.....	..	3	..	1
William st., from Irving to South st.....	..	1	..	Lavonia ave., between Van Siclen and Snediker aves.....
Worthington st., north of Woodside ave.....	..	1	..	2
Woodhaven ave., between Broadway and University place.....	..	1	..	Avenue F, between E. 92d and E. 96th sts.....
Winthrop ave., south of Washington ave.....	10	..	..	10
Washington ave., between Atlantic ave. and Cumberland st.....	5	..	..	Eastern Parkway, between Troy and Schenectady aves. (S. rds.)
Washington st., between Jackson and Park aves.....	5	..	..	7
Whitestone ave., north of Bayside ave.....	1	..	..	Avenue K, between E. 21st and E. 25th sts.....
Yarmouth ave., north of Atlantic ave.....	..	5	..	10
Summary.				
84 arcs at \$100.....		\$8,400 00		Avenue G, between E. 39th and E. 40th sts.....
1,058 Tungstens, at \$23.36.....		24,714 88		2
436 gas, at \$22.87.....		9,971 32		Alton pl., between Flatbush and E. 40th st.....
1,578 Lamps. Total.....		\$43,086 20		3
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting, Borough of Brooklyn, February 1, 1913.				
New street lamps required in this Borough, as per requests on file, and as recommended by Bureau Inspectors:				
Electric Arc Lamps.				
Edison Electrical Illuminating Co.—				
Broadway, between Gates ave. and Monroe st.....	1	..	..	Hawthorne st., between Flatbush and Bedford aves.....
Central ave., southeast corner Chauncey st.....	1	..	..	2
Flatlands ave., between E. 87th and E. 88th sts.....	1	..	..	E. 15th st., between Newkirk and Foster aves.....
Flatbush ave., between Avenue F and E. 26th st.....	2	..	..	3
Lavonia ave., northeast corner Junius st.....	1	..	..	Kirmet pl., between E. 8th st. and Coney Island ave.....
Lawrence st., between Willoughby st. and Myrtle ave.....	1	..	..	2
Rogers ave., between Prospect pl. and Lincoln pl.....	5	..	..	Tennis ct., between E. 19th st. and Ocean ave.....
3d ave, and 39th st.....	1	..	..	2
W. 33d st., between Surf and Mermaid aves.....	2	..	..	Lefferts pl., between Flatbush and Bedford aves.....
W. 24th st., northwest corner Railroad ave.....	1	..	..	5
Montague st., between Hicks and Court sts.....	6	..	..	Rogers ave., between Clarendon rd. and Avenue D.....
Fulton st., between Flatbush ave. and Vanderbilt ave.....	15	..	..	2
Flatbush ave. extension, between Flatbush ave. and Concord.....	45	..	..	Winthrop st., bet. Flatbush and Rogers aves.....
Flatbush ave., between 4th ave. and 7th ave.....	5	..	..	4
Flatbush ave., between Avenue F and Kings Highway.....	10	..	..	West st., between Ft. Hamilton ave. and Avenue D.....
Eastern parkway, between Park plaza and Ralph ave.....	30	..	..	10
Myrtle ave., between Bushwick ave. and City Line.....	15	..	..	E. 31st st., between Beverly rd. and Canarsie rd.....
4th ave., Bergen and 15th sts., at R. R., Kings.....	4	..	..	2
22d ave., between 61st and 78th sts.....	18	..	..	District B, Borough Gas Co.—
23d ave., between 79th and 80th sts.....	5	..	..	85th st., between 23d and 24 aves.....
15th st., between 8th ave. and 10th st. (C. I. ave.).....	7	..	..	2
Franklin ave., between Eastern parkway and Montgomery.....	5	..	..	Avenue L, between E. 14th st. and E. 15th st.....
Schermerhorn st., between Clinton st. and 3d ave.....	6	..	..	5
Hamilton ave., between Ferry and 3d ave.....	6	..	..	Marlborough section.....
Atlantic ave., and Vanderbilt ave.....	2	..	..	12
Atlantic ave. and E. New York Depot.....	6	..	..	E. 2d st., between Avenue Q and Kings highway.....
Fulton st. and Broadway and Jamaica ave.....	1	..	..	3
Humboldt st., between Norman and Greenpoint aves.....	3	..	..	Avenue P, between Ocean parkway and Gravesend ave.....
N. Henry st., between Norman ave. and Whale Creek.....	5	..	..	8
Evergreen ave., between George and Troutman st.....	2	..	..	E. 15th st., between Neck rd. and Avenue X.....
McCarren Park, playground.....	10	..	..	5
Metropolitan ave., between Driggs and Union.....	4	..	..	E. 19th st., north of Avenue O.....
Metropolitan ave., and Orient ave.....	1	..	..	2
Sharon st., between Olive st. and Morgan ave.....	2	..	..	E. 5th st., between avenues T and U.....
Broadway and Kossuth pl.....	1	..	..	4
Roebing st. (new) Broadway to Bedford ave.....	5	..	..	Avenue R, between E. 15th and E. 19th sts.....
235 arcs at \$95.....				
\$22,325 00				
Flatbush Gas Co. (29th Ward)—				
Ocean parkway, between Avenues O and U.....	11	..	..	5
Ocean parkway, between Neptune and Canal aves.....	1	..	..	13th ave., between 41 and 49th sts.....
Ocean parkway, at Park Circle (1 pr. flame).....	2	..	..	3
Flatbush ave., between Lincoln rd. and Malbone st.....	2	..	..	14th ave., between 44th and 47th sts.....
E. 21st st., between Caton ave. and Ditmas ave. (Cors.).....	4	..	..	1
Ocean ave., between Parkside ave. and Ditmas ave.....	7	..	..	84th st., between 1st and 2d aves.....
16th ave., between 39th and 41st sts.....	3	..	..	1
Sullivan st., between Franklin and Bedford aves.....	3	..	..	20th ave., between 54th and 57th sts.....
Montgomery st., between Franklin and Bedford aves.....	2	..	..	5
35 arcs at \$100.....				
Tungsten Lamps.				
Edison Electric Illuminating Co.—				
Cottage pl., south of Surf ave., Coney Island.....	2	..	..	16th ave., between 44th and 60th sts., midblock.....
Scovilles Walk, south of Surf ave., Coney Island.....	3	..	..	14
E. 23d, E. 24th., E. 25th and E. 26th sts., between Voorhees ave. and Avenue Z.....	25	..	..	15th ave., between 44th and 60th sts.....
W. 15th st., between Mermaid and Canal aves.....	12	..	..	7
Avenue Z., between Coney Island ave and Sheepshead Bay rd.....	6	..	..	7th ave., between 65th and 80th sts.....
E. 26th, E. 27th and E. 28th sts., between Emmons and Voorhees.....	20	..	..	25
Railroad ave., Coney Island, at W. 32d, 35th and 36th sts. and 33d.....	4	..	..	10th ave., between 50th and 52d sts.....
Chestnut st., between Coney Island ave. and E. 17th st.....	6	..	..	3
Locust st., between Coney Island ave. and E. 17th st.....	6	..	..	50th st., between 9th and 11th aves.....
Rockaway ave., between New Lots rd. and Avenue F.....	20	..	..	8
Bay 37th st., between 86th st. and Bath ave.....	4	..	..	51st st., between 9th and New Utrecht aves.....
24th ave., between 86th st. and Bath ave.....	4	..	..	8
W. 28th st., between Surf and Mermaid aves.....	3	..	..	52d st., Ft. Hamilton to New Utrecht ave.....
Crescent st. (Old Mill), Blake ave. to Vandalia.....	35	..	..	11
150 Tungsten lamps at \$27.....				
4,050 00				
The Flatbush Gas Co. (29th Ward)—				
Rochester ave., south of E. New York ave. (1 block).....	5	..	..	49th st., between 18th and 19th aves.....
Tuner pl., between E. 9th st. and Coney Island ave.....	2	..	..	2
Hinckley pl., between E. 9th st. and Coney Island ave.....	2	..	..	66th st., between 5th and 6th aves.....
Gravesend ave., between Ft. Hamilton ave. and Church.....	12	..	..	5
Gravesend ave., between Avenues C and D.....	4	..	..	19th ave., between 60th and 66th sts.....
25 Tungsten lamps at \$29.....				
Gas Mantle Lamps.				
District, Brooklyn Union Gas Co.—				
Fire Alarm lamps to be installed in Borough.....	180	..	..	20th ave., between 60th and 66th sts.....
Bainbridge st., between Reid ave. and Rockaway ave.....	8	..	..	5
Dean st., between Vanderbilt and Grand aves.....	4	..	..	21st ave., between 60th and 66th sts.....
Dean st., between Nostrand and Kingston aves.....	6	..	..	3
Decatur st., between Ralph and Howard aves.....	2	..	..	52d st., east of 16th ave.....
Greene ave., between Classon and Franklin aves.....	2	..	..	2
Butler pl., between Plaza st. and Sterling pl.....	4	..	..	52d st., between 7th and 8th aves.....
St. Johns pl., between Plaza st. and Underhill ave.....	4	..	..	3
Lincoln pl., between Underhill and Washington aves.....	7	..	..	78th st., between 20th and 21st aves.....
Lincoln pl., between B. B. R. R. and Bedford aves.....	3	..	..	4
725 00				
Total cost.....				
Lamps to be discontinued on account of changes in type of lamp recommended above:				
42 Mantle gas lamps, at \$28.....				\$1,176(00)
15 Mantle gas lamps, at \$22,61875.....				361 90
4 Electric arcs, at \$95.....				380
Total cost for year 1913.....				
\$40,929 60				
Total cost for six months.....				
\$20,464 80				
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.				
No. 3201.				
The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, 13-21 Park row, New York, March 19, 1913.				
Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:				
Dear Sir—In connection with the extension of the high pressure fire service system south of Chambers st. and west of Maiden lane, it becomes necessary to lay a section of the piping at the intersection of Broadway and Chambers st. This location is now occupied by the Degnon Contracting Co., engaged in the construction of the subway. For certain reasons, in which they are supported by the Public Service Commission, these contractors decline to permit the department contractors to enter the excavations made by them at this location for the purpose of laying the high pressure fire service mains. The Corporation Counsel advises me that there is no legal way in which the contractors of this department could secure possession of that section of the street while it is occupied with the work				

This agreement made this day of , 1913, between The City of New York, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, duly authorized so to do by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and by the Board of Aldermen of said City, party of the first part, and the Degnon Contracting Co., party of the second part.

Whereas, the party of the first part desires to lay and maintain 12-inch high pressure mains in and across the intersections of Broadway and Warren st., Broadway and Murray st., Broadway and Mail st., Broadway and Park place, and in Broadway, from Park place to about 50 feet south thereof, at which locations the party of the second part, under a contract with The City of New York, acting through the Public Service Commission of the 1st District, is engaged in making the excavations for the purpose of constructing a subway, and

Whereas, it is necessary for the purposes of the party of the first part that the 12-inch high pressure mains at the locations hereinbefore enumerated be installed before the completion of the subway structure, and be maintained during subway construction,

Now, therefore, this agreement witnesseth: In consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

First—The party of the second part agrees to construct the necessary temporary and permanent platforms, to alter and shift the temporary street supports, and to lay complete and ready for service within thirty (30) calendar days of the date on which this agreement becomes effective the 12-inch high pressure mains at the locations hereinbefore enumerated, and shown on the map or blueprint No. E-256, hereto attached, and hereby made a part of this agreement, entitled "City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, 12-inch high pressure mains to be laid through subway excavation—Section 2, Route 5," which is signed by the Chief Engineer.

Second—The party of the second part further agrees to support and maintain these 12-inch high pressure mains during subway construction, to alter the same where they interfere with the finished subway structure, and to support and maintain the same until the completion and acceptance of the subway structure by the City.

Third—The party of the first part agrees to furnish at its own cost and expense to the party of the second part at the site of the work the necessary high pressure pipe, special castings and miscellaneous castings for the construction of the mains proposed to be laid under this agreement and shown on the map or blueprint hereto attached, and the party of the first part hereby agrees to furnish at its own cost and expense to the party of the second part at the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity's yard at 56th st. and North River the necessary additional high pressure pipes, special castings and miscellaneous castings required for the rearrangement of the mains upon completion of the subway structure.

Fourth—In consideration of the work to be done by the party of the second part for the party of the first part, in connection with the installation of these high pressure mains, the party of the first part agrees to pay to the party of the second part as follows:

Item 1. For laying approximately 475 linear feet of 12-inch high pressure pipe the sum of \$2 per linear foot for the total number of linear feet actually laid, measured along the axis of the pipe. Estimated amount, \$950.

This price shall include the handling and laying of all materials, including the excavation, backfilling, repaving, lead, yarn, running, caulking, testing and recaulking. The work shall be done in accordance with the standard specifications for laying high pressure mains in the Borough of Manhattan, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity or his authorized agent or representative.

Item 2. For furnishing and placing approximately 5,000 pounds of wrought iron or steel rods or bands required for the reinforcing of the mains, the sum of 534 cents per pound of wrought iron or steel furnished and placed. Estimated amount, \$287.50.

Item 3. For building of platforms, changing supporting posts and all other work incidental to the installation of the mains and not included in Items 1 and 2, the sum of \$1,200 (lump sum).

Item 4. For safely maintaining and supporting the mains during subway construction, and until the completion and acceptance of the subway structure by The City of New York the sum of \$2,750 (lump sum).

Item 5. For disassembling and reconstructing such portions of the mains as will interfere with the completed subway structure, approximately 310 linear feet, the sum of \$4.20 per linear foot of 12-inch high pressure main disassembled, relaid and reconnected. Estimated amount, \$1,302.

This price shall include all the labor and material necessary to disassemble, relay and reconnect the mains. It shall include the handling and laying of all materials, the necessary lead, yarn, running, caulking, additional wrought iron or steel bolts and bands, testing of the mains and all other incidental work necessary to properly lay the mains in their final position, and the setting or resetting of not more than two high pressure hydrants together with their branches and controlling valves. All of this work is to be done in accordance with the standard specifications for laying high pressure mains in the Borough of Manhattan, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity or his authorized representative.

Item 6. If, at the time of installing these mains, the subway structure at the locations affected has been completed to a degree that any part of the pipe can be laid in its final position without temporary platforms or supports constructed therefor, the laying of such pipe will be paid for at \$4.20 per linear foot. No payment will be made for the laying of such pipe, under Items 1 or 5, and the payments to be made under Items 3 and 4 shall be reduced in the proportion that the number of linear feet of 12-inch high pressure mains thus laid in their final position without temporary platforms or supports bears to 475 linear feet which is the estimated number of linear feet of 12-inch high pressure mains stated under Item 1. The price to be paid under Item 6 shall, in this case, include the maintenance and support of the pipe until the completion of the subway structure and its acceptance by The City of New York.

Fifth. The party of the first part further agrees to reimburse the Degnon Contracting Company for any loss or damages due to the use, by The City of New York, of the high pressure mains installed under this agreement, unless such loss or damage is due to any negligence on the part of the Degnon Contracting Company, its servants or agents.

Sixth. The party of the first part further agrees that the amounts to become due to the party of the second part under Items 1, 2 and 3 and 6, shall be paid within thirty (30) days after the installation of the mains; that the sum to become due under Item 5 shall be paid within thirty (30) days after the mains have been reconstructed and relaid, and that the sum to become due under Item 4 shall be paid upon the completion of the subway structure and its acceptance by The City of New York.

The estimated cost of the work to be done under this agreement is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$950 00
Item 2.....	287 50
Item 3.....	1,200 00
Item 4.....	2,750 00
Item 5.....	1,302 00
Total.....	\$6,489 50

The covenants and agreements herein contained shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of the parties hereto respectively.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have duly executed this agreement, in triplicate, the day and year first above written.

Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.
DEGNON CONTRACTING COMPANY,

By

The City, County and State of New York, ss.:

On this day of , 1913, before me personally came Henry S. Thompson, to me known and known to me to be the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, the person described as such in and who as such executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as such Commissioner for the purposes therein mentioned.

The City, County and State of New York, ss.:

On this day , 1913, before me personally came , to me known and known to me to be the of the Degnon Contracting Co., the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; and , to me known and known to me to be the

of the said company, who, being by me several duly sworn, did say, each for himself, as follows:

The said , that he was the of said company, and the said that he was the of said company; that he knew the corporate seal of said company; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said company, and that by like order he thereto signed his name and official designation.

..... Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds.

Commissioner's Certificate.

In conformity with the provisions of section 149 of the Greater New York Charter, it is hereby certified that the estimated cost of the work, materials and supplies required by the within agreement, amounting to five thousand seven hundred thirty nine dollars and fifty cents (\$5,739.50), is chargeable to the fund provided by the sale of bonds or corporate stocks of The City of New York, entitled Water Fund, Borough of Manhattan, Laying High Pressure Mains (C. D. W.—13C).

..... Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Comptroller's Certificate.

The City of New York, , 1913.

In pursuance of the provisions of section 149 of the Greater New York Charter, I hereby certify that there remains unapplied and unexpended a balance of the appropriation or fund, Water Fund, Borough of Manhattan, Laying High Pressure Mains (C. D. W.—13C), applicable to this agreement, sufficient to pay the estimated expense of executing the same, viz.: \$5,739.50.

..... Comptroller.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Street Cleaning:

No. 3202.

Office of Commissioner of Street Cleaning, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 24, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—In connection with the proposed "clean-up" which is for the removal of accumulations other than those which come under the provisions for disposal of materials by this Department, I estimate that the amount necessary to cover both the expense of collection and of final disposition of these materials will be \$30,372.50, but because there is an accumulation in vacant lots which is almost impossible to estimate as a quantity, I believe it is fair to add to this estimate 25 per cent. for contingencies. I therefore ask that your honorable body, pursuant to the provisions of section 188, subdivision 8, of the Greater New York Charter, approve of an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$37,965.62 for the removal and final disposition of such materials as shall be taken up under this proposed clean-up. Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 3203.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, New York City, March 25, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen, The City of New York:

Sir—In the budget of the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1913 there was allowed the purchase of one automobile for the Borough of Manhattan, one for the Borough of Brooklyn and one for the Borough of The Bronx at the price of \$1,800 each, in addition to the exchange of the old automobile now in use in each of these Boroughs.

On January 10, 1913, I applied to the Sinking Fund Commission for their approval as to the exchange of these three automobiles. Under their resolution of November 27, 1912, and amended on February 26, 1913, wherein the Comptroller is required to approve of the reasonableness of the purchase price and the exchange value in all transactions of this character, therefore I apply to your honorable Board for the privilege of buying these machines in the open market without public letting as provided by section 419 of the Greater New York Charter.

Trusting that you will give this your immediate consideration, I am, Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 3147.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 1101), the annexed request of the Board of Assessors for \$1,462.50 special revenue bonds for salary increases, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, under the rule passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, this allowance cannot be made.

It therefore recommends that the same be placed on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY; Committee on Finance.

Office Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, March 11, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, 51 Chambers St., City:

Sir—The Board of Assessors respectfully requests that the Board of Aldermen issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$1,462.50 to provide for the increase in salary of the following named employees in the Office of the Board of Assessors, to take effect April 1, 1913:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Proposed Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Three Clerks	\$1,500 00	\$1,800 00	3
One Clerk	1,350 00	1,650 00	1
One Clerk	2,100 00	2,250 00	1
One Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,800 00	2,100 00	1
One Topographical Draftsman.....	1,650 00	1,950 00	1

The three Clerks it is proposed to increase to \$1,800 per annum are John J. Sheehan, William H. Steffens and Adolph J. Cohn.

Mr. Sheehan was appointed to service with this Board January 23, 1908. He computes assessments after the Board has planned procedure and established rates and areas.

Mr. Steffens was appointed in June, 1907. He is a computer of assessments and his work has been found very satisfactory to the Board.

Mr. Cohn was appointed in January, 1908. Mr. Cohn is a computer of assessments and the Board deems his work such that he is entitled to the above increase.

Mr. Rauch, the Clerk who it is proposed to increase to \$1,650 per annum, was transferred from the Board of Water Supply to service with this Board in June, 1908. Mr. Rauch is a computer of assessments, and the Board deems his work of such a character that he deserves the increase requested.

Mr. Bostwick, the Clerk who it is proposed to increase to \$2,250 per annum, was appointed in March, 1894. Mr. Bostwick's work has been very satisfactory, and the fact of his long experience in the office makes him a very valuable man. He is a computer of assessments.

Mr. Parry, the Stenographer and Typewriter, was transferred to this office from the Board of Water Supply on June 1, 1906. The office of the Board of Assessors prior to February, 1910, had a Stenographer at a salary of \$2,250 per annum, whose duties consisted of the taking of testimony and keeping of papers in connection with claims for damages brought under special acts of the Legislature. Since the resignation of the above Stenographer, Mr. Parry has taken all testimony submitted in these special matters, in addition to his regular work. The position of Stenographer at \$2,250 per annum was stricken from the 1911 Budget. The Board thinks, in view of the volume and character of work done by Mr. Parry, that the increase requested is merited.

Mr. Wieder, the Draftsman who it is proposed to promote to a salary of \$1,950 per annum, was appointed February, 1907. He prepares all special maps for the use of the Board; calculates drainage areas in connection with assessment lists; engrosses titles for assessment lists and various other duties in connection with his position. The Board finds his work satisfactory and deems it fit to increase his salary to the above amount.

The character of the work which is done in this office calls for very careful men, as each assessment laid requires a consideration of previous assessments, the rates of same and also the future assessments which the property will be called upon to bear. The men whose salaries it is proposed to increase have been willing and faithful at all times to assist the Board of Assessors in their endeavor to keep the work of the office up to date, thus avoiding excessive interest charges.

We respectfully call your attention to our last annual report as bearing out the above statements. Respectfully submitted, THOS. J. DRENNAN, Secretary.

Which report was accepted.

No. 3150.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 1102), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for \$974.25 special revenue bonds to pay the salary of a Foreman Wheelwright, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be unnecessary, there being but one Wheelwright requiring supervision.

It therefore recommends that the said application be placed on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY; Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 12, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—Request is hereby made upon the Honorable Board of Aldermen for the issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$974.25 to pay the wages of a Foreman Wheelwright at the rate of \$4.50 per diem, for 216½ days, between April 1 and December 31, 1913. This excludes Sundays and half Saturdays.

When the Budget for the current year was being made up, the Budget Committee struck out provision for Foreman Wheelwright, and it is to restore the position that this request is made. Respectfully,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which report was accepted.

No. 2429—(S. O. No. 218)

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 21, 1913 (Minutes, page 203), the annexed report of the Committee on Public Buildings and Markets in favor of an issue of \$60,000 special revenue bonds for repairs to Fulton Market, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has investigated this subject very thoroughly, having held a public hearing thereon, and in view of the information it has itself acquired, and the recommendation of the Committee on Public Buildings and Markets, which exhaustively examined the subject, it believes it to the best interests of the City to make the repairs, estimating that a sufficient number of new tenants will be secured to meet the charges on this appropriation. 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 sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of making repairs to Fulton Market. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Markets, to which was referred on December 17, 1912 (Minutes, page 712), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, containing a request for action by the Board of Aldermen in relation to abolishment of Fulton Market, respectfully

REPORTS:

That a similar communication was received from the Comptroller and Borough President early in 1912, which was at the time referred to this Committee for investigation and report; that on July 9, 1912, this Committee presented a report to the Board, which was adopted, containing recommendations, which are recited in the present communication. The carrying out of the recommendations made in such prior report rested almost entirely on the second recommendation to the effect that the standholders agree to pay an increased rental sufficient to cover the cost of interest on the amount necessary to make repairs required to place the market in a good condition for the transaction of business and to properly maintain it. The letter of the Borough President now under consideration is based on the belief that this recommendation could not be fulfilled.

Since the receipt of this second request for abolishment this Committee has communicated with the representatives of the standholders and secured from them the agreement, which is hereto attached. This agreement was presented to the representatives of the Comptroller and Borough President, who attended the Committee meeting, and was regarded by them as a satisfactory basis on which to proceed with the necessary improvements.

The Borough President states in his letter that it will require \$60,000 to go ahead and properly finish this work. As the Committee believes, from its knowledge gained in an investigation of this proposition of almost a year's duration, that as soon as the market is placed in a state of repair it will attract many additional standholders, and inasmuch as the standholders at present are willing to bear the burden of approximately 25 per cent. increase in their rentals in order that the building may be restored to something near its former state, it now recommends that this entire matter be referred to the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen, with the earnest recommendation that it present to the Board a resolution calling for \$60,000 special revenue bonds for the accomplishment of this improvement.

WM. BRUSH, JESSE D. MOORE, D. M. BEDELL, JAMES L. DEVINE, ROBERT H. BOSSE, JAMES J. MOLEN, A. L. KLINE, Committee on Public Buildings and Markets.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 16, 1912.

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

Dear Sirs—On July 9, 1912, your Board adopted a report of its Committee on Public Buildings and Markets containing the following recommendations:

"1. That the City, through its proper officers, take immediate steps to place the market (Fulton) in a habitable condition.

"2. That the standholders pay an increased rental sufficient to cover the cost of administration and maintenance; interest charges upon a fair valuation of the property and interest, sinking fund charges upon the new investment that may be necessary to put the property in proper condition.

"3. That written leases be made with the standholders for a period of years with a privilege of renewal."

This report of your Committee was made in response to a communication from the Borough President and the Comptroller, recommending the abolishment of the market on the ground that it was being operated at a serious loss to the City.

Upon receipt of advice of this action of your Board, the Borough President caused a careful investigation to be made by the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, and is now advised that it would require at least \$60,000 to place the market in good condition. He is further advised by the Finance Department that if this amount is expended for repairs, the rentals will have to be increased at least 26 per cent., and that none of the standholders will agree to pay more than 15 per cent. increase. Furthermore, two of the largest tenants have moved, or are now about to move out, which will make necessary an even larger increase than 26 per cent.

It is apparent, therefore, that the second recommendation of your Board cannot be carried out. I am, therefore, submitting these facts for your consideration, and would suggest that the matter be again referred to your Committee for a reconsideration of the recommendation that extensive repairs should be made to the building.

The Comptroller and I are both of the opinion that the market should be abandoned. If your Board should still fail to agree with us, it will be necessary for me to ask for an appropriation of at least \$60,000 to make the necessary repairs, without any prospect of securing an increase in the rentals sufficient to cover the carrying charges; so that the market will continue to be operated at a constantly increasing loss to the City.

Pending the determination of your Board, I will be able to make necessary repairs to the market through the use of the mechanical squads in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. It will be impossible, however, for me to undertake to make

any extensive repairs, or to guard against any unexpected damage that might result from severe snowstorms, etc.

A copy of the schedules furnished by the Comptroller's office, showing the assessed valuation, cost of operation and necessary increase in rental in order to cover carrying charges, is attached hereto. Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Fulton Market.

Assessed valuation	\$525,000 00
Cost of operation, cleaning, etc. (1911)	\$6,811 75
Collector's salary (1911)	675 00
Market stationery (1911)	940 37
Lighting (1911)	504 23
Repairs (1911)	3,000 00
Supervision, clerical labor, etc., estimated (1911)	1,000 00

Total maintenance cost (1911)	\$12,931 35
Add loss by exemption from taxation (1911)	9,228 98
Add 4 per cent. interest on assessed valuation (1911)	21,000 00

Total	\$43,160 33
Rentals	36,214 40

Net cost (or loss) to City

\$6,945 93

Cost of rehabilitation of market

\$47,500 00

Additional annual expense therefrom—

Depreciation at 5 per cent. on cost

\$2,375 00

Interest at 4 per cent. on cost

1,900 00

Additional annual cost

\$4,275 00

Present annual deficit

—6,945 93

Total necessary increase in rentals

\$11,220 93

Present rentals

36,214 40

Estimated necessary rentals

\$47,435 33

Square

Feet.

Space rented, inside stands

23,291 7

Space rented, outside stands

2,355

Add space occupied by unnecessary aisles

934

26,580 7

Average present rental per square foot (25,647.7 square feet), \$1.41 plus.

Average necessary rental per square foot (26,580.7 square feet), \$1.78 plus.

Necessary annual increase per square foot, 26 per cent. or 37 cents.

Loss by exemption from taxation on assessed valuation of the property

\$9,228 00

Depreciation annually

3,000 90

Interest, 4 per cent. on assessed valuation

22,880 00

Sinking Fund, based on fifteen years

8,100 00

\$43,208 00

We, the undersigned, tenants of The City of New York, occupying stands in Fulton Market, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, agree to execute leases for the stands in said market, now occupied by us, for a period of five years, and to pay an increased rent not to exceed twenty-six (26%) per cent. of our present rentals, such increase to be based upon the cost of repairing the exterior and interior of said market; the said increased rental not to commence until the market has been put in a sanitary and habitable condition;

It being further understood and agreed that the repairing of said market shall not interfere with our present occupancy of the same, during which time we agree to pay our present rentals. Repairs to be made within a reasonable time.

January 14, 1913.

BLACKFORDS (JOHN J. PAGE, Treasurer), WALTER T. SMITH, W. ELSWORTH SPRAGUE, JOHN J. HANSON, JOHN MULLIN, FRED CONLON, LOUIS KINLEY, JOHN ALLISON, JOS. B. CORWIN, G. W. JACKSON, MARTIN MILLER, GEO. MOYNAHAN, GUS WILLIAMS, CHAR. F. HOWELL, P. F. HARRIGAN, ALFRED MAYER, ABRAHAM LEVEN, CHARLES H. SEAMAN, GOLBA & BLANCA, THE MEYER & THOMPSON CO. (Per L. M. THOMPSON), WALTER F. MURPHY, JR., WILLIAM CUNEHAN, MARTIN GARONE, VETO PALLETTO, JOS. H. MAHER, ANTHONY GRAY CO.

Offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, February 3, 1913.

Hon. 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 Market	\$8,500 00
New curb	2,500 00
New comfort station	500 00
New drainage system	7,500 00
New electric light system	5,000 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 00

Respectfully,

LEROY F. COX, Assistant Engineer.
Offices of Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, 21 Park Row, New York City, February 24, 1913.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, Member

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 Municipal Civil Service Commission for the following purposes:

Salaries—	
2 Clerks at \$900 per annum each, from May 1 to December 31, 1913.....	\$1,200 00
1 Clerk at \$1,800 per annum, from May 1 to December 31, 1913.....	1,200 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter at \$900 per annum, from May 1 to December 31, 1913.....	600 00
Alterations—	
At 54 Lafayette st., as per Fire Department order.....	400 00

\$3,400 00

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York, 299 Broadway, 11th floor, New York, February 20, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Sir—At a meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission held on the 19th instant I was instructed to request an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of four thousand nine hundred dollars (\$4,900), to be used as follows:

Salary of 2 Clerks at \$900 per annum each.....	\$1,800 00
Salary of 1 Clerk.....	1,800 00
Salary of 1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00
For alterations at No. 54 Lafayette st., as per Fire Department order.....	400 00

\$4,900 00

Respectfully,
Which was laid over.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

No. 3149—(S. O. No. 220)

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 1102), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for \$8,500 special revenue bonds for resurfacing Crotona ave., respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. The attached estimate gives the figures in detail as calculated by the Engineer of the Department in figuring this expense.

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 eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of resurfacing Crotona ave.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 12, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made upon the Honorable Board of Aldermen for the issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$8,500 for the purpose of resurfacing the roadway of Crotona ave., lying within the northerly and southerly boundaries of Crotona Park in the Borough of The Bronx.

The amount requested is based upon a careful estimate made by the Chief Engineer of this department. I urge your early and favorable consideration of this request, as the roadway in question is in very miserable shape, and the resurfacing which it is proposed to do is very urgently needed. Respectfully,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 25, 1913.

Honorable HENRY H. CURRAN, Chairman, Finance Committee, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—By direction of the Commissioner I beg to enclose herewith an estimate showing the items of cost necessary for the repair of Crotona ave., for which application was made for a revenue bond issue of \$8,500. Yours truly,

E. J. FITZGERALD, Private Secretary.

Engineer's Estimate for Repairing and Resurfacing the Roadway of Crotona ave., from the Southerly to the Northerly Boundary of Crotona Park.

Scraping and removing useless material, 12,000 square yards, at 5 cents.....	\$600 00
500 square yards Gutter Relaying, at 15 cents.....	75 00
1,700 cubic yards broken stone, at \$2.....	3,400 00
600 cubic yards screenings, at \$2.....	1,320 00
Labor, including rolling, etc., 12,000 square yards, at 20 cents.....	2,400 00
10,000 gallons road oil in place, at 7 cents.....	700 00

\$8,495 00

Length of Roadway, 3,000 feet; width between Gutters, 36 feet; paved Gutters on each side, 2 feet. Total width of Roadway, 40 feet.

Which was laid over.

No. 3151—(S. O. No. 221)

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (minutes, page 1102), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for \$1,500 special revenue bonds for indexing maps, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. It believes, however, that \$1,200 will be a sufficiently large allowance to cover this work, and 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 one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of properly cataloguing and indexing certain maps, original drawings and tracings now in possession of said department. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, March 12, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—Request is hereby made upon the Honorable Board of Aldermen for the issue of Revenue Bonds to the extent of \$1,500 for the purpose of enabling the Engineering force of this department to properly catalogue and index several hundred maps, original drawings and tracings which are of great value to this department, and which I have been unable to have properly indexed.

In this connection, I desire to call your attention to Code 305B, authorized July 2, 1909, upon which final payment was made March 7, 1911. The appropriation of corporate stock was in the amount of \$5,000, "For Fireproofing Vault in the Office Building, Claremont Park." After building the vault and purchasing the necessary map and document files, there is remaining a balance of \$1,380.80 which will be returned to the general fund. It will, therefore, be seen that in making this request for revenue bonds to the extent of \$1,500, I am exceeding by but a very few dollars the original appropriation. It is an absolute necessity that this cataloguing and filing be done, in order that the valuable maps and drawings belonging to the department may be properly safeguarded, and valuable time saved, when it is necessary to produce any certain map or drawing.

I respectfully urge that this request may receive your favorable attention at an early date. Respectfully,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was laid over.

No. 3153—(S. O. No. 222)

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (minutes, page 1104), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for \$16,800 special revenue bonds for alterations in the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, to accommodate the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, and the Bureau of Buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. An estimate showing the manner in which this amount is calculated is hereto attached, as is also a letter from the Presiding Justice of the Appellate Division.

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 sixteen thousand, eight hundred dollars (\$16,800), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of making necessary alterations at the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, to accommodate the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court and the Bureau of Buildings.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, March 18, 1913.

The Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Recently the Sinking Fund Commission obtained quarters for the Corporation Counsel's office at 153 Pierrepont st., and an appropriation was also granted for removing their branch offices from the Borough Hall to the above address. The offices occupied by the Corporation Counsel in the Borough Hall are to be divided up for the use of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court and our Bureau of Buildings. We estimate that it will cost about \$13,500 for altering the rooms in the Appellate Division to make them useful as a court room and judges' quarters, and the cost of altering the rooms for the use of the Bureau of Buildings will be \$3,300, making a total of \$16,800, and I would respectfully request that your Board authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in this amount for the alterations herein mentioned.

Yours truly, L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

The total cost of proposed alterations to accommodate the Appellate Division and the Bureau of Buildings is estimated at \$16,800, and is subdivided as follows:

Appellate Division.

Masonry	\$1,000 00
Carpentry work	1,400 00
Plumbing and marble work	3,000 00
Painting	2,700 00
Bookcases for library and miscellaneous work in Clerk's office.....	3,200 00
Electrical work	2,200 00

Bureau of Buildings.

Refinishing floors	250 00
Carpentry work	400 00
Painting	850 00
Electrical work	1,800 00

\$16,800 00

Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Second Judicial Department, Chambers of the Presiding Justice, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Hon. L. H. CURRAN, Chairman:

My Dear Sir—The Appellate Division of the Second Department is exceedingly anxious that the means be afforded to equip the additional quarters which have been set aside for it.

We are in very close quarters at present, cramped and confined, without any adequate accommodation. Have been over the proposed court with Mr. Woody, and he will tell you that we have cut down the estimate most economically. Inspection of our present rooms will convince any one that we are in great and immediate need of the addition.

If there is any question about it, I would be glad to welcome you and the committee to an inspection or to appear before your committee with the other judges or alone. I am, very respectfully, FRANK J. JENKS, Presiding Justice.

March 24, 1913.

Which was laid over.

No. 3154—(S. O. No. 223)

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (minutes, page 1104), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for \$2,125 special revenue bonds for furnishings for use of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, and Bureau of Buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. An estimate in detail of this proposed expenditure is hereto attached.

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, one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$2,125), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of purchasing furnishings for new quarters of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court and the Bureau of Buildings in the Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, March 18, 1913.

The Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Under this date I have transmitted to you a request for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of \$16,800 for making alterations in the Borough Hall for the Appellate Division and the Bureau of Buildings. In connection with this it will be necessary for us to obtain some floor covering, desks, chairs, etc., for the Appellate Division, which we estimate will cost about \$2,125. I respectfully request your Honorable Board to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds for this amount at as early a date as possible, and further request that a resolution be adopted authorizing the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to purchase the necessary articles without public bidding.

Yours very truly, L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

The total cost for floor covering, desks, chairs, etc., is estimated at \$2,125. The items required to cover above named amount are sub-divided as follows:

Appellate Division.

450 yards of carpet, at \$1.50 per yard	\$675 00

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REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

An ordinance providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of twenty-four thousand six hundred and eighty-seven dollars and seventy-eight cents (\$24,687.78), to provide means for the furnishing and delivering of new pianos to new school buildings and additions to old school buildings, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education.

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 February 27, 1913, 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 twenty-four thousand six hundred and eighty-seven dollars and seventy-eight cents (\$24,687.78), to provide means for the furnishing and delivering of new pianos to new school buildings and additions to old school buildings, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, 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.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, HENRY F. GRIMM, C. AUGUSTUS POST, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 2203.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on November 19, 1912 (Minutes, page 273), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Weights and Measures, at \$1,050 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, inasmuch as this grade was fixed by the 1913 Budget, this resolution is unnecessary.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be placed on file.

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 Bureau of Weights and Measures, The Mayoralty, of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Salary Per Annum.	Incum- bents.
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	\$1,050 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 14, 1912. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which report was accepted.

Alderman O'Rourke moved the adoption of this resolution.

No. 2926.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 595), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing the grade of Foreman under the President of the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That at present these men get \$3.50 per day. Although the Budget has been modified by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to provide for this increase for them of 50 cents a day, this cannot take effect until this new grade is approved. The \$4 rate is the one which prevails in City departments for this work.

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 February 13, 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 Richmond of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Foreman	\$4 00	6

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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 2929—(G. O. No. 410).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 597), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Photographer at \$1,200 per annum, Department of Finance, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed position to be necessary to aid the department in making proper investigations into the physical conditions involved in the many matters which come before it for report and adjustment.

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 February 13, 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 Finance, of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Photographer	\$1,200 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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 2973—(G. O. No. 411).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 645), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Price Expert at \$2,000 per annum under the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is a change of title from Investigator to one more descriptive of the duties performed by the incumbent and involves no change in salary.

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 February 20, 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 Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Price Expert	\$2,000 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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 2974—(G. O. No. 412).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 647), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Chemist and Bacteriologist, at \$1,800 per annum, under President, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the new sewerage disposal plant at West New Brighton requires the services of an expert in this line a little better equipped than the ordinary Chemist. There is a grade now in existence for Chemist, at \$1,500. This grade is abolished by this resolution and the higher grade created.

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 February 20, 1913.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, of the position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chemist and Bacteriologist.....	\$1,800 00	1

—and that the position of Chemist, at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, for one incumbent, be hereby abolished.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAMES R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 2975—(G. O. No. 413).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 647), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Hydrographer, at \$1,800 per annum, in the Department of Docks and Ferries, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is in reality a change of title, it being proposed to substitute this more necessary employee for a Topographical Draftsman, at \$1,800, by abolishing the latter place.

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 February 20, 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 Docks and Ferries of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Hydrographer	\$1,800 00	1

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAMES R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 2976—(G. O. No. 414).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 648), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of Clerk, at \$1,350 and \$1,650 per annum, in the Law Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these are intermediate grades for the purposes of promotion.

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 February 20, 1913.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 27, 1912, 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 office of the Corporation Counsel of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	\$1,350 00	Unlimited
Clerk	1,650 00	Unlimited

—be amended to read 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 office of the Corporation Counsel of the grade of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	\$1,350 00	5
Clerk	1,650 00	5

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salaries of said positions as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUM

John A. Allen, of Elm st., Astoria, in the Borough of Queens; William J. Murphy, of 410 Park place, in the Borough of Brooklyn; Wesley L. Henry, of 1187 Washington ave., in the Borough of The Bronx.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That John A. Allen, of Elm st., Astoria, in the Borough of Queens be, and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That William J. Murphy, of 410 Park place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That Wesley L. Henry, of 1187 Washington avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAMES R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3054 (G. O. No. 416).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1016), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Deputy Chief Probation Officer, Female, at \$2,000 per annum, in the Court of Special Sessions, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is a matter of policy in the supervision of Female Probation Officers, it being believed that better results may be obtained by having a competent woman in charge than by male direction.

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 February 27, 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 Court of Special Sessions, City of New York, of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Deputy Chief Probation Officer, Female.....	\$2,000 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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3055.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1017), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing compensation of certain Janitors, Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these are readjustments in salary based on the usual regulations.

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 February 27, 1913:

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

Whereas, The matter of adjusting the compensation of Janitors and the fixation of their salaries under the provision of section 56 of the Charter is now in the hands of a Special Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; 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 the report of said Committee, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and, until further modified, in accordance with the following list:

Title and School.	Rate of Compensation.
Janitor, 82, Manhattan, per annum (less \$234 rent allowance)	\$2,208 00
Janitor, 18, The Bronx, per annum (less \$240)	1,644 00
Janitor, 22, The Bronx, per month	60 00
Janitor, 61, Brooklyn, per month	60 00
Janitor, 78, Manhattan, per annum	4,296 00
Janitor, 132, Manhattan, per annum	4,260 00
Janitor, 7, Manhattan, per annum	2,868 00
Janitor, 21, Manhattan, per annum	5,088 00
Janitor, 79, Manhattan, per annum	2,376 00
Janitor, 2, The Bronx, per annum	3,768 00
Janitor, 3, The Bronx, per annum	5,604 00
Janitor, 105, Brooklyn, per annum	1,068 00
Janitor, 138, Brooklyn, per annum	7,056 00
Janitor, 159, Brooklyn, per annum	3,228 00
Janitor, 19, Queens, per annum	1,320 00
Janitor, 77, Queens, per annum	4,236 00
Janitor, 88, Queens, per annum	3,324 00
Janitor, Jamaica Training School, per annum	3,384 00
Janitor, Washington Irving High School, per month	500 00
Janitor, 40, Queens, per month, from December 23, 1912, to January 6, 1913	100 00
Janitor, 40, Queens, per month, after January 6, 1913	150 00
Janitor, 153, Brooklyn, for temporary care of 96, Brooklyn, per annum	600 00
Janitor, 23, Queens, for cleaning snow from site of Flushing High School on December 27 and 28, 1912	10 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the compensation of said positions as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; Presidents Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 3056.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1018), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing compensation of certain Janitors, Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be necessary. 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 February 27, 1913:

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

Whereas, The matter of adjusting the compensation of Janitors and the fixation of their salaries under the provision of section 56 of the Charter is now in the hands of a special committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; 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 the report of said committee, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified, in accordance with the following list:

Title and School.	Rate of Compensation.
Janitor, 23, Brooklyn (per annum)	\$3,504 00
Janitor, 52, Manhattan (per annum)	1,212 00
Janitor, 98D, Manhattan (per annum)	1,036 00
Janitor, 35, The Bronx (per month)	224 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the compensation of said positions as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; Presidents Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 3057 (G. O. No. 417).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1019), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing grade of Stenographer and Typewriter at \$900 and Typewriting Copyist at \$750, in the City Magistrates' Courts, First Division, respectfully

REPORTS:

That new rules requiring reports from twenty probation officers monthly make this addition to the force almost imperative. 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 February 27, 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 City Magistrates' Courts, First Division, of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	\$900 00	1
Typewriting Copyist	750 00	2

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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3058—(G. O. No. 418)

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1020), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing grade of Steam Roller Engineer at \$4.75 per diem in all City departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution is for the purpose of placing these men in City departments on the same basis which prevails in private employment.

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 6, 1913:

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 City Departments of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate	Number of
	Per Diem.	Incumbents.
Steam Roller Engineer.....	\$4 75	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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3060—(G. O. No. 419)

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1022), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of Storekeeper, at \$4 per day, and Inspector of Repairs, at \$4 per day, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these titles are more indicative of the character of the work performed by Foremen at the same rate, and involve no new places or increases in salary.

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 6, 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 Richmond of the grades of positions in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Storekeeper	\$4 00	1
Inspector of Repairs.....	4 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.

NILES R. BECKER

Aldermen the establishment in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents
Clerk	\$3,500 00	1
Clerk	2,550 00	2
Clerk	2,250 00	1
Assistant Engineer	2,250 00	1
Librarian	1,350 00	1
Inspector	1,350 00	2
Inspector of Public Works	2,100 00	1
Transitman	1,650 00	2

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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3063—(G. O. No. 421)

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1025), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing position of Supervising Nurse, Social Service, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is an increase of \$300 per annum for an employee of seven years' service who has developed this character of work in this department.

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, 1913:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Supervising Nurse, Social Service	\$1,200 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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3064—(G. O. No. 422)

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred, on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1026), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Fuel Engineer at \$1,650 per annum, Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is an inferior grade established for the purpose of securing a suitable Engineer by transfer.

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 6, 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 Education of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Fuel Engineer	\$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.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 3065.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred, on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1026), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing compensation of certain Janitors, Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be necessary.

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, 1913:

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

Whereas, The matter of adjusting the compensation of Janitors and the fixation of their salaries under the provisions of section 56 of the Charter is now in the hands of a special committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; 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 the report of said Committee, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified, in accordance with the following list:

Rate of Compensation.
Janitor, Public School 162, Manhattan, per month..... \$60 00
Janitor, Public School 23, Manhattan, per annum, less \$286..... 2,700 00
Janitor, Public School 15, Manhattan, per annum, less \$260..... 3,636 00
Janitor, Public School 50, Annex, Brooklyn, per annum, less \$221..... 1,104 00
Janitor, Public School 43, The Bronx, per annum..... 4,680 00
Janitor, Morris High School, The Bronx, per annum..... 2,000 00
Janitor, Manual Training High School, Brooklyn, per annum..... 2,000 00
Janitor, Public School 188, Manhattan, per annum..... 2,000 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the compensation of said positions as set forth therein.

NILES R. BECKER, D. M. BEDELL, HUGH CUMMUSKEY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JAS. R. WESTON, JAMES F. MARTYN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, DuJat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kennally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

Reports of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 2648—(G. O. No. 423)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred, on January 14, 1913 (Minutes, page 178), a petition in favor of changing the name of Donnelly ave. to Madison ave., Flushing, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be in accord with the opinion of the residents of the street mentioned.

It therefore recommends that the hereto attached resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Donnelly ave., Flushing, Borough of Queens, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Madison ave., and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3001—(G. O. No. 424)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred, on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 823), the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the width of the roadway and sidewalks on Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary.

It therefore recommends that the said hereto annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway and sidewalks on Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That the width of the roadway on Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at thirty feet from curb to curb, and that the sidewalk space is established at ten feet on each side thereof, and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made take notice thereof.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway of Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That the width of the roadway of Baker ave., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at fifty feet between curb and curb, and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made take notice thereof.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3002—(G. O. No. 425)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on February 25, 1913 (Minutes, page 823), the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the width of the roadway of Mead st., from Garfield st. to Unionport rd., in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary.

It, therefore, recommends that the hereto annexed substitute ordinance be adopted:

(SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway and sidewalks on Mead st., from Garfield st. to Unionport rd., in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway on Mead st., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at thirty feet from curb to curb, and that the sidewalk space is established at ten feet on each side thereof, and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made take notice thereof.

(ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway of Mead st., from Garfield st. to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

That the width of the roadway of Mead st., from Garfield st. to Unionport rd., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at fifty feet between curb and curb, and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made, take notice thereof.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3025—(G. O. No. 426)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 984) the annexed communication in favor of changing the name of E. 25th st., Borough of Brooklyn, to Bedford ave., from the Local Board, Flatbush District, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be desirable.

It, therefore, recommends that the hereto attached resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the name of E. 25th st., from Flatbush ave. south to the termination thereof, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Bedford ave., and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Petition for Changing the Name of E. 25th st.

Borough of Brooklyn, February 10, 1913.

Hon. ALFRED E. STEERS, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The subscribers whose names are written underneath respectfully petition you and the Local Board of the Flatbush District:

"To adopt a resolution recommending to the Board of Aldermen the adoption of a resolution changing the name of E. 25th st. from Flatbush ave. south to the termination thereof, to read Bedford ave."

The street, at the present time, is commonly known as Bedford ave. and the addresses of the residents living on that street are all given, both in the trades directories and the telephone books as "Bedford ave.," whereas the legal name, now, is E. 25th st.

We respectfully ask that this matter be given early consideration so that we can avoid the confusion which very often arises under these conflicting street names.

DAN'L J. PRENDERGAST, 2043 E. 25th st.; A. E. STEERS, 2645 E. 25th st.; and others.

Which was laid over.

No. 3075—(G. O. No. 427)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1076), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Woodlawn road to E. 204th st., in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

No. 3077—(G. O. No. 428).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1076), the annexed resolution to change the name of Anna place to Kindermann place, in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be desirable. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Anna pl., from Webster ave. to Brook ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Kindermann pl., and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3078—(G. O. No. 429).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1076), the annexed resolution to change the name of Wendover ave. to Claremont parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be desirable. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Wendover ave., from Webster ave. to Fulton ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Claremont parkway, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, W. A. SHIPLEY, SAMUEL MARKS, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3095—(G. O. No. 430).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1078), the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the width of the roadway and sidewalks on 241st st., between White Plains ave. W. and the Bronx blvd., in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary.

It therefore recommends that the hereto annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway and sidewalks on 241st st., from White Plains ave. W. to the Bronx blvd., in the Borough of The Bronx.

Be It Ordained, By the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

That, The width of the roadway on 241st st., from White Plains ave. to the Bronx blvd., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at thirty feet from curb to curb and that the sidewalk space is established at ten feet on each side thereof and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made take notice.

(ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE to establish the width of the roadway in 241st st., from White Plains Avenue West to Bronx boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That the width of the roadway of 241st st., from White Plains ave. to Bronx boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby established at 30 feet between curb and curb, and that the President of the Borough in all improvements to be made take notice thereof.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, W. A. SHIPLEY, SAMUEL MARKS, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

No. 3159 (G. O. No. 431).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers to which was referred on March 18, 1913 (Minutes, page 1146) the annexed resolution to name Tunnel st., in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed name to be an appropriate one.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the underground passageway extending from Broadway at 190th street to the subway station at 191st street and St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby named Tunnel street.

JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, SAMUEL MARKS, W. A. SHIPLEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Street Cleaning:

Nos. 467, 1074, 1077 and 1397.

The Committee on Street Cleaning to which was referred the following:

Int. No. 467. Communication from the Woman Study Suffrage Club in relation to the condition of streets, February 27, 1912 (Minutes, page 636).

Int. No. 1074. Communication from Mrs. Flora Spiegelberg in reference to collection of ashes and garbage, May 14, 1912 (Minutes, page 446).

Int. No. 1077. Communication from Woman's Municipal League in reference to the collection of ashes and garbage, May 14, 1912 (Minutes, page 446).

Int. No. 1397. Communication from Mrs. Flora Spiegelberg on present methods of collection of ashes and garbage, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the above matters need no further consideration.

It, therefore, recommends that the said communications be placed on file.

JAMES R. WESTON, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, CHARLES A. POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, JESSE D. MOORE, Committee on Street Cleaning.

Which report was accepted.

Reports of Committee on Privileges and Elections:

Nos. 1641 and 2038.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections, to which was referred on July 9, 1912, and October 22, 1912 (Minutes, pages 166 and 179), the annexed resolutions in favor of electing a successor to John W. Hagenmiller, Alderman of the 37th District, resigned, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the above matters need no further consideration.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolutions be placed on file.

Resolved, That John W. Hagenmiller, of 969 Cauldwell ave., be and he hereby is elected an Alderman from the 37th District, in place and stead of John W. Hagenmiller, resigned.

Resolved, That John Holloway, of 627 Eagle ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1912 and 1913, for the 37th Aldermanic District, in the place and stead of John W. Hagenmiller, resigned.

Which report was accepted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 206—(Int Nos. 2545 and 2546).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on February 4, 1913 (Minutes, page 504), the annexed ordinances providing for the regulation of moving picture theatres, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having covered the subject of censorship of films by a separate ordinance, it now presents the structural ordinances as introduced by Alderman Folks, with which the Board is entirely familiar.

It recommends that the said ordinances be adopted.

An amendment providing license fees for motion picture theatres.

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

Section 308, article 2, title 2, chapter 7, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

308. The annual license fees shall be as below enumerated: For each public cart or truck, \$2; for each public hack coach, \$3; for each public hack cab, \$2; for each special hack coach, \$5; for each special hack cab, \$3; for each express wagon, \$5; for each junk shop dealer, \$20; for each dealer in second-hand articles, \$25; for each junk cart or boat, \$5; for each peddler using horse and wagon, \$8; for each peddler using push cart, \$4; for each peddler carrying merchandise, \$2; for each ticket speculator, \$50; for each coal scalper, \$250; for each common show, \$25; for each open air motion picture theatre, \$50; for each motion picture theatre, \$100; for each public shooting gallery, \$5; for each public bowling alley, \$5; for each public billiard table, \$3; for each dirt cart, \$1; for each general hoisting, \$25; for each special hoisting, \$1; for each fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$10; for each newspaper or periodical stand, or booth, and in addition also a fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$15; for each movable newspaper stand, \$1; for each newspaper and periodical stand, or booth, \$5; for each chair of a bootblack stand, \$5; for each stand under elevated railroad stations, \$10; for each driver of any licensed vehicle, 50 cents.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

An amendment to license motion picture theatres.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 305, article 1, title 2, chapter 7, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

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, vendors, 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 stations.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, JOHN A. BOLLES, JAMES HAMILTON, WM. BRUSH, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, SAMUEL MARKS, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 207—Int. No. 2547.

The undersigned, a minority of the Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on February 4, 1913 (Minutes, page 504), an ordinance relative to motion picture theatres, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes certain changes to be necessary for the proper protection of the patrons of such places of amusement, and while agreeing with many of the regulations prescribed by said ordinance, submits here-with what the undersigned regards as a decided advance in the matter of safeguarding the public, and recommends that the said amended ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE relative to motion picture theatres.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Chapter 7, Title 2, Article 3, Section 352—Motion Pictures and Motion Picture Theatres.

352a.

Motion pictures shall be deemed a display on a screen or other device whereby pictures are displayed of characters or objects in motion, whether or not accompanied by music, lecture, recitation or song.

352b.

A motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public hall or room in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, in which the seating capacity does not exceed 600, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

An open-air motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public place or space in the open air in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

The Mayor shall appoint such Inspectors as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this ordinance. They shall be known as "Motion Picture Theatre Inspectors," and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board of Aldermen on recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

352c.

The Bureau of Licenses shall issue all motion picture licenses granted by the Mayor, and by authority of the Mayor shall regulate and control all motion picture theatres, provided:

1. Applicants for motion picture theatre licenses shall file plans and specifications of the motion picture theatre with the Bureau of Buildings of the Borough in which the motion picture theatre is to be situated, and must file a copy of such plans and specifications duly approved by the Superintendent of Buildings with the application for the license, which application shall be made to the Bureau of Licenses on blanks furnished by it for that purpose.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall, without delay upon the request of an applicant, pass upon the location of the motion picture theatre and upon the character of the applicant requesting the license.

3. The Bureau of Licenses shall request the Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Department of Health to inspect said theatres, and the said Departments shall file in the Bureau of Licenses, within ten days, detailed written reports, which shall include a statement of any violations of law, ordinances, rules and regulations, and any dangerous conditions. Upon the failure of any of said Departments (excepting the Fire Department) to file detailed written reports in reply to the request of the Bureau of Licenses, the said Bureau may disregard said Department, and, in its discretion, may issue a license.

4. Until the provisions of this ordinance shall have been complied with, no license shall be issued.

352d.

1. Plans—Before the erection, construction or alteration of a building, or part thereof, to be used as a motion picture theatre, there must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings complete plans and detailed statement as set forth in section 4 of the Building Code. The plans must show clearly and fully the location and width of all exits, passageways, aisles, etc., arrangement of seats, size of floor beams, walls, supports, etc.; the location and construction of the inclosure for the motion picture light and machinery, and for other similar apparatus; a diagram of the lot or plot, showing outlets from all exits, and also such other statements, plans or details as may be required by the Superintendent of Buildings.

2. Prohibition—Motion picture theatres shall not be constructed in frame buildings within the fire limits, nor in hotels, tenement houses or lodging houses; nor in factories or workshops, except where the theatre is separated from the rest of the building by unpierced fireproof walls and floors, and in no case shall they be constructed or operated above or below the ground floor of any building.

3. Exits and Courts—All such buildings must be provided on the main floor of the theatre with at least two separate exits, one of which shall be in the front and the other in the rear, both leading to unobstructed outlets on the street. Where the main floor of the theatre accommodates more than 300 people there shall be at least three such exits, the aggregate width in feet of such exits shall not be less than one twentieth of the number of persons to be accommodated thereby. No exits shall be less than 5 feet in width and there shall be a main exit not less than 10 feet in total width.

In all such buildings to be erected or to be altered so as to be used for a motion picture theatre, if unobstructed exit to a street cannot be provided at the rear of such buildings, as herein specified, either an open court or a fireproof passage or corridor must be provided from rear exit to the street front, of at least the following width: 4 feet in the clear for theatres accommodating 100 persons or less, for every additional 100 persons the width to be increased 8 inches. Such passage must be constructed of fireproof material and must be at least 10 feet high in the clear. The walls forming such passage must be at least 8 inches thick, of brick or other approved fireproof material, and if there be a basement the wall on the auditorium side should either run 1 foot below the cellar bottom or may be carried in the cellar on iron columns and girders properly fireproofed according to sections 106 and 107 of the Building Code.

The ceiling of said passage, and if there be a basement, the flooring must be constructed according to section 106 of the Building Code.

If unobstructed rear exit or exits to a street are provided the said exit or exits must be of the same total width required for the court or passage above mentioned.

Said passages and exits to the street, as above, must be used for no other purposes except for exit and entrance and must be kept free and clear.

The level of the open court or passage at the front of the building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk, and the grade shall not be more than 1 foot in 10, with no perpendicular rises.

All exit doors must be unlocked when building is open to the public. They must be fireproof and made to open outwardly and so arranged as not to obstruct the required width of exit or court when opened.

4. Galleries—A gallery shall not be permitted.

5. Auditorium and Other Rooms—If the walls of the auditorium contain wood studs, they shall be covered with either expanded metal lath or wire mesh and plastered with three coats of first class plaster, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards. The joints shall be properly filled with mortar.

The ceilings of all such rooms shall be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or metal lath, or covered with one-half inch plaster boards and plastered or covered with metal.

If there be a basement or cellar, the ceiling under the auditorium floor must be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or expanded metal lath, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards.

The basement or cellar under the auditorium shall be kept free and clear except the space used for the heating apparatus, for machinery connected with the theatre, and for coal.

6. Construction of Booths—Apparatus for projecting motion pictures shall be enclosed in a booth or enclosure constructed so as to be fireproof, in accordance with the specifications of chapter 756 of the Laws of 1911. The booth shall be equipped with a vent flue as prescribed in section 352e, paragraph 2 of this ordinance. Booths shall contain an approved fireproof box for the storage of films not on the projecting machine. Films shall not be stored in any other place on the premises; they shall be rewound and repaired either in the booth or in some other approved fireproof enclosure.

Where miniature motion picture machines are employed in connection with private exhibitions, the requirements of the above paragraph may be so modified as to permit instead of the regulation booth, an approved fireproof box, unventilated, and of a size only sufficient to properly enclose the machine.

7. Gradients—To overcome any difference of level in and between corridors, lobbies and aisles, gradients of not over one foot in ten feet, or steps having a rise not over eight inches and a width of not less than ten inches must be used.

8. Aisles—All aisles must not be less than three feet wide in the clear. No aisle passageway or space in the rear of the auditorium shall be obstructed by any camp stool, chair, sofa or settee, nor shall any person be permitted to stand or sit therein.

9. Chairs—All chairs in the auditorium except those contained in the boxes, must not be less than 32 inches from back to back and must be firmly secured to the floor. No seat in the auditorium shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The space occupied by each person shall be separated from the adjoining space by means of an arm or other suitable device.

10. Signs Over Exits—Over every exit there must be painted on the inside in letters not less than six inches high, the word "Exit" in legible type, and one red light or illuminated sign must be placed inside over each exit, and illuminated while the audience is present.

11. Floor Loads—The flooring of that portion of the building devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public must be of sufficient strength to bear safely a live load of 90 pounds per square foot.

12. Toilets—Toilets separate for sexes must be provided.

13. Fire Apparatus—Portable fire apparatus shall be provided of the following kind and number: Ten-quart capacity buckets, painted red with the word "Fire" in black, the letters four inches high, to the number of 6 for places seating less than 300; to the number of ten in places seating over 300 persons. There shall be two buckets containing dry sand kept in the operating booth; approved fire extinguishers of 2½-gallon capacity of the regulation Fire Department pattern, of which two shall be on the main floor and one in the operating booth; four-pound flat head axes, two of which shall be on the main floor.

352e.

1. Lighting—Every portion of a moving picture theatre, including exits, courts and corridors, devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public, shall be so lighted by electric light during all exhibitions and until the entire audience has left the premises, that a person with normal eyesight should be able to read the Snellen standard test type 40 at a distance of twenty feet and type 30 at a distance of ten feet; normal eyesight meaning ability to read type 20 at a distance of twenty feet in daylight. Cards showing types 20, 30 and 40 shall be displayed on the side walls, together with a copy of this paragraph of the ordinance.

2. Heating—When the temperature of the outdoor air is below 60 degrees F. the air in the theatre, while an audience is present, shall be maintained at a temperature not lower than 62 degrees F. nor higher than 70 degrees F.

If gas stoves, oil stoves or other apparatus throwing off products of combustion are used to heat motion picture theatres, said products of combustion must be carried to the outside air by means of a fireproof flue or flues.

No radiator shall be placed in the aisles so as to lessen the width below the minimum requirement.

3. Ventilation—Motion picture theatres having less than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or motion picture theatres in which the outside window and door area is less than one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person.

Motion picture theatres having more than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person or which have outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation, which shall be in operation when the outside temperature requires the windows to be kept closed, and which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person. When the artificial ventilation is not in operation ventilation by means of open doors and windows shall be sufficient to provide each person with 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour.

Motion picture theatres having more than 1,000 cubic feet of air space for each person and having outside windows and doors the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the total floor area, shall not be required to have artificial means of ventilation, provided the air is thoroughly changed by freely opening doors and windows immediately before the admission of the audience, and at least every 4 hours thereafter.

No part of the fresh air supply required by any of the above paragraphs of this section shall be taken from any source containing vitiated air.

The area of outside doors and windows shall mean the area capable of being freely opened to the outside air for ventilation purposes.

When fresh air is supplied by means of ventilating openings, at least one inlet shall be situated at one end of the room, and at least one outlet at the other end of the room. Where exhaust or inlet fans are necessary, at least one of such fans shall be placed in an outlet opening. The inlet opening or openings shall be placed in the floor or within two feet from the floor, and the outlet opening or openings in the ceiling or within two feet of the ceiling. The inlet openings and their surroundings shall be kept free from dust so that the incoming air shall not convey dust nor stir up dust as it enters.

During the time the audience is present, the air in the theatres shall be kept continuously in motion by means of fans to the number of at least one to every 150 persons. Such fans shall be placed in positions remote from the inlet and outlet openings. No person shall be exposed to any direct draft from any air inlet.

The booth in which the picture machine is operated shall be provided with an opening in its roof or upper part of its side walls, leading to the outdoor air. The vent flue shall have a minimum cross sectional area of 50 square inches and shall be fireproof. When the booth is in use, there shall be a constant current of air passing outward through said opening or vent flue at the rate of not less than 30 cubic feet per minute.

The specifications of the above paragraph shall apply to portable booths and booths in open air theatres.

352f.

Motion picture theatres must be kept clean and free from dust.

The floors where covered with wood, tiles, stone, concrete, linoleum, or other washable material, shall be mopped or scrubbed with water or swept with moisture or by some other dustless method at least once daily, and shall be scrubbed with water and soap, or water and some other solvent substance at least once weekly.

Carpets, rugs and other fabric floor coverings shall be cleaned at least once daily by means of suction cleaning, beating or dustless sweeping. Curtains and draperies shall be cleaned at least once monthly by suction cleaning, beating or washing. Cornices, walls and other dust-holding places shall be kept free from dust by washing or moist wiping. The wood and metal parts of all seats shall be kept clean.

Fabric upholstering of seats and railings and other fixed fabrics shall be cleaned by suction cleaning, or other dustless method, at least once monthly.

352g.

Through its Motion Picture Inspectors, as provided in subsection 352b of this ordinance, the Bureau of Licenses shall inspect, subject to the authority of the Mayor, the character of exhibitions in motion picture theatres and shall report to the Mayor any offense against morality, decency or public welfare contained in said exhibitions.

352h.

All the provisions contained in this ordinance shall apply to existing places of entertainment, where motion pictures are exhibited under a common show license, in case the seating capacity be increased; and in case the seating capacity be not increased, all the provisions of this ordinance shall apply, except those provisions of subsection 352d, designated as numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, but the Bureau of Licenses shall have power in its discretion to enforce the provisions of said paragraph 3 of section 352d as to exits and courts.

352i.

Existing places of entertainment seating 300 persons, or less, where motion pictures are exhibited in conjunction with any other form of entertainment, must comply, before a reissuance of its license, with the provisions of section 109 of the Building Code, covering theatres seating more than 300 persons. But if such existing place of entertainment discontinue all other form of entertainment except the exhibition of motion pictures, it may be licensed in accordance with the provisions of subsection 352h.

352j.

With the exception of paragraph 7 of subsection 352d, subsections 352a to 352i, inclusive, and subsections 352h, 352i, 352k and 352l of this ordinance, shall not apply to motion picture exhibitions with or without charge for admission, conducted under the direct management of educational or religious institutions, nor to motion picture exhibitions without charge for admission given or held not more than once a week in private residences or bona fide social, scientific, political or athletic clubs. Before motion pictures shall be exhibited in any of the places above mentioned, there shall be obtained from the Bureau of Licenses a permit for such exhibition. Before granting such permit, the Bureau of Licenses shall cause to be inspected the premises where such proposed exhibition will be held, and shall grant the permit if in its judgment the safety of the public be properly guarded, and provided that for an audience of more than 75 people all chairs or seats shall be securely fastened to the floor or fastened together in rows.

352k.

The Bureau of Licenses, at its discretion, shall specify the seating capacity for each open air motion picture theatre. Aisles must be 4 feet wide, or wider, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses. At least two separate exits, remote from each other, shall be provided, and no exit shall be less than 5 feet in width. For every 25 persons to be accommodated, in excess of 300, the total width of exits shall be increased 1 foot. All exits must be indicated by signs and red lights and the doors must open outwardly. Seats must be stationary, with backs 32 inches apart, and so arranged that no seat shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The floor must be constructed either of wood with sleepers or of concrete, and must extend at least 5 feet from the seats on all sides, provided, however, that, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses, a gravel floor may be substituted for wood or concrete. Chairs must either be securely fastened to wood or concrete floor, or all chairs in a row must be fastened together and at least four rows must be securely fastened to one frame, except that where refreshments are served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted.

352l.

Only subsections 352a, 352b, 352c, 352d, paragraphs 7 and 13, and 352g, 352j and 352k of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres.

352m.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. All other rules, regulations and ordinances inconsistent herewith and affecting buildings and places to be occupied as herein defined are hereby revoked.

Alderman Folks moved that consideration of these two special orders be postponed until after consideration of the other special orders listed on the calendar.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Alderman Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Igstaedter, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works and the Vice-Chairman—36.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixson, Dowling, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Schmidt, Smith, Stapleton, Veltner, Walsh, Wendel, White—29.

Subsequently, these special orders came up for consideration.

Alderman Wilmot offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the vote by which the minority report of the Committee on Laws and Legislation covering Int. No. 2547 was substituted for the majority be and the same is hereby reconsidered.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Diemer, Dotzler, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gelbke, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Igstaedter, Levine, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice-Chairman—38.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixson, Dowling, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, Molen, Morrison, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Schmidt, Smith, Stapleton, Veltner, Walsh, Wendel, White—33.

This vote brought before the Board the ordinance No. 2547 reported by the majority of the committee, which is as follows:

No. 2547.

AN ORDINANCE relative to motion picture theatres.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Chapter 7, Title 2, Article 3, Section 352—Motion Pictures and Motion Picture Theatres.

Motion pictures shall be deemed a display on a screen or other device whereby pictures are displayed of characters or objects in motion, whether or not accompanied by music, lecture, recitation or song.

352b.

A motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public hall or room in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, in which the seating capacity does not exceed 600, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

An open-air motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public place or space in the open air in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

The Mayor shall appoint such Inspectors as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this ordinance. They shall be known as "Motion Picture Theatre Inspectors," and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board of Aldermen on recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

352c.

The Bureau of Licenses shall issue all motion picture licenses granted by the Mayor, and by authority of the Mayor shall regulate and control all motion picture theatres, provided:

1. Applicants for motion picture theatre licenses shall file plans and specifications of the motion picture theatre with the Bureau of Buildings of the Borough in which the motion picture theatre is to be situated, and must file a copy of such plans and specifications duly approved by the Superintendent of Buildings with the application for the license, which application shall be made to the Bureau of Licenses on blanks furnished by it for that purpose.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall, without delay upon the request of an applicant, pass upon the location of the motion picture theatre and upon the character of the applicant requesting the license.

3. The Bureau of Licenses shall request the Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Department of Health to inspect said theatres, and the said Departments shall file in the Bureau of Licenses, within ten days, detailed written reports, which shall include a statement of any violations of law, ordinances, rules and regulations, and any dangerous conditions. Upon the failure of any of said Departments (excepting the Fire Department) to file detailed written reports in reply to the request of the Bureau of Licenses, the said Bureau may disregard said Department, and, in its discretion, may issue a license.

4. Until the provisions of this ordinance shall have been complied with, no license shall be issued.

352d.

1. Plans—Before the erection, construction or alteration of a building, or part thereof, to be used as a motion picture theatre, there must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings complete plans and detailed statement as set forth in section 4 of the Building Code. The plans must show clearly and fully the location and width of all exits, passageways, stairs, fire escapes, aisles, etc., arrangement of seats, size of floor beams, walls, supports, etc.; the location and construction of the inclosure for the motion picture light and machinery, and for other similar apparatus; a diagram of the lot or plot, showing outlets from all exits, and also such other statements, plans or details as may be required by the Superintendent of Buildings.

2. Prohibition—Motion picture theatres shall not be constructed in frame buildings within the fire limits, nor in hotels, tenement houses or lodging houses; nor in factories or workshops, except where the theatre is separated from the rest of the building by unpierced fireproof walls and floors, and in no case shall they be constructed or operated above or below the ground floor of any building.

3. Exits and Courts—All such buildings must be provided on the main floor of the theatre with at least two separate exits, one of which shall be in the front and the other in the rear, both leading to unobstructed outlets on the street. Where the main floor of the theatre accommodates more than 300 people there shall be at least three such exits, the aggregate width in feet of such exits shall not be less than one-twentieth of the number of persons to be accommodated thereby. No exits shall be less than 5 feet in width and there shall be a main exit not less than 10 feet in total width.

In all such buildings to be erected or to be altered so as to be used for a motion picture theatre, if unobstructed exit to a street cannot be provided at the rear of such buildings, as herein specified, either an open court or a fireproof passage or corridor must be provided from rear exit to the street front, of at least the following width: 4 feet in the clear for theatres accommodating 100 persons or less, for every additional 100 persons the width to be increased 8 inches. Such passage must be constructed of fireproof material and must be at least 10 feet high in the clear. The walls forming such passage must be at least 8 inches thick of brick or other approved fireproof material, and if there be a basement the wall on the auditorium side should either run 1 foot below the cellar bottom or may be carried in the cellar on iron columns and girders properly fireproofed according to sections 106 and 107 of the Building Code.

The ceiling of said passage, and if there be a basement, the flooring must be constructed according to section 106 of the Building Code.

If unobstructed rear exit or exits to a street are provided the said exit or exits must be of the same total width required for the court or passage above mentioned.

Said passages and exits to the street, as above, must be used for no other purposes except for exit and entrance and must be kept free and clear.

The level of the open court or passage at the front of the building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk, and the grade shall not be more than 1 foot in 10, with no perpendicular rises.

All exit doors must be unlocked when building is open to the public. They must be fireproof and made to open outwardly and so arranged as not to obstruct the required width of exit or court when opened. All doors leading to fire escapes must be not less than 40 inches wide in the clear, and shall be located at the opposite side or end of the gallery, from other exit doors.

4. Galleries and Stairs—A gallery may be permitted, but it shall not include more than twenty-five per cent, of the total seating capacity of the theatre. Entrance to and exit from said gallery shall in no case lead to the main floor of the theatre; and the gallery shall be provided with a stair or stairs equipped with handrails on both sides. Stairs over 7 feet wide shall be provided with center handrail. The risers of the stairs shall not exceed 7 1/4 inches, and the treads, excluding nosings, shall be not less than 9 1/2 inches. There shall be no circular or winding staircases.

The total width of the stairs shall not be less than 8 feet in the clear where the gallery accommodates 150 people; for every 50 people less than 150 which the gallery accommodates said width may be reduced one foot.

Stairs shall be constructed of fireproof material, and such material and the bearing capacity of such stairs shall be approved by the Bureau of Buildings.

Galleries must also be provided with at least one line of fire escapes leading to an open court, fireproof passage or street without re-entering the same or any other building.

If the fire escape leads to a point in the court nearer the street than any exit, there must be a width of not less than 4 feet in the clear between the outer edge of the fire escape and the outer wall of the court.

5. Fire Escapes—All fire escapes must have balconies not less than 3 feet 4 inches in width in the clear and not less than 4 feet 6 inches long, and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over 7 1/4 inches and a step of not less than 9 1/2 inches, and the width of stairs must not be less than 3 feet 4 inches.

6. Auditorium and Other Rooms—If the walls of the auditorium contain wood studs, they shall be covered with either expanded metal lath or wire mesh and plastered with three coats of first class plaster, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards. The joints shall be properly filled with mortar.

The ceilings of all such rooms shall be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or metal lath, or covered with one-half inch plaster boards and plastered or covered with metal.

If there be a basement or cellar, the ceiling under the auditorium floor must be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or expanded metal lath, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards.

The basement or cellar under the auditorium shall be kept free and clear except the space used for the heating apparatus, for machinery connected with the theatre, and for coal.

7. Construction of Booths—Apparatus for projecting motion pictures shall be enclosed in a booth or enclosure constructed so as to be fireproof, in accordance with the specifications of chapter 756 of the Laws of 1911. The booth shall be equipped with a vent flue as prescribed in section 352e, paragraph 2 of this ordinance. Booths shall contain an approved fireproof box for the storage of films not on the projecting machine. Films shall not be stored in any other place on the premises; they shall be rewound and repaired either in the booth or in some other approved fireproof enclosure.

Where miniature motion picture machines are employed in connection with private exhibitions, the requirements of the above paragraph may be so modified as to permit instead of the regulation booth, an approved fireproof box, unventilated, and of a size only sufficient to properly enclose the machine.

8. Gradients—To overcome any difference of level in and between corridors, lobbies and aisles, gradients of not over one foot in ten feet, or steps having a rise not over eight inches and a width of not less than ten inches must be used.

9. Aisles—All aisles in the auditorium and gallery must not be less than three feet wide in the clear. No aisle, passageway or space in the rear of the auditorium shall be obstructed by any camp stool, chair, sofa or settee, nor shall any person be permitted to stand or sit therein.

10. Chairs—All chairs in the auditorium except those contained in the boxes, must not be less than 32 inches from back to back and must be firmly secured to the floor. No seat in the auditorium shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The space occupied by each person shall be separated from the adjoining space by means of an arm or other suitable device.

11. Signs over Exits—Over every exit there must be painted on the inside in letters not less than six inches high, the word "Exit" in legible type, and one red light or illuminated sign must be placed inside over each exit, and illuminated while the audience is present.

12. Floor Loads—The flooring of that portion of the building devoted to the

uses or accommodation of the public must be of sufficient strength to bear safely a live load of 90 pounds per square foot.

13. Toilets—Toilets separate for sexes must be provided.

14. Fire Apparatus—Portable fire apparatus shall be provided of the following kind and number: Ten-quart capacity buckets, painted red with the word "Fire" in black, the letters four inches high, to the number of 6 for places seating less than 300 without a gallery, and two additional if there be a gallery; to the number of ten in places seating over 300 persons, and four additional if there be a gallery. There shall be two buckets containing dry sand kept in the operating booth; approved fire extinguishers of 2 1/2-gallon capacity of the regulation Fire Department pattern, of which two shall be on the main floor and two in the gallery, if there be one, and one in the operating booth; four-pound flat head axes, two of which shall be on the main floor and two in the gallery, if there be one.

352e.

1. Lighting—Every portion of a moving picture theatre, including exits, courts and corridors, devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public, shall be so lighted by electric light during all exhibitions and until the entire audience has left the premises, that a person with normal eyesight should be able to read the Snellen standard test type 40 at a distance of twenty feet and type 30 at a distance of ten feet; normal eyesight meaning ability to read type 20 at a distance of twenty feet in daylight. Cards showing types 20, 30 and 40 shall be displayed on the side walls, together with a copy of this paragraph of the ordinance.

2. Heating—When the temperature of the outdoor air is below 60 degrees F. the air in the theatre, while an audience is present, shall be maintained at a temperature not lower than 62 degrees F. nor higher than 70 degrees F.

If gas stoves, oil stoves or other apparatus throwing off products of combustion are used to heat motion picture theatres, said products of combustion must be carried to the outside air by means of a fireproof flue or flues.

No radiator shall be placed in the aisles so as to lessen the width below the minimum requirement.

3. Ventilation—Motion picture theatres having less than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or motion picture theatres in which the outside window and door area is less than one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person.

Motion picture theatres having more than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person or which have outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation, which shall be in operation when the outside temperature requires the windows to be kept closed, and which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person. When the artificial ventilation is not in operation ventilation by means of open doors and windows shall be sufficient to provide each person with 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour.

Motion picture theatres having more than 1,000 cubic feet of air space for each person and having outside windows and doors the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the total floor area, shall not be required to have artificial means of ventilation, provided the air is thoroughly changed by freely opening doors and windows immediately before the admission of the audience, and at least every 4 hours thereafter.

No part of the fresh air supply required by any of the above paragraphs of this section shall be taken from any source containing vitiated air.

The area of outside doors and windows shall mean the area capable of being freely opened to the outside air for ventilation purposes.

When fresh air is supplied by means of ventilating openings, at least one inlet shall be situated at one end of the room, and at least one outlet at the other end of the room. Where exhaust or inlet fans are necessary, at least one of such fans shall be placed in an outlet opening. The inlet opening or openings shall be placed in the floor or within two feet from the floor, and the outlet opening or openings in the ceiling or within two feet of the ceiling. The inlet openings and their surroundings shall be kept free from dust so that the incoming air shall not convey dust nor stir up dust as it enters.

During the time the audience is present, the air in the theatres shall be kept continuously in motion by means of fans to the number of at least one to every 150 persons. Such fans shall be placed in positions remote from the inlet and outlet openings. No person shall be exposed to any direct draft from any air inlet.

The booth in which the picture machine is operated shall be provided with an opening in its roof or upper part of its side walls, leading to the outdoor air. The vent flue shall have a minimum cross sectional area of 50 square inches and shall be fireproof. When the booth is in use, there shall be a constant current of air passing outward through said opening or vent flue at the rate of not less than 30 cubic feet per minute.

The specifications of the above paragraph shall apply to portable booths and booths in open air theatres.

352f.

Motion picture theatres must be kept clean and free from dust.

The floors where covered with wood, tiles, stone, concrete, linoleum, or other washable material, shall be mopped or scrubbed with water or swept with moisture or by some other dustless method at least once daily, and shall be scrubbed with water and soap, or water and some other solvent substance at least once weekly.

Carpets, rugs and other fabric floor coverings shall be cleaned at least once daily by means of suction cleaning, beating or dustless sweeping. Curtains and draperies shall be cleaned at least once monthly by suction cleaning, beating or washing. Cornices, walls and other dust-holding places shall be kept free from dust by washing or moist wiping. The wood and metal parts of all seats shall be kept clean. Fabric upholstering of seats and railings and other fixed fabrics shall be cleaned by suction cleaning, or other dustless method, at least once monthly.

352g.

Through its Motion Picture Inspectors, as provided in subsection 352b of this ordinance, the Bureau of Licenses shall inspect, subject to the authority of the Mayor, the character of exhibitions in motion picture theatres and shall report to the Mayor any offense against morality, decency or public welfare contained in said exhibitions.

352h.

All the provisions contained in this ordinance shall apply to existing places of served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted. entertainment, where motion pictures are exhibited under a common show license, in case the seating capacity be increased; and in case the seating capacity be not increased, all the provisions of this ordinance shall apply, except those provisions of subsection 352d, designated as numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, but the Bureau of Licenses shall have power in its discretion to enforce the provisions of said paragraph 3 of Section 352d as to exits and courts.

352i.

Existing places of entertainment seating 300 persons, or less, where motion pictures are exhibited in conjunction with any other form of entertainment, must comply, before a reissuance of its license, with the provisions of section 109 of the Building Code, covering theatres seating more than 300 persons. But if such existing place of entertainment discontinue all other form of entertainment except the exhibition of motion pictures, it may be licensed in accordance with the provisions of subsection 352h.

352j.

With the exception of paragraph 7 of subsection 352d, subsections 352a to 352f, inclusive, and subsections 352h, 352i, 352k and 352l of this ordinance, shall not apply to motion picture exhibitions with or without charge for admission, conducted under the direct management of educational or religious institutions, nor to motion picture exhibitions without charge for admission given or held not more than once a week in private residences or bona fide social, scientific, political or athletic clubs. Before motion pictures shall be exhibited in any of the places above mentioned, there shall be obtained from the Bureau of Licenses a permit for such exhibition. Before granting such permit, the Bureau of Licenses shall cause to be inspected the premises where such proposed exhibition will be held, and shall grant the permit if in its judgment the safety of the public be properly guarded, and provided that for an audience of more than 75 people all chairs or seats shall be securely fastened to the floor or fastened together in rows.

352k.

The Bureau of Licenses, at its discretion, shall specify the seating capacity for each open air motion picture theatre. Aisles must be 4 feet wide, or wider, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses. At least two separate exits, remote from

each other, shall be provided, and no exit shall be less than 5 feet in width. For every 25 persons to be accommodated, in excess of 300, the total width of exits shall be increased 1 foot. All exits must be indicated by signs and red lights and the doors must open outwardly. Seats must be stationary, with backs 32 inches apart, and so arranged that no seat shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The floor must be constructed either of wood with sleepers or of concrete, and must extend at least 5 feet from the seats on all sides, provided, however, that, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses, a gravel floor may be substituted for wood or concrete. Chairs must either be securely fastened to wood or concrete floor, or all chairs in a row must be fastened together and at least four rows must be securely fastened to one frame, except that where refreshments are served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted.

3521.

Only subsections 352a, 352b, 352c, 352d, paragraphs 7 and 13, and 352g, 352j and 352k of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres.

352m.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. All other rules, regulations and ordinances inconsistent herewith and affecting buildings and places to be occupied as herein defined are hereby revoked.

Alderman Folks then moved the adoption of the ordinances 2545, 2546 and 2547.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said ordinances.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, a majority of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixson, Dowling, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Schmidt, Smith, Stapleton, Velten, Walsh, Wendel, White—33.

Alderman Folks moved a reconsideration of the above vote.

The Vice-Chairman ruled that such motion was not in order under the provisions of rule 33, there having already been two reconsiderations of votes on these ordinances.

No. 208—(Int. No. 3024).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 984), the annexed request from the District Attorney of Kings County for \$5,000 Special Revenue Bonds for expenses in extraditing fugitive criminals, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes an allowance to be necessary for this purpose. The District Attorney stated that \$2,000 would suffice for the year 1913, 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 two thousand dollars (\$2,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the District Attorney of Kings County for the purpose of paying expenses of extraditing fugitive criminals. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

District Attorney's Office, County of Kings, Brooklyn, New York, February 26, 1913.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sirs—I hereby make application for an issue of revenue bonds for expenses in extraditing fugitive criminals from Kings County, and I suggest that the amount of the authorization be five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

By resolution of the Board of May 10, 1910, an issue of such bonds in the sum of five thousand dollars was authorized for these expenses. This resolution was approved by the Mayor and later authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The entire amount then authorized has been expended, except the sum of about one hundred and thirty-three (\$133) dollars, and the expenses of an extradition proceeding that is now being taken will practically exhaust that amount.

If such an issue is deemed to be proper, I trust it may be authorized promptly, for there are now several matters in this office in which extradition proceedings should be taken and which I am holding up until advised that the funds to meet the expenses will be available. Through an oversight on the part of this office, I was not advised sooner, as I should have been, that the fund available for such expenses was almost exhausted.

Respectfully, JAMES C. CROPSY, District Attorney.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 209—(Int. No. 3027).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 987), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Public Charities for \$7,350 Special Revenue Bonds for salaries of employees at new Children's Hospital, Kings County Hospital, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the requested allowance to be necessary. The details are given in the application.

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 thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$7,350), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Public Charities for the purpose of paying the following employees from June 1 to December 31, 1913, inclusive:

Trained Nurse, 7 at \$600 per annum.....	\$4,200 00
Hospital Helpers, 2 at \$480 per annum.....	960 00
Hospital Helpers, 2 at \$360 per annum.....	720 00
Hospital Helpers, 4 at \$300 per annum.....	1,200 00
Hospital Helpers, 23 at \$240 per annum.....	5,520 00

\$12,600 00

Amount required for seven months..... \$7,350 00

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Charities of the City of New York, Foot of E. 26th st., March 5, 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—We would respectfully request that Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$7,350.00 be issued in order that the following persons may be employed by this Department for the new Children's Hospital, Kings County Hospital. The old Children's Hospital will be used as a dormitory for male employees, and two of the present employees at \$240 per annum each will be left in this building. The other employees (nine in number) will be transferred to the new Children's Hospital. This new building, five stories and basement, will have a capacity of at least 150 beds devoted to children requiring in the main special treatment, and will be ready for occupancy by June 1, 1913:

Trained nurse, 7 at \$600.....	\$4,200 00
Hospital helpers, 2 at \$480.....	960 00
Hospital helpers, 2 at \$360.....	720 00
Hospital helpers, 4 at \$300.....	1,200 00
Hospital helpers, 23 at \$240.....	5,520 00

\$12,600 00

Amount required for seven (7) months..... \$7,350 00

The use of this building is urgent, but it cannot be occupied until this help is provided. Respectfully submitted, MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 210—(Int. No. 3028).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 987), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$3,800 Special Revenue Bonds to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for purchase of an auto and auto-truck, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed auto and auto-truck to be necessary. The details of the application are set forth in the letter of request.

It, therefore, recommends that the said 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 is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$3,800), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of purchasing one (1) automobile truck at a cost not to exceed Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000), and Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800) to be used in purchasing by exchange a passenger automobile.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 4, 1913.

Hon. JOHN P. MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—The company in charge of the repair and maintenance of the water distribution system at Coney Island covers the largest territory, and for that reason has been selected to try out the advantages of transporting the men assigned thereto and for the carrying of the necessary tools and implements used by them in shutting off and repairing damaged mains and hydrants. Wagons are now employed for this purpose and it frequently occurs that the attention of the men is required at the most remote point in their district. Six or eight men respond to every such call. Their weight, in addition to that of the tools, etc., places a very heavy strain upon the horses and, consequently, it cannot travel at any great speed. In the case of a serious break every moment counts. The City is held liable for all damage to private property by water escaping from a broken main or hydrant.

Aside from the damage to private property others, whose property is located beyond the point of danger of damage by water, are naturally inconvenienced by the lack of water, and in my opinion it is the duty of The City to use every means to respond to these emergency calls in the least possible time; to promptly repair the damage, and to restore the water supply. One means of accomplishing this would be the employment of a motor vehicle. This method of transportation, where prompt and quick delivery of goods is essential, is now generally recognized by most commercial houses, and the gas and lighting companies, whose work on emergency calls is somewhat similar in their line to that performed by the Department repair companies, all use motor vehicles.

I would respectfully request, therefore, that the Board of Aldermen authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$2,000 for the purchase of an auto truck.

The automobile which I use has been in service three years. In my inspections of the watersheds and of the other properties under the control and management of this Department I have traveled many miles, and the automobile is not in very good condition. The expense of restoring it by purchasing new parts would not warrant the outlay. I can secure a new car by exchanging the old automobile upon the payment of \$1,800. The car to be obtained under this arrangement would be the latest model, and if properly handled should be serviceable for four or five years. I believe that The City should at all times keep its equipment in first-class condition and take advantage of every improvement in equipment which tends to render more efficient service.

I would request, therefore, that the Board of Aldermen authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,800 to purchase, by exchange, a new automobile.

Herewith I enclose draft of resolution, which I would ask that you kindly submit with this communication at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

Yours truly,

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, White, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 211—(Int. No. 3029).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 988), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for \$375 Special Revenue Bonds to meet deficit in salary of inspector omitted from the Budget, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. This amount was by some error not requested in the tax levy budget, although the remainder of the salary was asked for and allowed in the Corporate Stock Budget.

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 Three hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$375), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of paying the tax levy portion of salary of Inspector Cornelius J. Burns for the year 1913, by replenishing account known as "Distribution—Salaries, Tax Levy and Corporate Stock Force" to said amount.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, City of New York, March 3, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—In the budget for 1913, through an error made in setting up the schedules, the position of one Inspector at \$1,500 per annum, under "Distribution—Salaries, Tax Levy and Corporate Stock Force," was omitted. This position is held by Cornelius J. Burns, who for some years has been regular employee in the Borough of Queens.

The tax levy portion of his salary for the year is \$375, and I therefore ask that your Honorable Board request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of revenue bonds in the said sum of \$375.

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 212—(Int. No. 3030).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 988), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for \$139 special revenue bonds to meet increase in wages of an Upholsterer, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the details of this request are set forth in the application.

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 hundred and thirty-nine dollars (\$139), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for the purpose of paying increase in compensation of an Upholsterer, from \$4 to \$4.50 per day, during the year 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, New York, March 5, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Sir—Pursuant to section 188, subdivision 8, of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully request that your honorable Board authorize the issue of revenue bonds of The City of New York in the sum of one hundred thirty-nine dollars (\$139), the proceeds thereof to be used for increased compensation for one Upholsterer, from \$4 to \$4.50 per day, for the year 1913.

Under date of April 18, 1912, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution establishing the grade of Upholsterer at \$4.50 per day, and requested the several City departments to provide for said compensation.

I would, therefore, request your immediate action. Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 213—(Int. No. 3031).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 988), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for \$2,920 special revenue bonds for wages of Foremen on a per diem basis, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the letter of request gives the details of this application. The Committee believes the proposed allowance to be an equitable one, and therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars (\$2,920), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of paying for temporary time due Foremen in said Department employed on a per diem basis during the year 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, February 27, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—In the departmental estimate of appropriations for this year the Foremen receiving a per diem wage were placed on an annual salary, but the Board of Estimate and Apportionment made provision for them instead at a per diem rate. They did not, however, make allowance necessary to provide for the temporary time to meet the requirements of the service, as shown by previous experience, and it is necessary that a further sum of \$2,920 be allowed.

I therefore respectfully request that your Honorable Board ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of revenue bonds in that amount.

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 214—(Int. No. 3032).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 989), the annexed request from the Commissioners of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for \$525 special revenue bonds to provide for horse and wagon each for Inspector and Plumber, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. The details are set forth in the application.

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 five hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$525), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of hire of horses and wagons in the Borough of Queens, as follows: Horse and wagon for Inspector, seventy-five days at \$3 per day, \$225; horse and wagon for Plumber, five months at \$60 per month, \$300. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, February 27, 1913.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—There is occasional need in the Borough of Queens for the use of horses and wagons for an Inspector and Plumber, and a request was made for an appropriation for this year of \$525. There was not any appropriation, however, made for the purpose, presumably because this appeared as a new item, the expense in previous years having been paid out of the appropriation for contingencies. The necessity is just as pressing this year, and the appropriation for contingencies cannot be used for that purpose.

I therefore respectfully request that your Honorable Board ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of revenue bonds to the amount of \$525 to provide:

Horse and Wagon for Inspector, 75 days, at \$3 per day.....	\$225 00
Horse and Wagon for Plumber, 5 months, at \$60 per month.....	300 00
	\$525 00

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Duja, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weston, White, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—64.

No. 215—Int. No. 3036.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 999), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$5,000 special revenue bonds to be used by the President of the Borough of Queens for the purpose of removing encroachments from the property of the City, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. The details of the application are set forth in the letter accompanying the resolution. Other Boroughs are provided with facilities to do this work which is now becoming a serious question in the rapidly growing Borough of Queens. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 188, of the Charter of The City of New York, the Comptroller is hereby authorized to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not exceeding five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, proceeds whereof to be expended by the President of the Borough of Queens, for the purpose of removing encroachments from the property of The City of New York.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, February 26, 1913.

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

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the provisions of section 188 of the Charter of The City of New York, application is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds to be expended by the President of the Borough of Queens, for the removal of encroachments from the property of The City of New York.

In connection with the above application, I beg to call your attention to the fact that in the Borough of Queens there is no Bureau of Encumbrances, therefore, no moneys available for the purpose of removing buildings or parts of buildings encroaching on City property and in the way of public improvements, and as I am, from time to time, requested by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to demolish and remove such encroachments as are offered for sale at an upset price, but for which no bids have been received, I am unable to comply with the request of this Commission.

I would therefore request that your honorable Board give this matter your earnest consideration, in order that I can proceed with the demolition and removal of buildings now in the way of several public improvements in progress in this Borough.

Resolution herewith enclosed. Yours very truly,

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President of the Borough of Queens.

The Vice Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice Chairman—64.

No. 216—Int. No. 3034.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 989), the annexed request from the Park Commissioner of Manhattan and Richmond for \$25,000 special revenue bonds for repairs of streets under his jurisdiction, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the details of this request are fully set forth in the letter of application. The Commissioner appeared before the Committee and filed the accompanying statement and strongly urged favorable action, stating that the streets in question are getting in worse condition all the time. The Committee believes that \$15,000 will be sufficient for present needs, and 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 fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Park Commissioner of Manhattan and Richmond for the purpose of repairing streets outside of the parks under his jurisdiction. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, March 7, 1913.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request that you ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds to an amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the repair of streets outside of the parks under my jurisdiction.

In the annual budget for the year 1913 an appropriation of \$12,000 was allowed for this purpose. A contract was entered into chargeable against this account on February 11, in which was included repairs to sheet asphalt and asphalt block pavement. The proportion of the contract which provided for repairs to sheet asphalt pavement is entirely used up, and the streets are still in a very bad condition. The expenditure made during the past two months for repairs to sheet asphalt pavement amounted to \$9,500.

I transmit the following list showing the streets and the number of square yards of sheet pavement laid on each:

Mail st., square yards.....	292.18
59th st. and 5th ave. circle, square yards.....	38.60
59th st. and 8th ave., square yards.....	322.20

86th st., between Central Park West and Amsterdam ave., square yards....	65.43
110th st., 7th ave. to 6th ave., square yards.....	2,061.49
110th st. and 7th ave. intersection, square yards.....	264.26
6th ave. intersection, square yards.....	301.08
110th st., 6th to 5th ave., square yards.....	654.14
110th st. and 5th ave. circle, square yards.....	1,084.32
110th st., between 7th ave. and Manhattan ave., square yards.....	930.34

Total square yards..... 6,014.04

Columbus Circle, at 59th st. and 8th ave., was in a deplorable condition, and, as it is subjected to heavy traffic, requires constant attention. 110th st., between 5th and 8th aves., will also need further attention to keep it in condition for the balance of the year.

In addition to the streets mentioned in the list submitted herewith there are a number of other streets under the jurisdiction of this department which will have to be cared for at an early date.

If there are any further details required when this matter comes before the Finance Committee of your Board I will be pleased to furnish same.

Respectfully yours, CHARLES B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

The Vice Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; The Vice Chairman—64.

No. 217—Int. No. 3037.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 991), the annexed request from the Borough President of The Bronx for \$5,000 special revenue bonds for defraying cost of taking down and rebuilding the parapet walls of the Borough Hall, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. The details of the application are set forth in the letter of request and the copy of specifications hereto attached.

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 five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of defraying the cost of taking down and rebuilding the parapet walls of the Borough Hall, Borough of The Bronx. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d Avenue and 177th Street, Office of the President, February 27, 1913.

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

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for an issuance of special revenue bonds to the extent of \$5,000 for defraying the cost of taking down and rebuilding the parapet walls of the Borough Hall, Borough of The Bronx.

These walls are in a very bad and dangerous condition, and need rebuilding immediately. During heavy storms, water leaks down the sides of the walls and destroys not only the walls themselves but other property in the building. Tracings on which men are at work on the drafting tables are very often destroyed by the dropping of water, which starts up so suddenly that it is impossible to remove them in time. During such storms, the men are also prevented from doing any work at all for the reason that no dry place can be found.

The contemplated work consists of taking down and rebuilding the existing walls down to the terra cotta coping, replacing all 12-ounce copper flashing under all parapet walls around the entire building, resetting all terra cotta and bluestone coping and the pointing up of all the stone work on the balustrade at the west side of the building.

I would urgently request that this appropriation be made in order that the building and other City property may be protected. Yours truly,

CYRUS C. MILLER, President of the Borough of The Bronx.
Specification for the Taking Down and Re-Building All Parapet Walls, Above the Roof of the Municipal Building, Located at S. E. Corner of 177th Street and Third Avenue, Borough of the Bronx, City of New York.

Furnish all labor and materials necessary for taking down the entire parapet walls of main building above the flashing and terracotta cornice, also the taking down of all brickwork of balustrade at west side of building at the second story and rebuilding all said work with front brick for facing these walls to be of the kind, color and quality as now existing in all face work of this building; the backing to be of good hard burned North River brick and all work to be laid up in Portland cement mortar made up of not more than 3 parts of good sharp sand and one part of portland cement thoroughly mixed, and all joints properly filled and grouted. Reset all terra cotta and blue stone coping and replace all anchors and provide new anchors where necessary, anchors of bluestone coping to be secured by leading in the same, also point up all stone work of balustrade at west side of building at the second story with portland cement mortar. Furnishing and set 12 ounce copper flashing to be placed under all parapet walls the entire width of wall and projecting one inch wider than wall on the outside of same and turned down over present roofing not less than 4 inches.

Also remove all debris and other materials from the premises at the completion of the work.

The Vice Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixson, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Velten, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Miller, President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; The Vice Chairman—64.

GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 394—Int. No. 3040.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 994), the annexed resolution in favor of amending resolution for \$48,200 corporate stock for Department of Docks and Ferries by reducing amount to \$47,200, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the amount saved by this reduction (\$1,000) is to be utilized for another improvement under the jurisdiction of the same Department (see Introductory No. 3041).

The Committee 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 6, 1913:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted February 26, 1913, and subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 5, 1910, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, 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 *forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars* (\$48,200), for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of an extension to the pier at the foot of 134th street, North River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and 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 *forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars* (\$48,200), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purposes aforesaid;"

—be and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized read *forty-seven thousand two hundred dollars* (\$47,200).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 395—Int. No. 3041.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 995), the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of \$25,000 corporate stock for a pier at Nott ave., Long Island City, by increasing amount to \$26,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed increase to be necessary because of additional crib work required. This \$1,000 was obtained by a reduction in another account (see Introductory No. 3040).

It therefore 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 6, 1913:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted February 26, 1913, and subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted July 12, 1911, 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-five thousand dollars* (\$25,000), to provide means for the construction of a pier at Nott avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, 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 par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid;"

—be and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized read *twenty-six thousand dollars* (\$26,000).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 396—Int. No. 3042.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 995) the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of \$16,000 corporate stock for new pier at Gold st., Brooklyn, by reducing amount to \$10,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the work having been performed for the lesser amount the reduction is made to be applied to other improvements.

The Committee 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 6, 1913:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted February 26, 1913, and subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 19, 1910, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution adopted June 29, 1910, 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 *sixteen thousand dollars* (\$16,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay the cost of the construction of a new pier at the foot of Gold street, Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and 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 *sixteen thousand dollars* (\$16,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for the purposes aforesaid;"

—be and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized read *ten thousand dollars* (\$10,000).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 397—Int. No. 3043.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 996) the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$79,000 corporate stock for new pier at 135th st., North River, by reducing amount to \$76,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the work having been performed for the lesser amount the reduction is made to be applied to another improvement under the same department. (See Introductory No. 3044.)

It, therefore, 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 6, 1913:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted February 26, 1913, and subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and section 180 of said Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted July 12, 1911, 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 *seventy-nine thousand dollars* (\$79,000) to provide means for the construction of a new pier at 135th street, North River, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, 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 purpose aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized *seventy-six thousand dollars* (\$76,000).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kennally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 398—Int. No. 3044.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 996) the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$12,000 corporate stock for extension of Pier 43, North River, by increasing amount to \$15,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed increase to be necessary to cover the contract bid. This amount has been obtained by a corresponding reduction in another corporate stock issue. (See Introductory No. 3043.)

The Committee 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 6, 1913:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted February 26, 1913, and subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and section 180 of the said Charter and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted July 12, 1911, 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 *twelve thousand dollars* (\$12,000) to provide means for the construction of extension to Pier 43, North River, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, 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 and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized *fifteen thousand dollars* (\$15,000).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kennally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 399—Int. No. 3045.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1002) the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$45,170 corporate stock for installation of fire alarm systems in buildings under jurisdiction of Department of Public Charities, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be very necessary. A report on this subject from the Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has already been printed in the Minutes.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE Providing for An Issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the Sum of Forty-five Thousand One Hundred and Seventy Dollars (\$45,170) to Provide Means for the Installation of Fire Alarm Systems In Buildings Under the Jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities.

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 6, 1913, 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 forty-five thousand one hundred and seventy dollars (\$45,170), to provide means for the installation of fire alarm systems in buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, as follows:

City Hospital District	\$4,900.00
City Home District	6,500.00
Metropolitan Hospital District	7,000.00
Randalls Island	8,500.00
Farm Colony	3,600.00
Kings County Hospital	9,800.00
Cumberland Street Hospital	2,170.00
Miscellaneous Buildings	2,700.00

\$45,170.00

—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.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST; Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kennally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 400—Int. No. 3046.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1003) the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$4,650 corporate stock for plans for elimination of grade crossings in the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary. It is estimated that this appropriation, together with other funds now available, will be sufficient for this work for the year 1913.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE Providing for An Issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the Sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$4,650), to Provide Means for Defraying the Expense of Making Studies and Plans for the Elimination of Grade Crossings of Steam Railroads in 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 6, 1913, 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 four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,650) in addition to amounts heretofore authorized for the purpose of defraying the expense of making studies and plans for the elimination of grade crossings of steam railroads 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.

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 four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,650,000) in addition to amounts heretofore authorized for the purpose of defraying the expense of making studies and plans for the elimination of grade crossings of steam railroads 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.

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 four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,650,000) in addition to amounts heretofore authorized for the purpose of defraying the expense of making studies and plans for the elimination of grade crossings of steam railroads 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.

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 four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,650,000) in addition to amounts heretofore authorized for the purpose of defraying the expense of making studies and plans for the elimination of grade crossings of steam railroads 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.

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 four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,650,000) in addition to amounts heretofore authorized for the purpose of defraying the expense of making studies and plans for the elimination of grade crossings of steam railroads 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.

No. 401—Int. No. 3047.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1004), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$57,960 corporate stock for construction and equipment of a public school building at W. 176th and W. 177th sts., Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. This is a supplemental appropriation for this school caused by a corresponding increase in the cost of excavation.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of fifty-seven thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$57,960) to provide means for replenishing the appropriation made in the corporate stock budget for 1911 for the construction and equipment of a public school building at West 176th and West 177th streets, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education.

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 February 27, 1913, 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 fifty-seven thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$57,960), to provide means for replenishing the appropriation made in the corporate stock budget for 1911 for the construction and equipment of a public school building at West 176th and West 177th streets, 100 feet east of St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, 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.

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 nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$57,960), to provide means for replenishing the appropriation made in the corporate stock budget for 1911 for the construction and equipment of a public school building at West 176th and West 177th streets, 100 feet east of St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, 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.

No. 402—Int. No. 3048.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1005), the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$1,334,000 corporate stock for new school buildings by reducing amount to \$1,319,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this reduction represents a saving in construction to be applied to other improvements.

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 February 27, 1913:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 11, 1912, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on February 6, 1912:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 26, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on February 7, 1911:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 6, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on May 10, 1910:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held April 8, 1910, which reads as follows:

"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 one million four hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars (\$1,484,000), for the construction of public school buildings and additions thereto, in the manner and amounts described hereunder:

New Buildings and Additions.

District.	School.	Location.	Amount.
7	61	Borough of Manhattan. East 12th street, between Avenues B and C...	\$316,000 00
26	46	Borough of The Bronx. Bainbridge and Briggs avenues and 196th street	312,000 00
25	44	Prospect avenue and 176th street.....	240,000 00
32	168	Borough of Brooklyn. Throop avenue, Bartlett and Whipple streets..	300,000 00
40	171	Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols avenues.....	316,000 00
			\$1,484,000 00

"—and when authority shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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 four hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars (\$1,484,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

"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 one million four hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars (\$1,456,000), for the construction of public school buildings, in the manner and amounts described hereunder:

New Buildings and Additions.

District.	School.	Location.	Amount.
7	61	Borough of Manhattan. East 12th street, between Avenues B and C...	\$316,000 00
26	46	Borough of The Bronx. Bainbridge and Briggs avenues and 196th street	300,000 00
25	44	Prospect avenue and 176th street.....	240,000 00
32	168	Borough of Brooklyn. Throop avenue, Bartlett and Whipple streets..	300,000 00
40	171	Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols avenues.....	300,000 00
			\$1,456,000 00

"—and when authority shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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 four hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars (\$1,456,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be amended to make the amounts authorized as follows:

New Buildings and Additions.

District.	School.	Location.	Amount.
7	61	Borough of Manhattan. East 12th street, between Avenues B and C.....	\$316,000 00
26	46	Borough of The Bronx. Bainbridge and Briggs avenues and 196th street..	283,000 00
25	44	Prospect avenue and 176th street.....	240,000 00
32	168	Borough of Brooklyn. Throop avenue, Bartlett and Whipple streets..	300,000 00
40	171	Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols avenues.....	300,000 00
			\$1,439,000 00

—be amended to make the amounts read as follows:

New Buildings and Additions.

District.	School.	Location.	Amount.
7	61	Borough of Manhattan. East 12th street, between Avenues B and C.....	\$291,000 00
26	46	Borough of The Bronx. Bainbridge and Briggs avenues and 196th street..	283,000 00
25	44	Prospect avenue and 176th street.....	240,000 00
32	168	Borough of Brooklyn. Throop avenue, Bartlett and Whipple streets....	255,000 00
40	171	Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols avenues.....	265,000 00
			\$1,334,000 00

—be amended to make the amounts authorized as follows:

New Buildings and Additions.

District.	School.	Location.	Amount.
7	61	Borough of Manhattan. East 12th street, between Avenues B and C.....	\$291,000 00
26	46	Borough of The Bronx. Bainbridge and Briggs avenues and 196th street....	277,000 00
25	44	Prospect avenue and 176th street.....	240,000 00
32	168	Borough of Brooklyn. Throop avenue, Bartlett and Whipple streets....	250,000 00
40	171	Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols avenues.....	261,000 00
			\$1,319,000 00

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shiple, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 403—Int. No. 3049.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1007), the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of \$3,467,207.91 corporate stock for construction and improvement of public school buildings by reducing amount to \$3,459,132.71, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this reduction is made for the purpose of applying the amount saved to other improvements.

The Committee 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 February 27, 1913:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 25, 1912, and approved by the Board of Aldermen May 14, 1912:

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

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 26, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen February 7, 1911:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 9, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on December 20, 1910:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen June 21, 1910:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 24, 1908, and approved by the Board of Aldermen May 26, 1908:

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 four million six hundred and seven thousand and seventy-five dollars (\$4,607,075), to provide means for the construction and improvement of public school buildings and additions thereto, as follows:

"HIGH SCHOOLS.

"Borough of Brooklyn.

"School and Location.	Amount.
"Girls' High (addition), Nostrand avenue, Halsey and Macon streets	\$100,000 00
"Erasmus Hall (addition), Flatbush avenue, near Church avenue	400,000 00

"ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

"Borough of Manhattan.	Amount.
"Public School 101, 111th street, near Lexington avenue, 44 rooms	295,000 00
"Public School 132, 182d street and Wadsworth avenue, (addition), 16 rooms	96,000 00
"Borough of The Bronx.	
"Public School 30, 141st street and Brook avenue (addition), 18 rooms	135,000 00

"Borough of Brooklyn.	Amount.
"Public School 28, Herkimer street, near Ralph avenue, 36 rooms	211,000 00
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone avenues (addition), 32 rooms	276,000 00
"Public School 11, Barren Island, improvements	17,000 00
"Public School 126, Meserole avenue and Lorimer street (additions), 16 rooms	132,000 00
"Public School 128, 21st avenue and 83d street (addition), 10 rooms	119,000 00
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton avenue and 51st street, 35 rooms	211,000 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton avenue and 43d street, temporary buildings	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas avenue and Suydam street, 48 rooms	280,000 00
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th avenues, 35 rooms	211,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th avenue and 42d street, 48 rooms	327,000 00
"Public School 166, Porter avenue and Harrison place, 48 rooms	327,000 00

"Borough of Queens.	Amount.
"Public School 51, Johnson ave., Richmond Hill, addition, 27 rooms	198,000 00
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton aves., Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms	195,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert ave. and George st., Ridgewood, 44 rooms	330,000 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms ..	

School and Location.	Amount.
"Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone aves., addition, 32 rooms	236,317 51
"Public School, Barren Island, improvements.....	17,000 00
"Public School 126, Meserole ave. and Lorimer st., addition, 16 rooms	109,805 54
"Public School, 128, 21st ave. and 83d st., addition, 10 rooms	116,555 32
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton ave. and 51st st., 35 rooms	196,500 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms	255,407 52
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
"Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton avenues, Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert avenue and George street, Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell avenues, and Randall street, North Corona, 48 rooms	182,000 00
"Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, borings, drafting room supplies, etc.	19,575 00
	\$3,509,077 89

"—and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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 three million five hundred and nine thousand and seventy-seven dollars and eighty-nine cents (\$3,509,077.89), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid;

"—be further amended to read 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 three million four hundred and ninety-two thousand eight hundred and twenty-six dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$3,492,826.29), to provide means for the construction and improvement of public school buildings and additions thereto, as follows:

HIGH SCHOOLS.
Borough of Brooklyn.

School and Location.	Amount.
"Girls' High (addition), Nostrand avenue, Halsey and Macon streets	\$100,000 00
"Erasmus Hall (addition), Flatbush avenue, near Church avenue	400,000 00
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS. Borough of Manhattan.	
"Public School 101, 111th street, near Lexington avenue, 44 rooms	258,000 00
"Public School 132, 182d street and Wadsworth avenue, addition, 16 rooms	55,500 00
Borough of The Bronx.	
"Public School 30, 141st street and Brook ave., addition, 18 rooms	111,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone aves., addition, 32 rooms	236,317 51
"Public School 126, Meserole avenue and Lorimer street, addition, 16 rooms	109,805 54
"Public School 128, 21st avenue and 83d street, addition, 10 rooms	116,555 32
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton ave. and 51st st., 35 rooms	196,500 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms	255,200 00
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
"Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton avenues, Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert avenue and George street, Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell aves., and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms	182,000 00
"Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, borings, drafting room supplies, etc.	19,575 00
	\$3,492,826 29

"—and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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 three million four hundred and ninety-two thousand eight hundred and twenty-six dollars and twenty-nine cents (\$3,492,826.29), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

"—be amended to make the amounts authorized as follows:

School and Location.	Amount.
High Schools. Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Girls' High (addition), Nostrand ave., Halsey and Macon sts.	\$85,000 00
"Erasmus Hall (addition), Flatbush ave., near Church ave....	400,000 00
Elementary Schools. Borough of Manhattan.	
"Public School 101, 111th st., near Lexington ave., 44 rooms..	258,000 00
"Public School 132, 182d st. and Wadsworth ave., addition, 16 rooms	55,500 00
Borough of The Bronx.	
"Public School 30, 141st st. and Brook ave., addition, 18 rooms	111,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone aves., addition, 32 rooms	236,317 51
"Public School 126, Meserole ave. and Lorimer st., addition, 16 rooms	109,805 54
"Public School 128, 21st ave. and 83d st., addition, 10 rooms	116,555 32
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton ave. and 51st st., 35 rooms	196,500 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms	255,200 00
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
"Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton avenues, Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert avenue and George street, Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell aves., and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms	182,000 00
"Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, borings, drafting room supplies, etc.	19,575 00
	\$3,492,826 29

School and Location.	Amount.
"Public School 131, Ft. Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms.	255,407 52
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton aves., Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms.....	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert ave. and George st., Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell aves., and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms.....	182,000 00
Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, borings, drafting room supplies, etc.	195,575 00
	\$3,477,826 29"

"be amended to make the total amount authorized not more than three million four hundred and seventy-seven thousand two hundred and seven dollars and ninety-one cents (\$3,477,207.91), distributed as follows:

HIGH SCHOOLS.
Borough of Brooklyn.

School and Location.	Amount.
"Girls' High (addition), Nostrand ave., Halsey and Macon sts....	\$85,000 00
"Erasmus Hall (addition), Flatbush ave., near Church ave.....	400,000 00
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.	
Borough of Manhattan.	
"Public School 101, 111th st., near Lexington ave., 44 rooms.....	258,000 00
"Public School 132, 182d st. and Wadsworth ave., addition, 16 rooms	55,500 00
Borough of The Bronx.	
"Public School 30, 141st st. and Brook ave., addition, 18 rooms.....	111,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone aves., addition, 32 rooms	236,317 51
"Public School 126, Meserole ave. and Lorimer st., addition, 16 rooms	109,450 00
"Public School 128, 21st ave. and 83d st., addition, 10 rooms	116,500 00
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton ave. and 51st st., 35 rooms.....	196,500 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms.....	255,200 00
"Public School 163, Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
"Public School 164, 14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton aves., Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms.....	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert ave. and George st., Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell aves., and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms.....	182,000 00
Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, borings, drafting room supplies, etc.	195,575 00
	\$3,477,207 91"

"be amended to make the total amount authorized not to exceed three million four hundred and sixty-seven thousand two hundred and seven dollars and ninety-one cents (\$3,467,207.91), distributed as follows:

HIGH SCHOOLS.
Borough of Brooklyn.

School and Location.	Amount.
"Girls' High (addition), Nostrand ave., Halsey and Macon sts.....	\$75,000 00
"Erasmus Hall (addition), Flatbush ave., near Church ave.....	400,000 00
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.	
Borough of Manhattan.	
"Public School 101, 111th st., near Lexington ave., 44 rooms.....	258,000 00
"Public School 132, 182d st. and Wadsworth ave., addition, 16 rooms	55,500 00
Borough of The Bronx.	
"Public School 30, 141st st. and Brook ave., addition, 18 rooms.....	111,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.	
"Public School 84, Glenmore and Stone aves., addition, 32 rooms	236,317 51
"Public School 126, Meserole ave. and Lorimer st., addition, 16 rooms	109,450 00
"Public School 128, 21st ave. and 83d st., addition, 10 rooms	116,500 00
"Public School 160, Fort Hamilton ave. and 51st st., 35 rooms.....	196,500 00
"Public School 131, Fort Hamilton ave. and 43d st., temporary building	8,000 00
"Public School 162, St. Nicholas ave. and Suydam st., 48 rooms.....	255,200 00
Borough of Queens.	
"Public School 58, Walker and Grafton ave., Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms	188,000 00
"Public School 77, Covert ave. and George st., Ridgewood, 44 rooms	286,917 00
"Public School 81, Ridgewood, temporary buildings.....	9,500 00
"Public School 87, Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
"Public School 7, Van Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms	153,748 40
"Public School 92, Park and Grinnell aves., and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms.....	182,000 00
Contingencies.	
"Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, boring, drafting room supplies, etc..	195,575 00

School.	Location.	Amount.
P. S. 163	Benson and 17th aves., 35 rooms.....	194,000 00
P. S. 164	14th ave. and 42d st., 48 rooms.....	273,000 00
	Borough of Queens.	
P. S. 58	Walker and Grafton aves., Woodhaven, addition, 24 rooms...	188,000 00
P. S. 77	Covert ave. and George st., Ridgewood, 44 rooms.....	286,917 00
P. S. 81	Ridgewood, temporary buildings	9,500 00
P. S. 87	Middle Village, addition, 24 rooms.....	146,000 00
P. S. 7	Val Alst ave., Long Island City, addition, 24 rooms.....	153,748 40
P. S. 92	Park and Grinnell aves. and Randall st., North Corona, 48 rooms	182,000 00
	Contingencies.	
	Salaries of Draftsmen, surveys, boring, drafting room supplies, etc.....	195,575 00
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HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 404—Int. No. 3050.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1013), the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$59,535 corporate stock for equipment of Public School 171, Brooklyn, by reducing amount of \$58,653.52, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the saving made by this reduction is to be applied to other improvements. The Committee 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 February 27, 1913:

Resolved, That, subject to 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 June 28, 1910, 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-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), to provide means for the equipment, including heating and ventilating and electric work, of new Public School 171, Ridgewood, Lincoln and Nichols aves., Borough of Brooklyn, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.”

—be amended to make the amount authorized fifty-eight thousand six hundred and fifty-three dollars and fifty-two cents (\$58,653.52).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 405—Int. No. 3051.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1013), the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$59,535 corporate stock for equipment of Public School 46, The Bronx, by reducing amount to \$59,371.11, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the saving effected by this reduction is to be applied to other improvements. The Committee 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 February 27, 1913:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on June 28, 1910, 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-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), to provide means for the equipment, including heating and ventilating and electric work, of new Public School 46, Bainbridge and Briggs aves. and 196th st., Borough of The Bronx, 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 to an amount not exceeding fifty-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.”

—be amended to make the amount authorized fifty-nine thousand three hundred and seventy-one dollars and eleven cents (\$59,371.11).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 406—Int. No. 3052.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913 (Minutes, page 1014), the annexed resolution in favor of amending issue of \$59,535 corporate stock for equipment of Public School 168, Brooklyn, by increasing amount to \$58,967.79, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed increase to be necessary. This amount has been obtained by reductions in other appropriations for school buildings.

It therefore 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 February 27, 1913:

Resolved, That, subject to 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 June 28, 1910, 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-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), to provide means for the equipment, including heating and ventilating and electric work, of new Public School 168, Throop ave., Bartlett and Whipple sts., Borough of Brooklyn, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby 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-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$59,535), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.”

—be amended to make the amount authorized fifty-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$58,967.79).

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 407—Int. No. 3126.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on March 11, 1913, the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Clerk of the Appellate Division, Supreme Court, 1st Department, to draw one hundred dollars at a time from contingent accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it is customary to grant this authorization to such departments as apply for it.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized and requested to pay to the Clerk of the Appellate Division, Supreme Court, 1st Department, the sum of one hundred dollars, to pay for minor expenses out of the proper accounts, and that further like payments be made to him after he has submitted proper accounting.

HENRY H. CURRAN, JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK J. DOTZLER, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cunningham, Devine, Dowling, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stevenson, Wendel, Weston, Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 408—Int. No. 3165.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on June 11, 1912 (Minutes, page 742), the annexed ordinance in relation to fees for sewer connections, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, and finding, after consultation with the several Borough Presidents, that a change is desirable in the existing ordinances relating to the subject in order that the fees provided for may be more proportionate and consistent, it, therefore, recommends that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted (SUBSTITUTE).

AN ORDINANCE to rescind and repeat sections 158 and 159 of Article 5, Chapter 5, of Part 1, and Section 12 of Article 1, Chapter 1 of Part 14 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to “Sewers and Drains,” and substituting in lieu thereof new sections 158 and 159.

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

Section 1. That sections 158 and 159 of Article 5, Chapter 5, Part 1, and Section 12 of Article 1, Chapter 1, Part XIV, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, be and the same hereby are rescinded and repealed, and the following new sections 158 and 159 be substituted therefor:

Section 158. Every sewer connection shall be made under the supervision of a City Inspector of Sewer Connections. [For the purpose of this section, a sewer connection shall consist of] all that portion of the house sewer service pipe lying between the main sewer and the property line or vault line (if there be a vault) of the property to be drained by said service pipe.

In the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn the fee to be paid to the President of the Borough for such inspection shall be ten (10) dollars; in the Boroughs of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond the fee shall be five (5) dollars.

Which was laid over.

All such fees shall be deposited with the Department of Finance and be credited to special funds entitled “Sewer Inspection and Repair” for the Borough in which the service is rendered.

No additional charge shall be made for the sewer connection to a building erected in place of one that has been removed, demolished or destroyed in whole or in part, or extensions or alterations made to same, unless actually a new connection be required.

Section 159. No person, firm or corporation shall permit any substance to flow or pass into any sewer, drain or receiving basin, connecting with a public sewer, which may form a deposit tending to choke said sewer, drain or basin—each violation shall be subject to a penalty of fifty (50) dollars.

All connections, with sewers or drains, used for the purpose of carrying off wastes from water closets, kitchen sinks, or otherwise, shall have facilities for a sufficiency of water to be properly discharged, so as to safely carry off such matters, under the penalty of five (5) dollars for each day the fixtures are permitted to remain without adequate means for supplying said water.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

(ORIGINAL)

Resolved, That section 158 of the Code of Ordinances be and it is hereby amended to read as follows:

Three (3) dollars shall be paid to the Borough President granting the permit in each Borough for permission to connect each house, store or building with any sewer or drain. Any manufacturer, brewer, distiller or the like permitting any substance to flow into any sewer, drain or receiving basin which shall form a deposit that tends to fill said sewer, drain or basin shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) for each offense.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, JOHN A. BOLLES, JAMES HAMILTON, WM. BRUSH, SAMUEL MARKS, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, JOHN DIEMER, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

The Vice-Chairman 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 Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Downing, Dujat, Eagan, Esterbrook, Fink, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Igstaedter, Kenney, Levine, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Weil, Wendel, White. Wilmot; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Joseph Flanagan, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

Negative—Alderman Muhlbauer, and President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works.

Alderman Pendry moved that the vote by which Ordinance No. 1365 was adopted be reconsidered.

Which motion was adopted.

The paper was then referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Dowling introduced the following resolutions, and moved their adoption:

No. 3204.

Resolved, That Thomas A. McGrath, of No. 63 E. 128th st., Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Aldermen from the 32d Aldermanic District, in place and stead of Michael J. McGrath, deceased.

No. 3205.

Resolved, That Charles W. Dunn, of No. 575 52d st., Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Aldermen from the 50th Aldermanic District, in place and stead of John J. Meagher, resigned.

Alderman Bolles moved that said resolutions be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections. Alderman Dowling, in opposing motion to refer, requested the members to vote for the two candidates upon the roll call.

Alderman Esterbrook rose to a point of information, and asked the chair to advise him as to how a vote for said candidates would be regarded. The chair informed Alderman Esterbrook that such a vote would be considered as cast in the negative on the motion to refer.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said motion to refer. The roll call resulted as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Igstaedter, Lieberman, Martyn, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, Post, Pouker, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—28.

For Thomas A. McGrath and Charles W. Dunn—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, Molen, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White—37.

Whereupon the Vice-Chairman declared that the motion to refer was lost, and that Thomas A. McGrath and Charles W. Dunn having received thirty-seven votes were duly elected as members of the Board.

Alderman Esterbrook appealed from the decision of the chair.

The Vice-Chairman put the question, "Shall the decision of the chair stand as the decision of this Board?" and on that question ordered the Clerk to call the roll. Which roll call resulted as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, Molen, Morrison, Mulligan, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Reardon, Schmidt, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White—29.

Negative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Coleman, Diemer, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Igstaedter, Nicoll, Pouker, Stevenson, Weil—19.

Alderman Bosse then moved that the election of Aldermen McGrath and Dunn be made unanimous.

Which motion was seconded by Alderman Folks and was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Dowling moved that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to escort the new members before a Justice of the Supreme Court to qualify.

Which motion was adopted, and the Vice-Chairman appointed as such committee, Aldermen Bolles, Pendry and Levine.

Subsequently the Committee returned with the new members, and reported that they had duly qualified and filed their oaths of office.

The Vice-Chairman then introduced Aldermen McGrath and Dunn to the Board and assigned them to seats.

No. 3206.

By the Vice-Chairman—

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

By President, Board of Aldermen—

Patrick T. Canavan, 260 W. 17th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Kline, Vice-Chairman—

Charles Bernard Farley, 35 Sterling pl., Brooklyn; Robert J. Walsh, 114 Adelphi st., Brooklyn; Bernard Magelefsky, 1424 44th st., Brooklyn; Robert J. O'Sullivan, 527 84th st., Brooklyn; Charles E. Whowell, Jr., 334 Rugby rd., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Becker—

Louis Harry Robinson, 317 W. 119th st., Manhattan; Jerome Eisener, Belleclaire Hotel, Broadway and 77th st., Manhattan; Murray G. Jenkins, 173 W. 85th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bedell—

Nora Newsome, 145 W. 98th st., Manhattan; James V. Smith, 54 W. 106th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bosse—

George F. Denhard, 569 W. 159th st., Manhattan; William F. Wund, 600 W. 179th st., Manhattan; Frederick Feist, 540 W. 165th st., Manhattan; E. Daniel Miner, 283 Audubon ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bosse—

Bernard Ginzburg, 1326 45th st., Brooklyn; Morris Horowitz, 1460 60th st., Brooklyn; Rodney T. Martinsen, 1424 75th st., Brooklyn; Wallace McCutcheon, 2968 W. 31st st., Brooklyn; M. J. McCue, Jr., 47 Bay 31st st., Brooklyn; Joseph A. Walsh, 5910 Bay parkway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Brush—

Walter C. Rogers, 517 W. 113th st., Manhattan; David Asch, 925 West End ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Coleman—

John L. Danzillo, 119 Franklin ave., Brooklyn; Louis N. Rowley, 681 Sterling pl., Brooklyn; Augustin S. Hart, 272 Gates ave., Brooklyn; John Reid, 458 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cunningham—

John Larkin, 349 Clinton st., Brooklyn; Mildred A. Plunkett, 21 4th pl., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Curran—

Gustave Duffan, 63 W. 12th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Delaney—

Samuel Ackerman, 2001 2d ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Devine—

Henry Weil, 940 Union ave., Bronx, N. Y.; Edgar I. Ahrweiler, 447 E. 139th st., Bronx, N. Y.; Pincus Cohen, 941 Avenue St. John, Bronx, N. Y.; Gerson C. Young, 885 Neck st., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Diemer—

Charles Buchow, 20 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn; Joseph M. Bernstein, 79 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn; Philip T. Haslach, 121 Summer ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Drescher—

John J. Ryan, 189 Greenwich st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Henry Seltzer, 157 Avenue C, Manhattan; Eugene B. Schwartz, 621 6th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Gilbert H. Thirkield, 169 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dixson—

Frederick S. Anthony, 342 Bedford ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Eagan—

Davis E. Singer, 591 Lexington ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Eichhorn—

Johanna Veit, 1310 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn; Albert J. Eckert, 871 Herkimer st., Brooklyn; Isaac Sargent, 914 Herkimer st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—

George C. Jeffery, 451 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn; Irving Morris Levy, 523a Gates ave., Brooklyn; Christopher Joseph Dalton, 124 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn; Charles W. Field, 1302 Pacific st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fink—

John A. Lynch, 604 Prospect st., West New Brighton, N. Y.

By Alderman Folks—

William F. Unger, 1340 Madison ave., Bronx, N. Y.; Harry Parker, 116 E. 58th st., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Gaynor—
Herbert Zarnikau, 188 Middleton st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Grimm—

Theodore Robert Brown, 660 Glenmore ave., Brooklyn; Albert P. Brenner, 33 Norwood ave., Brooklyn; Jacob Hessel, 712 Schenck ave., Brooklyn; Max Emanuel Kaplan, 396 Wyona st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hamilton—

Florence Claire Brown, 1227 Woodycrest ave., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Herbst—

James J. Fagan, 1301 Wilkins ave., Bronx, N. Y.; William Joseph McLaughlin, 2152 Crotona ave., Bronx, N. Y.; J. Homer Hildreth, 362 E. 136th st., Bronx, N. Y.; Philip A. Johann, 1147 Stebbins ave., Bronx, N. Y.; David H. Lehman, 1078 Forest ave., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Igstaedter—

Alexander Cobitz, 79 W. 128th st., Manhattan; Martin S. Cohen, 156 W. 130th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenny—

Abraham I. Yarmus, 1242 45th st., Brooklyn; Axel Schultz, 154 Bergen st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Lieberman—

Isidor Unger, 52 E. 118th st., Manhattan; Ralph Greenberg, 16 E. 118th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Loos—

Frank J. Scannell, 156 E. 32d st., Manhattan; Samuel Plumer, 589 2d ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman McCort—

James T. Coughlin, 544-46 8th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman McGarry—

John J. Grady, Jr., 119 1/2 India st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Martyn—

Ada S. Aaron, 138 Chester st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Marks—

Bernard Alexander, 201 W. 121st st., Manhattan; Jacob Ginsburgh, 129 W. 112th st., Manhattan; Jacob A. Kirsch, 70 Lenox ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Moore—

Joseph McGrade, 66 Orient ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—

Lucille R. Hunt, 6 Verona pl., Brooklyn; Joseph N. Neef, 345 E. 32d st., Brooklyn; William C. McKee, 2504 Clarendon rd., Brooklyn; Milton M. Brooke, 371 E. 26th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Molen—

Ida Posner, 1269 41st st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Muhlbauer—

Mark Davis, 181 Varet st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Alfred J. Robertson, 41 W. 46th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman O'Connor—

Thomas F. Doyle, 98 Elm st., Astoria, Queens.

By Alderman O'Neil—

Dan J. Daily, 1517 Glover st., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Reardon—

William Garfinkel, 526 E. 82d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Shipley—

Tobias Black, 17 Popler st., Brooklyn Hills, Queens.

By Alderman Smith—

Isidor A. Krulewitz, 46 Attorney st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Stevenson—

Oscar B. Jarvis, 627 2d st., Brooklyn; D. Ray McDonald, 943 President st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Veltel—

Morris Teitelbaum, 777 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Weil—

Adolph Heymsfeld, 1477 Washington ave., Bronx, N. Y.

Samuel E. Rapport, 325 E. 163d st., Bronx, N. Y.

By Alderman Weston—

Charles H. Karutz, 798 Quincy st., Brooklyn; Harry E. Stam, 624 Macon st., Brooklyn; Herman Weiss, 468 Bainbridge st., Brooklyn; Franklin S. Faye, 460 Bainbridge st., Brooklyn; Warren Contant Du Bois, 340a Decatur st., Brooklyn; Lamont A. Gerau, 297 McDonough st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wendel, Jr.—

James J. O'Connor, 458 W. 49th st., Manhattan; Samuel Falk, 708 9th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman White—

John M. Courtney, 215 E. 5th st., Manhattan; Edgar R. Accetta, 366 Broome st., Manhattan; Alfonso Bracco, 128 E. Houston st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Wilmot—

Harry Cahn, 2540 Grand ave., Bronx, N. Y.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey

with the said Public Service Commission as to the advisability for the immediate remedy necessary in the said premises.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

No. 3211.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is given to the Political Equality Association of 15 E. 41st st., Manhattan, to parade six (6) men with advertising signs through the streets and highways of the Borough of Manhattan, subject to the rules and regulations of the Police Department; such permission to continue for a period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as authorizing the said men, or any of them, when displaying their signs to go on Broadway, between 39th and 44th sts.; on 34th st., between 5th and 6th aves.; on 42d st., between 7th and 8th aves.

Which was adopted.

No. 3212.

By Alderman Mulligan—

Whereas, Within the limits of what formerly comprised the villages of South Mount Vernon and Williamsbridge, incorporated under the General Village Act, chapter 291, Law of 1870, and

Whereas, Since annexation to the Greater City many of the streets that were formerly maintained by said village governments, and for which the people paid a corporation tax for sidewalks, curbing, flagging and top dressing streets with broken stone or macadam, and

Whereas, The Borough President of The Bronx, wherein said streets are located, maintains that he has no legal right to repair or maintain the streets mentioned in the manner formerly pursued by the village authorities unless by assessment; and

Whereas, The people of the section mentioned maintain in rebuttal to the Borough President's opinion that inasmuch as that they have already paid an extra village tax known as the incorporation tax for said improvements in said villages, claim that they are duly entitled to more consideration than the portion of the towns of Eastchester and also Westchester that were not within the incorporated limits of said villages; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to give an opinion as early as possible to this the Board of Aldermen as to the legal right of the Borough President to maintain the streets, sidewalks, sewers, etc., from the maintenance fund without an extra assessment.

Which was adopted.

No. 3213.

By Alderman Marks—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Ostrich Feather Curling Co. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3214.

By Alderman Loos—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. Schuboth, of 499 3d ave., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3215.

By Alderman Lieberman—

AN ORDINANCE for the regulating and licensing of pool and billiard parlors.

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

Section 1. Short Title—This Act shall be known as the Pool Parlor Ordinance.

Section 2. Definitions.—The term pool or billiard table, as used in this ordinance, shall apply only to pool and billiard tables in a place open to the public.

Section 3. The Continuance of Licenses.—Every license heretofore lawfully granted for the maintenance of a pool and billiard parlor, shall remain valid for the term for which it was granted, unless sooner cancelled under the provisions of the law under which it was granted.

Section 4. Blanks to be furnished by the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses.—The Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall furnish blanks for applications, bonds and license certificates provided for in this ordinance, which bonds and applications shall be filed as public records.

Section 5. Statements to be Made by Applicant for Pool Parlor License.—Each applicant for a pool parlor license certificate shall state the following:

1. Applicant's name.

If a corporation or partnership, the name and address of every individual interested.

2. Residence of applicant.

3. When and where applicant was naturalized.

4. References, i. e.

The names of the applicant's employers for five years previous to the date of application.

5. The address of premises where the said business is to be conducted.

6. Statement of what business, if any other business is to be carried on in connection therewith or on the same premises, by the applicant or any other person, and whether the applicant will sublet the said premises to any other person, firm or corporation.

7. Whether the applicant has ever been convicted of a felony; also whether any pool parlor license certificate issued to the said applicant has ever been revoked or forfeited, and if so, the date of such revocation and forfeiture.

8. Whether the applicant has ever been convicted of any violation of the law.

9. Whether the premises, for which the license is sought, have been used for a pool and billiard parlor within three years preceding the date of application.

Section 6. Bonds to be given.—Each licensee shall at the time of the making of the application provided for in section 5 of this ordinance, file in the office of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, a bond to the People of The City of New York in the penal sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), conditioned that there is no material false statement in the application for such pool parlor license certificate; that applicant will not during the time for which such certificate is given, suffer or permit any gambling in the place designated by the pool parlor certificate or in any yard, booth, garden or any other place appertaining thereto or connected therewith, or suffer, permit or have any opening or means of entrance or passage for persons or things between the room where the business of conducting a pool parlor is carried on, and any other room or place where any person whosoever suffers or permits any gambling; or suffer or permit such premises to become disorderly; or suffer, permit of having any opening or means of entrance or passageway for persons or things between the room or place where the playing of pool and billiards is carried on and any other room or place which any other person whosoever suffers or permits to become disorderly; that he will not permit any minor under the age of 16 years to play pool or billiards in the premises licensed nor permit him to remain in the said premises for any purpose whatsoever for more than five minutes. Such bond shall be executed by the applicant and by at least two sureties who shall be free-holders, severally owning within The City of New York unencumbered real estate of the value of not less than the penal sum of the bond, and who shall be residents of The City of New York, or instead of such sureties, by a corporation duly authorized to issue surety bonds by the laws of this State. The applicant may in lieu of the bond deposit a certificate of deposit endorsed to or made payable to the City Chamberlain of The City of New York, who shall hold the same until three months after the expiration of the certificate, and if no action is then pending for the revocation of the pool parlor license certificate or to recover the amount of the bond or certificate for violations of law, then the bond or certificate of deposit shall be returned to the licensee. The Corporation Counsel may at any time, for the violation of any of the conditions named in said bond, commence and maintain an action in the name of The City of New York to recover the penalty named in the bond filed pursuant to this ordinance, provided, however, that such action must be commenced within three months after the cause of action has accrued.

Section 7. Examination of premises by Department of Health. (1) When the application provided for in section 5 of this ordinance is found to be correct in form and shows upon its face that the applicant has complied with all the provisions of

this ordinance, and the bond required by section 6 of this ordinance is found to be correct both as to form and sufficiency, then the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall cause the premises for which a license certificate has been asked to be inspected by the Department of Health of The City of New York, and if premises are certified by the Department of Health as sanitary for the purposes intended, a license certificate shall be issued by the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses. (2) The applicant shall at the time of his application for a pool parlor license certificate deposit with the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses the sum of five dollars (\$5) to pay for the examination of the premises by the Department of Health of The City of New York.

Section 8. License fee.

The license fee for pool parlor certificate shall be five dollars (\$5) for each table in the premises licensed and the license issued shall be for the term of one year.

Section 9. Posting pool parlor license certificate.

The said pool parlor certificate shall be suitably framed, having a clear glass face so that the whole of said certificate may be seen therein, and shall be posted up and at all times displayed in a conspicuous place in the room wherein said business of pool and billiard parlor is to be conducted.

Section 10. Corporations, associations, co-partnerships or persons who or which shall not conduct pool parlors.—No corporation, association, co-partnership or person mentioned in this section shall conduct a pool parlor in The City of New York, except as herein provided:

(1) No person (a) who has been convicted of a felony or employs in the conduct of said pool parlor a person who has so been convicted; or (b) who is under the age of twenty-one years; or (c) who is not a citizen of the United States and a resident of The City of New York; or (d) who has had a pool parlor license certificate issued to him and which has been revoked for a violation of the provisions of this Ordinance, until one year from the date of such conviction or revocation.

(2) No co-partnership unless one or more of the members of such co-partnership owning at least one-half interest in the business thereof shall be a resident of this City and a citizen of the United States.

(3) No person who as owner or agent shall suffer or permit any gambling in the place designated by the pool parlor license certificate as that in which the said conduct of the pool parlor is to be carried on, or carries on or permits to be carried on or is interested in any traffic, business or occupation the conduct of which is a violation of law.

Section 11. Places for which pool parlor licenses may not be issued.—No pool parlor license certificate shall be issued for any premises wherein a pool parlor license was revoked, until the expiration of six months after the date of revocation.

Section 12. Changing place of operation of pool parlor.—If a corporation, association, co-partnership or person holding a pool parlor license certificate is desirous of transferring to and carrying on such business in premises other than those designated in the original application and in the license certificate, and in premises where such traffic or business is not prohibited by this Ordinance, upon a payment of an additional fee of five dollars (\$5) for an inspection of the premises by the Board of Health as provided for in section 7 of this Ordinance, and said certification by the Department of Health that the premises to which the licensee desires to transfer the said pool parlor license certificate are sanitary, the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall transfer the pool parlor license certificate.

Section 13. Penalties for violation of this Ordinance.—The penalty for violation of this Ordinance shall be the revocation of the certificate issued and the bringing of an action upon the bond given in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of this Ordinance. All proceedings for the revocation of a license certificate issued herein for the violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be had before the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses or before any deputy designated by him, upon five days' notice to the licensee, and after a hearing before the said Chief of the Bureau of Licenses or the Deputy designated by him to hear and to determine the validity of the charges made.

Section 14. Collection of penalties and forfeiture of bond.—Upon the revocation of any pool parlor license certificate or for a violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York shall, in the name of the People of The City of New York institute an action to recover the amount of the bond given under section 6 of this Ordinance.

Section 15. Hours of closing.—All pool parlors licensed under this Ordinance shall close at one a. m. and shall remain closed until nine a. m., unless special permission shall have been granted by the Mayor of The City of New York permitting the premises licensed to remain open later than the time heretofore specified as the hour of closing. The special permit, if granted, shall be in writing, and shall be framed and posted in the same manner as the Licensed Certificate.

Section 16. When to take effect.—This Ordinance shall take effect immediately. Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 3216.

By the same—

Resolved, That the City Clerk be requested to have 500 copies printed of "An ordinance regulating and licensing pool and billiard parlors."

Which was adopted.

No. 3217.

By Alderman Levine—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nathan Herman to erect, place and keep a post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises 271 Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan; provided that the dimensions of the post at the base shall not exceed eighteen inches, if circular in form, and if upon a square base, no side thereof shall exceed eighteen inches; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 3218.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Lorber to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3219.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary A. McBride to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3220.

By Alderman Igstaedter—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David Schwartz to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3221.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration an ordinance now in his hands, Int. No. 2207, entitled "An Ordinance to Amend Section 362 of Article 4 of Chapter 7 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to Stands Within the Stoop Lines and Under Elevated Railroad Stations."

Which was adopted.

No. 3222.

The paper was then received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows: The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on November 19, 1912 (Minutes, page 295), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending ordinance relating to stands within the stoop lines and under the elevated railroad stations, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed amendment to be proper.

It, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 362 of article 4 of chapter 7 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Stands Within the Stoop Lines and Under Elevated Railroad Stations."

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

Section 1. Section 362 of article 4 of chapter 7 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York relating to "Stands Within the Stoop Lines and Under Elevated Railroad Stations," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 362. All licenses for bootblacks and stands within stoop lines or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York shall be granted by authority of the Mayor, and issued by the Bureau of Licenses, *to continue in force until the first day of May next ensuing the grant thereof* (for a term of one year from the date thereof), unless sooner suspended or revoked by the Mayor or the Chief of said Bureau, with the approval of the Mayor; and no person shall be licensed except a citizen of the United States or one who has regularly declared intention to become such citizen, and the time to obtain such full citizenship has not yet elapsed (.), *licenses issued for a term of less than a year shall be charged for by months, in proportion with the annual fee, no fraction of a month to be considered, but to be charged for as a whole.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

NOTE.—New matter in *italics*; old matter in () parentheses to be omitted.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, W. H. PENDRY, WM. BRUSH, SAMUEL MARKS, JAMES HAMILTON, FRANK CUNNINGHAM, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

On motion of Aldermen Dowling the vote by which this ordinance was adopted was reconsidered, and the paper was placed on file.

No. 3222.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE repealing action 283 of chapter 6, of article 2, part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to the time for the payment of water rents.

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

Section 1. Section 283 of chapter 6, article 2 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York relating to the time for the payment of water rents is hereby repealed in its entirety, as follows:

Section 283. All rents for the use of the water shall be paid in advance at the time of applying for the water and before any permit is issued; to be calculated up to the first day of May succeeding; and all rents shall continue to be collected in advance on the first day of May annually, so long as the contract exists; and no contract for the supply of water shall be binding for a longer period than until the second succeeding first day of May after such contract is entered into. (R. O. 1897, Sec. 153).

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

No. 3223.

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 ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be used under the jurisdiction of a special committee of the Board of Aldermen for the purpose of meeting expenses incurred by the City in connection with the dedication of the Carl Schurz Memorial on University Heights, on May 10, 1913.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 3224.

By Alderman Devine—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Myron Co. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3225.

By Alderman Bolles—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. Schechter, of 310 W. 149th st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 3226.

By Alderman Folks—

An amendment to licensē motion picture theatres.

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

Section 305, article 1, title 2, chapter 7, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

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, 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 station.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

No. 3227.

By the same—

An amendment providing license fees for motion picture theatres.

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

Section 308, article 2, title 2, chapter 7, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

308. The annual license fees shall be as below enumerated: For each public cart or truck, \$2; for each public hack coach, \$3; for each public hack cab, \$2; for each special hack coach, \$5; for each special hack cab, \$3; for each express wagon, \$5; for each junk shop dealer, \$20; for each dealer in second-hand articles, \$25; for each junk cart or boat, \$5; for each peddler using horse and wagon, \$8; for each peddler using push cart, \$4; for each peddler carrying merchandise, \$2; for each ticket speculator, \$50; for each coal scalper, \$250; for each common show, \$25; for each *open air motion picture theatre*, \$50; for each *motion picture theatre*, \$100; for each public shooting gallery, \$5; for each public bowling alley, \$5; for each public billiard table, \$3; for each dirt cart, \$1; for each general hoisting, \$25; for each special hoisting, \$1; for each fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$10; for each newspaper or periodical stand, or booth, and in addition also a fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$15; for each movable newspaper stand, \$1; for each newspaper and periodical stand, or booth, \$5; for each chair of a bootblack stand, \$5; for each stand under elevated railroad stations, \$10; for each driver of any licensed vehicle, 50 cents.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

No. 3228.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE relative to motion picture theatres.

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

Chapter 7, Title 2, Article 3, Section 352—Motion Pictures and Motion Picture Theatres.

352A.

Motion pictures shall be deemed a display on a screen or other device whereby pictures are displayed of characters or objects in motion, whether or not accompanied by music, lecture, recitation or song.

352B.

A motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public hall or room in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, in which the seating capacity does not exceed 600, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

An open air motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public place or space in the open air in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

The Mayor shall appoint such inspectors as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this ordinance. They shall be known as "Motion Picture Theatre Inspectors" and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board of Aldermen on recommendations of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

352C.

The Bureau of Licenses shall issue all motion picture licenses granted by the Mayor, and, by the authority of the Mayor, shall regulate and control all motion picture theatres provided.

1. Applicants for motion picture theatre licenses shall file plans and specifications of the motion picture theatre with the Bureau of Buildings of the borough in which the motion picture theatre is to be situated, and must file a copy of such plans and specifications, duly approved by the Superintendent of Buildings, with the application for the license, which application shall be made to the Bureau of Licenses on blanks furnished by it for that purpose.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall, without delay upon the request of an applicant, pass upon the location of the motion picture theatre and upon the character of the applicant requesting the license.

3. The Bureau of Licenses shall request the Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Department of Health to inspect said theatres, and the said departments shall file in the Bureau of Licenses, within ten days, detailed written reports, which shall include a statement of any violations of law, ordinances, rules and regulations, and any dangerous conditions. Upon the failure of any of said departments (excepting the Fire Department) to file detailed written reports in reply to the request of the Bureau of Licenses, the said bureau may disregard said department and in its discretion may issue a license.

4. Until the provisions of this ordinance shall have been complied with, no license shall be issued.

352D.

1. Plans—Before the erection, construction or alteration of a building, or part thereof, to be used as a motion picture theatre, there must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings complete plans and detailed statement as set forth in section 4 of the Building Code. The plans must show clearly and fully the location and width of all exits, passageways, stairs, fire escapes, aisles, etc.; arrangement of seats, size of floor beams, walls, supports, etc.; the location and construction of the inclosure for the motion picture light and machinery, and for other similar apparatus; a diagram of the lot or plot, showing outlets from all exits, and also such other statements, plans or details as may be required by the Superintendent of Buildings.

2. Prohibition—Motion picture theatres shall not be constructed in frame buildings within the fire limits, nor in hotels, tenement houses or lodging houses, nor in factories or workshops, except where the theatre is separated from the rest of the building by unperforated fireproof walls and floors, and in no case shall they be constructed or operated above or below the ground floor of any building.

3. Exits and Courts—All such buildings must be provided on the main floor of the theatre with at least two separate exits, one of which shall be in the front and the other in the rear, both leading to unobstructed outlets on the street. Where the main floor of the theatre accommodates more than 300 people there shall be at least three such exits, the aggregate width in feet of such exits shall not be less than one-twentieth of the number of persons to be accommodated thereby. No exits shall be less than 5 feet in width, and there shall be a main exit not less than 10 feet in total width.

In all such buildings to be erected or to be altered so as to be used for a motion picture theatre, if unobstructed exit to a street cannot be provided at the rear of such buildings, as herein specified, either an open court or a fireproof passage or corridor must be provided from rear exit to the street front of at least the following width: 4 feet in the clear for theatres accommodating 100 persons or less; for every additional 100 persons the width to be increased 8 inches. Such passage must be constructed of fireproof material and must be at least 10 feet high in the clear. The walls forming such passage must be at least 8 inches thick, of brick or other approved fireproof material, and if there be a basement the wall on the auditorium side should either run 1 foot below the cellar bottom or may be carried in the cellar on iron columns and girders properly fireproofed according to sections 106 and 107 of the Building Code.

The ceiling of said passage, and if there be a basement, the flooring must be constructed according to section 106 of the Building Code.

If unobstructed rear exit or exits to a street are provided, the said exit or exits must be of the same total width required for the court or passage above mentioned.

Said passages and exits to the street, as above, must be used for no other purposes except for exit and entrance and must be kept free and clear.

The level of the open court or passage at the front of building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk, and the grade shall not be more than 1 foot in 10, with no perpendicular rises.

All exit doors must be unlocked when building is open to the public. They must be fireproof and made to open outwardly and so arranged as not to obstruct the required width of exit or court when opened. All doors leading to fire escapes must be not less than 40 inches wide in the clear, and shall be located at the opposite side or end of the gallery from other exit doors.

4. Galleries and Stairs—A gallery may be permitted, but it shall not include more than 25 per cent. of the total seating capacity of the theatre. Entrance to and exit from said gallery shall in no case lead to the main floor of the theatre, and the gallery shall be provided with a stair or stairs equipped with handrails on both sides. Stairs over 7 feet wide shall be provided with centre handrail. The risers of the stairs shall not exceed 7 1/4 inches, and the treads, excluding nosings, shall not be less than 9 1/2 inches. There shall be no circular or winding staircases.

The total width of the stairs shall not be less than 8 feet in the clear where the gallery accommodates 150 people; for every 50 people less than 150 which the gallery accommodates said width may be reduced 1 foot.

Stairs shall be constructed of fireproof material, and such material and the bearing capacity of such stairs shall be approved by the Bureau of Buildings.

Galleries must also be provided with at least one line of fire escapes leading to an open court, fireproof passage or street without re-entering the same or any other building.

If the fire escape leads to a point in the court nearer the street than any exit, there must be a width of not less than 4 feet in the clear between the outer edge of the fire escape and the outer wall of the court.

5. Fire Escapes—All fire escapes must have balconies not less than 3 feet 4 inches in width in the clear and not less than 4 feet 6 inches long, and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over 7 1/4 inches and a step of not less than 9 1/2 inches, and the width of the stairs must not be less than 3 feet 4 inches.

6. Auditorium and Other Rooms—If the walls of the auditorium contain wood studs they shall be covered with either expanded metal lath or wire mesh and plastered with three coats of first class plaster, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards. The joints shall be properly filled with mortar.

The ceilings of all such rooms shall be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or metal lath, or covered with one-half inch plaster boards, and plastered or covered with metal.

If there be a basement or cellar, the ceiling under the auditorium floor must be plastered with three coats of first class plaster on wire mesh or expanded metal lath or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards.

The basement or cellar under the auditorium shall be kept free and clear, except the space used for the heating apparatus, for machinery connected with the theatre and for coal.

7. Construction of Booths—Apparatus for projecting motion pictures shall be enclosed in a booth or enclosure constructed so as to be fireproof, in accordance with the specifications of chapter 756 of the Laws of 1911. The booth shall be equipped with a vent flue as prescribed in section 352C, paragraph 2, of this ordinance. Booths shall contain an approved fireproof box for the storage of films not on the projecting machine. Films shall not be stored in any other place on the premises; they shall be rewound and repaired either in the booth or in some other approved fireproof enclosure.

Where miniature motion picture machines are employed in connection with private exhibitions the requirements of the above paragraph may be so modified as to permit, instead of the regulation booth, an approved fireproof box, unventilated, and of a size only sufficient to properly enclose the machine.

8. Gradients—To overcome any difference of level in and between corridors, lobbies and aisles, gradients of not over 1 foot in 10 feet, or steps having a rise not over 8 inches and a width of not less than 10 inches must be used.

9. Aisles—All aisles in the auditorium and gallery must not be less than 3 feet wide in the clear. No aisle, passageway or space in the rear of the auditorium shall be obstructed by any camp stool, chair, sofa or settee, nor shall any person be permitted to stand or sit therein.

10. Chairs—All chairs in the auditorium except those contained in the boxes, must not be less than 32 inches from back to back and must be firmly secured to the floor. No seat in the auditorium shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The space occupied by each person shall be separated from the adjoining space by means of an arm or other suitable device.

11. Signs Over Exits—Over every exit there must be painted on the inside in letters not less than 6 inches high, the word "Exit" in legible type, and one red light or illuminated sign must be placed inside over each exit, and illuminated while the audience is present.

12. Floor Loads—The flooring of that portion of the building devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public must be of sufficient strength to bear safely a live load of 90 pounds per square foot.

13. Toilets—Toilets separate for sexes must be provided.

14. Fire Apparatus—Portable fire apparatus shall be provided of the following kind and number: Ten-quart capacity buckets, painted red with the word "Fire" in black, the letters 4 inches high, to the number of 6 for places seating less than 300 without a gallery, and two additional if there be a gallery; to the number of ten in places seating over 300 persons, and four additional if there be a gallery. There shall be two buckets containing dry sand kept in the operating booth; approved fire extinguishers of 2½-gallon capacity of the regulation Fire Department pattern, of which 2 shall be on the main floor and 2 in the gallery, if there be one, and 1 in the operating booth; 4 pound flat head axes, 2 of which shall be on the main floor and 2 in the gallery, if there be one.

352E.

1. Lighting—Every portion of a moving picture theatre, including exits, courts and corridors devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public, shall be so lighted by electric light during all exhibitions and until the entire audience has left the premises that a person with normal eyesight should be able to read the Snellen standard test type 40 at a distance of 20 feet and type 30 at a distance of 10 feet; normal eyesight meaning ability to read type 20 at a distance of 20 feet in daylight. Cards showing types 20, 30 and 40 shall be displayed on the side walls, together with a copy of this paragraph of the ordinance.

2. Heating—When the temperature of the outdoor air is below 60 degrees F. the air in the theatre, while an audience is present, shall be maintained at a temperature not lower than 62 degrees F. nor higher than 70 degrees F.

If gas stoves, oil stoves or other apparatus throwing off products of combustion are used to heat motion picture theatres, said products of combustion must be carried to the outside air by means of a fireproof flue or flues.

No radiator shall be placed in the aisles so as to lessen the width below the minimum requirement.

3. Ventilation—Motion picture theatres having less than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or motion picture theatres in which the outside window and door area is less than one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation which shall supply during the time the audience is present at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person.

Motion picture theatres having more than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or which have outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation, which shall be in operation when the outside temperature requires the windows to be kept closed, and which shall supply, during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person. When the artificial ventilation is not in operation, ventilation by means of open doors and windows shall be sufficient to provide each person with 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour.

Motion picture theatres having more than 1,000 cubic feet of air space for each person and having outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the total floor area, shall not be required to have artificial means of ventilation, provided the air is thoroughly changed by freely opening doors and windows immediately before the admission of the audience, and at least every 4 hours thereafter.

No part of the fresh air supply required by any of the above paragraphs of this section shall be taken from any source containing vitiated air.

The area of outside doors and windows shall mean the area capable of being freely opened to the outside air for ventilation purposes.

When fresh air is supplied by means of ventilating openings, at least one inlet shall be situated at one end of the room, and at least one outlet at the other end of the room. Where exhaust or inlet fans are necessary, at least one of such fan shall be placed in an outlet opening. The inlet opening or openings shall be placed in the floor or within 2 feet from the floor, and the outlet opening or openings in the ceiling or within 2 feet of the ceiling. The inlet openings and their surroundings shall be kept free from dust so that the incoming air shall not convey dust nor stir up dust as it enters.

During the time the audience is present, the air in the theatre shall be kept continuously in motion by means of fans to the number of at least 1 to every 150 persons. Such fans shall be placed in positions remote from the inlet and outlet openings. No person shall be exposed to any direct draft from any air inlet.

The booth in which the picture machine is operated shall be provided with an opening in its roof or upper part of its side walls, leading to the outdoor air. The vent flue shall have a minimum cross sectional area of 50 square inches and shall be fireproof. When the booth is in use, there shall be a constant current of air passing outward through said opening or vent flue, at the rate of not less than 30 cubic feet per minute.

The specifications of the above paragraph shall apply to portable booths and booths in open air theatres.

352F.

Motion picture theatres must be kept clean and free from dust.

The floors, where covered with wood, tiles, stone, concrete, linoleum, or other washable material, shall be mopped or scrubbed with water or swept with moisture or by some other dustless method, at least once daily, and shall be scrubbed with water and soap, or water and some other solvent substance at least once weekly.

Carpets, rugs and other fabric floor coverings shall be cleaned at least once daily by means of suction cleaning, beating or dustless sweeping. Curtains and draperies shall be cleaned at least once monthly by suction cleaning, beating or washing. Cornices, walls and other dust-holding places shall be kept free from dust by washing or moist wiping. The wood and metal parts of all seats shall be kept clean. Fabric upholstering of seats and railings and other fixed fabrics shall be cleaned by suction cleaning, or other dustless method, at least once monthly.

352G.

Through its Motion Picture Inspectors, as provided in subsection 352b of this ordinance, the Bureau of Licenses shall inspect, subject to the authority of the Mayor, the character of exhibitions in motion picture theatres and shall report to the Mayor any offense against morality, decency or public welfare contained in said exhibitions.

352H.

All the provisions contained in this ordinance shall apply to existing places of entertainment, where motion pictures are exhibited under a common show license, in case the seating capacity be increased; and in case the seating capacity be not increased, all the provisions of this ordinance shall apply, except those provisions of subsection 352d, designated as numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, but the Bureau of Licenses shall have power in its discretion to enforce the provisions of said paragraph 3 of Section 352d as to exits and courts.

352I.

Existing places of entertainment seating 300 persons, or less, where motion pictures are exhibited in conjunction with any other form of entertainment, must comply, before a reissuance of its license, with the provisions of section 109 of the Building Code, covering theatres seating more than 300 persons. But if such existing place of entertainment discontinue all other form of entertainment except the exhibition of motion pictures, it may be licensed in accordance with the provisions of subsection 352H.

352J.

With the exception of paragraph 7 of subsection "352D," subsections "352A" to "352F," inclusive, and subsections "352H," "352I," "352K" and "352L" of this ordinance shall not apply to motion picture exhibitions with or without charge for admission, conducted under the direct management of educational or religious institutions, nor to motion picture exhibitions without charge for admission given or held not more than once a week in private residences or bona fide social, scientific, political or athletic clubs. Before motion pictures shall be exhibited in any of the places above mentioned, there shall be obtained from the Bureau of Licenses a permit for such

exhibition. Before granting such permit, the Bureau of Licenses shall cause to be inspected the premises where such proposed exhibition will be held, and shall grant the permit if in its judgment the safety of the public be properly guarded, and provided that for an audience of more than 75 people all chairs or seats shall be securely fastened to the floor or fastened together in rows.

352K.

The Bureau of Licenses, at its discretion, shall specify the seating capacity for each open air motion picture theatre. Aisles must be 4 feet wide, or wider, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses. At least two separate exits, remote from each other, shall be provided, and no exit shall be less than 5 feet in width; for every 25 persons to be accommodated in excess of 300, the total width of exits shall be increased 1 foot. All exits must be indicated by signs and red lights, and the doors must open outwardly. Seats must be stationary, with backs 32 inches apart, and so arranged that no seat shall have more than 7 seats intervening between it and an aisle. The floor must be constructed either of wood with sleepers or concrete, and must extend at least five feet from the seats on all sides, provided, however, that in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses, a gravel floor may be substituted for wood or concrete. Chairs must be either securely fastened to wood or concrete floor, or all chairs in a row must be fastened together, and at least 4 rows must be securely fastened to one frame, except that where refreshments are served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted.

352L.

Only subsections "352A," "352B," "352C," "352D," paragraphs 7 and 13; "352G," "352J" and "352K" of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres.

352M.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. All other rules, regulations and ordinances inconsistent herewith and affecting buildings and places to be occupied as herein defined are hereby revoked.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Alderman Kenneally moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 1, 1913, 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, MARCH 26, 1913.

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.

All of the 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.
Commissioner of Accounts.				
31810	3- 1-13	3-23-13	Morris' Auto Garage.....	\$24 53
Armory Board.				
31699	3-20-13	3-20-13	Finigan-Zabriskie Co.....	\$159 00
Board of Building Examiners.				
30851	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.....	\$6 71
Bellevue.				
29314	3- 3-13	3-17-13	F. A. Dankel.....	\$4 01
29879	11-30-12. 1-31-13	3-17-13	Electric Construction & Supply Co.....	760 69
28948	2- 7-13	3-14-13	Syndicate Trading Co.....	444 34
Department of Bridges.				
30947	2-25-13	3-19-13	C. T. Silver Motor Co.....	\$7 11
30948	2-25-13	3-19-13	National Auto Top Co.....	4 00
30950	2-20-13	3-19-13	The White Co.....	11 06
30951	12-27-12. 1-21-13	3-19-13	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.....	80 25
31710	3-20-13	3-20-13	McClintic-Marshall Construction Co.....	2,883 40
Brooklyn Public Library.				
31623	1-27-13. 1-30-13	3-20-13	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co...	\$227 25
31935	1-20-13. 3- 1-13	3-21-13	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co...	391 31
31936	2-26-13. 3- 1-13	3-21-13	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co...	286 05
31944	2-11-13	3-21-13	Library Bureau	19 95
31950	2-10-13	3-21-13	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co...	20 79
City Record.				
31942	2-11-13. 2-21-13	3-21-13	P. J. Collison & Co.....	\$52 52
College of The City of New York.				
31417	3- 6-13	3-20-13	Heilbut & Kleefeld.....	\$104 00
Department of Correction.				
29908	1-31-13	3-17-13	M. K. Bowman-Edson Co.....	\$15 00
31180	1-20-13	3-19-13	Thomas C. Dunham.....	28 57
31241	12-31-12	3-19-13	A. Miller	15 00
31242	12-31-12	3-19-13	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	1 10
31243	12-28-12	3-19-13	Ogden & Wallace.....	1 20
31247	12-31-12	3-19-13	Imperial Garage	128 60
31249	12-27-12	3-19-13	James S. Barron & Co.....	85
31253	12-31-12	3-19-13	H. T. Dakin.....	5 48
District Attorney, New York.				
31703	3-20-13	John J. Buckley, Auditor.....		\$214 20
31704	3-20-13	James S. Maher.....		14 94
31787	2-17-13	3-20-13	Frederick Loeser & Co.....	22 00
Department of Docks and Ferries.				
31534	3-20-13	Chas. D. Durkee & Co.....		\$10 11
31550	2-20-13	3-20-13	L. Katzenstein & Co.....	13 00
31551	3-11-13	3-20-13	Philip Gurian	7 17
31552	3-20-13	3-20-13	Long Island Railroad Co.....	14 30
Department of Education.				
30348	2-10-13	3-18-13	Nathan Garter	\$11 00
30358	12-17-13	3-18-13	Maltzyme Co.....	816 00
30384	1- 4-13			

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30395	11-20-12, 1- 3-12	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	2 33	32747	3-24-13	Thomas F. Foley, former Sheriff.....	25 35	
30399	1- 4-12, 12- 5-12	1- 3-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	38 73	32788	3-24-13	Louis C. Wallach.....	155 84	
30400	11-18-13, 1- 4-13	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	27 49	32789	3-24-13	Lawyers' Title Insurance & Trust Co.	90 88	
30401	10-22-12, 12- 3-12	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	88 01	32790	3-24-13	Harry Zirinsky.....	4 77	
30402	10-22-12, 1- 6-13	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	77 56	32790	3-24-13	Harry Zirinsky.....	28 36	
30412	10-15-12, 12- 9-12	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	11 35	32793	3-24-13	Kate Sheehan as Administratrix of the Estate of John J. Sheehan.....	1,375 00	
30437	1- 4-13	3-18-13	John Wanamaker, New York.....	5 56	32852	3-24-13	Richard Niederstein.....	67 07	
30777	1- 2-13	3-19-13	Charles E. Merrill Co., Assignee of D. Appleton & Co.....	9 28			Department of Health.		
			Department of Health.		27555	12-31-12, 1- 2-13	3-12-13	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.....	\$171 79
					28427		3-13-13	Rev. Mrs. Hannah Blum.....	32 40
32006		3-22-13	B. B. Chappell.....	\$4 50	28799	1- 8-13	3-14-13	Library Bureau.....	50 00
30816		3-19-13	James McC. Miller.....	8 15	30359	12-11-12, 12-31-12	3-18-13	The Manhattan Supply Co.....	38 72
30821		3-19-13	James McC. Miller.....	26 10	30361	1- 2-13	3-18-13	The Manhattan Supply Co.....	106 39
30824	2-18-13	3-19-13	Brooklyn Steamship & Hotel Supply Co.	129 40	30363	1-15-13	3-18-13	Northfield Feed and Grain Co.....	111 06
32007	12-10-12, 9-11-12	3-22-13	Goetz & Co.	14 50	30364	1-31-13	3-18-13	Sulzberger & Sons Company.....	1,630 39
32014		3-22-13	The J. W. Pratt Co.	653 40	30372	2-28-13	3-18-13	Shultz Bread Co.....	649 50
32015	1-31-13	3-22-13	Stephen B. Gilly.....	66 00	30373	1-10-13, 1-15-13	3-18-13	Thomas M. Blake.....	328 20
32016	1-31-13	3-22-13	John C. Swade.....	85 80	30847	4-18-12	3-19-13	Lewis De Groot & Son.....	5 98
32018	1- 7-13, 1-14-13	3-22-13	D. Appleton & Co.	127 60	31441	1-21-13	3-20-13	The American Multigraph Sales Co.	600 00
32021	1-18-13	3-22-13	W. T. Chapin.....	60	31444	2- 4-13, 2-17-13	3-20-13	P. W. Valley, Inc.	30 00
32030	1- 7-13, 1-15-13	3-22-13	Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	108 32	31447	2- 5-13	3-20-13	H. & B. Auto Sales Co.	49 00
32033	1-14-13	3-22-13	D. C. Heath & Co.	523 00	31448	1-28-13	3-20-13	The General Fireproofing Co.	47 88
32034	1-14-13	3-22-13	D. C. Heath & Co.	130 00	31457	3- 8-13	3-20-13	James McC. Miller, as Chief Clerk.....	14 25
32037	1-16-13	3-22-13	The Macmillan Co.	192 00			Public Administrator of Kings County.		
32038	1-28-13, 1-29-13	3-22-13	Kalt Lumber Co.	237 43	30939	1-31-13, 2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	\$36 17
32063		3-22-13	The Macey Dohme Co.	24 00			Law Department.		
32075	1-31-13	3-22-13	Jones & Aubinger.....	121 00	26657		3-11-13	George J. Ryan.....	\$415 00
32076	2- 1-13	3-22-13	Wm. H. Van Nostrand.....	75 68	30490		3-18-13	P. B. Sheridan.....	20 50
32078	1-31-13	3-22-13	Joseph Wittmann.....	97 90	30492		3-18-13	Henry L. Davis.....	2 50
32079	1-31-13	3-22-13	Jacob Griffin.....	165 00			Department of Parks, The Bronx.		
32083	1-10-13	3-22-13	M. J. Fitzgerald Co.	9 65	29839	3- 6-13	3-17-13	Barrett Manufacturing Co.	\$121 10
32085		3-22-13	Julius Hass' Sons.....	11 99	29841	2-28-13	3-17-13	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	11 23
32087	1-22-13	3-22-13	H. Hanig.....	5 75	29843	3- 6-13	3-17-13	John P. Jube & Co.	27 00
32088	2-10-13	3-22-13	J. Friedman.....	4 00			Department of Parks, Brooklyn.		
32089	1-14-13, 2- 8-13	3-22-13	Emil F. Bertram.....	8 25	31065	2-19-13	3-19-13	John M. Bulwinkle.....	\$5 00
32091	2- 7-13	3-22-13	A. Doncourt.....	2 50	31068	2-28-13	3-19-13	Stevenson & Marsters.....	119 00
32092	1-30-13	3-22-13	P. W. Taylor.....	3 00	31073	3- 5-13, 3- 7-13	3-19-13	Keuffel & Esser Co.	211 27
32093	2- 1-13	3-21-13	J. W. Noordzy.....	3 00			Department of Parks, Manhattan.		
32102	12-17-12	3-22-13	Eimer & Amend.....	2 95	29586	2-26-13	3-17-13	A. V. Johnson & Co.	\$145 00
32103	12-10-12	3-22-13	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	1 15	31037	4- 4-10, 2-10-11	3-19-13	Brooklyn Lumber Co.	3,643 31
32104	1-24-13	3-22-13	G. P. Putnam's Sons.....	2 63	31045	3- 7-13	3-19-13	Thomas Rice.....	47 50
32105	1-30-13	3-22-13	Bloomingdale Bros.	2 68	31051	3- 5-13	3-19-13	A. G. Spalding & Bros., Inc.	19 20
32106	12- 4-12	3-22-13	T. C. Steckert Co.	82	31053	2-25-13, 3-10-13	3-19-13	The Standard Scale and Supply Co.	98 17
32107	1-17-13	3-22-13	E. Schwartz.....	92			President, Borough of Manhattan.		
32109	12-26-12	3-22-13	Silver, Burdett & Co.	4 07	29629	1-14-13, 2- 4-13	3-17-13	Vacuum Oil Co.	\$60 00
32110	1-17-13	3-22-13	Library Bureau.....	1 00	29631	3- 1-19	3-17-13	Empire City Iron Works.....	29 05
32111	1- 9-13	3-22-13	The J. W. Pratt Co.	11 89	32535	3- 7-13	3-22-13	Republic Construction Co.	7 35
32112	11-19-12	3-22-13	Patriarch & Bell.....	17 63	32536	2-28-13	3-22-13	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	18 00
32120	12-31-12, 1-11-13	3-22-13	The J. W. Pratt Co.	23 30	32539	2-27-13	3-22-13	W. J. Fitzgerald.....	22 75
32281	2- 3-13	3-24-13	Jarker P. Simmons.....	23 83			President, Borough of Brooklyn.		
32282	1-31-13	3-24-13	Frank D. Beatty & Co.	43 04	31041	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	\$122 11
32283	1-30-13	3-24-13	Queens County Trust Co., Assignee of Parker P. Simmons.....	106 24	31055	3- 1-13	3-19-13	Midwood Garage.....	13 00
32885	8- 8-12	3-24-13	Henry Holt & Co.	17 40	31056	3- 1-13	3-19-13	Midwood Garage.....	1 55
			Board of Elections.		31060	2-13-13	3-19-13	Sweeney & Nail Auto Co., Inc.	85
30921	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	\$71 12	31061	3- 4-13	3-19-13	Pyrene Manufacturing Co.	1 50
30922	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	10 80	31062	3- 6-13	3-19-13	Hardware & Supply Co.	318 98
30922	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	6 14	31064	2-28-13	3-19-13	Stevenson & Marsters.....	27 90
			Department of Finance.		31087	2-28-13	3-19-13	Shadbolt Manufacturing Co.	157 60
30861	2-28-13	3-19-13	Elizabeth Dunn.....	\$21 79	31816	2- 1-13, 3- 1-13	3-20-13	William F. Ruddy.....	23 25
30879	2- 7-13	3-19-13	Lord & Taylor.....	28 98	31819	2-25-13	3-20-13	Joseph Friedenberg.....	1 08
31620		3-20-13	Edward M. Morgan, Postmaster.....	872 00	31822	2- 1-13	3-20-13	J. Morris.....	8 00
31627		3-20-13	Eugene B. Patton.....	9 95	31823	2-10-13	3-20-13	William Staats, Inc.	10 00
32481		3-22-13	Annie Garrey.....	1,300 23	31825	3- 8-13	3-20-13	C. W. Keenan.....	15 55
32482		3-22-13	Joseph Hahn and Morris Steerer.....	1,370 82	31826	2-28-13	3-20-13	Joseph F. Corcoran.....	9 00
32483		3-22-13	William T. Hencken & Nicholas Haaren.....	609 45	31828	3- 3-13	3-20-13	The Eco Magnet Clock Co.	210 00
32484		3-22-13</							

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30926	3-16-13	3-19-13	William Farrell & Son.....	18 00	32665	3-24-13	Parke, Davis & Co.	88 00	
30928	2-28-13	3-19-13	New York Telephone Co.	38 73	32666	3-24-13	Adolf Kuttroff	4 85	
			Board of Water Supply.		32667	3-24-13	Florence Coleman	6 67	
31557	3-15-13	3-20-13	Mason & Hanger Co.	\$102,936 57	32668	3-24-13	Florence Coleman	6 67	
31558	3-10-13	3-20-13	Pittsburg Contracting Co.	26,550 90	32669	3-24-13	Michael Coleman	18 00	
31600	3- 4-13	3-20-13	New York Blasting Supply Co.	31 20	32671	3-24-13	Michael Coleman	19 02	
31601	2-21-13	3-19-13	Rubberhide Co.	260 16	32672	3-24-13	Michael Coleman	16 98	
32748		3-24-13	Feldblum, Reizenstein & Levison	66 15	32674	3-24-13	Mary Casey	9 15	
32749		3-24-13	Feldblum, Reizenstein & Levison	300 00	33119	3-24-13	Solomon Klingensteine	28 30	
			Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.		33120	3-24-13	Town of Harrison, Max Winkler, Collector	439 86	
29191		3-15-13	Charles Pickler	\$41 50	33121	3-24-13	Town of Somers, J. B. Crane, Collector	5,015 38	
32662		3-24-13	A. Bonagur	31 00	33122	3-24-13	Town of Cortlandt, Fred F. Roe, Tax Receiver	38,478 70	
32664		3-24-13	George Bendien	16 25		3-24-13	Town of North Salem, Gilbert M. Lobdell, Collector	5,413 56	

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1913.

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 Vouch- er No.	Invoice No. Dates.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
		Armory Board.	
34097		Chas. Grimmer & Son.....	\$2,350 00

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

34217	1-31-13	Engler Bakery	\$1 08
34218	1-15-13	Samuel E. Hunter.....	65 18
34219	1-31-13	Strauss Bros.	5 94
34220	1- 7-13	Francis H. Leggett.....	5 40
34221	1-28-13	Chas. H. Mattlage	57 92
34222	1-18-13	Meyer, Denker & Sinram Co.	15 70
34223	1-30-13	Gray Natl. Telautograph Co.	2 00
34224	1-31-13	Eimer & Amend.....	14 60
34225	1-22-13	Farbwerks, Hoechst Co.	180 35
34226	1- 9-13	Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland	26 25
34227	1-24-13	Hagerty Bros. & Co.	45 00
34229	1-30-13	Lehn & Fink.....	3 12
34230	1-16-13	The Liquid Carbonic Co.	2 50
34231	1- 2-13	Merck & Co.	22 35
34232	1-15-13	E. B. Meyrowitz.....	359 36
34233	1-24-13	Jas. A. Webb Son, Branch...	107 94
34228	1-30-13	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	66 64
34234	1-10-13	Masson's Supplies' Co.	2 00
34237	1-31-13	Greenhut, Siegel-Cooper Co.	16 63
34238	1-15-13	High Grade Oil Ref. Co.	20 00
34239	1-29-13	E. Machlett & Son.....	22 50
34235	1- 7-13	Dennison Mfg. Co.	65 00
34236	1-24-13	Jas. T. Dougherty.....	6 60
34240	1-25-13	H. Kohnstamm & Co.	24 10
34241	1-31-13	Kranich & Bach.....	206 00
34243	1-23-13	Lord & Taylor.....	33 06
34242	1-21-13	Samuel Lewis	24 50
34244	12-26-12	A. G. Richter.....	22 00
34246	1-29-13	Wm. Meier	284 66
34252	1-31-13	Pullman & Charles.....	840 00
34245	12-28-12	Robt. Ferguson	22 28
34251	1-27-13	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	3 75
34254	10-31-12	The N. Y. Edison Co.	43 87
34255	11-29-12	Geo. W. Benham, A. and W.	300 00
34247	12- 9-12	Geo. W. Benham, A. and W.	90 33
34248	10-22-12	Geo. C. Flint Co.	48 25
34249	9-23-13	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	65 40
34250	2-10-13	B. Altman & Co.	54 27
34253	1-18-13	Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd.	69 50
34256	5- 9-12	John Lucas	2 55
34257	11-20-12	Pittsburg Plate Glass Co.	28 13
34258	10-30-12	C. W. Hunt Co.	185 92
34259	12-31-12	Hull, Gripen & Co.	17 14
34260	11-15-12	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	78 49

Board of City Record.

34185		The Evening Post Job Prtg. Office	\$2,800 00
34186		Stillman Appellate Prtg. Co.	1,359 87
34187	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	8,514 36
34197	2-28-13	The J. W. Pratt Co.	1,070 44
34199	3- 3-13	Clarence S. Nathan	1,395 99
34200	3- 3-13	Wm. Bratter & Co.	2,021 90
34189	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	203 98
34190	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	8 44
34191	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	166 37
34192	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	220 13
34193	3- 4-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	18 47
34194	3- 1-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	912 84
34195	3- 1-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	89 55
34196	3- 1-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	8 37
34198	3- 1-13	The J. W. Pratt Co.	9 00
34200	2-28-13	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	2,228 89
34201	2-28-13	Wm. Bratter & Co.	20 03
34202	2-28-13	Wm. Bratter & Co.	18 36
34203	2-28-13	Wm. Bratter & Co.	612 99
34204	2-28-13	Wm. Bratter & Co.	4,811 18
34205	3-10-13	John Cassidy Co.	683 37

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32665			City Clerk.		32666	3-24-13	Parke, Davis & Co.	88 00	
32667			County Clerk, New York County.		32668	3-24-13	Adolf Kuttroff	4 85	
32669			County Clerk, Richmond County.		32670	3-24-13	Florence Coleman	6 67	
32671			County Clerk, Kings County.		32672	3-24-13	Florence Coleman	6 67	
32673			District Attorney, Richmond.		32674	3-24-13	Michael Coleman	19 02	
32675			Department of Docks and Ferries.		32676	3-24-13	Michael Coleman	16 98	
32677			Department of Education.		32678	3-24-13	Mary Casey	9 15	
32679			Board of Elections.		32680	3-24-13	Solomon Klingensteine	28 30	
32681			Examining Board of Plumbers.		32682	3-24-13	Town of Harrison, Max Winkler, Collector	439 86	
32683			Department of Finance.		32684	3-24-13	Town of Somers, J. B. Crane, Collector	5,015 38	
32685					32686</td				

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	Fire Department.		34362	3- 1-13 Jamaica Ice Co.....	5 50	34058	3- 1-13 Honk Falls Power Co.....	14 85
34011	N. Y. Fire Dept. Relief Fund	\$9,510 56	34363	3- 1-13 Empire State Window Cleaning & Towel Supply Co.....	33 12	34059	3- 1-13 Kanouse Mt. Water Co....	3 30
	Board of Inebriety.		34364	3- 1-13 Great Bear Spring Co.....	6 60	34060	2-13-13 Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	1 39
34581	2-28-13 New York Telephone Co....	\$5 75	34365	3- 7-13 West Disinfecting Co.....	75 00	34061	2-13-13 Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	60
34582	2-28-13 P. E. Paddock	5 00	34366	3- 5-13 Dept. of Public Charities....	14 25	34062	2-28-13 Chas. E. Miller.....	11 42
	Commissioner of Jurors, Queens.		34367	3- 5-13 Dept. of Public Charities....	15 00	34063	2-26-13 William Orr & Sons.....	45 90
34016	Thorndyke C. McKenney....	\$1 00	34368	3- 7-13 West Disinfecting Co.....	25 00	34064	3- 4-13 Peerless Table Water Co....	3 60
	Department of Parks, The Bronx.		34369	3- 7-13 West Disinfecting Co.....	137 50	34065	3- 4-13 Slawson Hardware Co.....	10 59
34019	3-20-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	\$4,984 34	34370	2-28-13 G. R. Lawrence.....	38 60	34066	2-20-13 A. G. Spalding & Bros....	11 91
34020	3-20-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	65 00	34371	3- 6-13 G. R. Lawrence.....	6 75	34067	2- 5-13 The Geo. H. Tyrrell Co., Inc.	90 25
34021	3- 6-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	73 57	34372	3- 3-13 G. R. Lawrence.....	26 50	34068	2- 5-13 Coffin Valve Co.....	1,835 50
34022	3-20-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	510 81	34374	3- 7-13 Montross & Clarke Co.....	5 00	34069	2-21-13 Underwood Typewriter Co..	29 00
34023	3-20-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	75 00	34375	2-27-13 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	12 96	34070	2-19-13 Valvoline Oil Co.....	9 54
34024	3-20-13 N. Y. Zoological Society....	180 00	34376	2-21-13 W. R. Ostrander & Co....	18 00	34071	3- 1-13 Westchester Lighting Co....	4 40
	Permanent Census Board.		34377	3- 8-13 Edward Ackernacht	16 00	34072	2-15-13 L. S. Winne & Co.....	8 00
34112	12-31-12 N. Y. Telephone Co.....	\$15 53	34378	2-21-13 Reisenburger Co., Flushing Furniture House	72 50	34073	2-24-13 The P. H. Gill & Sons' Forge & Machine Co.	201 00
34139	1-31-13 The Tabulating Machine Co.	48 50	34379	2-21-13 John C. Lacey.....	61 50	34074	2-28-13 Geo. F. Allen.....	99 90
34140	3-13-13 Thonet Bros.	35 60	34380	3- 6-13 Buff & Buff Mfg. Co.....	180 00	34075	3- 1-13 Henry B. Coleman.....	50 75
34141	3-13-13 Crowell Publishing Co....	70 00	34381	3- 4-13 Sweeney & Gray.....	39 00	34076	3- 7-13 Mead & Taft Co.....	178 00
34143	2-28-13 New York Telephone Co....	15 08	34382	3-12-13 Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.	34 70	34077	2-28-13 Thos. Meehan & Sons.....	72 10
34144	2-18-13 Ransom F. Graves.....	85	34383	2-15-13 Harry M. Kaiser.....	11 95	34078	3- 4-13 Wm. I. Odell & Co.....	68 00
34145	2-18-13 Ransom F. Graves.....	35	34384	3- 4-13 John L. Whiting-J. J. Adams Co.	17 27	34079	2-26-13 J. J. Boake & Son.....	112 50
34146	2-18-13 Ransom F. Graves.....	6 39	34385	2-15-13 Supt., State Prisons.....	37 15	34080	3-17-13 Rubberhide Co.	117 23
34147	2-18-13 Ransom F. Graves.....	8 25	34386	2-17-13 Geo. W. Benham, A. and W.	9 20	34081	3- 1-13 E. W. Bullinger.....	7 00
	President of the Borough of The Bronx.		34387	3-11-13 A. M. Ryon.....	54 00	34082	3- 1-13 Dooling, Kenlon Co.	35 00
34184	John J. Shine.....	\$2,020 15	34388	3-10-13 Edward E. Buhler Co.	60 00	34083	2- 5-13 Harry M. Kaiser, A. and W.	11 06
	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		34389	3- 3-13 Edward E. Buhler Co.	20 00	34084	2-21-13 John S. Kennedy, A. and W.	16 50
34394	Standard Oil Co., N. Y....	\$6,153 48	34390	3- 6-13 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	17 65	34085	12- 4-12 Geo. W. Benham, A. and W.	4 00
34395	F. A. Pellegrino.....	144 03	34391	3- 7-13 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	16 90	34086	2-19-13 The Obrig Camera Co.	266 48
34396	F. A. Pellegrino.....	139 02	34392	2-21-13 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	13 70	34087	2-28-13 Hardware & Supply Co.	110 20
34397	F. A. Pellegrino Const. Co.	130 65	34393	2-27-13 John Simmons Co.	4 75	34088	1-28-13 Potdevin Machine Co.	770 38
34398	Wm. G. Grimm.....	1,972 00	34442	3- 8-13 N. Y. Trap Rock Co.	4,404 50			
34399	3-12-13 Stevenson & Marsters....	6 06						
34400	3- 6-13 Underwood Typewriting Co....	5 10						
34401	3-12-13 Keuffel & Esser Co.	18 02						
34402	3-13-13 Stevenson & Marsters....	2 30						
34403	2-19-13 Kolesch & Co.	111 18						
34404	2-28-13 I. S. Remson.....	32 75						
34405	2-28-13 Harry M. Kaiser, A. and W.	57 82						
34406	3-10-13 Dept. of Correction.....	133 50						
34407	3- 8-13 Chas. H. Vass & Co.	125 60						
34408	1-31-13 Municipal Garage	7 20						
34409	3-17-13 Eugene Dietzgen Co.	40 50						
34410	3-17-13 Borough Development Co....	350 00						
34411	3-10-13 The Garlock Packing Co....	30 46						
34412	1-31-13 Municipal Garage	55						
34413	3- 4-13 Jackson, Cowenhoven Co.	19 00						
34441	1- 6-13 Art Metal Const. Co.	212 80						
34415	12- 1-12 Western Electric Co....	22 87						
34416	12-20-12 Bramhall, Deane Co.	4 32						
34417	2-27-13 Edward Theriault	233 00						
34418	3- 1-13 John V. Gartland.....	5 20						
34419	10-28-12 Stoddard Motor Co.	8 95						
34420	3-12-13 Western Electric Co....	28 50						
34421	2-28-13 John Konig	1 47						
34422	2- 4-13 Stoddard Motor Co.	8 45						
34423	3-10-13 Keuffel & Esser Co.	29 28						
34424	3-12-13 John Byrne	37 00						
34425	3-17-13 Royal Eastern Electrical Supply Co.	3 45						
34426	3-12-13 Stevenson & Marsters....	10 23						
34427	3-12-13 N. Y. Belting & Packing Co....	16 80						
34428	2-20-13 Geo. I. Roberts & Bros....	17 53						
34429	3-11-13 A. S. Dolson.....	15 00						
34430	3-17-13 John V. Gartland.....	49 90						
34431	3-17-13 Maintenance Co.	10 01						
34432	3- 7-13 G. G. Hollander.....	17 00						
34433	3- 5-13 Wm. Staatz	60 00						
34434	2-27-13 Geo. I. Roberts & Bros....	5 25						
34435	3- 8-13 M. H. Dingee & Co.	53 70						
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34353	2-20-13 The Reilly Engineering Co.	\$956 00						
34354	3- 5-13 A. Rudolph	7 50						
34355	12-27-12 Geo. W. Cobb, Jr.	142 75						
34356	3- 1-13 Frank Trudden & Sons....	50 00						
34357	3- 6-13 Elmhurst Coal Co.	275 00						
34358	3- 6-13 Philip Dietz Coal Co.	3 65						
34359	3- 7-13 Montross & Clarke Co.	14 75						
34360	3- 1-13 Empire State Window Cleaning & Towel Supply Co....	4 32						
34361	3- 7-13 Montross & Clarke Co.	6 00						

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, January 22, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Frank Gallagher and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Wellings.

The president presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part I, (Ungraded Positions), Group 3 (Positions of a Special or Miscellaneous Character), the title "Superintendent at the Municipal Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y."

There were no appearances.

A public hearing was held on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part I, Group 3, the title "Instructor, Gymnasium."

Mr. Bascom Johnson, Secretary of the Public Recreation Commission, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the chair declared the hearing

Alexander Michaelson, of 170 W. 136th st., New York City, appeared, as directed, to show cause why his name should not be withheld from the eligible list of Title Examiner, Law Department, when promulgated. On motion it was

Resolved, That the name of Alexander Michaelson, of 170 W. 136th st., New York City, be withheld from the eligible list of Title Examiner, Law Department, when promulgated, under the provisions of clause 14 of rule 7 (unsatisfactory character), and placed upon the Commission's Disqualified List.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, to show cause why their names should not be removed from the eligible lists specified:

Fireman, Uniformed Force—Oscar Levy, 48 W. 116th st., New York City.

Clerk, First Grade—Morris H. Multz, 133 Suffolk st., New York City.

Driver, Department of Street Cleaning—George Brecht, 281 Avenue A, New York City; Frederick Gast, Jr., 2695 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Antonio Caputo, 218 N. 7th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Giovannibattista Rubano, 22 Richardson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph Ventire, 98 Hudson ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. After careful consideration of the circumstances in each of the foregoing cases, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the name of Oscar Levy, of 48 W. 116th st., New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Fireman under the provisions of clause 14 of rule 7 for physical disability.

Resolved, That the name of Morris H. Multz, of 133 Suffolk st., New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Clerk, First Grade, under the provisions of clause 14 of rule 7, and the certification of same to the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, is hereby revoked under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 7, it appearing that he lacked one of the preliminary requirements for entrance to the examination for that position in that he was over the maximum age specified (18 years) at the time of filing his application; and the Secretary was instructed to inform the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, of the facts in the case and to state that the employment of the said person should terminate at once.

Resolved, That the following names be and they hereby are removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, for the reason that the candidates did not measure up to the physical standard required by the Commission: George Brecht, 281 Avenue A, New York City; Frederick Gast, Jr., 2695 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Antonio Caputo, 218 N. 7th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Giovannibattista Rubano, 22 Richardson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph Ventire, 98 Hudson ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following-named persons be and they hereby are removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, they having failed to appear, as directed, to show cause why their names should not be removed from said list for the reason that they did not measure up to the physical standard required: Frank Deseno, 10 Jackson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Ryan, 63 Heyward st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph Amadio, 365 36th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward Hurley, 111 Georgia ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualified list, upon which they had been placed as the result of their dismissal from the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning: Antonio Simonetti, 229 North 7th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Stefano Mezzo, 27 Old Bushwick rd., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The requests were granted.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualified list, upon which they had been placed as the result of dismissals from positions in the City service: Irving Friedman, 71 St. Marks pl., New York City; Charles F. Gaffney, North Perry st., Flushing, N. Y.

The requests were denied.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualified list, upon which they had been placed as the result of dismissals from positions in the City service: Irving Friedman, 71 St. Marks pl., New York City; Charles F. Gaffney, North Perry st., Flushing, N. Y.

The requests were laid over.

Sadie L. Harris, of 331 Kosciusko st., Brooklyn, N. Y., appeared, as directed, to explain discrepancies in her statements as to date of birth in the papers of her examination for Typewriting Copyist. The matter was laid over.

The Commission considered the case of Denis Desmond, a Laborer in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn, who had been granted a leave of absence by that department for a period of two months from July 1, 1912, on account of illness, and who, it appeared, had been employed by the State Department of Highways during that time. The Secretary was instructed to communicate the facts in the case to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following-named persons be and they hereby are appointed to the position of Monitor in the office of the Commission, with compensation at the rate of \$5 per day while employed: Carroll P. Brennan, John A. Barker, Vincent Brady.

The employment of the following-named persons as Examiners in the office of the Commission, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, for the month of January, 1913, was confirmed, under the provisions of clause 4 of rule 12: Thomas A. Bierne, John J. McBennett.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Samuel Bernstein be and he hereby is appointed Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Commission for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of rule 12, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

The emergency appointment of the following-named persons as Investigators, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, in the office of the Commission, beginning January 13, 1913, was authorized under clause 4 of rule 12, such employment to terminate upon the appointment of two Investigators from the eligible list: John A. Barker, Carroll P. Brennan.

On motion, it was resolved, that the salaries of the following-named employees of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be and the same hereby are fixed at the amounts specified, effective January 1, 1913: Timothy J. O'Leary, Examiner, \$2,400 per annum; Leonhard F. Fulz, Examiner, \$2,400 per annum; Frank S. Thorpe, Examiner, \$2,400 per annum; Ella C. Evans, Examiner, \$2,100 per annum; Edward J. Murray, Clerk, \$900 per annum; Thomas W. Smith, Clerk, \$750 per annum; Edward D. Wallace, Clerk, \$600 per annum; Joseph P. Brady, Clerk, \$540 per annum; Frank J. Mahoney, Clerk, \$480 per annum.

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

Maurice J. Hyland, from the position of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$4 per day, in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens to that of Bureau of Highways of that department.

May O'Brien, Typewriting Copyist, from Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at \$600 per annum to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan at \$720 per annum.

Jennie A. McGuigan, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$900 per annum, from the Tenement House Department to the Department of Bridges.

Charles E. Curtis, Messenger, from the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, to the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Thomas C. Kadian, Jr., Clerk, from the Law Department at \$600 per annum to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

John D. Neary, Clerk, from the Department of Street Cleaning at \$750 per annum, to the Department of Docks and Ferries at \$900 per annum.

Eugene F. Hughes, Clerk, at \$900 per annum, from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the office of the Commissioners of Accounts.

William C. Higgins, Clerk, at \$1,200 per annum, from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

John M. Lewis, Clerk, from the Law Department at \$600 per annum to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan at \$750 per annum.

Henry Simmons, from the position of Inspector of Public Works at \$1,200 per annum to that of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan (rule 14, clause 3).

Sidney R. Kelf, from the position of Executive Stenographer (exempt class) to that of Confidential Stenographer (exempt class) in the office of the Mayor.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the transfer of John R. Cave from the position of Fuel Engineer at \$1,800 per annum to that of Mechanical Engineer at \$3,000 per annum in the Department of Education was denied, for the reason that such transfer involved a promotion.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved:

Eugene M. Sanders, in the position of Bookkeeper in the Department of Health; Retta A. Dussman (formerly Retta A. Pfau) in the position of Telephone Switchboard Operator in the Department of Education.

Richard J. Costello, in the position of Inspector of Tenements in the Tenement House Department.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Patrolman, Police Department.

On motion, it was resolved, that the action of the Commission on December 14, 1911, in ordering an open competitive examination for the position of Superintendent of Supplies and Repairs be and the same hereby is rescinded, and that the eligible list of Inspector of Supplies and Repairs be used as an appropriate eligible list.

On motion, it was resolved, that the action of the Commission on February 17, 1912, in ordering an open competitive examination for Supervisory Inspector, 3d grade, Bureau of Fire Prevention, be and the same hereby is rescinded, and that the eligible list of Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention, be used as an appropriate eligible list.

On motion, it was resolved, that the action of the Commission on October 4, 1911, in ordering an open competitive examination for the position of Computer of Assessments be and the same hereby is rescinded, and that the eligible list of Bookkeeper, 3d grade, be used as an appropriate eligible list.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Gymnasium Instructor.

The President submitted the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the Labor class:

Transfers Approved.

Joseph O. Lustgarten, Painter, from the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, to the Department of Public Charities.

Louis Reich, Laborer, from the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to the Department of Education.

William Grann, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

George L. Wyrrill, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

John J. Schoen, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Edward W. Britton, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Robert J. Keegan, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Franklin J. Connor, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Harry T. Newman, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

James C. Wynn, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

John R. Lamb, Coal Sampler, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

John Gerrity, Laborer, from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

John J. Wohlfit, from the position of Driver to that of Stableman in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Richard Rogers, from the position of Stableman to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Joseph White, from the position of Cabinet Maker to that of Carpenter in the Department of Street Cleaning.

C. Schnell, from the position of Wheelwright to that of Carpenter in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael Kelly, from the position of Stableman to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Thomas Guilfoyle, from the position of Stableman to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Sebastian Muller, from the position of Stableman to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

John O'Connor, from the position of Driver to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

John Ryan, from the position of Stableman to that of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

John McGrath, from the position of Laborer (Part 4) to that of Fireman (Part 4) in the Department of Health.

Alfred Eckerman, from the position of Laborer to that of Saw Filer in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.

Thomas Cluney, from the position of Driver to that of Stableman in the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan.

Walter H. Carman, from the position of Climber and Pruner to that of Hostler in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

Joseph Carr, from the position of Laborer to Sewer Cleaner, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan.

Reinstatements Approved.

William McGillick, in the position of Sewer Cleaner in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan.

Louis Hemmerick, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Edward Garrity, in the position of extra Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

James J. Hunt, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Robert Chapman, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

John F. Schweizer, in the position of extra Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Reassignments Approved.

William Brown, Licensed Fireman, Department of Public Charities.

Patrick McGrath, Laborer, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

John Mack, Stableman, Department of Street Cleaning.

Patrick Maher, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Adolph Fuchs, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Jeffrey O'Connell, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Pasquale Janette, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Morris Eckstein, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

John Schmidt, Machinist's Helper, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Thomas Taylor, Laborer, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Dennis Bergen, Laborer, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Emergency Appointments Approved.

John Molloy, Licensed Fireman, Department of Public Charities.

Patrick Cloughessy, Licensed Fireman, Department of Public Charities.

John Canning, Licensed Fireman, Department of Public Charities.

Eighty-seven Laborers in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens, from December 26 to 30, 1912, employed in the removal of snow.

Timothy Flanagan, Laborer, in the Public Recreation Commission.

The report was approved.

The appeals of the following named persons for a re-examination for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, were denied: William Teaman, 616 E. 17th st., New York City; Leon Lang, 168 E. 82d st., New York City; Harry J. Donnelly, 1323 Inwood ave., New York City.

A report, dated January 20, was presented from the Chief Examiner, recommending that the investigation of the experience statements of candidates in the examination for Nurse be postponed until after the establishment of the eligible list for that position, for the reason that there was urgent need for the list. The recommendation was approved.

A report, dated January 17, was presented from the Chief Examiner, recommending the eligible list of Pathologist as an appropriate list to certify for appointment to the position of Pathological Chemist. The Secretary was instructed to certify accordingly.

A report, dated January 15, was presented from the Chief Examiner, recommending the eligible list of Examiner of Charitable Institutions as appropriate to certify to Bellevue and Allied Hospitals in response to a requisition from that Department for an eligible list from which to appoint a Chief Investigator and an Assistant Chief Investigator. The Secretary was instructed to make certification accordingly.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports (2) dated January 15, the following promotion examinations were ordered:

Purchasing Agent, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens, to be open to all 3d grade Clerks in the several bureaus under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Works eligible under clause 19 of rule 15.

Supervisor of Recreation, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, to be open to all Gymnasium Attendants eligible under clause 10 of rule 15.

A report, dated January 15, was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, recommending the eligible list of 3d grade Bookkeeper as an appropriate list to certify to the Law Department for the appointment of a 2d grade Computer of Assessments. The Secretary was instructed to certify accordingly.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated January 16, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of John J. H. Ammann, of 1185 Gates ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate for Statistician, be removed. The recommendation was adopted.

A report, dated January 15, was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, recommending that G. Arnold Moses, of Eastchester road, New York City, a candidate for Librarian, City Court, be summoned before the Commission relative to an arrest mentioned in his application. The recommendation was adopted.

A report, dated January 14, was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, stating that the following named candidates for Statistician had either failed in or absented themselves from the examination for that position: Frank O. Johnson, 586 E. 179th st., New York City; John A. Quinn, 223 E. 142d st., New York City; Herman C. Leonhardi, 100 Nelson ave., Richmond, N. Y.

The reports were ordered filed.

A report (C610), dated January 15, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that the eligible list of Librarian, City Court, grade 4, be promulgated, and setting forth a statement of the experience of the ten candidates at the head of the eligible list. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Librarian, City Court, grade 4, be and the same hereby is established.

A report (C622) was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated January 20, recommending that the eligible list of Mechanical Draughtsman, Electrical, grade C, be promulgated, and that Walter H. Schmitt, a candidate on the list, be called upon to explain the circumstances attending his separation from the employ of the Gould Storage Battery Company. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Mechanical Draughtsman, Electrical, grade C, be and the same hereby is established.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-599, dated January 17—Gymnasium Attendant, grades 1 and 2 (Male).

C-581, dated January 12—Assistant Engineer, with Knowledge of Sewage Disposal.

C-606, dated January 17—Laboratory Assistant (Research).

C-638, dated January 20—Prison Keeper.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated January 17, stating that the following named persons, who had been dismissed from the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning, had filed applications for positions in the Labor Class, and stating that they had subscribed to the affidavit prescribed by the Commission for dismissed employees of the Department of Street Cleaning:

Pietro Scuncio, 219 21st st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Samuel J. Crank, 7 W. 134th st., New York City; Mauritz T. Bard, 329 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Richard Coker, 218 W. 133d st., New York City; Michael Giliberto, 806 2d ave., Long Island City; Casimiro Simeone, 380 Morris ave., New York City; Bernard De Groot, 514 E. 14th st., New York City; John Abrams, 206 Avenue C, New York City; Charles Cafro, 114 St. Marys ave., Richmond; Frank Smedley, 250 Bond st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Pietro La Corte, 90 Adams st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William H. O'Keefe, 1601 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Andrea Saledo, 293 Pleasant ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William Fullam, 530 18th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Logan, 749 Tinton ave., New York City; George Lambe, 767a Madison st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; James J. Roche, 81 Grand st., New York City; Otto T. Veron, 525 E. 5th st., New York City; Peter Lang, 624 E. 17th st., New York City; Benjamin Cledi, 72½ Utica ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank Ellwanger, 408 E. 23d st., New York City; William Gavin, 345 E. 47th st., New York City; Joseph B. White, 85 Troy ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Charles W. Johnson, 309 E. 97th st., New York City; Vito Carli, 807 Washington st., New York City; Stephen F. McNichols, 331 Union ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clement Riviegzo, 515 Barbey st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Angelo Spango, 2323 Dean st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Michael Mignone, 23 Garfield place, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Thomas Brown, 1283 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Carl Kohrt, 1761 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Patrick Kimmings, 434 W. 52d st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Patrick J. Moran, 2342 Hughes ave., New York City; Francesco Trezza, 20 Jackson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Salvatore Trezza, 31 Crosby st., New York City; Thomas Curcio, 291 E. 152d st., New York City; Daniel Hahn, 43 Ellery st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward Williams, 1357 60th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Dominick Petrizzo, 525 Malbone st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William H. McMullan, 359 E. 143d st., New York City; Nicola Tabano, 307 Pleasant ave., New York City; John M. Duffy, 792 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Matthew Duffy, 171 Jackson st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William F. Rothamel, 328 E. 21st st., New York City; Dominick A. Caruso, 2405 Baumont ave., New York City; Henderson Giles, 436 W. 163d st., New York City; John Cody, 1316 2d ave., New York City.

The action of the Labor Clerk in accepting the above mentioned applications was approved, and it was ordered that the names of the said persons be removed from the Commission's Disqualified List.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated January 15, stating that that Board at a meeting held January 14, 1913, had approved the resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, excepting from examination Ernest A. Faller, to be employed by the Fire Department as Fire Telegraph Expert in the Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph for a period of one year, from January 1, 1913, at a compensation not to exceed \$3,000. The communication was ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Bridges, dated January 13, requesting that the records of the Commission be corrected by removing the word "Jr." appearing after the name of Charles J. Lampe, of 1502 Dr. Kalb ave., Brooklyn, a Painter in his Department, and stating that the father of the said employee had died. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated January 9, requesting authority to demote William J. Galvin from the position of Marine Stoker to that of Laborer for the reason that he was no longer able to perform the duties of the former position, owing to injuries sustained in the performance of duty. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated January 11, stating that on that date William Matthews, a Pile Driver Engineer, had been reassigned to duty at the expiration of a leave of absence since November 15, 1912, on account of illness. The reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated January 16, stating that the Commissioner had rescinded his action of December 28, 1912, promoting Frank P. Houser from the position of Telephone Operator to that of 2d grade Clerk at \$1,050 per annum, for the reason that there was no provision in the budget for the latter position, and stating that the said employee had been continuously performing the duties of Telephone Operator and would continue to do so, with salary at the rate of \$1,050 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated January 13, requesting authority to change the title of Michael J. Donohue from Driver to Park Laborer, for the reason that he was no longer able to perform the duties of the former position owing to injuries sustained in the performance of duty. The change of title was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated January 10, stating that his notice of January 7, 1913, to the effect that Frederick F. Poynton, an Attendant, had resigned, was in error, and forwarding a corrected notice to the effect that the said employee had been granted leave of absence for one week. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

The change of title of the following-named employees of the office of the President of the Borough of Queens from Sewer Cleaner to Laborer, to conform to the budget for 1913, was approved in accordance with the request of the department under date of January 13, 1913:

Joseph Cannon, Samuel W. Holdsworth, Samuel Allen, John Appleby, Herman Entemann, Edward Bennett, George E. Clauder, August Schreyer, John W. Fischer, William Kugelmann, Charles Lutz, William Entemann, James McGrath, Frank McVay, Charles Kinzel, John J. Burns, Frank Rocca, Charles Fitzner, Walter M. Potter, James Coughlin, Harry I. Lefferts.

The following appointments were authorized, subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12, in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

Department of Education, January 17, 1913—Frederick Kandelsky, 150 E. 144th st., New York City, as Structural Steel Draughtsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,831.67 per annum.

Department of Health, January 16, 1913—Matthew F. Carney, B. D. S., of 2239 81st st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Supervising Dentist, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum.

Department of Public Charities, January 16, 1913—August Schneider, of 1858 Jerome ave., New York City, as Supervisor of Laundries, with salary at the rate of \$1,980 per annum.

January 17, 1913—Joseph H. Stoltzenberg, as Assistant Supervisor at the New York City Farm Colony, with salary at the rate of \$960 per annum.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller, dated January 16, transmitting voucher in payment of Frank Duncan for services as Watchman from August 10 to September 3, 1912, during the absence of the regular watchman on vacation. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

The following emergency appointments were approved under clause 4 of rule 12, in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

Department of Education, January 10, 1913—Mrs. Retta A. Dussman, as Telephone Switchboard Operator, with salary at the rate of \$50 per month, for a second period of fifteen days.

Department of Finance, January 15, 1913—Elizabeth Frick, of 7 E. 15th st., New York City, and Mercedes H. Bloom, of 81 S. 9th st., Brooklyn, as Stenographers and Typewriters, with salary at the rate of \$1,050 per annum each, for a period of fifteen days.

Department of Health, January 15, 1913—Lauretta Hamlin, of 420 W. 129th st., New York City, and Dora Horowitz, of 18 E. 105th st., New York City, as Nurses, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for a period of fifteen days.

Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, January 14, 1913—Fred Curnuck, as Steam Roller Engineer, for a period of fifteen days, beginning January 1, 1913.

Department of Public Charities, January 15, 1913—Dr. Isadore Jesse Levy, as Pathological Chemist, with salary at the rate of \$1,440 per annum.

January 17, 1913—Dr. Walter H. Conley, as Superintendent of Metropolitan Hospital, with salary at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days.

Board of Water Supply, January 14, 1913—Edward Byrne, of 407 E. 140th st., New York City, as Clerk, First Grade, with salary at the rate of \$300 per annum, for a period of fifteen days.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated January 15, requesting authority to assign Dr. William B. Moseley, Resident Physician at \$2,000 per annum, to the position of Alienist at \$2,700 per annum. The assignment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of rule 12.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, F. B. Kelly, D. D. S., be and he hereby is excepted from examination to render expert dental services to the patients at the Municipal Sanatorium, Department of Health; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$400.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, George B. Zimmerle be and he hereby is excepted from examination to render service in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as Ventilating Expert in connection with the work of the Committee investigating the Department of Education, for the period from December 15, 1912, to April 1, 1913; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, Francis J. Armstrong be and he hereby is excepted from examination to render expert service as Consulting Engineer in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the work of the Committee investigating the Department of Education, for the period between January 1 and April 1, 1913, at \$15 per day; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed the sum of \$750.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the limitation of compensation (\$850) fixed in the case of Miss Bessie C. Stern, 1580 Broadway, Paterson, N. J., who was excepted from examination under clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Expert Examiner and Tabulator in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the inquiry into the organization of the Department of Education for a period of six months from June 15, 1912, be and the same hereby is waived, and the extension of her employment for period of six months from January 1, 1913, be and the same hereby is authorized; provided, however, that her total compensation shall not exceed \$1,600.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. Charles C. Armstrong be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Consulting Engineer in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the inquiry into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education, for a period of five months from November 1, 1912, at a compensation not to exceed \$2,000.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Dr. Frank P. Bachman, of 254 North Mountain st., Montclair, N. J., be and he hereby is excepted from examination pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Educational Expert in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the inquiry into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education, for a period of six months from January 1, 1913, at a compensation not to exceed \$3,500.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Comptroller, dated January 8, requesting approval of the employment of Miss Grace Cassidy, of 1151 Rogers ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Expert Adding and Billing Machine Operator, with compensation at the rate of fifty cents per hour while employed. The appointment was approved, and the Secretary was instructed to certify vouchers in payment of such services, when presented, under clause 6 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated January 13, requesting authority to continue the employment of the American House and Window Cleaning Company, of 31 Cooper Square, New York City, with compensation at the rate of \$25 per month. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to certify vouchers in payment of such service under the provisions of clause 8 of rule 12.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for Positions in the non-competitive class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, December 31, 1912, January 3, 7 and 8, 1913; Department of Education, January 7, 14, 1913; Department of Public Charities, January 13, 1913.

The Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification appearing against the name of Harry Kittay, of 723 Monroe st., Brooklyn, N. Y., on the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, he having produced proof as to the date of his birth and corrected the same where in error in the papers of his examination for that position.

A communication was presented from Frank N. Bowen, dated January 10, protesting against the alleged violation of the Civil Service Law in the assignment of a Sergeant-on-Aqueduct to perform the duties of an Automobile Engineman while on the preferred list for the latter position, appeared the name of a person laid off from that department for lack of work. The matter was referred to the Board of Water Supply for a report.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

A report, dated January 22, was presented from the Chief Examiner, stating that on January 21, 1913, the examination for promotion to Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, 3d grade, had been completed on January 21, 1913. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for promotion to Deputy Assistant Corporation Counsel, 3d grade, Law Department, be and the same hereby is established.

Reports (2), dated January 20, were presented from the Chief Examiner stating that in the examinations for Dentist and Photographer (Micro-Photographer in Pathological Laboratory) it would be necessary to employ experts. The matter was referred to Commissioner Welling.

On the recommendation of the Chief Examiner in a report dated January 22, on motion, it was

Resolved, That Mr. J. H. Taylor, room 816 Mills building, Washington, D. C., be and he hereby is appointed an expert to conduct the examination for Finger Print Expert.

A report, dated January 18, was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions relative to a communication from the Fire Commissioner, dated January 4, in which it was stated that the salary of James E. Ray, a Stenographer and Typewriter, had been fixed at \$1,800 per annum. The report stated that the said employee was ineligible for a salary of \$1,800 per annum without further examination. The Secretary was instructed to so inform the Fire Commissioner.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated January 22, eligibility for admission to the examination for promotion to Assistant Engineer, grade D, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, was extended to all Structural Steel Draftsmen eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports under the dates specified, the following promotion examinations were ordered:

January 20, 1913—Examining Inspector, grade 3, in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, to be open to all 2d grade Examining Inspectors eligible under clause 10 of rule 15.

January 22, 1913—Storekeeper, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, to be open to all Laborers and Foremen eligible under clauses 17 and 19 of rule 15.

A report, dated January 20, was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, relative to the increase in salary of Miss Rose M. Kelly, Stenographer to the Board of Inebriety, from \$900 per annum to \$1,200 per annum, and recommending that the promotion be approved under clause 23 of rule 15. The recommendation was adopted.

A report, dated January 21, was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, relative to the request of the Secretary to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for authority to increase to \$1,950 per annum the salary of Miss Bertha M. Schmitt, a 3d grade Clerk, pending the result of the examination for promotion to Clerk, 4th grade. The Examiner recommended that the request be granted and that the open competitive examination for 3d grade Clerk in which the employee qualified be accepted in lieu of a non-competitive examination. The recommendations were adopted.

Reports (2), dated January 20, were presented from Dr. Joseph A. Kene, Medical Examiner, stating that he had re-examined the following named candidates for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, on the dates specified, and had rejected them for the reason that they did not meet the requirements as to height and weight adopted by the Civil Service Commission on December 31, 1912:

January 6, 1913—Edward R. Stanton, 1367 Greene ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

January 6, 1913—George W. Hickman, 1088 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

January 13, 1913—Joseph Byrnes, 101 Boerum place, Brooklyn, N. Y.—and that Andrew Zehner had failed to appear for re-examination. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said persons before the Commission to show cause why their names should not be removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

A report, dated January 20, was presented from Dr. Joseph A. Kene, Medical Examiner, stating that on that date he had re-examined James J. Culkin, of 79 Montgomery st., New York City, a candidate for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, and had rejected him for physical disability. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list.

A report (C-605), dated January 20, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates at the head of the eligible list of Laboratory Assistant (Diagnosis), and recommending that David Myron Schramm, of 1087 Park ave., New York City, be marked "Not Qualified" on the eligible list pending the receipt of further information regarding his experience statements. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (1657), dated January 11, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, stating that he had investigated the matter of the efficiency record of Richard T. J. O'Keefe, a candidate in the recent examination for promotion to the position of Lieutenant, Fire Department, and recommending that the Commission accept the efficiency record, in which the line relating to charges and reading "Disrespect to superior officer, five days pay," had been amended to read "Disrespect to superior officer, fine one day's pay and transfer recommended." The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated January 21, recommending that the eligible list of Inspector of Gas, grade 2, be promulgated, and submitting a statement of his investigation of the experience of the six candidates on the eligible list. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Inspector of Gas, grade 2, be and the same hereby is established.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-624, dated January 21—Gardener.

C-623, dated January 21—Topographical Draftsman (\$1,200 per annum).

C-641, dated January 22—Assistant Superintendent of Parks, Borough of Queens.

C-621, dated January 22—Inspector of Sewer Construction.

The reports were ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Certification Clerk, dated January 21, requesting to be instructed as to what disposition to make of the names of William A. McCaffrey and William E. Brown who had been appointed from the eligible list of Hospital Clerk as Hospital Clerks (Telephone Operators), at salaries of \$720 per annum each, and who had been suspended from the Department of Public Charities on January 1, 1913, for lack of work. It was ordered that the names of the said employees be placed upon the preferred list of Hospital Clerk.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of Bridges, dated January 15, requesting authority to assign Marcus B. Smith, a Painter, to perform the duties of a Storekeeper, no provision having been made in the budget for 1913 for that position. It appearing that Mr. Smith was No. 1 on a promotion list for Storekeeper, the assignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated January 17, requesting authority to change the title of Thomas Manning from Laborer to Storekeeper's Helper. The request was denied for lack of power.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, dated January 20, requesting authority to appoint under the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12 Mr. E. Sherman Chase, of 924 2d st., Reading, Pa., to the position of Chemist and Bacteriologist, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, pending the establishment of the position by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen. The request was denied, Mr. Chase being a non-resident of the State of New York.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated January 22, requesting authority to change the title of Howard L. Bain from Purchasing Agent to Deputy Superintendent and Steward at the new Sea View Hospital. The request was denied, owing to the existence of a preferred list for the position of Deputy Superintendent of Hospitals (Lay), containing the name of one person laid off by the Department of Public Charities for lack of appropriation.

A communication was presented from the Police Commissioner, dated January 20, transmitting payroll in the amount of \$181.81, covering full pay granted William A. Gunser, 166th Precinct, for the period during which he was under suspension without pay (November 13, 1912, to January 6, 1913). The Secretary was instructed to approve the payroll.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of The Bronx, dated January 15, requesting approval of a supplementary payroll in the amount of \$44.43 in payment of Matthew Walsh, a Laborer in the Bureau of Highways, for the time during which he was ill as the result of injuries sustained in the performance of duty (October 22, 1912, to November 16, 1912), which injuries resulted in his death. The payroll was approved.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated January 20, requesting authority to continue the services of the following named temporary employees for a period of about two weeks:

Patrick Boylan, Licensed Fireman; Lozondo Richi, Laborer; John Scott, Laborer; Leolina Periconi, Laborer; John Reynolds, Laborer; John Campbell, Laborer.

The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated January 16, requesting authority to continue for a period of three months the temporary employment of James L. McGailey, a Clerk at \$900 per annum, appointed from the eligible list on October 22, 1912. The request was granted under clause 1 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, dated January 17, requesting authority to employ Frederick C. Kuehnle, of 460 E. 141st st., New York City, as Engineer Inspector, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, under the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12, and that the Commission waive the requirement of non-competitive examination for the reason that until recently Mr. Kuehnle had been employed by the Board of Water Supply as Assistant Engineer. The request was granted.

The following appointments were approved, subject to the provisions and conditions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12:

College of the City of New York.

January 20, 1913—Vincent Costello, 139th st. and Convent ave., as Second Grade Clerk, with knowledge of accounts and typewriting, with salary at the rate of \$750 per annum, in the place and stead of William Tiefenbach, whose appointment was authorized at a previous meeting but who did not report for duty.

Office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

January 10, 1913—Alfred R. Glock, 533 Eighth ave., Long Island City, as Engineer Inspector in the Engineering Division of the Bureau of Highways, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum.

January 20, 1913—J. R. Reed, 15 Cooper st., Long Island City, as Topographical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,350 per annum.

The following emergency appointments were approved under clause 4 of rule 12, in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

Department of Bridges.

January 16, 1913—Thomas F. Hickey as Third Grade Mason for a second period of fifteen days.

City Court of the City of New York.

January 21, 1913—Thomas J. Sullivan and Frederick J. Smith, as Deputy Clerks, with salary at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, from January 1 to 31, 1913, pending the result of a promotion examination to qualify them for that salary.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

January 17, 1913—Mrs. K. F. Marx, 1008 Gates ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. Gomer B. Davies, 1818 Mahan ave., New York City, as Clerks, with salary at the rate of \$3 per day, for a period of fifteen days beginning January 13, and Mr. J. Dower, 140 W. 126th st., New York City, as Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$3 per day, for a period of fifteen days from January 17, 1913.

January 21, 1913—Miss Mabel Coleman, 424 Greene ave., Brooklyn, as Bookkeeper, for a period of fifteen days from January 17, 1913, at \$3 per day.

Fire Department.

January 20, 1913—Harry L. Stuckhardt, 55 W. 127th st., New York City, as Typewriting Copyist, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days, beginning January 21, 1913.

Office of the Mayor.

January 21, 1913—James F. Fitzsimmons as Fourth Grade Clerk, at \$2,000 per annum, from January 1 to 21, 1913, the date on which he was regularly promoted to that salary from the promotion list of Fourth Grade Clerk.

Department of Public Charities.

January 21, 1913—Peter Hanibal, as Engineer at the City Hospital, with salary at the rate of \$4.50 per diem, for a period of fifteen days from January 12.

January 20, 1913—Josephine Frawley, as Supervising Field Examiner, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days.

January 21, 1913—Miss Francis Lehrich, as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$600 per annum, for a period of fifteen days from January 11, and Dr. George T. Spain as Assistant Bookkeeper, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum, for a period of fifteen days from January 1.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

January 20, 1913—William J. Christie, Jr., West New Brighton, S. I., as Stationary Engineer, with salary at the rate of \$4.50 per day, for a second period of fifteen days.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, the employment of Mr. Raleigh Weintraub, of Columbia University, for a period of fifteen days from January 2, 1913, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per day, as Inspector in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was confirmed.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, Mr. Charles G. Armstrong be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed as Expert on Light, Heat and Power in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment during the year 1913 at a compensation of \$25 per day when employed; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. John F. Donovan, 701 W. 179th st., New York City, be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Expert Statistician by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the work of standardizing supply contracts and specifications, for a period of one year from January 1, 1913, at a compensation not to exceed \$3,000.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. W. Richmond Smith, 2 Castleton Park, St. George, Staten Island, be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Expert in Charge by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the work of standardizing supply contracts and specifications, for a period of one year from January 1, 1913, at a compensation not to exceed \$3,600.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under subdivision 6 of rule 12 of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission exempts from competitive examination William McS. Speer, Henry W. Wheeler, Edward F. Joyce, Jr., Louis C. White and Frank T. Fitzgerald, attorneys and counsellors-at-law of the City of New York, to be employed from time to time during the year 1913 by the Corporation Counsel to represent him in relation to the various duties imposed upon him by virtue of the provisions of chapters 724 and 725 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in relation to the acquirement of lands outside of the City of New York for the improvement of its water supply.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under subdivision 6 of rule 12 of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission hereby excepts from competitive examination stenographers furnished to the Corporation Counsel by the Interborough Stenographic Company of 90 West Broadway, to be employed from time to time to report the hearings before the Commissioners appointed by the Supreme Court in condemnation proceedings for the opening of streets, avenues and park sites in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under subdivision 6 of rule 12 of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission hereby excepts from competitive examination stenographers furnished to the Corporation Counsel by Miss Christine N. Cronyn, 44 Court st., Brooklyn, N. Y., to be employed from time to time to report the hearings before the Commissioners appointed by the Supreme Court in condemnation proceedings for the opening of streets, avenues and park sites in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

On motion, it was resolved, that, under subdivision 6 of Rule 12 of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission exempts from competitive examination Mr. James J. Riley, of 38 Vandewater st., New York City, to be employed by the Corporation Counsel from time to time for a period of not more than one year, to examine proofs of title and to render other assistance to the Commissioners of Appraisal in proceedings brought under the Rapid Transit Act.

On motion, it was resolved, that under subdivision 7 of rule 12 of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission exempts from competitive examination Joseph Wander, resident of Albany, New York, to be employed from time to time by and at the pleasure of the Corporation Counsel, as Clerk to the Assistant Corporation Counsel in charge of legislative matters, at Albany, at a compensation not to exceed the sum of \$2,000 per annum; the services of such clerk to be rendered outside the City of New York, and no appointment from any eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service being practicable.

On motion, it was resolved, that in accordance with subdivision 6 of rule 12, Dr. Evan Styles Potter, of No. 223 W. 79th st., and Dr. Saram R. Ellison, of No. 118 W. 103d st., be exempted from competitive examination, to be employed by the Corporation Counsel as medical experts in Court, and also to aid the assistants in charge of accident suits in the preparation thereof.

On motion, it was resolved, that under subdivision 6 of rule 12, of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, this Commission exempts from competitive examination Mr. G. L. Gooday and Mr. W. H. Guffin, to be employed by the Corporation Counsel from time to time as experts for the City in proceedings involving valuations of corporate properties.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, dated January 21, requesting approval of vouchers in payment of Mary Donnelly and Addie McCann, in the amounts of \$15 and \$24, respectively, for services as Special Nurses. The vouchers were approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

The following certifications were approved, the names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules having been ordered certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.:

Ten names from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, 2d and 3d grades, in response to a requisition dated January 15 from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital for additional names from which to appoint a Stenographer and Typewriter, with compensation at the rate of \$750 per annum.

Twenty-five names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 21 from the Deputy Commissioner of Bridges for an eligible list from which to appoint five Clerks with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 20 from the Supervisor of the City Record for an eligible list from which to appoint one Clerk with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 16 from the Supervisor of the City Record for an eligible list from which to appoint one Clerk with compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 20 from the Secretary of the Board of Education for additional names from which to appoint one Clerk, with compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Ten names from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter in response to a requisition dated January 15, from the Secretary of the Board of Education for an eligible list from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Ten names from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter in response to a requisition dated January 17 from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an eligible list from which to appoint one Stenographer and Typewriter, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum for a temporary period.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition from the Department of Finance, dated January 21, for additional names from which to appoint one Clerk, with compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Twenty-five names from the appropriate eligible list of Accountant, 5th grade, in response to a requisition from the Comptroller dated January 15, from which to make ten or twelve appointments to the position of Examiner, with compensation at the rate of \$2,400 per annum.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 14 from the Comptroller for an eligible list from which to make five appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, in boroughs other than the Borough of Manhattan.

Ten names from the eligible list of Hospital Clerk in response to a requisition dated January 21 from the Department of Health for an eligible list from which to make two appointments at the Willard Parker Hospital, with compensation at the rate of \$480 per annum.

Ten names from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter in response to a requisition dated January 20 from the Department of Health for an eligible list from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Ten names from the eligible list of Hospital Clerk in response to a requisition dated January 16 from the Department of Health for additional names from which to make two appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$480 per annum, at the Willard Parker Hospital, Manhattan, and the Riverside Hospital, The Bronx.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 16 from the Department of Health for an eligible list from which to make two appointments, one in the Borough of Manhattan and one in the Borough of Queens, compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 22 from the Assistant Chief Clerk of the Law Department for additional names from which to make two appointments at \$300 per annum.

Six names from the eligible list of Gymnasium Attendant (female), in response to a requisition dated January 15 from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for an eligible list from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per day.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 16 for an eligible list from which to make one appointment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 15 from the Secretary of the Permanent Census Board for additional names from which to make two appointments, one at \$300 per annum and one at \$420 per annum.

Thirty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 17 from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, for additional names from which to make ten appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 14 from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for additional names from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Fifteen names from the eligible list of Topographical Draughtsman in response to a requisition dated January 14, from the Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn, for additional names from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$5 per day.

Twenty-five names from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st grade, in response to a requisition dated January 13 from the President, Borough of Richmond, for additional names from which to make one appointment, with compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 17 from the Department of Public Charities for additional names from which to make two appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$780 per annum, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 16 from the Department of Public Charities for additional names from which to make two appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Twenty names from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter in response to a requisition dated January 21 from the Department of Public Charities for additional names from which to make three appointments in the Borough of Brooklyn, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Twenty-five names from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 21 from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Elec-

tricity for additional names from which to make six appointments, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

The Secretary was instructed to certify only the names of residents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx in response to a requisition dated January 14 from the Board of City Magistrates for an eligible list from which to appoint one Photographer, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, in accordance with the court decision in the case of Distler vs. The Municipal Civil Service Commission.

The Secretary was instructed to certify the appropriate eligible list of Telephone Switchboard Operator, Board of Water Supply, in response to the requisition of Secretary of the Board of Education dated January 21 for an eligible list from which to appoint one Telephone Switchboard Operator (female) with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum.

The requests of the following-named persons for permission to amend their statements as to date of birth, where in error in their papers in the examinations specified, to conform to the proof submitted, were granted:

Herman L. Scupp, 80 E. 107th st., Borough of Manhattan, 1st grade Clerk.

George C. Cruise, 24th st. and Sandford ave., Flushing, L. I., Examiner, Law Department.

Harry J. Marcus, 780 Prospect ave., Borough of The Bronx, Laboratory Assistant.

Joseph D. McCormack, 341 Clifton pl., Borough of Brooklyn, Attendance Officer.

John F. Punelt, 451 16th st., Borough of Brooklyn, Inspector (Public Works).

Robert C. Bagley, 116 55th st., Borough of Brooklyn, Assistant Dump Inspector.

Katherine A. Casey, 583 10th st., Borough of Brooklyn, Typewriting Copyist.

John J. Corcoran, 417 Carey ave., West Brighton, Richmond Borough, Telegraph Operator, Fire Department (promotion).

Richard J. Moriarty, 751 E. 168th st., Borough of The Bronx, Attendance Officer.

William J. Powell, 36 4th st., Borough of Brooklyn, Section Foreman.

The following requests for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

Albert Solomon, 142 East Broadway, New York City, 1st grade Clerk. Failed to reply to notice from Department of Finance, due to the fact that he expected appointment in the Board of Water Supply (January 8, 1913).

Edgar F. Whelan, 136 1st place, Brooklyn, N. Y., Fireman, Uniformed Force, Failure to reply to notice from the Fire Department (January 8, 1913), due to fact that owing to change of address he did not receive the same.

Lauretta C. Fox, 85 7th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Stenographer and Typewriter, 2d and 3d grades, for temporary appointment.

William C. F. Meehan, 20 Granite st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, 2d grade. Stated that he did not receive notice from the Tenement House Department, for failure to reply to which his name had been dropped from the list; (December 6, 1912).

Elvira S. Treacy, 204 W. 55th st., New York City, Nurse. Declined appointment in the Department of Health for the reason that she was employed in another City Department (January 5, 1912).

Jacob Goldstein, 1696 Madison ave., New York City, Clerk, 1st grade, for appointment at not less than \$540 per annum. Failed to reply to notice from the Department of Education (January 6, 1913), but informed the Commission that he did not desire the position at the salary offered (\$420).

The request of Henry L. Felch, of 423 7th st., Brooklyn, that his name be restored to the eligible list of Rodman for appointment in the Borough of Brooklyn; to the list of Estimator for appointment in any Borough, and to the list of Transitman for temporary appointment, was denied, in view of his many declinations of appointment from said lists.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons were approved, the evidences of temporary inability submitted by them having been satisfactory to the Commission:

Laura W. Chennell, Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., Supervising Nurse. Declined appointment in the Department of Public Charities (January 13, 1913), for the reason that she was in Des Moines, Iowa, and would not be in New York for several months.

Joseph F. Rowan, 406 W. 55th st., New York City, Gymnasium Attendant, 1st and 2d grades. Declined appointment in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, on account of illness (January 18, 1913). Doctor's certificate submitted.

The declination of appointment of Gottlieb Bosshart, of 22 Webster ave., Glendale, L. I., to the position of Gardener in the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, on account of illness, was approved in view of the doctor's certificate submitted, and his request that his name be restored to the eligible list for appointment only in the Borough of Queens was granted.

A communication was presented from Jacob Jacobson, of 315 E. 72d st., New York City, dated January 20, stating that he did not desire certification from the eligible list of Bookkeeper at a salary of less than \$1,500 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

A communication was presented from Jacob Watsky, of Wakefield, New York City, stating that he did not desire certification from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, Board of Water Supply, at a salary of less than \$1,300 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

A communication was presented from Walter J. Dean, of 356 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., dated January 15, requesting that his standing on the preferred list of Rodman be determined as of the date of his original appointment in the City service as Assistant Gardener (September 2, 1902). It appearing that the said employee's service had been continuous from that date until the date of his suspension from the Board of Water Supply under section 1543 of the Charter, the Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from Thomas W. Boyle, of 2910 Clarendon road, Brooklyn, N. Y., requesting that he be given a hearing before the Commission relative to his rejection in the physical examination for Fireman. The request was denied.

The Secretary was instructed to summon the following named persons for non-competitive examination to qualify them for appointment as Monitors in the office of the Commission: William A. Barry, Hollywood ave., Far Rockaway, N. Y.; William E. J. Keating, 2670 Briggs ave., New York City.

The Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification against the name of Thomas R. Hughes, of 159 Eckford st., Brooklyn, on the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Commission that he was over the minimum age of eighteen years at the time of filing his application.

A communication was presented from Patrick J. O'Brien, of 99 Bay 13th st., Bath Beach, N. Y., requesting permission to amend the date of birth given in an application filed by him in 1908 for the position of Fireman to conform to the date appearing in his certificate of birth. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Edward J. Murphy, of 243 7th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., dated January 12, requesting that his name be removed from the Commission's Disqualified List, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of 2d grade Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on June 1, 1909, for absence without leave. The Secretary was instructed to summon Mr. Murphy before the Commission on Wednesday, January 29, 1913, relative to his request.

A communication was presented from Arthur E. Gunn, of 3077 Hull ave., New York City, dated January 13, requesting that his name be removed from the Commission's Disqualified List, upon which it had been placed as the result of his dismissal, on charges, from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on September 23, 1911. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission on Wednesday, January 29, 1913, relative to his request.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Sinking Fund Commissioners be requested to authorize the leasing of the Grand Central Palace, 46th and 47th sts. and Lexington ave., Manhattan, by the Municipal Civil Service Commission on June 23, 1913, for the purpose of conducting an examination for the position of Patrolman, Police Department; and it was further

Resolved, That the Sinking Fund Commissioners be requested to authorize the Comptroller to pass a voucher in an amount not exceeding \$400 in favor of the Merchants and Manufacturers Exchange of New York for the use of the Grand Central Palace (including lighting) on June 23, 1913, by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, January 29, 1913, at ten o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Monday, January 27, 1913, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Frank Gallagher and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Welling. The President presided.

A communication, dated January 27, 1913, was presented from the Chief Examiner, stating that the examination for Nurse, held on July 8, 1912, was completed on January 27, 1913. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for the position of Nurse be and the same hereby is established.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, January 29, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, January 29, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present—President Frank Gallagher and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Welling. The President presided.

The minutes of the meetings held January 22 and 27 were approved.

The following named candidates for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, appeared, as directed, to show cause why their names should not be removed from the eligible list for that position: Joseph Byrnes, 101 Boerum pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.; George W. Hickman, 1098 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

After consideration of each case, on motion, it was resolved, that the names of Joseph Byrnes, of 101 Boerum pl., Brooklyn, N. Y., and George W. Hickman, of 1098 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, N. Y., be and the same hereby are removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, for the reason that the candidates did not measure up to the physical standard required by the Commission.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following names be and the same hereby are removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, they having failed to appear, as directed, to show cause why their names should not be so removed, and it appearing from reports of Dr. Joseph A. Kene, Medical Examiner, that they did not measure up to the physical standard required by the Commission: James J. Culkin, 79 Montgomery st., New York City; Edward R. Stanton, 1367 Greene ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

On motion, it was resolved, that Andrew Zehner having failed to appear, as directed, either for a medical examination by the Commission's Examiner or before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, his name be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list for that position.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualification list: Arthur E. Gunn, 3077 Hull ave., New York City; Joseph F. Baker, 701 St. Nicholas ave., New York City.

The requests were denied.

G. Arnold Moses, of Eastchester road, New York City, appeared, as directed, in connection with an arrest mentioned by him in his application for the position of Librarian, City Court. After consideration of the matter it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name be removed.

Walter H. Schmitt, of 515 8th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate on the eligible list of Mechanical Draftsman (electrical), grade C, appeared, as directed, to explain the circumstances under which he left the employ of the Gould Storage Co. The matter was referred to Commissioner Welling.

Sadie L. Harris, of 331 Kosciusko st., Brooklyn, N. Y., appeared with further reference to the discrepancies in her statements as to date of birth in the papers of her examination for the position of Typewriting Copyist. After consideration of the matter, the candidate was authorized to amend her statements, where in error, to conform to the date given in the affidavit of her father, no other proof as to the date of her birth having been obtainable.

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

James M. Lamberton, from the position of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$4.93 per day, in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn, to that of Inspector of Incumbrances, in the Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$1,200 per annum.

Fraze L. Belknap, Assistant Engineer, from the Board of Water Supply, at \$2,000 per annum, to the Committee on Standardization of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at \$2,300 per annum.

John M. Connolly, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,500 per annum, from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the Department of Education.

George T. Corde, Telephone Operator, from the Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph, of the Fire Department, at \$720 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Thomas J. Shalvey, Clerk, from the Tenement House Department, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$900 per annum.

Robert E. Schaufelberger, Clerk, from the Department of Education, at \$420 per annum, to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at \$480 per annum.

John D. O'Connor, Clerk, from the Tenement House Department, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

James R. Gallagher, from the position of Head School Farm Attendant, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, to that of School Farm Attendant, at \$3 per day, in that department.

Edward F. Farrell, Clerk, from the Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Martin P. Haviken, Clerk, from the Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Joseph A. Reilly, Clerk, from the Department of Health, at \$750 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the reinstatement of Edward M. Eagan in the position of Assistant Foreman, 2d grade, was approved.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reinstatements under section 153a of the Greater New York Charter: Fireman, 1st grade, James H. Paynter, Fire Department; Sergeant John McAuliffe, Police Department; Patrolman Charles Plunkitt, Police Department.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the reinstatement of Samuel Hodkinson, Oil Surveyor, Fire Department, in accordance with an order of the Supreme Court, Appellate Division, First Department.

The President submitted the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the Labor class:

Transfers Approved.

Robert A. Sweeney, Laborer, from the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to the Department of Bridges.

August Verity, from the position of Laborer to that of Machinist's Helper, in the Department of Docks and Ferries.

John J. Cue, Blacksmith's Helper, from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx to the Fire Department.

Bridget O'Hare, Cleaner, from the Department of Education to the Department of Health.

James J. Breen, from the position of Driver to that of Hostler in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough of Richmond.

Daniel Kennelly, from the position of Driver to that of Harnessmaker in the Department of Street Cleaning.

William Faller, from the position of Driver to that of Mason's Helper in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Antonio Flore, from the position of Scowman to that of Stableman in the Department of Street Cleaning.

William J. Gorman, from the position of Stableman to that of Blacksmith's Helper in the Department of Street Cleaning.

James Cauley, from the position of Driver to that of Hostler in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Frank B. Dwyer, from the position of Driver to that of Blacksmith's Helper in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Transfers Disapproved.

William J. Slater, from the position of Bridge Painter, Department of Bridges, to that of Painter, Fire Department, owing to the existence of a preferred list for the latter position.

Reinstatements Approved.

Frank Ball, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning; Fred Cavagnaro, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning; Anthony M. Frank, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning; Charles E. Dean, in the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning; Benjamin

Mund, in the position of extra Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning; Gus Laneave, in the position of extra Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Reassignments Approved.

Antonio Marcantinio, Sweeper in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

William A. MacDowell, in the position of Oilier in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Application Denied.

Request of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens, dated January 24, that the name of Harry Bechtold, a Laborer, be restored to the eligible list from which it had been removed by reason of his failure to report for duty, and recertified, there being a preferred list for the Borough of Queens.

The report was approved.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Storekeeper's Helper.

On motion, it was resolved, that the requirement that each and every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens, resident or engaged in business in the City of New York, be and the same hereby is waived in so far as it applies to the forthcoming examination for the position of Patrolman, and the Secretary is hereby authorized to accept applications bearing the certificates of four reputable citizens resident or engaged in business elsewhere; and it was further

Resolved, That the provision of the rules to the effect that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed therein or who has withdrawn therefrom shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, be and the same hereby is waived in so far as it applies to the forthcoming examination for the position of Patrolman.

Reports dated January 16 and 17, respectively, were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, stating that the following-named candidates for the position of Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, whose cases had been referred to him at a previous meeting, had admitted that they were over forty years of age, the maximum age for that position: James H. Dougherty, 66 Mangin st., New York City; Alfonso Avosso, 5 Prince st., New York City.

The Secretary was instructed to summon the above named persons to show cause why their names should not be stricken from the eligible list.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated January 24, transmitting a communication from the Secretary of the Armory Board, under date of January 6, 1913, relative to certain promotions in his department. The Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions recommended that the following promotions be disapproved, for the reason that the persons named were not eligible for the increased compensations specified:

Lawrence V. Meehan, from the position of Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,800 per annum, to that of Superintendent, at \$3,000 per annum.

Lewis M. Sweet, Stenographer and Typewriter, from \$2,100 to \$2,400 per annum.

William J. Phair, Clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,800 per annum.

The recommendation was adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to pass their payrolls for the month of January under clause 4 of rule 12. A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated January 24, transmitting an appeal signed by John F. Dunker and four others that the Commission place on the eligible list of Captain, Fire Department, the names of all candidates who obtained 75 per cent. or more in the examination for that position, and recommending that the appeal be denied for lack of power. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated January 24, transmitting an application from Pascal M. Geronimo for promotion from the position of 2d grade Typewriting Copyist to that of 3d grade Clerk in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, and recommending that the application be returned for the reason that the candidate had not served the required three years in the 2d grade. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated January 24, recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for an examination for promotion from the third to the fourth grade of Financial Clerk in the Borough of Queens, the time set apart for considering requests for promotion examinations in the Clerical and Engineering Services having expired, and no urgent reasons having been advanced for the necessity of holding the same. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated January 23, relative to the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, under date of January 17, for authority to increase the salary of Theodore de Long Coffin, Assistant Engineer, from \$1,800 to \$2,250 per annum. It appeared that the said employee had been promoted to the position of Assistant Engineer, at \$1,800 per annum, on December 1, 1912, from a promotion list on which his name was first, the two persons whose names appeared upon a preferred list having declined the appointment on account of insufficiency of salary, and that said preferred list expired on December 31, 1912, by limitation. After consideration of the matter, the increase in salary was approved, it appearing that the same would not in any way conflict with the legal rights of any person.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated January 24, recommending that the eligible list of Examiner, Law Department, be certified to the Commissioners of Accounts in response to their requisition of January 18 for an eligible list from which to appoint an Examining Inspector at \$1,500 per annum. The recommendation was approved.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-614, dated January 27—Laboratory Assistant (research).

C-616, dated January 22—Librarian, City Court.

C-642, dated January 27—Assistant Engineer, with knowledge of sewage disposal.

C-648, dated January 27—Gymnasium Attendant (female).

The reports were ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated January 25, in reply to the request of the Commission to be informed whether or not that department would consider the employment of William T. Bishop, who was dismissed from the position of Janitor-Engineer on November 10, 1909, and who was given a notice for the coming open competitive examination for that position conditional upon the willingness of the Department of Education to employ him in the event of his passing the examination. After consideration of the letter from the Department of Education, it was ordered that the candidate's papers in the examination be not rated.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Permanent Census Board, dated January 22, requesting authority to continue the services of Joseph A. Kehoe, a Temporary Clerk, for a period of three months from January 27, 1913. It appearing that Mr. Kehoe had served the six months allowed by clause 1 of rule 12, the Secretary was instructed to certify the preferred list of Temporary Clerk.

The following appointments were approved, pending the preparation of eligible lists, subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12, in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

Department of Health.

January 21—Dr. George Starke, 1393 Franklin ave., New York City, as Dentist, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

January 23—James J. Deasy, 478 7th st., Brooklyn, as Sanitary Inspector, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

John Lemperle, Brooks st., New Brighton, S. I., as Food Inspector, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

January 22—John E. George, 93 Maple st., Richmond Hill, L. I., as Sanitary Inspector, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

January 25—Samuel Monash, 14 W. 115th st., New York City, as Chemist, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Fire Department.

January 23—Marguerite Major, 500 W. 143d st., New York City, as Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

January 27—William M. Hynes, 197 Harrison st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

January 23—L. E. Sidello, 210 19th st., Flushing, L. I., as Topographical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,350 per annum.

January 22—James E. Cuff, of 171 11th st., Long Island City, as Topographical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,350 per annum.

Department of Public Charities.

January 23—Leo Reich, care of City Home, Blackwell's Island, as Pharmacist, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum.

Board of Water Supply.

January 21—Norval A. Yeaple, New Paltz, N. Y., as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$750 per annum.

The following emergency appointments were approved under clause 4 of rule 12, in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

Department of Education.

January 27—George H. Sterling, 421 1st st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Inspector of Fuel, with salary at the rate of \$1,150 per annum, for a period of fifteen days, commencing January 24.

Department of Health.

January 21—The following-named persons as Nurses, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for a period of fifteen days each: Theresa Coha, 457 9th ave., New York City; Isabelle Povitsky, 600 E. 167th st., New York City; Nora E. Hutchinson, 744 Park pl., Brooklyn; Emma E. Campbell, 144 Martense st., Brooklyn; Margaret C. Garretson, 73 W. 124th st., New York City; Elizabeth McCann, 434 Clermont ave., Brooklyn; Harriet F. Gibson, 105 S. Oxford st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

January 23—Frederick Sprenger, Municipal Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y., as Superintendent of Hospital, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, for two fifteen-day periods, beginning January 1, 1913.

January 23—Julia T. Harding, 119 W. 92d st., New York City, as Librarian, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each, commencing January 1, 1913.

Office of the Mayor.

January 25—F. Leslie Ennis, 415 Westminster rd., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Stenographer, from January 13 to 25, 1913.

Office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan.

January 28—Henry S. Johnson, Babylon, L. I., as Mechanical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, for the month of January, 1913.

Board of Water Supply.

January 21—Edward Byrne as Clerk, First Grade, with salary at the rate of \$300 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days.

Department of Public Charities.

January 23—Alfred O'Hara, as Payroll Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$780 per annum, for a period of fifteen days from January 16.

Vouchers in payment of the following-named persons were approved under clause 4 of rule 12, as requested by the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions in communications dated January 15:

Charles Laban, 239 S. 4th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Special Interpreter in the Lithuanian language, \$3.

Nick Gahs, 205 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn, Special Interpreter in the Greek language, \$3.

A communication was presented from the Board of Coroners, Borough of Queens, dated January 24, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$15 in payment of Edward Krantz for services as Polish Interpreter. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

On motion, it was resolved, that subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. J. J. Crane, of Otisville, New York, be and he hereby is excepted from examination pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed as Architectural Draftsman in the Department of Health (Municipal Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y.) for a period of one year from January 1, 1913, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,200.

On motion, it was resolved, that Frederick A. Ross, of 118 W. 90th st., New York City, be and he hereby is excepted from examination under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to render expert service in the Department of Health in installing the Ross system of fire protection in the hospitals of the Department of Health and to serve as Fire Expert and Drill Instructor during the year 1913; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following-named persons be and they hereby are excepted from examination under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed by the Department of Health to conduct religious services at the Municipal Sanatorium at Otisville, N. Y.; provided, however, that the total compensation in each case shall not exceed \$300; Rev. Lawrence D. Flanagan, Rev. Robert S. Young, Rev. Abraham Blum.

On motion, it was resolved, that Mr. Russell Spaulding be and he hereby is excepted from examination under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, as an Expert to make certain studies in connection with an experimental ozone purification plant for sewage; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following-named persons be and they hereby are excepted from examination under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, to render expert service as veterinarians in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, office of the President of the Borough of Queens, from time to time during the year 1913; provided, however, that the total compensation in each case shall not exceed \$750:

Dr. W. W. Wright, 72 3d st., Long Island City.

Dr. S. A. Wright, 80 Madison ave., Flushing, L. I.

Dr. W. L. Johnson, 19 N. Washington st., Jamaica, L. I.

Dr. Eldert J. Decker, William st., Far Rockaway, L. I.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated January 21, stating that Walter White, of White Plains, N. Y., had been appointed to the position of Clerk at \$480 per annum under clause 7 of rule 12. The appointment was approved.

The following reassessments to duty were approved in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

January 21—Ernest E. Krampp, Inspector of Steel in the Department of Bridges, at the expiration of a leave of absence since October 1, 1912.

January 27—Anna C. Duane, Stenographer and Typewriter in the Law Department, at the expiration of a leave of absence since November 15, 1912.

January 2—Ermina L. Massey, Cottage Attendant, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the expiration of a leave of absence since November 1, 1912.

January 22—Mary C. Connors, Attendant in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at the expiration of a leave of absence since October 1, 1912.

Communications (2) dated January 24 were presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Bridges, transmitting applications of P. J. McCabe and Thomas J. Malone, Third Grade Clerks, for promotion to the Fourth Grade, which had not been filed before the closing date set for the receipt of applications for the reason that the said employees had not become eligible to take the examination until January 1, 1913. The applications were accepted.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, dated January 24, designating W. J. Zartmann, Principal Assistant Engineer, and David E. Austen, Superintendent, as members of the Board of Promotions for his department in the place and stead of Benjamin S. Wever, Assistant Engineer, and John A. Allen, Assistant Superintendent. The designation was approved.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of The Bronx, dated January 21, requesting authority to change the title of Alexander Elliott from Stableman to Laborer and of Martin Smith from Hostler to Laborer, to conform to the salary schedule of the department for the year 1913. The changes in title were approved, the said employees having consented to the same.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities dated January 18 explaining his action in dismissing stokers from one borough for lack of appropriation and then transferring other stokers to that borough. The letter stated that the department's budget for the year 1913 necessitated the dropping of twenty-one Stokers and that the last twenty-one appointed had been dropped from the rolls irrespective of the borough in which they were employed, and after their dismissal the remaining Stokers were assigned in the manner best calculated to fit the appropriations allowed for each institution. The action of the department was approved.

A communication was presented from the Police Commissioner, dated January 25, stating that he had granted full pay to Sergeant George W. McDermott from October 26, 1912, to January 23, 1913, during which time he was ill as the result of injuries sustained in the performance of duty. The Secretary was instructed to pass the payroll.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for Positions in

the Non-Competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Department of Education, January 8, 21. Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, January 13. Department of Correction, January 20.

The request of John A. Fitzpatrick, of 16 Edward st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for permission to amend his statements as to date of birth where in error in the papers of his examination for the position of Bridge Keeper, to conform to the proof submitted, was granted.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

On motion, it was resolved, that in future examinations for the position of Scowman and for positions in the mechanical force of the Department of Street Cleaning, no person shall be examined who on the date of filing his application is more than forty years old.

A report was presented from the Chief of the Bureau of Medical and Physical Examinations in the office of the Commission, stating that on January 27 he had re-examined John F. Reilly, of 141 St. Felix st., Brooklyn, N. Y., whose name had been removed from the eligible list of Patrolman on January 8, 1913, for physical disability, and had rejected him. The report was ordered filed.

A report, dated January 25, was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, relative to Thomas F. Hickey, an employee of the Department of Bridges. It appeared that an examination had been held at the request of the Department to qualify him for promotion from the Second to the Third Grade of Foreman Stone Mason, but that such request had been made in error as the position actually established for the Department was that of Third Grade Foreman Brick Mason. The Examiner recommended that the said employee be given a non-competitive examination to qualify him for assignment to the latter position, pending a possible amendment of the salary schedule of the Department of Bridges by substituting for the position of Third Grade Foreman Stone Mason that of Third Grade Foreman Brick Mason, and that his papers in the examination for Third Grade Foreman Stone Mason be not rated. The recommendations were adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to approve the payroll of the said employee for the month of January under clause 4 of rule 12.

A report was presented from the Chief Clerk, dated January 28, transmitting a supplemental bill of Walter Cook, Jr., for services as Expert Examiner during the month of December, 1912, in the amount of \$14.92. The Secretary was instructed to charge the bill to the contingent fund.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated January 27, transmitting the request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning under date of January 22 that a practical examination be held to qualify Joseph Mack for transfer from the position of Blacksmith's Helper to that of Wheelwright, and recommending that Mr. James Dixon, of 242 W. 48th st., New York City, be employed as an expert to conduct the said examination. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated January 28, transmitting the request of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of The Bronx, under date of January 22, that the name of John J. Wunnemberg be placed upon the preferred list of Laborer or returned to the eligible list, and recommending that the request be denied, the eligible list from which he was appointed having expired, and, it appearing from the records of the Commission that he had not received any time up to the date of his dismissal for failure to report, and could not, therefore, be considered a regular employee and entitled to a place upon the preferred list. The recommendation was adopted.

A report dated January 23 was presented from Dr. Benjamin T. Tilton, 14 E. 58th st., New York City, one of the Examiners who rated the papers in the examination for Pathologist, relative to the experience statement of Dr. Bruce Stevens Weaver to the effect that he was a graduate of the Northwestern University, which statement had been found to be incorrect. The Examiner stated that the statement of the candidate had a direct bearing on the rating of the experience papers. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Pathologist.

A report, dated January 17, was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, transmitting a communication from William H. Hunt, 136 State st., Brooklyn, a candidate for the position of Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, to the effect that he was over forty years of age. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list for that position.

The Secretary was instructed to summon William L. Arneel, Jr., 91 Bedford st., New York City, before the Commission in connection with his application for the position of Patrolman, to explain the circumstances under which he resigned from a similar position on November 10, 1909.

The Secretary was instructed to summon Timothy Brick, of 2636 8th ave., New York City, a candidate for Patrolman, before the Commission to explain the circumstances attending his dismissal from the position of Fireman at the Manhattan State Hospital.

A communication was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated January 29, requesting that the records be amended by eliminating the word "Junior," affixed to the name of Matthew L. Blair, an Inspector in the Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated January 29, requesting that the name of Henry J. Henrigel, 1483 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn, who resigned from the position of Fireman on January 21, 1913, before completing his probationary period, be restored to the eligible list under clause 3 of rule 11, and recertified for appointment. The request was granted.

The Commission denied the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, considered at a previous meeting, for approval of the promotion of four Assistant Foremen, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to the position of Foreman, at \$4 per day, from the promotion list for the latter position, in view of the existence of a preferred list.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, dated December 3, 1912, requesting approval of the increase in salary of John Engelking, Typewriting Copyist, from \$720 to \$900 per annum, effective January 1, 1913. It appeared that the said employee would not be eligible for the increased salary until April 27, 1913, but as there was no eligible list in existence from which certification could be made and there was an actual vacancy to be filled, the Commission approved his employment at the increased salary under the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12, until April 27, 1913, and construed the open competitive examination in which he qualified as the equivalent of the non-competitive examination required under clause 3 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Queens, dated January 23, requesting authority to employ Charles F. Gaffney, of North Percy st., Flushing, L. I., as Inspector of Plumbing, subject to the conditions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12. The request was granted.

The following emergency appointments were approved under clause 4 of rule 12:

Henry Conry, 138 E. 48th st., New York City, as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days, in the Bureau of Licenses, office of the Mayor.

John F. O'Neill, 817 39th st., Brooklyn, as Inspector of Iron and Steel, in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a second period of fifteen days.

A communication was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Board of Coroners, Borough of Manhattan, dated January 27, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$70 in payment of Ignatius Canale, an Italian Interpreter, for services from January 2 to 22, 1913. The voucher was approved under clause 6 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, dated January 23, transmitting vouchers aggregating \$90 in payment of Albert B. Hager, Engineer, for professional services rendered in connection with proceedings instituted against the construction of the racetrack operated by the Steeplechase Park Company at Coney Island. The voucher was approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, dated January 28, transmitting vouchers in payment of the following named persons, in the amounts specified, for services as special Nurses: Mary Lynch, \$3; Jean Waters, \$6; Addie Rutherford, \$24; Carrie Hoskins, \$33; Nellie Smullin, \$9.

The vouchers were approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

The following reassessments to duty were approved in accordance with the requests of the respective departments under date of January 27:

Samuel Bienstock, Ticket Agent in the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the expiration of a leave of absence since December 1, 1912.

William Murphy, Janitor in the Department of Education, at the expiration of a leave of absence since May 1, 1912.

The following certifications were approved, the names in excess of the number specified in the rules having been ordered certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.:

Twenty names from the appropriate eligible list of Bookkeeper, 3d grade, in response to a requisition dated January 22 from the Department of Public Charities for an eligible list from which to appoint one Assistant Bookkeeper, at \$720 per annum, at the Kings County Hospital.

Ten names in response to a requisition dated January 25 from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for an eligible list from which to appoint two Gymnasium Attendants (male), with salary at the rate of \$2.50 per diem each.

Ten names in response to a requisition dated January 27 from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller for an eligible list from which to appoint one 2d grade Clerk, at \$600 per annum in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.

Twenty names in response to a requisition dated January 24 from the Board of Education for an eligible list from which to appoint one Stenographer and Typewriter, female, at \$600 per annum.

Ten names in response to a requisition dated January 27 from the Department of Health for an eligible list from which to make one appointment to the position of 1st grade Clerk at \$300 per annum.

Ten names from the appropriate eligible list of Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry in response to a requisition dated January 27 from the Department of Education for an eligible list from which to appoint one assistant Foreman Carpenter in the Borough of Brooklyn for a period of about three months, with salary at the rate of \$5 per day.

Three names from the preferred list of Rodman, Grade B, in response to a requisition dated January 28, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, for an eligible list from which to appoint one Rodman at \$900 per annum.

Fifteen names in response to a requisition dated January 22 from the Department of Public Charities for an eligible list from which to appoint one Clerk, 2d grade, at \$780 per annum.

Two names from the preferred list of Hospital Clerk (male) in response to a requisition from the Department of Public Charities for an eligible list from which to appoint one Hospital Clerk (male), at \$600 per annum.

Twenty names in response to a requisition dated January 22 from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, for an eligible list from which to make one appointment to the position of Clerk at \$300 per annum.

Twenty names in response to a requisition dated January 21 from the Board of Water Supply for an eligible list from which to appoint two 1st grade Clerks, at \$300 per annum each.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for Positions in the non-competitive class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Department of Correction, January 22, 1913; Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, January, 1913.

The request of David W. Lynch, of 739 Carroll st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for permission to amend his statements as to date of birth, where in error in the papers of his examination for the position of Examiner, Law Department, to conform to the proof submitted, was granted.

The Secretary was instructed to remove the following names from the eligible lists specified, notice having been received of the death of the said persons:

Mary R. McGowan, 313 E. 88th st., New York City, Stenographer and Typewriter. William H. Bertram, 1709 2d ave., New York City, Topographical Draftsman. John V. Burns, 504 2d ave., New York City, Bookkeeper.

The following requests for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

Nathan Sandler, 129 Clymer st., Brooklyn, N. Y., clerk, 2d grade, for temporary work. Was out of town when certified to the Board of Elections (December 10, 1912).

William Marquart, 183 19th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., clerk, 2d grade, for temporary work. Resigned from a temporary position in the Department of Finance on October 30, 1912.

Isaac H. Barlin, 2132 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., 1st grade clerk. Failed to reply to notice from the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond (July 8, 1912).

The request of Nicholas Mulhall, of 3423 Avenue D, Brooklyn, N. Y., under date of January 27, 1913, that his name be restored to the eligible list of Bookkeeper, 3d grade, was denied.

A communication was presented from William Augenmeyer, of 28 Shipley st., Woodhaven, L. I., requesting that his name be not certified from the eligible list of Clerk, 2d grade, for appointment at any salary less than \$1,050 per annum. The secretary was instructed to note the request on the records.

A communication was presented from E. J. Fitzgerald, 18 W. 184th st., New York City, requesting that certification of his name from the eligible list of Accountant, 5th grade, be withheld until further notice. The request was granted.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified were approved:

Sara D. Quin, 582 E. 140th st., New York City, Stenographer and Typewriter, 2d and 3d grades. Declined appointment in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the reason that the position to be filled was in the alcoholic ward and her duties would bring her into direct contact with patients therein.

Fannie Abramson, 686 President st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Typewriter Accountant. Declined appointment in the Finance Department owing to absence from city.

Victor H. Howard, 724 Amsterdam ave., New York City, Clerk, 1st grade. Communication received from Thomas A. Howard to the effect that the candidate was in the government service and could not be communicated with.

Kate Daly, 406 W. 15th st., New York City, Attendant, preferred. Declined appointment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, on account of illness. Doctor's certificate submitted.

Leslie Spier, 103 E. 125th st., New York City, Laboratory Assistant. Declined appointment in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, for the reason that he was employed in the Public Service Commission.

Harold Orler, 221 Lewis ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Gymnasium Attendant. Declined appointment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn (January 24, 1913), for the reason that he was attending college.

A communication was presented from John Graham, of 955 New York ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., requesting that his standing on the preferred list of Stationary Engineer be determined by the date of his original appointment as Oilier in the City service—September 28, 1905. It appearing that his service from that date to the date of his suspension for lack of work from the position of Stationary Engineer in the Department of Public Charities had been uninterrupted, the request was granted.

A communication was presented from Constantine A. Tower, dated January 24, requesting that the Commission reconsider its action in removing his name from the eligible list of Patrolman. The request was denied.

The application of John Lehti, of 729 43d st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for the position of Architectural Draughtsman was accepted, his explanation as to the discrepancy between his name and that appearing in his father's naturalization papers (Lehtiner) having been satisfactory to the Commission.

A communication was presented from Harry Rabinowitz, of 1316 43d st., Brooklyn, N. Y., requesting that his name be changed on the records of the Commission to Harry Loonan. The Secretary was instructed to summon the applicant before the Commission to explain his reason for the request.

The Secretary was instructed to summon the following named persons before the Commission relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's Disqualified List: Raphael E. Mulligan, 341 W. 28th st., New York City; John J. Cauldwell, 42 4th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

A communication was presented from Henry A. Palmstine, of 266 W. 133d st., New York City, making application for the position of Monitor in the office of the Commission. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate for the necessary non-competitive examination.

On motion, it was resolved, that all persons laid off by the Board of Water Supply are to be placed on a general preferred list for the positions and grades in which they were formerly employed and are to be eligible for certification to all City Departments.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, February 5, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Department of Parks.

Abstract of Proceedings of the Park Board for the Week Ending March 8, 1913.

Stated meeting March 6, 3 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Stover (President), Higgins, Eliot.

Sealed bids were received for the following:

Furnishing two automobiles for parks in Brooklyn.

Furnishing 174,000 gallons of macadam asphalt binder for parks in Brooklyn.

Furnishing 6,250 cubic yards of Cow Bay sand for parks and parkways in Brooklyn.

For steam heating work for the new workshops and storehouse in Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

Assembly Bill No. 1221, relative to naming and renaming parks and parkways and public places under the jurisdiction of this Board was approved.

A communication from James H. Scarr, District Forester, U. S. Weather Bureau, relative to establishing metropolitan observatories on parks in the several Boroughs, was referred to the President for action.

The preparation and advertising of contracts for the following works were authorized:

Erecting iron fences, including concrete seats, gate posts, brick piers, concrete copings, etc., around the triangular playground plot bounded by Lafayette st., Cleveland place and Kenmare st., Manhattan.

Erecting playground house and pavilion building east of Conservatory Lake in Central Park.

Leave of absence was granted the Secretary until May 1 next, on account of illness.

Contracts Executed: March 3, 1913, H. L. Haffen Contracting Co., 2804 3d ave., erecting gas pipe and wire mesh fence at playground on Amsterdam ave., between 174th and 175th sts., Manhattan; amount, \$1,581.75; sureties, The Title Guaranty and Surety Company.

March 4, Kalt Lumber Company, 312 E. 64th st., lumber for parks in Manhattan; amount, \$4,208.80; surety, American Surety Company of New York.

March 4, Coldwell Lawn Mower Company, Newburgh, N. Y., repairing lawn mowers on parks in Brooklyn during season of 1913; amount, \$2,108; surety, National Surety Company.

March 6, Rudolf Gersmann, 21 E. 137th st., tree guards for parks in Manhattan; amount, \$2,567.60; surety, National Surety Company.

Abstract of Proceedings for Week Ending March 15.

Stated meeting March 13, 3 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Stover (President), Higgins, Kennedy, Eliot.

Sealed bids were received for the following:

Erecting a comfort station and playground building on 151st st., near Amsterdam ave.

Heating and ventilating work for said building.

Plumbing and gasfitting work for same. Furnishing coal for parks and parkways in Brooklyn.

An inquiry from Dr. Stephen Smith of the Tree Planting Association, as to the position taken by this Board in the matter of appropriations for tree planting on City streets in each of the several Boroughs, was referred to the President for reply.

The time for completion of a contract dated February 24, 1913, for furnishing brass bars and moulding for museum cases for addition "H," Metropolitan Museum of Art, was extended thirty working days. All bids received on the 27th ult. for furnishing gasoline and kerosene for parks in the Bronx, were rejected.

All bids received on the 6th inst. for furnishing Cow Bay sand for parks and parkways in Brooklyn, were rejected.

The preparation and advertising of a contract for dredging and draining for the purpose of eliminating mosquito breeding conditions, the salt meadow lands in Pelham Bay Park, The Bronx, were authorized.

Contracts Awarded: Plumbers' supplies for parks in The Bronx, hardware for parks in Brooklyn, masons supplies for parks in Brooklyn, blacksmiths' supplies for parks in Brooklyn, lumber supplies for parks in Brooklyn, plumbing material for parks in Brooklyn, tools and implements for parks in Brooklyn, paint for parks in Brooklyn, oils for parks in Brooklyn, rubber goods for parks in Brooklyn, two automobiles for parks in Brooklyn, macadam asphalt binder for parks in Brooklyn, erecting new workshops and storehouse in Prospect Park, Brooklyn; steam heating work for new workshops and storehouse in Prospect Park, Brooklyn; furnishing additional exhibition cases and book stacks in Central Museum of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; erecting comfort station and playground building on 151st st., near Amsterdam ave., Manhattan; heating and ven-

tilating work for said building; plumbing and gasfitting for the same.

Contracts Executed—March 10: John Lucas, 521 Washington st., painters' supplies for parks in The Bronx; amount, \$891.28; surety, U. S. Guarantee Company.

Peter J. Constant, 422 Gates ave., Brooklyn, furnishing plate glass for addition "H," Metropolitan Museum of Art, Central Park; amount, \$2,915; surety, New England Casualty Company. Dunbar Contracting Company, 444 E. 68th st., constructing addition to Riverside Park, east of Grant's Tomb, Manhattan; amount, \$9,222.50; surety, American Bonding Company of Baltimore.

March 13: George N. Reinhardt & Co., 973 Brook ave., furnishing forage for parks, in The Bronx; amount, \$691.60; surety, National Surety Company.

March 14: Hall & Hurlburt, Inc., foot of 24th st., Brooklyn, repairs to five steam road rollers, Prospect Park, Brooklyn; amount, \$1,249; surety, National Surety Company.

CLINTON H. SMITH, Secretary, Park Board.

Borough of The Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings. I hereewith submit a report of operations of The Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending March 15, 1913:

Plans filed for new buildings, 18; estimated cost, \$599,400. Plans filed for alterations, 14; estimated cost, \$44,550. Unsafe cases filed, 11; violation cases filed, 65; unsafe notices issued, 21; violation notices issued, 88; violation cases forwarded for prosecution, 29; complaints lodged with the Bureau, 42; number of pieces of iron and steel inspected, 460.

JAMES A. HENDERSON, Superintendent of Buildings.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

March 25, 1913—Edward B. O'Donnell, No. 113 E. 130th st., New York City, is transferred from the position of Laborer in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan, to a similar position in the Department of Bridges, at \$2.50 per day, to date from March 27.

John L. Kelly, 8 Mangin st., Manhattan, has been transferred from the position of Laborer in the Bureau of Highways, Manhattan, to a similar position in this Department, at \$2.50 per day, to date from March 27, 1913.

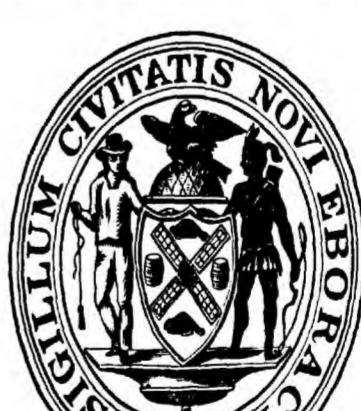
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

March 25, 1913—Reinstated: James Raftis, Laborer, at \$2.50 per day while employed.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

County of New York. March 25, 1913—Appointed: Herman M. Frank, 9 E. 98th st., and Edward Biele, 3397 Fort Independence st., New York City, to the position of Verifier, at \$1,000 per annum, in the Reindexing Department, this office, such appointment to take effect April 1, 1913.

Morris Pollinger appointed Verifier, at \$1,000 per annum, in the Reindexing Department, this office, March 24, 1913, declined such appointment.



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OFFICES.

Headquarters of Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East 67th street, Manhattan. Telephone, 640 Plaza.

Brooklyn office, Nos. 365 and 367 Jay street, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2653 Main.

Joseph Johnson, Commissioner.

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Leonard Day, Electrical Engineer, Chief of Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph, 157 and 159 East 67th street, Manhattan.

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Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Main office, Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre streets, 6th and 7th floors.

Telephone, 4000 Worth.

Archibald R. Watson, Corporation Counsel.

Assistants—Theodore Connolly, George L. Sterling, Charles D. Olendorf, William P. Burr, R. Percy Chittenden, William Beers Crowell, John L. O'Brien, Terence Farley, Edward J. McGoldrick, David S. Garland, Curtis A. Peters, John P. O'Brien, Edward S. Malone, Edwin J. Freedman, Louis H. Hahlo, Frank B. Pierce, Richard H. Mitchell, John Widdecombe, Arthur Sweeny, William H. King, George P. Nicholson, Dudley F. Malone, Charles J. Nehrbas, William J. O'Sullivan, Harford P. Walker, Josiah A. Stover, Arnold C. Well, John Lehman, Francis Martin, Charles McIntyre, Clarence L. Barber, Alfred W. Booraem, George H. Cowle, Solon Berrick, James P. O'Connor, Elliott S. Benedict, Isaac Phillips, Edward P. McShane, Eugene Fay, Ricardo M. DeAcosta, John M. Barrett, Frank P. Reilly, Leon G. Godley, Alexander C. McNulty, Samuel Hoffmann, John W. Goff, Jr., William R. Wilson, Jr. Secretary to the Corporation Counsel—Edmund Kirby, Jr.

Chief Clerk—Andrew T. Campbell.

Brooklyn Office, Borough Hall, 2d floor. Telephone, 2948 Main. James D. Bell, Assistant in charge.

BUREAU OF STREET OPENINGS.

Main office, No. 90 West Broadway. Telephone, 5070 Barclay. Joel J. Squier, Assistant in charge.

Brooklyn branch office, No. 166 Montague street. Telephone, 3670 Main. Edward Riegelmann, Assistant in charge.

Queens branch office, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point. Walter C. Sheppard, Assistant in charge.

BUREAU FOR THE RECOVERY OF PENALTIES.

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No. 280 Broadway, 5th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth. Geo. O'Reilly, Assistant in charge.

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No. 44 East Twenty-third street. Telephone, 961 Gramercy. John P. O'Brien, Assistant in charge.

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Office, No. 17 Battery place. George A. Soper, Ph.D., President; James H. Puertas, Secretary; H. de B. Parsons, Charles Soysmith, Linsky R. Williams, M.D.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 1694 Rector.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. 299 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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Nos. 54-60 Lafayette street.

Telephone, 2140 Worth.

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Nos. 157 and 159 East 67th street, Headquarters Fire Department.

Joseph Johnson, Fire Commissioner and ex-officio chairman; Geo. O. Eaton, Sidney Harris, Bartholomew Donovan, Russell W. Moore.

Albert Burns, Secretary.

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CENTRAL OFFICE.

No. 240 Centre street, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (months of June, July and August, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.); Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 3100 Spring.

Rhinelander Waldo, Commissioner.

Douglas S. McKay, First Deputy Commissioner.

George S. Dougherty, Second Deputy Commissioner.

Harry W. Newberger, Third Deputy Commissioner.

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51 Chambers street; Room 1001.

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Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 1471 Worth.

Commission meeting every Tuesday at 4:30 p. m.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

The Public Service Commission for the First District, Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, Manhattan.

Office hours, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m., every day in the year, including holidays and Sundays.

Stated public meetings of the Commission, Tuesdays and Fridays at 12:15 p. m., in the Public Hearing Room of the Commission, third floor of the Tribune Building, unless otherwise ordered.

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Telephone, 4150 Beekman.

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John J. Murphy, Commissioner, Manhattan Office, 44 East 23d street. Telephone, 5331 Gramercy.

William H. Abbott, Jr., First Deputy Commissioner.

Brooklyn office (Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond), 503 Fulton street. Telephone, 38-5 Main. Frank Mann, Second Deputy Commissioner.

Bronx office, 391 East 149th street. Telephone, 7107-7108 Melrose. William B. Calvert, Superintendent.

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BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Office of the President, Nos. 14, 15 and 16 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

George McAneny, President.

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Telephone, 6725 Cortlandt.

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Henry Welles Durham, Chief Engineer in Charge of Highways.

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Telephone, 6700 Cortlandt.

Rudolph P. Miller, Superintendent of Buildings.

Telephone, 1575 Stuyvesant.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Office of the President, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Cyrus C. Miller, President.

George Donnelly, Secretary.

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

James A. Henderson, Superintendent of Buildings.

Arthur J. Largy, Superintendent of Highways.

Roger W. Bligh, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.

Telephone, 2680 Tremont.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

President's Office, Nos. 15 and 16, Borough Hall; 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Alfred E. Steers, President.

Reuben L. Haskell, Borough Secretary.

John B. Creighton, Secretary to the President.

Lewis H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works.

Patrick J. Carlin, Superintendent of Buildings.

William J. Taylor, Superintendent of the Bureau of Sewers.

Howard L. Woody, Superintendent of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

John W. Tumbridge, Superintendent of Highways.

Telephone, 3960 Main.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

President's Office, Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City; 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 4120 Hunters Point.

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Ernest H. Seehusen, Superintendent of Sewers.

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Offices, Borough Hall, New Brighton, N. Y.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan—Office, 70 Lafayette street, corner of Franklin street.

Open at all times of the day and night.

Coroners: Israel L. Feinberg, Herman Hellenstein, James E. Winterbottom, Herman W. Holtzhauser.

Telephones, 5057, 5058 Franklin.

Borough of The Bronx—Corner of Arthur avenue and Tremont avenue. Telephones, 1250 Tremont and 1402 Tremont.

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Borough of Brooklyn—Office, 23

Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), Room No. 13.
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 8.
 Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 32.
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 18.
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. —.
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 23.
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 35.
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 26.
 Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 27.
 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. —.
 Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.
 Trial Term, Part XIV., Room No. 28.
 Trial Term, Part XV., Room No. 37.
 Trial Term, Part XVI., Room No. —.
 Trial Term, Part XVII., Room No. 20.
 Trial Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 29.
 Appellate Term, Room No. 29.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third oor.
 Assignment Bureau, room on mezzanine floor, northeast.
 Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motion), Room No. 15.
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, ground floor, south.
 Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
 Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business), Criminal Court House, Centre street.
 Justices—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Glegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Joseph E. Newburger, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzek, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Lehman, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Bijur, John J. Delany, Francis K. Pendleton, Daniel F. Cohan, Thomas F. Donnelly, Edward G. Whitaker.
 Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
 Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
 Court opens at 10:30 a. m.
 William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
 During July and August, Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m.
 Telephone, 8084 Franklin.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT
 SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
 Court House, Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., except that on Fridays court opens at 10 o'clock a. m. Almet F. Jenks, Presiding Justice; Michael H. Hirschberg, Joseph A. Burr, Edward B. Thomas, William J. Carr, John Woodward, Adelbert P. Rich, Justices; John B. Byrne, Clerk; Clarence A. Barrow, Deputy Clerk. Motion days, first and third Mondays of each Term. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main. John B. Byrne, Clerk.

APPELLATE TERM—SUPREME COURT.
 Court Room, 503 Fulton street, Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. March Term to March 3, 1913. Justices Garret J. Garretson, Ab. . Blackmar, Isaac M. Kappeler, Joseph H. De Braga, Clerk. Owen J. Macaulay, Deputy Clerk. Clerk's Office opens 9 a. m. Telephones, 7452 and 7453 Main.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
 KINGS COUNTY.
 Kings County Court House, Joralemon and Fulton streets, Borough of Brooklyn.
 Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trials. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. Special Term (ex parte business).
 Naturalization Bureau, Room 7, Hall of Records Brooklyn, N. Y.
 James P. McGee, General Clerk. Telephone, 5460 Main.

QUEENS COUNTY.
 County Court House, Long Island City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for Motions and ex parte business each month except July, August and September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part 2, January, February, March, April, May and December. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and November. Naturalization, first Friday in each Term. Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge. John D. Peace, Part I and Calenda Clerk. James Ingram, Part 2, Clerk. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., except Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Telephone, 3396 Hunter's Point.

RICHMOND COUNTY.
 Terms of Court in Year 1912. Second Monday of January, first Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of June, first Monday of November. Trial Terms to be held at County Court House at Richmond. Second Monday of February, second Monday of June, second Monday of November. Special Terms for Trials to be held at Court Room, Borough Hall St. George. C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk. John H. Wilkinson, Special Deputy.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
 Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalsky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin. Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
 No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finefile; John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. LaFatra, Richard H. Smith, Robert L. Luce, Justices. Thomas F. Smith Clerk. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Isaac Franklin Russell, Chief Justice; Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, Joseph F. Moss, Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Robert I. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Morgan M. L. Ryan, James J. McInerney, Arthur C. Salmon, Cornelius P. Collins and Moses Hennan, Justices. Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk. Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Part I., Criminal Court Building, Borough of Manhattan, John P. Hilly, Clerk. Telephone, 2092 Franklin.

Part II., 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III., Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 657 Jamaica.

Part IV., Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond. This part is held on Wednesdays. Robert Brown, Clerk. Telephone, 49 Tompkinsville.

CILDREN'S COURT.

New York County—No. 86 Third avenue, Manhattan. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.

Kings County—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk. Telephone, 827 Main.

Queens County—No. 19 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk. This court is held on Mondays and Thursdays.

Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Bldg. St. George, S. I. William J. Browne, Clerk. This court is held on Tuesdays. Office open every day (except Sundays and holidays) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. On Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

FIRST DIVISION.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate; Robert C. Cornell, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernoach, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Paul Krotel, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton, Daniel F. Murphy, John J. Freschi, Francis X. McQuade, John A. L. Campbell, Samuel D. Levy, City Magistrates.

Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry street. Telephone, 8213 Spring.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—Second avenue and First street.

Fourth District—

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth and Eighth Districts—One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue.

Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.

Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—No. 125 Sixth avenue.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.

Eleventh District—Domestic Relations Court—Southwest corner Prince and Wooster streets.

SECOND DIVISION.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. Otto Kempner, Chief City Magistrate; Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John F. Hyland, Howard P. Nash, Charles J. Dodd, John C. McGuire, Louis H. Reynolds, John J. Walsh, City Magistrates.

Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court street, rooms 209-214. Telephone, 7411 Main.

William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

Archibald J. McKinney, Chief Probation Officer Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Courts.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.

Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.

Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat bush).

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

Domestic Relations Court—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS. City Magistrates—Joseph Fitch, John A. Leach, Harry Miller, James J. Conway.

Courts.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.

Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND. City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

Courts.

First District—Lafayette avenue, New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First District—The First District, embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourth street to Fifth street, Second avenue Chrystie street, Division street and Catherine street. Wauhope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.

Frank Mangin, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-60 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Additional Part is held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street.

Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth street from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue Chrystie street, Division street and Catherine street.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

Telephone, 3373 Plaza.

Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Sutkin, Justices.

James J. Devlin, Clerk.

Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District, embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenues, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.

Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Court opens at 10 a. m.

Part I., Criminal Court Building, Borough of Manhattan, John P. Hilly, Clerk. Telephone, 2092 Franklin.

Part II., 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III., Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 657 Jamaica.

Part IV., Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond. This part is held on Wednesdays. Robert Brown, Clerk. Telephone, 49 Tompkinsville.

Court opens at 10 a. m.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Court opens at 10 a. m.

Telephone, 4355 Madison square.

Fifth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, to Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.

Telephone, 4355 Madison square.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spielberg, Justices.

John H. Servis, Clerk.

Location of Court—Northwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of Lexington avenue and northwest to the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Bushwick avenue between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues.

Court Room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

John R. Farrar, George Freifeld, Justices.

John Henigin, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8:45 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the

avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown Creek. Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nuhn, Clerk. 1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick. Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays or jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, the boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing Creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bay-side avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck Bay boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandevere avenue.

Court House, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.

James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.

Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

BOURGEOIS OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Court opens 9 a. m.

Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 9 a. m. Court continued until close of business.

Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

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 Thursday, 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 FINANCE.

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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.

AN UNNAMED STREET—OPENING, (Fort George terrace) from Fort George ave., in Dyckman st. Confirmed February 19, 1913; entered March 24, 1913. 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 prolongation of a line midway between Audubon ave., and St. Nicholas ave., as these streets are laid out south of W. 192d st. distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of W. 193d st., the said distance being measured at right angles to W. 193d st., and running thence northerly along the prolongation of the said line midway between Audubon ave., and St. Nicholas ave., to the intersection with a line distant 400 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of the unnamed street, as laid out where it adjoins Fort George ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence northeasterly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Dyckman st., the said distance being measured at right angles to Dyckman st.; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with Dyckman st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the Speedway, the said distance being measured at right angles to the Speedway; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with the Speedway, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 400 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of the unnamed street as laid out adjoining Fort George ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fort George ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Fort George ave.; thence southwesterly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Fort George ave. and Amsterdam ave., to the intersection with a line parallel with W. 193d st., and passing

through the point of beginning; thence northwestwardly along the said line parallel with W. 193d st. 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 the 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, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 19, 1913, 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.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—SEWER, between 10th and New Utrecht avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of 58th street, from 10th to New Utrecht avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

SIXTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between 12th and 13th avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of 56th street, from 12th to 13th avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between 13th and 14th avenues. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5768 and 5775, fronting on 68th street.

SIXTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between 1st and 2d avenues, and in SECOND AVENUE, between 67th street and Senator street. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5838, 5839, 5840; 5848 being property adjacent to 67th street; and Lots 3 and 7, in Block 5849.

SIXTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between 5th and 6th avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of 76th street, from 5th to 6th avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Narrows avenue and Colonial road. Area of assessment affects both sides of 81st street, between Narrows avenue and Colonial road.

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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 defect or informality 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 10, 1913," 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 K, No. 280 Broadway, 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 22, 1913. m25,a10.

Sales of Tax Liens.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, 2d Ward, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of October 29, November 19, December 10 and 31, 1912, January 21, February 11, March 4 and March 25, 1913, has been continued to

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1913. at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Arrears Office, third Floor, Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated March 25, 1913. m26,a15

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF RICHMOND TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Richmond, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of November 13, December 4, 1912, January 8, 1913, February 19 and March 12, 1913, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913. at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 129, in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

Dated March 12, 1913.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF BRONX TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of the Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of December 16, 1912, January 6, January 27, February 17 and March 10, 1913, has been continued to

MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1913. at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of the Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated March 10, 1913. m11,31

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1913, 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, at the option of the holders thereof, either at the office of the Guaranty Trust Company, Standard Branch, 25 Broad st., New York City, in United States money, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling, at the rate of \$4.8780 to the pound.

The coupons that are payable in New York or in London for the interest due on May 1, 1913, 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, Standard Branch, 25 Broad st., New York City, in United States money, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling, at the rate of \$4.8780 to the pound.

The coupons that are payable only in New York for interest due on May 1, 1913, 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, 1913, 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, 1913, will be closed from April 10 to May 1, 1913.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 26, 1913. m21,May1

THE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1913, ON Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York, and of former corporations now included therein, 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 April 1, 1913, will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1913.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1913. m1, a1

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

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 September 16, 1907.

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 September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1913.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 150,000 GALLONS OF TAR ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the article will be as directed during the year 1913.

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

NO. 2. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

1,900 square yards of completed sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course and concrete foundation.

200 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete, including concrete foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required will be Fifty-eight Hundred Dollars (\$5,800).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor; the specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Amendment to Classification.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, February 27, 1913.

AT A MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF NEW YORK, held February 26, 1913, it was

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and is hereby amended by striking from the exempt class, under the heading "Coroners," the following:

"CHIEF CLERK IN EACH BOROUGH OFFICE."

FRANK GALLAGHER, President.

Attest: F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

New York, March 4, 1913.

I hereby approve the foregoing amendment.

W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, ALBANY, March 11, 1913.

The foregoing resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York, having been duly examined, is hereby approved by the State Civil Service Commission.

Attest: JOHN C. BIRDSEYE, Secretary.

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BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 107 W. 41ST STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections of The City of New York, at its office, 107 W. 41st street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 2 p. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ASSEMBLY DISTRICT MAPS.

The time for the performance of the contract for the delivery of maps is thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The bids will be compared and the amount awarded "in aggregate for all items."

Delivery will be required to be made at the several Borough Offices in The City of New York at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained and samples may be seen at the office of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, 107 W. 41st street.

J. GABRIEL BRITT, MOSES M. MCKEE, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON, Commissioners of Elections.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Chief Clerk.

Dated New York, March 26, 1913. m27,a8

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, 3D 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 received by the President of the Borough of Queens, at the above office, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1913.

1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN NOTT AVE., FROM VAN DAM STREET TO HULST STREET; IN ANABLE AVENUE, FROM VAN DAM STREET TO HULST STREET, AND IN HULST STREET, FROM NOTT AVENUE TO KIMBALL AVENUE, FOURTH WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

255 linear feet 3-foot 9-inch concrete sewer.

260 linear feet 3-foot 6-inch concrete sewer.

496 linear feet 3-foot 3-inch concrete sewer.

430 linear feet 3-foot 0-inch concrete sewer.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN DECATOR STREET, FROM MYRTLE AVENUE TO FOREST AVENUE, SECOND WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

754 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt glazed pipe sewer.

850 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt glazed pipe sewer.

7 manholes, complete.

2,000 feet, board measure, timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

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 per cent. of the contract.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form

1,670 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt glazed pipe sewer.

260 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt glazed pipe sewer.

260 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt glazed pipe sewer.

625 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt glazed culvert pipe.

100 linear feet 10-inch vitrified salt glazed culvert pipe.

4,950 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

5 double inlet basins, complete.

27 manholes, complete.

20 receiving basins, complete.

1 junction chamber, complete, including manhole at Nott ave. and Honeywell st.

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 dozen, yard or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

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

A bid sheet must accompany the bid enclosed in the envelope marked "Original."

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner, Dated March 14, 1913. m15,27

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

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 3 o'clock p.m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1913.

Various Boroughs.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR THE USE OF MECHANICS (HEATING DIVISION, BUILDING BUREAU), IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

Completion—The time for delivery of the materials and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of December, 1913.

Security—Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of two and one-half (2½) per centum of the amount of the total aggregate cost of all items bid upon.

In case the aggregate cost of all items awarded to any one contractor is less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), no bond or contract will be necessary for such contractor.

Only one bid will be received from a bidder for each item.

Note—The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to pages 1, 2 and 3 of the contract.

Award of contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of bids.

Bidders must be prepared to submit duplicate samples upon demand.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item or classes of items, where indicated, whose sample is equal to the sample of the Board of Education, or referred to by catalog number.

The bidders must state the price of each item contained in the specifications, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms, printed specifications and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated March 26, 1913. m26,a7

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

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 3 o'clock p.m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 1. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 8, 16, 23, 28,

32, 33, 38, 41, 51, 56, 58, 84, 94, 114, DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL OF COMMERCE, 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:

Public School 8, \$300; Public School 16, \$500; Public School 23, \$300; Public School 28, \$300; Public School 32, \$300; Public School 33, \$300; Public School 38, \$500; Public School 41, \$300; Public School 51, \$400; Public School 56, \$300; Public School 58, \$300; Public School 84, \$400; Public School 94, \$300; Public School 114, \$500; DeWitt Clinton High School, \$400; High School of Commerce, \$300.

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

The deposit accompanying bid on each school 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.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated March 26, 1913. m26,a7

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

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 Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a.m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR THE VACATION SCHOOLS, PLAYGROUNDS AND EVENING RECREATION CENTRES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications and schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, dozen, gallon, foot, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose sample is equal to the Board sample.

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 Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated March 26, 1913. m26,a7

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

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 Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 a.m., on

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, SWING FRAMES, AWNING FRAMES, ROCK-A-BYE SWINGS, ETC., FOR VACATION PLAYGROUNDS AND EVENING RECREATION CENTRES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the furnishing of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the contract.

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

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated March 17, 1913. m17,28

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

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 3 o'clock p.m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 6, 18, 27, 53, 59, 73, 74, 76, 77, 82, 96, 116, 117, 135 AND 158, 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 on each school is as follows:

Public School 6, \$400; Public School 18, \$500; Public School 27, \$300; Public School 53, \$300; Public School 59, \$400; Public School 73, \$400; Public School 74, \$500; Public School 76, \$300; Public School 77, \$300; Public School 82, \$300; Public School 96, \$400; Public School 116, \$300; Public School 117, \$200; Public School 135, \$300; Public School 158, \$400.

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

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

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be two hundred and seventy-five (275) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 8, \$300; Public School 16, \$500; Public School 23, \$300; Public School 28, \$300; Public School 32, \$300; Public School 33, \$300; Public School 38, \$500; Public School 41, \$300; Public School 51, \$400; Public School 56, \$300; Public School 58, \$300; Public School 84, \$400; Public School 94, \$300; Public School 114, \$500; DeWitt Clinton High School, \$400; High School of Commerce, \$300.

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

The deposit accompanying bid on each school 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.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated March 19, 1913. m19,31

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE 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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1377.

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 allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract shall be 30 weeks.

The amount of security required is \$2,500.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per week for furnishing all of the labor, sprinklers, horses and drivers necessary to do all of the work described in the specifications. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and if awarded will be awarded to the bidder whose price per week is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated March 20, 1913. m21,a2

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

OFFICE OF THE 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

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1913.

CONTRACT NO. 1323.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING AND DELIVERING ONE STEEL SCREW-PROPELLING FERRYBOAT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 365 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$100,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a total price for furnishing and delivering all of the labor and material and doing all of the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and if awarded will be awarded to the bidder whose price is the lowest for doing all of the work and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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

A deposit of \$25 will be required on each set of plans that may be obtained by prospective bidders. The deposit will be returned upon receipt of the plans in proper condition.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated March 10, 1913. m12,a10

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

OFFICE OF THE 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 11, 1913.

said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.
JOS. P. HENNESSY WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan.
March 27, 1913. m27.47.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Manhattan.

2968. Completing the work on abandoned contract for regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Thayer ave., from Broadway to Nagle ave.

The area of assessment extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

3115. Sewer in 17th st., between Audubon and St. Nicholas aves.

Affecting Block No. 2133.

Borough of Brooklyn.

2873. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Lefferts ave., between Nostrand and New York aves.

2905. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 17th st., from Avenue S to Neck road.

2995. Laying preliminary pavement in St. Johns place, between Plaza st. and Underhill ave.

3008. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 12th st., from Avenue H to Avenue L, excepting the land occupied by the Long Island Railroad.

3013. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Livonia ave., between Powell and Junius sts.

3030. Preliminary pavement on Cornelius st., from Irving ave. to the Queens County line.

3035. Preliminary paving on 85th st., from Colonial road to Ridge boulevard.

3036. Paving 50th st., between New Utrecht and 13th aves.

3038. Paving Gravesend ave., from Foster ave. to 22d ave.

3043. Paving 91st st., between 3d and 5th aves.

The area of assessment in the above mentioned lists extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

3080. Sewer in Avenue K, from Coney Island ave. to E. 18th st., and both sides of Coney Island ave., from about the southerly property line of the Long Island Railroad, between Avenues H and I to Avenue K.

Affecting Block Nos. 6509 to 6513, 6519 to 6523, 6528 to 6531, 6534 to 6536, 6695, 6704, 6713 to 6719 and 6722 to 6728.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 22, 1913, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan.
March 20, 1913. m20.31

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1808, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1913.

1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SPECIAL GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 55TH STREET, FROM WEST SIDE 9TH AVENUE TO EAST SIDE 10TH AVENUE, AND FROM WEST SIDE 11TH AVENUE TO EAST SIDE 12TH AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

5,560 square yards special granite block pavement, with paving cement joints.

1,090 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete, 2,640 linear feet of new 5-inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

660 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

10 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10 cubic yards of filling, to furnish.

4 standard heads and covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

5,450 square yards of old stone block, to be purchased and removed by contractor.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty-five (35) working days.

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

2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SPECIAL GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 56TH STREET, FROM WEST SIDE 10TH AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE OF 11TH AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

2,810 square yards of special granite block pavement, with paving cement joints, except the railroad area.

550 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete, 1,490 linear feet of new 5-inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

170 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

10 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10 cubic yards of filling, to furnish.

2 standard heads and covers, complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

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

The amount of security required will be \$3,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT—HEAVY TRAFFIC MIXTURE WITH PORTLAND CEMENT FILLER—with CLOSE BINDER ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 57TH STREET, FROM WEST SIDE 1ST AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE 3D AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

5,860 square yards of asphalt pavement—heavy traffic mixture with Portland cement filler—including binder course.

1,100 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete,

160 linear feet of new granite headerstone, furnished and set.

2,020 linear feet of new 5-inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

510 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

8 standard heads and covers complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

10 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10 cubic yards of filling, to furnish.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty-five (35) working days.

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

4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT—HEAVY TRAFFIC MIXTURE WITH PORTLAND CEMENT FILLER—with CLOSE BINDER ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 176TH STREET, FROM WEST SIDE ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE OF WADSWORTH AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

1,120 square yards of asphalt pavement—heavy traffic mixture with Portland cement filler—including binder course.

220 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete,

60 linear feet of new granite headerstone, furnished and set.

130 linear feet of new 5-inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

530 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, re-dressed, rejoined and reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY, EAST SIDE, FROM THE SOUTH SIDE OF 92D STREET TO THE NORTH SIDE OF 119TH STREET, WITH SHEET ASPHALT—HEAVY TRAFFIC MIXTURE WITH PORTLAND CEMENT FILLER—with CLOSE BINDER ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION BETWEEN CURB AND RAIL; AND WITH SPECIAL GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, BETWEEN THE EASTERN RAIL OF EASTERN TRACK AND THE WESTERLY RAIL OF WESTERLY TRACK, INCLUDING INTERSECTIONS AT PARKWAYS.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

25,460 square yards of asphalt pavement—heavy traffic mixture with Portland cement filler—including binder course, except the railroad area.

1,640 square yards of asphalt pavement—heavy traffic mixture with Portland cement filler—including binder course in the railroad area (no guarantee).

40 square yards of asphalt pavement—heavy traffic mixture with Portland cement filler—including binder course on intersecting streets (no guarantee).

20 square yards of asphalt block pavement on intersecting streets (no guarantee).

4,900 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete,

7,030 linear feet of new 7-inch granite curbstone, furnished and set.

7,030 linear feet of old curbstones, to be purchased and removed by contractor.

260 linear feet of new granite headerstone, furnished and set.

8 standard heads and covers complete, for sewer manholes, furnished and set.

40 cubic yards of earth excavation.

3,400 square yards of special granite block pavement, with paving cement joints, except the railroad area.

9,120 square yards of special granite block pavement, with paving cement joints, in the railroad area (no guarantee).

470 square yards of old stone blocks, to be purchased and removed by the contractor.

1,800 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete,

1,000 linear feet of new 5-inch bluestone curbstone, to be furnished and set around parkways.

100 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, to be redressed, rejoined and reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be \$25,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or 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, 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Room 1611, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

March 27, 1913. m27.48

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1808, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913.

1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF FLATBUSH AVE., FROM A POINT ABOUT 277 FEET SOUTH OF FOSTER AVE. TO NOSTRAND AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

11,870 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area (5 years maintenance).

1,070 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area (no maintenance).

20 square yards old stone pavement (to be replaced).

840 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area.

75 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.

240 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

12 noiseless covers and heads for sewer manholes.

11,630 square yards present asphalt pavement outside railroad area to be removed.

1,050 square yards present asphalt pavement within railroad area to be removed.

20 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

5,815 square yards present concrete foundation outside railroad area to be removed.

1,050 square yards present concrete foundation within railroad area to be removed.

Time allowed, 50 working days. Security required, \$9,000.

2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 400 TONS OF PAVING PITCH, AS FOLLOWS:

200 tons at Corporation Yard, Wallabout Basin, foot Hewes st.

50 tons at Corporation Yard, N. 8th st., near Union ave.

50 tons at Corporation Yard, DeKalb ave., near Irving ave.

50 tons at Corporation Yard, Hopkinson ave., near Marion st.

50 tons at yard adjoining Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th Street Basin, Gowanus Canal.

Entire delivery to be completed on or before December 31, 1913. 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, ton 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.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated March 18, 1913. m21.42

See General Instructions to Bidders on the 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 the Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 36TH ST., FROM 14TH AVE. TO WEST ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

822 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidents and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$1.60 \$1,315 20

1,000 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidents and appurtenances, per linear foot, 80 cents 800 00

7 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidents and appurtenances, per manhole, \$50 350 00

2 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidents and appurtenances, per basin, \$115 230 00

Total \$2,695 20

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 Three Hundred Dollars (\$1,300).

5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN AVENUE D, BETWEEN E. 34TH ST. AND BROOKLYN AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

430 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidents and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$1.65 709 50

500 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidents and appurtenances, per linear foot, 80 cents 400 00

4 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidents and appurtenances, per manhole, \$50 200 00

Total \$1,309 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).

6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON 71ST ST., AT THE NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF NARROWS AVE., AND AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SHORE ROAD.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Three (3) sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidents and appurtenances, per basin, \$120 \$360 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Seventy-Five Dollars (\$175).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is 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 contracts and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for this contract shall apply to all units 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, the Brooklyn, No. 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated February 3, 1913. m21,a2

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE

received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913.

Borough of Brooklyn.

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN HEWES ST., FROM WALLABOUT CANAL TO CLASSON AVE.; IN CLASSON AVE., FROM HEWES ST. TO PARK AVE., AND IN PARK AVE., FROM CLASSON AVE. TO SKILLMAN ST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1 outlet section of 186-inch sewer.

794 linear feet 186-inch twin sewer.

1 186-inch sewer connecting section.

280 linear feet 186-inch concrete sewer, conduit section.

1,609 linear feet 186-inch brick sewer, conduit section.

1 inverted siphon.

1 drop manhole and connection.

25 linear feet 54-inch brick sewer.

12 linear feet 36-inch vitrified pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

782 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

45 linear feet 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

734 linear feet 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

737 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.

2,637 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

4 manholes, class "A."

6 manholes, class "B."

2 manholes, class "C."

40 manholes, class "D."

13 sewer basins reconnected.

115 house connection drains reconnected.

1,000,000 feet (board measure) sheeting and bracing.

215,000 feet (board measure) foundation planking, pile capping and stringers.

55,000 linear feet bearing piles.

200 cubic yards class "B" concrete.

10 cubic yards brick masonry.

100 barrels Portland cement.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Ten Thousand Dollars (\$110,000).

2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN SKILLMAN ST., FROM PARK AVE. TO MYRTLE AVE.; IN MYRTLE AVE., FROM SKILLMAN ST. TO NOSTRAND AVE.; IN NOSTRAND AVE., FROM MYRTLE AVE. TO VERNON AVE.; IN VERNON AVE., FROM NOSTRAND AVE. TO MARCY AVE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,141 linear feet 186-inch sewer, conduit section.

2,157 linear feet 180-inch sewer, conduit section.

1 storm water separator "A" complete.

1 storm water separator "B" complete.

1 storm water separator "C" complete.

1 inverted siphon.

346 linear feet 24-inch pipe sewer.

45 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.

1,090 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

2,675 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

100 barrels Portland cement.

5 manholes, class "A."

46 manholes, class "D."

5 manholes, class "F."

235 house connection drains reconnected.

3 sewer basins rebuilt.

14 sewer basins reconnected.

1,700,000 feet (board measure) sheeting and bracing.

400,000 feet (board measure) foundation planking.

200 cubic yards class "B" concrete.

10 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000).

3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN VERNON AVE., FROM MARCY AVE. TO TOMPKINS AVE., AND IN TOMPKINS AVE., FROM VERNON AVE. TO GREENE AVE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

805 linear feet 180-inch sewer, section "A."

2,085 linear feet 180-inch sewer, section "B."

1 connecting drop, section "A"

1 connecting drop, section "B"

52 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

540 linear feet 24-inch pipe sewer.

500 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.

1,368 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

2,760 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

160 house connection drains reconnected.

25 sewer basins rebuilt.

1 manhole, class "A."

2 manholes, class "C."

59 manholes, class "D."

8 manholes, class "F."

1 manhole, class "G."

1 overflow manhole, "H."

2 overflow manholes, "J."

1,600,000 feet (board measure) sheeting and bracing.

350,000 feet (board measure) foundation planking.

200 cubic yards class "B" concrete.

10 cubic yards brick masonry.

100 barrels Portland cement.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$115,000).

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, foot board measure, 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 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, the Brooklyn, No. 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated February 3, 1913. m14,a2

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 E. 20TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE

received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO BUILD AND DELIVER ONE (1) MOTOR-DRIVEN PRISON VAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 60 working days.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of amount of bid or estimate.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 E. 20th st.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

Dated March 19, 1913. m22,a3

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 E. 20TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE

received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAMFITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

The bids on lumber 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.

portionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Pierce avenue and Van Nest avenue as these streets are laid out east of Bokart avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Bear Swamp road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bear Swamp road, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pierce avenue and Van Nest avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Paulding avenue and Hone avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Paulding avenue and Hone avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Sacket avenue and Pierce avenue as these streets are laid out between Paulding avenue and Hone avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Sacket avenue and Pierce avenue as these streets are laid out between Munro avenue and Williamsbridge road; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the north-easterly line of Williamsbridge road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Williamsbridge road; thence southeastwardly and a ways distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Williamsbridge road to the intersection with the southeast-easterly right of way line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence southwardly along the said right of way line to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the south-westerly line of Bear Swamp road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bear Swamp road; thence generally northwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Bear Swamp road to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of April, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 3d day of April, 1913.

Dated March 21, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway.
Telephone 2280 Worth. m21,a1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 20, 1913, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of St. Felix avenue, from Alden avenue to Old Bergen avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of St. Felix avenue, as this street adjoins Seneca avenue where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with a tangent to the southeasterly line of St. Felix avenue at the angle point between Seneca avenue and Cypress avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to St. Felix avenue, and running thence southwardly along a line always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of St. Felix avenue and its prolongation in the tangent hereinbefore described to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of St. Felix avenue and the southwesterly line of Cypress avenue as these streets are laid out between Alden avenue and Marshall place; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Alden avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Alden avenue; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Alden avenue and its prolongation to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northwestwardly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of St. Felix avenue as this street adjoins Alden avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to St. Felix avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with St. Felix avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line parallel with Seneca avenue as this street adjoins St. Felix avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Seneca avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of April, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 3d day of April, 1913.

Dated March 21, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway.
Telephone 2280 Worth. m21,a1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 20, 1913, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Towns place, from Parkard street to Laurel Hill avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the north-easterly line of Towns place and by the prolongations

of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place; on the east by a line midway between Packard street and Bliss street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Towns place and by the prolongations of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place, and on the west by a line midway between Madden street and Laurel Hill avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of April, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 3d day of April, 1913.

Dated March 21, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway.
Telephone 2280 Worth. m21,a1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 20, 1913, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Second street from Howell avenue to Jackson avenue; and Third street from Queens Boulevard to Woodside avenue, and from Stryker avenue to Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following are proposed areas of assessment for benefit in these proceedings:

I. Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Jackson avenue, midway between 3d street and 4th street, and running thence southwardly along a line always midway between 3d street and 4th street, and the prolongation thereof, to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Stryker avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Stryker avenue, to the intersection with a line midway between 2d street and 3d street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 2d street and 3d street; thence westwardly and parallel with 3d street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 2d street and 3d street; thence westwardly and parallel with Howell avenue; thence westwardly along the southerly line of Howell avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between 1st street and 2d street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 1st street and 2d street; thence westwardly and parallel with 2d street; thence northwardly along the southerly line of Jackson avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 1st street and 2d street, and the prolongation thereof, to a point distant 200 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Jackson avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Jackson avenue; and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Jackson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

II. Beginning at a point on a line midway between 3d street and 4th street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Woodside avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Woodside avenue, and running thence southwardly along a line always midway between 3d street and 4th street, and the prolongations thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Queens boulevard; thence westwardly and parallel with Queens boulevard to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Cleveland avenue and 3d street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Cleveland avenue and 3d street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Greenpoint avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Greenpoint avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Greenpoint avenue to the intersection with the centre line of Cleveland avenue, thence northwardly along the centre line of Cleveland avenue and its prolongation to the intersection with the prolongation of the centre line of 2d street; thence northwardly along the centre line of 2d street, and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Woodsdale avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Woodsdale avenue; thence southeasterly and always distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Woodsdale avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed areas of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of April, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 3d day of April, 1913.

Dated March 21, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway.
Telephone 2280 Worth. m21,a1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 20, 1913, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Towns place, from Parkard street to Laurel Hill avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the north-easterly line of Towns place and by the prolongations

of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place; on the east by a line midway between Packard street and Bliss street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Towns place and by the prolongations of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place, and on the west by a line midway between Madden street and Laurel Hill avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of April, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 3d day of April, 1913.

Dated March 21, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway.
Telephone 2280 Worth. m21,a1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 20, 1913, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Stock Quotation Telegraph Company has by a petition verified February 6, 1912, applied to this Board for its consent and approval to the continuance of its business, and the continued use and occupation of the streets of The City of New York, for the maintenance and operation of its system of wires and cables connecting its offices with each other, and with other offices and subscribers in the said City so as to allow of the collection and exchange by means of telegraph instruments, commonly known as "Morse instruments," of general news, financial news and other matters of general interest, and the distribution of the same over the said wires and cables to printing telegraph instruments, commonly known as "stock tickers," 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 March 28, 1912, fixing the date for the public hearing thereon as April 25, 1912, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Herald" and the "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 had on such date; 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 Stock Quotation Telegraph Company, 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 Stock Quotation Telegraph Company 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:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to The Stock Quotation Telegraph Company 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 and charges upon 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 this day of

1913, 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 pur-

suance of the authority of the Board of Esti-

mate and Apportionment of said City (here-

inafter called the Board), and The Stock Quo-

tation Telegraph Company (hereinafter called

the Company), party of the second part, wit-

nesseth:

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 provi-

sions hereinafter set forth, the right and pri-

ilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate su-

itable wires or other electrical conductors under

the streets and avenues within the Borough of

Manhattan and the portion of the Borough of

The Bronx lying west of the Bronx River, and

to lay, construct, maintain and operate suita-

ble wires or other electrical conductors, and the

necessary conduits for the same, under the

streets and avenues within the Borough of Brook-

lyn, and the Borough of Queens, for the pur-

pose of electrically connecting its offices with

each other and with other offices and with sub-

scribers, so as to allow of the collection at

exchange by means of telegraph instruments,

commonly known as "Morse instruments," of

general news, financial news and other matters

of general interest, and the distribution of the

same over the said wires and cables to printing

telegraph instruments, commonly known as "stock tickers," and for no other purpose what-

soever.

Sec. 2. The grant of this privilege is sub-

ject to the following conditions, which shall be

complied with by the Company:

First—The said right and privilege to lay,

construct, maintain and operate wires or other

electrical conductors in conduits, and on bridges,

for the purposes aforesaid, shall be held and en-

or which may be adopted, affecting companies operating electrical conductors in the City.

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

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

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

Seventh—The plant, conduits, wires, conductors, connections, instruments and all appurtenances thereto, shall be constructed, maintained and operated in the latest approved manner and with the most modern and improved appliances, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to its plant, conduits, wires, conductors, connections, instruments and appurtenances, from time to time, as such additions or improvements are 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.

Eighth—All cables and wires of the Company laid pursuant to this contract shall be placed in ducts, conduits or subways (referred to in this paragraph as subways). In the Borough of Manhattan and that portion of the Borough of The Bronx west of the Bronx River, such subways shall be leased from the company or companies having control thereof under the provisions of law, or from the City, should it succeed to the rights of such company or companies. In the other territory in which the Company is authorized to operate by virtue of this contract, it may construct such subways as are necessary for the accommodation of its cables and wires and no more. If the City shall construct or acquire subways for electrical conductors of the character or tension of those used by the Company or similar companies, in any or all of the Boroughs, the Company hereby agrees to lay its wires and conductors in such subways and the City agrees to lease to the Company such space as may be necessary and available for the operation of the system hereby authorized. No cables or wires shall, in the future, be strung above the surface of the streets and avenues by the Company, and those at present in existence shall be removed and placed underground when and where required by the Board or the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Ninth—The use of any bridge under the jurisdiction of the Department of Bridges shall be at the discretion of the Bridge Commissioner and in accordance with such terms and conditions and upon such reasonable charges as he may prescribe.

Tenth—It is a condition of this contract that the Company shall bear the entire expense of all work undertaken by reason of this grant. Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage system, or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets required on account of the construction or operation of the underground conduits herein authorized to be placed in the streets, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Eleventh—It is agreed that the right hereby granted to lay and maintain conduits shall not be in preference or in hindrance to public work of the City, and should the said conduits 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 its conduits and their appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public work.

Twelfth—Should the grades or lines of the streets and avenues in which the Company is hereby authorized to operate be changed at any time during the term of this contract, or any renewal thereof, the Company shall, at its own expense, change its conduits 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 its conduits 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.

Thirteenth—The Company shall, upon request from any individual or corporation occupying or owning premises in the territory in which the Company is authorized to operate, by this contract, not in arrears to it for service already rendered, extend its wires to such premises and furnish news or other service to such individual or corporation, provided that such premises are not more than one-half mile from any other premises in which the Company has its apparatus installed at the time such request is made.

Fourteenth—The Company shall file with the Board on the first day of November in each year a map or plan upon which shall be plainly and separately indicated the number of wires which were in use by the Company on September 30 preceding, and the streets in which the same are located, and also those which were put in use during the year preceding that date. It shall also file with the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, on or before the tenth day of each month, a map or plan of the locations in which wires have been placed by it during the preceding month.

Fifteenth—The rates to be charged by the Company shall not be in excess of the following, and it is agreed that the same may be altered or changed by the Board as hereinbefore provided.

(a) For ordinary news service, including the rental of the printing telegraph or ticker, the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15) a month or one hundred and eighty dollars (\$180) a year.

(b) For general news service, including the rental of the printing telegraph or ticker, the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) a month, or two hundred and forty dollars (\$240) a year.

(c) For financial news service, including the rental of the printing telegraph or ticker, the sum of forty dollars (\$40) a month or four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480) a year.

(d) For any other service furnished or to be furnished by the Company the rates charged shall be reasonable and fair and subject to the approval of the Board.

The Company agrees upon request of any Board, Department or Bureau of the City government, to furnish service to any and all buildings under the control of such Board, Department or Bureau, at one-half the rates above authorized to be charged by it for whatever class or classes of service may be required.

Sixteenth—During the term of this contract, or any renewal thereof, the Board shall have the power, by resolution, to regulate and fix the maximum and minimum rates to be charged by the Company in the City, provided such rates shall be reasonable and fair.

Seventeenth—The Company shall not require nor receive from its subscribers any deposit or advance payment in excess of what is reasonably necessary to insure payment of current bills, and on such amounts so paid the Company shall pay interest at the statutory rate whenever such money is held for more than one month. Unpaid bills, unless due from its owner, shall never be charged against property, and no person himself in arrears shall be denied service because any previous occupant of the same premises is in arrears to the Company for service.

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

Nineteenth—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the system 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 defaults of the Company.

Twenty—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual or other corporation a similar right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions in the territory covered by this contract, or any part thereof.

Twenty—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 one hundred dollars (\$100) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund herein-after provided for.

Twenty—second—If for a period of twelve consecutive months, the system of the Company shall not be operated, or if the same shall not be operated for a period of eighteen months out of any consecutive twenty-four months, the Board may declare the right and franchise and this contract terminated without further proceedings at law or in equity.

Twenty—third—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account and shall, on or before November 1 in each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City for the year ending September 30 next preceding. Such report shall contain a statement of the gross receipts received from the operation of the system hereby authorized from all subscribers served by the Company in the City, together with such other information and in such form and detail 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—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 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 and officers 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 and location of premises served by the Company in the City.

16. Total receipts of the Company for each class of business in the City.

17. Amounts paid by the Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation in the City.

18. Total expenses for operation, including salaries, in the City.

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

Twenty—fifth—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 twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, in default of which payment of the annual charges, the City shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company.

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

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

The Board, on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President, or other officer, to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the 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 pen-

alty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to the Board to be just, and without legal procedure direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund, the Company shall, upon ten (10) days notice in writing, pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), 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.

Twenty—sixth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board, by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the portion of this contract and located in the public streets and avenues 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 at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned, or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Twenty—eighth—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.

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

Thirtieth—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest may have in and to the streets and avenues of the territory in which the Company is authorized to operate by this contract.

Sec. 3. It is understood that this contract is made without prejudice to any rights which the Company may have heretofore acquired, if any, to operate a telephone, telegraph or ticker business. However, the Company shall not exercise any right or privilege other than that herein authorized and recognized, and in accordance with the terms of this contract, except after final judicial determination in an action to which the City is made a party.

Sec. 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.

Sec. 5. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained, unless and until, in an action brought or conducted as hereinbefore provided, the courts shall finally determine that the Company had heretofore acquired the right to carry on its business as now conducted without the necessity of obtaining this franchise or consent from the City. The Company further promises, covenants and agrees that in the event of a decision in its favor in any action brought, as provided in section 3, it will not claim or attempt to claim or demand any damage, penalty or recompense from The City of New York for any expense, expenditures, suits or other disadvantage incurred by it because of the entering into this contract with The City of New York, and hereby expressly waives and surrenders to the City any such claim or demand.

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)

Attest:

City Clerk.
THE STOCK QUOTATION TELEGRAPH
COMPANY,

By
(SEAL)

President.
(SEAL)

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 of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates 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 for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Stock Quotation Telegraph Company and the said form of 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 Thursday, March 27, 1913, in the City Recorder, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, March 27, 1913, in two (2) daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor thereof, and published in the City of New York at the expense of The Stock Quotation Telegraph Company, together with the following notice to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Stock Quotation Telegraph Company, 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 the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, March 27, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

(The "Times" and "Evening Mail" designated.)
Dated New York, February 13, 1913.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, 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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9, 1913.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

I. FOR FURNISHING AND CONSTRUCTING PIPELINES AT EAST NEW YORK PIPE YARD, NO. 137 JAMAICA AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Section I. For all mason work, steel and iron work, sheet metal work, carpenter work, roofing, painting and electrical work.

Section II. For all plumbing and gasfitting.

Section III. For all steam heating work.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be:

One hundred and eighty (180) working days for Section I, fifty (50) working days for Section II and fifty (50) working days for Section III.

The security required will be:

Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,

(5) days after the opening of the bids, provided they are in good condition.

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 1904, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan. HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

m22,a9
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1913.

FOR CONTRACT 105.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING BRONZE RISER VALVES AND APPURTENANCES FOR THE CITY TUNNEL OF CATSKILL AQUEDUCT IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A statement of the quantities of the materials 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 Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$80,000), 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 Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 52 weeks from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply, 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.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

JOSEPH P. MORRISSEY, Secretary. *m21,a8*
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.

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 meetings 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.

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 8, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE COAL AS FOLLOWS:

1. 3,600 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS SOUTH OF 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

2. 2,000 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS NORTH OF 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

3. 1,800 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

4. 300 GROSS TONS TO HEADQUARTERS BUILDING, NO. 157 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

5. 500 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

6. 3,910 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

7. 160 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN FAR ROCKAWAY, AVERNE, ROCKAWAY BEACH AND ROCKAWAY PARK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

8. 150 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN RICHMOND HILL AND JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

9. 90 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN COLLEGE POINT AND FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

10. 350 GROSS TONS TO DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

11. 3,300 GROSS TONS TO FIREBOATS BERTHED ON THE NORTH RIVER AND NEW YORK HARBOR.

12. 1,700 GROSS TONS TO FIREBOATS BERTHED ON THE EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

13. 1,400 GROSS TONS TO FIREBOATS BERTHED ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before April 1, 1914.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed per ton 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 for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item; or 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 at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m20,a1*

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

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ESTABLISHING AND EQUIPPING AN EXTENSION TO THE FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$27,000). Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY 127, NO. 17 UNION AVE., JAMAICA.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200). Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AND NEW ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM AT QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 68, NO. 1080 OGDEN AVE.

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

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900). Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AND NEW ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM AT QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 68, NO. 1080 OGDEN AVE.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200). Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AND NEW ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM AT QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 68, NO. 1080 OGDEN AVE.

The time for the completion of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

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.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, MARCH 31, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,096 CUBIC YARDS OF GARDEN MOULD ON BROADWAY PLOTS, FROM 135TH TO 167TH STS.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be thirty (30) days.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required on awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

A certified check or cash in the sum of fifty dollars must accompany bid.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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 Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. *m19,31*

m22,a3
See General Instructions to Bidders on the 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 Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

temporary address, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE, COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, ROSEDALE AVENUE, NOBLE AVENUE, CROES AVENUE and PTELEY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to Clason's Point road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

In re application for damages to Lots Nos. 11 and 12 on map of "Lots belonging to Hudson P. Rose Co., being subdivision of Plot I, Map of Clason Point, Borough of Bronx, City of New York." By reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment in front thereof of Old Clason's Point road, from Westchester avenue to Gleason avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

WE, THE COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, having been directed by order bearing date the 27th day of November, 1911, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 27th day of November, 1911, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which, upon proof of all the facts, should be made and awarded to the petitioner "or the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises described in said petition, which are known as Lots 11 and 12, on map of "Lots belonging to Hudson P. Rose Co., being subdivision of Plot I, Map of Clason Point, Borough of Bronx, City of New York," by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of the portion of said road in front of and adjoining said premises.

The foregoing premises are more particularly described in the petition on which the said order was based and filed therewith in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, and are shown as Damage No. 1, on the Damage Map attached to our abstract of Estimate and Assessment.

And we, the said Commissioners, having been directed also by the aforesaid order and by the provisions of chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, to ascertain and determine the benefit and advantage to the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises which shall be benefited by the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of the aforesaid Old Clason's Point road, from Westchester avenue to Gleason avenue.

We, therefore, the undersigned, 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 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of April, 1913, 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 4th day of April, 1913, at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

Second. That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1913.

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 The Bronx, in the City of New York, and being all that part of Old Clason's Point road within the block bounded by Westchester avenue, Commonwealth avenue, Gleason avenue and Rosedale avenue.

Fourth. That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report 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 16th day of May, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth. In case, however, objections are filed to any of said 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 3, 1913.

JOHN J. MACKIN, JOSEPH C. LUKE, Commissioners.

JOEL J. SOUTIER, Clerk. m14,31

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Reports.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of William R. Wilcox, William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie and John E. Eustis, constituting the Public Service Commission, in and for the First District of the State of New York, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring a permanent and perpetual underground right, easement and right of way in certain premises, and also a temporary right or easement in the same premises and certain other premises for the construction, maintenance and operation of a rapid transit railroad in, under or appurtenant to the said premises, situated on Flatbush avenue extension, Fulton street, Hudson avenue and Rockwell place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

FLATBUSH AVENUE EXTENSION, FOURTH AVENUE SUBWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Third Separate Report of William B. Hurd, Jr., Arthur S. Somers and Eustace Conway, the Commissioners of Appraisal, duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 7th day of February, 1913, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on February 7, 1913.

Notice is further given that said Third Separate Report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of

contested motions, to be held in the Second Judicial District at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 7th day of April, 1913, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said Third Separate Report be confirmed in all respects, except as to Parcel No. 22, concerning which parcel no motion will be made.

Dated New York, March 22, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m24,a7

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, acting on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring an estate in fee simple absolute, in and to certain premises situate on the easterly side of FLATBUSH AVENUE EXTENSION, on the easterly and westerly sides of HUDSON AVENUE, on the northerly side of FULTON STREET, between Flatbush avenue extension and Ashland place, and on the southerly side of FULTON STREET, from Rockwell place to Ashland place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, required for the purpose of maintaining and operating, free of interference and right of interference, whether by abutting owners or otherwise, the rapid transit railroad commonly spoken of as the Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Third Separate Report of William B. Hurd, Jr., Arthur S. Somers and Eustace Conway, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 7th day of February, 1913, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on February 7, 1913.

Notice is further given that said Third Separate Report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of contested motions, to be held in the Second Judicial District at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 7th day of April, 1913, at the opening of Court on that day, and that then and there, or soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said Third Separate Report be confirmed in all respects, except as to Parcel No. 22, concerning which parcel no motion will be made.

Dated New York, March 22, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m24,a7

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to Herman Hueg as owner of premises abutting on THOMSON AVENUE, PURVES STREET, DUTCHKILLS STREET and the RIGHT OF WAY OF THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY, in The City of New York, for the alleged discontinuance and alleged closing of Thomson avenue, between the northerly line of the right of way of the Long Island Railroad Company and Meadow street, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens of said City.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in behalf of The City of New York, to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 2d day of April, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three discreet and disinterested persons as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, who are to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to Herman Hueg, as owner of the rights, easements or interests in or appertaining to the premises abutting on Thomson avenue, Purves street, Dutchkills street and the right of way of the Long Island Railroad Company, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, taken, affected, damaged or destroyed by the alleged discontinuance and alleged closing of the portions of Thomson avenue, from the northerly line of the Long Island Railroad Company to Meadow street, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, and to perform in relation thereto the duties required of them by law.

The resolution favoring the changing of the map of The City of New York was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 19, 1907, approved by the Mayor on June 27, 1907, and a certain map approved by said resolution and endorsed as follows: "Map or plan showing a change in the map of The City of New York, First Ward, Borough of Queens, by establishing the lines and grades of a number of streets and avenues with the following boundary: Jackson avenue, Woodside avenue, Middleberg avenue, Bliss street, Thomson avenue, Manly street and Borden avenue, as laid down on the Commissioners Map of Long Island City, pursuant to chapter 783, Laws of 1871, and approved April 24, 1873, changes made pursuant to section 442 of the New York Charter of 1901, as amended. Dated New York, January 28, 1907, Robert R. Crowell, Assistant Engineer in charge. Approved, Joseph Bernal, President of the Borough of Queens," were filed in the following offices: One copy in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of August, 1907; one copy thereof in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens on the 14th day of August, 1907, and one copy thereof in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 6th day of August, 1907.

Dated New York, March 19, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m19,29

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee simple to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HAMILTON PLACE, between Grand street and Borden avenue, and the PUBLIC PLACE at the intersection of Borden avenue, Hamilton place and Hyatt avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court, dated the 20th day of June, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 25th day of June, 1910, so as

to relate to Hamilton place, between Grand street and Borden avenue, and to the Public Place at the intersection of Borden avenue, Hamilton place and Hyatt avenue, as laid out on 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.

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, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 10th day of April, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 15th day of April, 1913, at 1 o'clock p.m.

Third. That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of January, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Borden avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between Madden street and Van Buren street, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Madden street and Van Buren street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Skillman avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Skillman avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Madden street and Laurel Hill avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Madden street and Laurel Hill avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the northerly line of Borden avenue; thence southwardly at right angles to Borden avenue a distance of 180 feet; thence westwardly parallel with and always distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Borden avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Borden avenue, and pass through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Borden avenue 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, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 14th day of April, 1913.

Fifth. That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of May, 1913, 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 15, 1913.

MORRIS L. STRAUSS, Chairman; J. H. QUINLAN, HARRY R. GELWICKS, Commissioners of Estimate; MORRIS L. STRAUSS, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m21,a7

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, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for an easement for sewer purposes in CROCHERON STREET and along NORTHFIELD DITCH, from Richmond avenue to Blackford avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 9th day of April, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 11th day of April, 1913, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Second. That the abstract of said estimate of damage, together with the damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 11th day of April, 1913.

Third. That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, the 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 28th day of May, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fourth. In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstract of estimate, the motion to confirm the report 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 17, 1913.

WM. ALLAIRE SHORTT, Chairman; STU. ART H. WALKER, ROBT. G. TOMPKINS, Commissioners of Estimate.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. m20,a5

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighteenth avenue to Twenty-first avenue, from Twenty-first avenue to Twenty-third avenue, in the 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,

