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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Hearing by the Committee on General Welfare.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Committee on General Welfare of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1917, at 1.30 p. m., on the following matters:

No. 1168, Ord. No. 212. "An Ordinance to amend section 12, chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to horse drawn vehicles." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Jan. 11, 1917.

No. 1233, Ord. No. 220. "An Ordinance to amend section 21 of article 3 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to snow and ice." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Feb. 1, 1917.

No. 1242. "Request of the Conference of Organized Labor to the Board to hold hearings and to invite the Board of Education and City officials to answer why the demands for better educational facilities have not been respected." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Feb. 8, 1917.

No. 1255, Ord. No. 224. "An Ordinance to amend section 44, article 4, chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to dealers in second hand articles." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Feb. 8, 1917.

No. 1263, Ord. No. 226. "An Ordinance to amend article 3 of chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to weights and measures." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the City Record of Feb. 8, 1917.

No. 1281, Ord. No. 227. "An Ordinance to amend article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to rules of the road." This ordinance may be found in the Minutes of the Board of Aldermen, published in the City Record of Feb. 15, 1917.

All persons interested are invited to attend.

f23.m2 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Public Notice.

New York Central Railroad Company—Proposed Improvement on West Side of City.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said Board on January 19, 1917, will hold a public hearing on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1917, AT 10:30 O'CLOCK in the forenoon, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on the form of agreement and form of deed accompanying same, between the City of New York and the New York Central Railroad Company, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 777, Laws of 1911, relative to the PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT OF THE RAILROAD, TERMINALS AND APPROACHES THERETO, OF THE NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE CITY; which

form of agreement and form of deed were submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the Corporation Counsel in accordance with a resolution adopted by the said Board on April 7, 1916.

Copies of said form of agreement and said form of deed may be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 1356, and at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, Room 530, Municipal Building, New York City.

Dated New York, January 22, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. Telephone, 4560 Worth. The foregoing hearing was on February 14, 1917, continued to Thursday, February 15, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated New York, February 14, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. The foregoing hearing was on February 15, 1917, continued to Monday, February 19, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated New York, February 15, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. The foregoing hearing was on February 19, 1917, continued to Tuesday, February 20, 1917, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated New York, February 19, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. The foregoing hearing was on February 20, 1917, continued to Monday, February 26, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated New York, February 20, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. The foregoing hearing was on February 26, 1917, continued to Wednesday, February 28, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated New York, February 26, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. The foregoing hearing was on February 28, 1917, continued to Tuesday, March 1, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan. Dated, New York, February 28, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing Feb. 26, 1917.

Thursday, Feb. 29, 1917.—10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2165—New York and Queens County Railway Company et al.—"Service, track equipment and terminal facilities on the Queensboro Bridge and Queensboro Plaza"—Whole Commission. Regular Meeting of the Commission will be held on Wednesday at 11 a. m. Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Tuesday at 10.30 a. m.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

OFFICE OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.

Statement of Receipts and Payments of the City of New York for the Period Ended Feb. 10, 1917.

	City Treasury.	Sinking Funds.	Special Funds.	Total.
Balances, Jan. 31, 1917	\$23,862,580 75	\$3,607,966 31	\$501,022 63	\$27,971,569 69
Receipts	13,108,589 73	1,371,212 71	2,542,260 90	17,022,063 34
Total	\$36,971,170 48	\$4,979,179 02	\$3,043,283 53	\$44,993,633 03
Payments	8,683,906 39	3,001,804 00	2,599,160 62	14,284,871 01
Balances, Feb. 10, 1917.	\$28,287,264 09	\$1,977,375 02	\$444,122 91	\$30,708,762 02

E. F. BARRETT, Deputy Chamberlain.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, February 27, 1917, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

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

Aldermen		
Robert L. Moran	John T. Eagan.	James J. Molen.
Alexander Bassett.	Thomas M. Farley.	Charles J. Moore.
Francis P. Bent.	James R. Ferguson.	Frank Mullen.
William H. Burns.	August Ferrand.	John J. O'Rourke.
James J. Browne.	Samson Friedlander.	Charles A. Post.
Louis F. Cardani.	John S. Gaynor.	Stephen F. Roberts.
Edward Cassidy.	Edward V. Gilmore.	Harry Robitzek.
Charles P. Cole.	William A. Glennon.	John J. Ryan.
William T. Collins.	George G. Goetz.	Frank J. Schmitz.
William W. Colne.	Isaac Gutman.	Peter Schweickert.
Edward W. Cox.	Charles H. Haubert.	Michael J. Shields.
S. Clinton Crane.	Harry Heyman.	Emanuel I. Silberstein.
Frank A. Cunningham.	George Hilkemeier.	Fred Smith.
Edward W. Curley.	Michael J. Hogan.	Arnold L. Squiers.
Henry H. Curran.	William P. Kenneally.	Michael Stapleton.
William J. Daly.	Francis P. Kenney.	Frederick H. Stevenson.
Charles Delaney.	John McCann.	Patrick H. Sullivan.
John Diemer.	John F. McCourt.	Moritz Tolk.
Frank T. Dixon.	William P. McGarry.	Frederick Trau.
Bernard E. Donnelly.	Charles J. McGillick.	William K. Walsh.
Frank Dostal, Jr.	John McKee.	Thomas A. Williams.
Charles W. Dunn.	Charles A. McManus.	John Wirth.
Alexander S. Drescher.	Thomas W. Martin.	Augustus M. Wise.

Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond.
Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.
Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works.
Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works.
Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan.
The President announced that Aldermen Burden and Palitz were excused from attendance.
The Clerk proceeded to read the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of February 20, 1917.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1312.

Communication from the Mothers' Anti-High Price League Relative to the Cost of Living.

February 26th, 1917.

To the Members of the Board of Aldermen:

The movement in The City of New York for the reduction of the cost of living, called forth demands which you, as the Board of Aldermen, ought to take up.

The Mothers' Anti-High Price League through its committee, appeared before the Board of Estimate on February 23rd, and asked that the City appropriate the sum of \$1,000,000 or more for the purpose of establishing markets to sell food stuffs at cost. The Board of Estimate passed resolutions calling upon the State Legislature to amend the City Charter so that the City may be enabled to appropriate funds for the establishing of markets.

At the same time it appealed to Congress, and the President of these United States, that an appropriation be made by Congress to establish such stores which shall sell only to cities that will undertake to sell to its people at cost. A bill to that effect has been introduced. The Mothers' Anti-High Price League has also called upon Congress to direct by law the Interstate Commerce Commission to order freight carrying railroads of the country to give precedence to foods. A resolution to that effect has also been introduced in Congress.

We ask you to petition the bill to the Legislature, and immediately amend the Charter of The City of New York, and request the Governor to sign such bill forthwith, and also petition Congress to act favorably.

May we ask for furthermore to appoint a committee or committees to appear before the State Legislature and the Congress of United States, urging the passage of these bills.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.
COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Queens:

No. 1313.
President, Borough of Queens—Communication Authorizing Albert C. Benninger to Act in His Place at Meeting of Board of Aldermen.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, February 27, 1917.

Mr. FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:
Dear Sir—Pursuant to the provisions of section 383 of the Greater New York Charter, an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated January 15, 1908, based thereon, I have designated Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, to act as member of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, in and for the President of the Borough of Queens, at a meeting of the Board of Aldermen, advertised to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on this date at 1.30 p. m. Yours very truly,

RICHARD S. NEWCOMBE, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Which was ordered on file.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond:

No. 1314.
Park Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$7,500, for Purchase of Fuel, Etc.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, February 16, 1917.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:
Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in accordance with the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$7,500, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of fuel necessary and incidental to the maintenance and operation of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

This request is based on the following conditions: The estimate for fuel rendered the Central Purchase Committee on February 15th, 1917, for twelve months ending March 31st, 1918, is as follows:

	Quantity.	Estimated Cost.
Requirements for 9 months ending Dec. 31, 1917.....	1,095 tons	\$10,410 00
Requirements for 3 months ending March 31, 1918.....	1,104 tons	10,490 00
Total	2,199 tons	\$20,900 00
Requirements for balance of 1917.....		\$10,410 00
15 Tons Cumberland Coal, not included in estimates.....		135 00
Total estimated requirements.....		\$10,545 00
Appropriations for 1917.....	\$14,105 00	
Expended—		
Open market orders	\$726 80	
Contract for 3 months.....	10,329 30	
Total Expended	11,056 10	
Balance on hand		3,048 90
Additional required for the remainder of the year.....		\$7,496 10

Respectfully yours,
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Commissioner:

No. 1315.
Fire Commissioner—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,615, to Provide Funds to Pay Increased Rates in Fire Department.

Fire Department of The City of New York, February 23, 1917.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:
Sir—In compliance with resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 16, 1917, in connection with the increased rate of compensation of Machinists to \$5 per diem and Moulders and Coremakers to \$4.25 per diem from January 1st, 1917, I have the honor to request that special revenue bond funds be authorized in the sum of \$5,615 to provide additional funds to pay the employees in this department affected by the increased rate, as shown on the attached schedule. Inasmuch as the services of these employees are absolutely necessary every working day of the year, it is not advisable to reduce the number of days, as shown in the present schedule.

	Present Schedule—Code Account 1672.	Proposed Schedule—Code Account 1672.
"Shops"—	Days.	Days.
Foreman Machinist	1 at \$5 00 277 \$1,385 00	1 at \$5 50 277 \$1,523 50
Machinists	4 at 4 50 *365 6,570 00	4 at 5 00 *365 7,300 00
Machinists	16 at 4 50 277 19,944 00	16 at 5 00 277 22,160 00
Auto Machinists.....	4 at 4 50 *365 6,570 00	4 at 5 00 *365 7,300 00
Auto Machinists.....	12 at 4 50 277 14,958 00	12 at 5 00 277 16,620 00
Moulder	1 at 4 00 277 1,108 00	1 at 4 25 277 1,177 25
Coremaker	1 at 4 00 277 1,108 00	1 at 4 25 277 1,177 25
	39 \$5,643 00	39 \$5,728 00
Additional funds required.....	5,615 00	
	\$5,728 00	

*Members of wrecking crew.
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan:

No. 1316.
President, Borough of Richmond—Request for Permission to Purchase Stone Crusher Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Bureau of Highways, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, February 23, 1917.
Hon. Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y. City:

Gentlemen—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, your approval is hereby requested for the purchase of a stone crusher, bin and screen to the extent of approximately \$1,650, without public letting.

This request is made for the reason that we require the immediate service of a crusher, etc., for the crushing of second-hand asphalt blocks which are now stored on property the lease of which will terminate March 31st next, and as it would require practically six weeks for a public letting and the registration of the contract it would be more economical for the City to crush said blocks where now located than expend probably \$500 or \$600 to cart the same from their present location to the new City yard assigned by the Sinking Fund Commission.

Experience in the past has proven that much better results are obtained by crushing second-hand asphalt blocks during the cold season than in warm weather, and if we are permitted to purchase said crusher, etc., as suggested, we could start the crushing of stone within a very short period.

Your kind attention to this matter as promptly as possible will oblige,
Very truly yours, HENRY P. MORRISON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk, New York County:

No. 1317.
County Clerk, New York County—Resolution to Draw on Account of Contingencies.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor and incidental expenses contingent to the office of the County Clerk of New York County the said County Clerk may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation set aside for the office of the County Clerk of New York County in the Budget for the year 1917, entitled "Code No. 3068, 1917, Supplies"; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the County Clerk covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Which, on motion of Alderman Kenney, was made a General Order for the day.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Connolly, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Sinking Fund Commission:

No. 1318.
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Resolution to Invest \$25,000,000 in General Fund Bonds of The City of New York.

February 15, 1917.
To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:
General Fund Bonds.

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 103 of the Laws of 1903, entitled "An Act to amend the Greater New York Charter, relative to the Sinking Fund of the City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt, by adding a new section to be known as section two hundred and twenty-two, providing for the issue of additional bonds of the City of New York, to be called General Fund Bonds, and by amending section one hundred and sixty-nine of said Charter," the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York hereby certify to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York that the estimated amount of receipts on account of the revenues or income, from all sources, of the "Sinking Fund of the City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt" No. 1) during the year 1917 is estimated at twenty-seven million and forty-nine thousand four hundred and seventy-six dollars and 63 cents (\$27,049,476.63) made up as follows:

Estimate of 1917 Revenue to Sinking Fund No. 1.	
Interest on General Fund Bonds	\$6,885,000 00
(To be paid from the General Fund)	
Interest on City Treasury and Sinking Fund Balances	
(other than those stated below*)	650,000 00
Dock and Slip Rents and Market Rents and Fees.....	\$7,535,000 00
Franchises	5,645,000 00
Permits	525,000 00
Licenses	100,000 00
Miscellaneous	300,000 00
Surplus Revenue of the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt"	10,000 00
	11,185,000 00
	\$25,300,000 00

*Estimated Revenue or Income during 1917 from the Reserve of \$58,315,887.60 set aside January 1, 1917, computed at 3 per cent. per annum, will aggregate

1,749,476 63
Total Estimated Receipts on account of the Revenues or Income from all sources during the Year 1917..... \$27,049,476 63

Investment of \$25,000,000 in General Fund Bonds.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by resolution of said Board adopted February 15, 1917, determined to invest twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) of the excess of revenue or income of said fund in General Fund Bonds of the City of New York during the year 1917 for account of the "Sinking Fund of the City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt" (No. 1).

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; MILO R. MALTBI, City Chamberlain; FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen;, Chairman, Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen; Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Which was ordered on file.
The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

No. 1319.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution Rescinding \$1,000 Special Revenue Bonds Authorized in a Sum of \$10,000 for Entertainment of Atlantic Fleet in May, 1915.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, February 19, 1917.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen:
Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1917, relating to calendar number enumerated above, and rescinding the sum of \$1,000 from an issue of special revenue bonds authorized in the sum of \$10,000 on May 13, 1915, for the Expenses of Entertainment of Atlantic fleet, 1915.

JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.
Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has authorized the issuance of special revenue bonds on the dates, for the purposes and in the amounts specifically set forth in the schedule hereto annexed and made a part hereof; and

Whereas, Full provision has been made for the accomplishment of the purposes for which the said authorizations were originally made, and there remain special revenue bonds authorized but unencumbered, as set forth in the aforementioned schedule, and the unencumbered balances of the authorizations of special revenue bonds are no longer necessary for the purposes originally contemplated; now therefore be it

Resolved, That each and every resolution specified in the following schedule be and the same is hereby amended to the effect that the authorization contained therein for the issuance of special revenue bonds shall be of the same amount as the total of the special revenue bonds issued, or to be issued, under each of the aforesaid resolutions, as set forth in the annexed schedule:

Revenue Bond Fund—For:		Authority.	Date of Resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	Amount of Bonds Authorized to Be Issued.	Bonds Issued or to Be Issued.	Amount of Unencumbered Authorization Rescinded.
Code No.	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.					
RBH16F	Deficiency in Budget Item 2093—1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 11, 1914	\$1,994 32	\$1,800 00	\$194 62
RBH17F	Deficiency in Budget Item 2089—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	14,000 00	13,000 00	1,000 00
RBH18	Deficiency in Appropriations, Salaries, 1916.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ Mar. 31, 1916 }	64,955 00	53,955 00	11,000 00
RBL23A	Expenses of Entertainment of Atlantic Fleet, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	May 13, 1915	10,000 00	9,000 00	1,000 00
RCH36A	Preparing Recreation Pier at East 24th Street for Lodging House Purposes, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Feb. 11, 1915	13,180 00	10,780 00	2,400 00
RCH38	Additional Help for Municipal Lodging House, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Mar. 12, 1915	3,050 00	2,050 00	1,000 00
RCH38A	Additional Nurses and Hospital Helpers, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Mar. 26, 1915	25,000 00	18,000 00	7,000 00
RCH39	Deficiency in Budget Item 1992—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	25,000 00	20,000 00	5,000 00
RCH39C	Deficiency in Budget Item 1996—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	12,000 00	9,000 00	3,000 00
RCH39K	Deficiency in Budget Item 2016—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	2,500 00	1,781 59	718 41
RCH39T	Deficiency in Budget Item 2030—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	1,200 00	700 00	500 00
RCH39Z	Deficiency in Budget Item 2042—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 21, 1915	2,500 00	1,500 00	1,000 00
RCH40	Portable House for N. Y. City Home for the Aged, Borough of Brooklyn, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Aug. 19, 1915	1,500 00	1,188 00	312 00
RCK209C	Deficiency in Budget Item 3526—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 23, 1915	614 94	223 64	391 30
RCN7A	Reconstructing Laboratory Tables in Chemistry Hall.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	June 9, 1916	2,600 00	2,000 00	600 00
RCT31F	Wages of Custodians and Watchmen.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	900 00	425 00	475 00
RDA8	Special Expenses in connection with the prosecution of Henry Siegel et al.	Section 1542 of the Charter.....	July 30, 1914	50,000 00	28,000 00	22,000 00
RDC27	Deficiency in Budget Item 2651—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	50,000 00	48,000 00	2,000 00
RDH34F	Salaries of Veterinarians for Meat Inspection, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 1, 1915	4,950 00	3,950 00	1,000 00
RDH40	Establishment, Operation, etc., of Milk Stations at Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Apr. 1, 1915	2,423 00	2,023 00	400 00
RDP108	Repairing Roads and Fencing Playgrounds.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Aug. 5, 1915	26,249 40	24,249 40	2,000 00
RDP208	Operation of Betsy Head Memorial Playground, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 9, 1915	17,475 00	14,475 00	3,000 00
RDS31	Refunding Budget Item 2409—1914.....	Section 546 of the Charter.....	Feb. 27, 1914	408,585 65	407,585 65	1,000 00
RDS37	Refunding Budget Item 2365—1914.....	Section 546 of the Charter.....	May 15, 1914	200,318 66	200,198 01	120 65
RDS39B	Deficiency in Budget Item 2365—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 1, 1915	205,100 00	200,000 00	5,000 00
RDW39A	Additional Lighting, Public Buildings, Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ June 13, 1912 }	44,738 05	39,738 05	5,000 00
RDW43E	Deficiency in Budget Item 2244—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ Apr. 9, 1915 }	1,250 00	750 00	500 00
RPM14B	Altering, Furnishing and Equipping Premises No. 151 East 57th Street for use of Various Courts.....	Chapter 659, Laws of 1910.....	July 11, 1912	15,000 00	14,000 00	1,000 00
RPM40B	Altering and Improving 6th, 7th and 8th Floors of Hall of Records, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ Nov. 5, 1915 }	3,700 00	3,200 00	500 00
RPQ8P	Repairs to Rockaway Turnpike, between New York Avenue and Hook Creek, 1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 10, 1914	13,646 50	13,146 50	500 00
RPQ16A	Rebuilding Sea Wall on Boulevard, between Jamaica Avenue and Temple St., First Ward, Queens.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ July 31, 1913 }	14,789 50	14,089 50	700 00
RPX14M	Repairing Bridge Over Railroad Tracks at East 153d Street, 1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	June 5, 1914	35,000 00	32,500 00	2,500 00
RPX14P	Supplies and Equipment for Public Buildings, 1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 2, 1914	8,370 00	7,870 00	500 00
A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1917. JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.						
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.						
No. 1320.						
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Statement Setting Forth Amounts to Be Raised by Tax for 1917.						
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, February 21, 1917.						
To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:						
Gentlemen—Section 900 of the amended Greater New York Charter provides as follows:						
"Sec. 900. For the purpose of enabling the board of aldermen to impose the annual taxes, it shall be the duty of the comptroller of said city to prepare and submit to said board, at least one week before the first day of March in each and every year, a statement setting forth the amounts by law authorized to be raised by tax in that year, on account of the corporation of the city of New York, as hereby constituted, or for city purposes within said city as created by this act, and purposes for which said city is liable, and on account of the counties of New York, Kings, Bronx, Queens and Richmond, and also an estimate of the probable amount of receipts into the city treasury during the then current year from all the sources of revenue of the general funds, including surplus revenues from the sinking funds of the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York, and of any of the municipal and public corporations, or parts of municipal and public corporations by this act consolidated with the municipal corporation known as the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York, other than the surplus of revenues of any such sinking funds for the payment of interest on the city debt of the municipal corporation known as the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York, or the like debts of the municipal and public corporations by this act consolidated as aforesaid, and the said board of aldermen is hereby authorized and directed to deduct the total amount of such estimated receipts from the aggregate amount of all the various sums which, by law, it is required to order and cause to be raised by tax in said year, for the purposes aforesaid, and to cause to be raised by tax such sum as shall be as nearly as possible, but not less than the balances of such aggregate amount after making such deductions, by fixing a tax rate in cents and hundredths of a cent upon each dollar of assessed valuation."						
Section 902 of the amended Greater New York Charter provides as follows:						
"In the statement submitted by the comptroller to the board of aldermen, as provided in this chapter, he shall each year include and state specifically the sum or sums necessary to be raised to pay during the current year the salaries of the county officers and the other county charges and expenses in the counties of New York, Kings, Bronx, Queens and Richmond, respectively, and the board of aldermen is hereby authorized and directed to levy upon and collect from the taxable property within each of said counties, respectively, the sum or sums so necessary to be raised to pay the salaries of county officers and other county charges and expenses of such county; to the end that each of said counties shall ultimately bear and pay all expenses necessary to be incurred within the county for county as distinguished from city purposes."						
In pursuance of the foregoing provisions of law, I have the honor to herewith submit to your honorable body statements as follows:						
First—The aggregate amount of the budget for the year 1917, viz.:						
Total Amount of Budget Appropriations for City Departmental Purposes.....				\$129,055,250 64		
Total Amount of Budget Appropriations for Debt Service.....				69,744,568 95		
Total Amount of Budget Appropriations for Deficiencies in Taxes.....				5,000,000 00		
Total Budget for City Purposes.....				\$203,799,819 59		
Total Amount of Appropriations for County Purposes.....				7,314,317 23		
Grand Total, Budget for City and Counties.....				\$211,114,136 82		
Second—That in the foregoing said total (as may be noted) there is the sum of						
\$7,314,317.23, being the amount of appropriations for county charges and expenses of 1917 in the counties of New York, Kings, Bronx, Queens and Richmond, respectively, which are included in said budget; but in addition thereto there is also the amount of county charges and expenses, aggregating \$337,482.17, which were paid during the year 1916 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds and which amounts together are to be raised respectively by levy upon taxable property within each one of said counties.						
Third—The estimated receipts of the General Fund of The City of New York applicable to the reduction of taxation.						
With respect to the receipts of the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation, the following statement shows the elements and amounts comprising my estimate:						
GENERAL FUND.						
Estimated Revenue Receipts During the Year 1917.						
Bank Tax.....				\$3,600,000 00		
City Record, Sales of.....				10,000 00		
Department of Correction.....				50,000 00		
Department of Health.....				30,000 00		
Department of Public Charities.....				100,000 00		
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....				35,000 00		
Department of Licenses.....				500,000 00		
Fees:						
Chamberlain.....				15,000 00		
City Clerk.....				145,000 00		
County Clerks:						
New York County.....				\$65,000 00		
Bronx County.....				14,000 00		
Kings County.....				35,000 00		
Queens County.....				75,000 00		
Richmond County.....				11,000 00		
				200,000 00		
Registers:						
New York County.....				\$100,000 00		
Bronx County.....				45,000 00		
Kings County.....				130,000 00		
				275,000 00		
Sheriffs:						
New York County.....				\$50,000 00		
Bronx County.....				3,500 00		
Kings County.....				17,000 00		
Queens County.....				4,500 00		
				75,000 00		
Surrogates:						
New York County.....				\$11,000 00		
Kings County.....				4,000 00		
				15,000 00		
Public Administrator.....				12,000 00		
Interest on Assessments.....				800,000 00		
Interest on Taxes.....				2,400,000 00		
Mortgage Tax.....				800,000 00		
Permits and Privileges.....				330,000 00		
Railroad Franchises and Street Car Licenses.....				500,000 00		
Reimbursements on account of Committed Children.....				30,000 00		
School Moneys, State of New York.....				2,300,000 00		
Water Rents:						
Queens.....				\$55,000 00		
Richmond.....				235,000 00		
				290,000 00		
Miscellaneous.....				250,000 00		
General Fund Estimate.....				\$12,762,000 00		

Add Balance to the credit of the General Fund January 1, 1917..... 1,523,690 20
Add Unencumbered Balances of Excise Tax January 1, 1917, available for transfer to the General Fund by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment 3,689,691 64
\$17,975,381 84

Less The estimated amount to be paid to the appropriate accounts for the purpose of adjusting the reductions made prior to January 1, 1917, in the amount of taxes receivable by reason of the operation of section 48 of the Tax Law, providing for the deduction from Special Franchise Taxes of payments made in the nature of a tax, pursuant to sec. 162 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 31 of the Laws of 1913..... 600,000 00

Add The amount of revenues and income of the "Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt" to be invested in General Fund Bonds of The City of New York during the year 1917, as determined by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted February 15, 1917, pursuant to the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 103 of the Laws of 1903..... 25,000,000 00

Add The following amounts chargeable against the several counties for payments made during the year 1916 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges and expenses, which amounts have been included by the Comptroller in his certificate to the Board of Aldermen, required by section 900 of the Charter, as County charges and expenses against the respective counties, to wit:

New York County.....	\$193,385 69
Kings County.....	61,175 62
Bronx County.....	40,286 37
Queens County.....	28,195 59
Richmond County.....	14,438 90
	337,482 17

Less The estimated amount of interest payable from the General Fund during the year 1917 on General Fund Bonds of The City of New York..... 6,884,962 75

\$35,827,901 26

The attention of your honorable body is respectfully called to the provisions of sections 909 and 910 of the amended Greater New York Charter, prescribing the method of preparing and disposing of the assessment rolls, and also to the provisions of section 911 of the same Act, designating the twenty-eighth day of March as the date when the assessment rolls shall be finally completed, to be delivered to the Receiver of Taxes, with the proper warrant or warrants annexed thereto, directing him to collect the several sums mentioned in said rolls, and to pay the same from time to time, when so collected, to the Chamberlain of the City.

Respectfully,
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Certificate of the Comptroller of The City of New York, Required by Section 900 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, Setting Forth the Amounts by Law Authorized to be Raised by Tax in the Year 1917, and the Estimated Amount of the Receipts During 1917 of the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation.

I, William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of the City of New York, in compliance with section 900 of the amended Greater New York Charter, do hereby certify to the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York that the aggregate amount of the Budget for the year 1917, duly made and adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen pursuant to section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, to be raised by General Fund revenues and taxes in said year, is Two Hundred and Eleven Million One Hundred and Fourteen Thousand One Hundred and Thirty-six and 82-100 Dollars (\$211,114,136.82).

I further certify that the aggregate amount of the said Budget consists of Two Hundred and Three Million Seven Hundred and Ninety-nine Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety and 59-100 Dollars (\$203,799,819.59), appropriated for "City purposes," and Seven Million Three Hundred and Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred and Seventeen and 23-100 Dollars (\$7,314,317.23), appropriated for "County Charges and Expenses," which latter stated total is chargeable in the following stated amounts against the counties named hereunder, viz:

New York County.....	\$3,853,148 80
Kings County.....	2,026,680 72
Bronx County.....	776,930 05
Queens County.....	505,176 90
Richmond County.....	152,380 76

I further certify that the amounts of "County Charges and Expenses" paid during the year 1916 from the proceeds of Special Revenue Bonds, to be raised respectively by levy upon taxable property within each of said counties in the year 1917, in addition to the amount of county charges and expenses included in the Budget as aforesaid, are as follows: (See Summary Statement hereto annexed)

New York County.....	\$193,385 69
Kings County.....	61,175 62
Bronx County.....	40,286 37
Queens County.....	28,195 59
Richmond County.....	14,438 90

I further certify that the estimated amount of the revenues of the General Fund for the year 1917 is Thirty-five Million Eight Hundred and Twenty-seven Thousand Nine Hundred and One and 26-100 Dollars (\$35,827,901.26), as stated in detail in a communication to your honorable Board, herewith submitted.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated: February 21, 1917.
Statement Showing the Amount of Payments Made During the Year 1916 from Proceeds of Special Revenue Bonds for County Charges and Expenses, which Amounts are to be Raised by Tax in the Year 1917 in the Respective Counties, in Addition to the County Charges and Expenses Provided for in the Budget for the Year 1917.
County of New York.

Revenue Bond Fund, for—	
County Clerk, New York County—Compensation of Typewriting Copyists, 1916.....	\$4,097 50
Court of General Sessions—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3216, 1916.....	3,189 40
Court of General Sessions—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3217, 1915.....	5,599 80
Disbursements and Fees—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3216, 1915.....	1,980 00
District Attorney, New York County—Special Expenses in connection with the Prosecution of Henry Siegel et al.....	72 67
District Attorney, New York County—Special Expenses in connection with Prosecution of Private Bankers and Gangsters.....	18,169 38
District Attorney, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3078, 1915.....	1,261 78
District Attorney, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3081, 1915.....	965 62
District Attorney, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3082, 1915.....	47 71
Jurors, Fees and Expenses of, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3215, 1916.....	121 90
National Guard and Naval Militia, Third Ambulance Company—Deficiency in Budget Item 3156, 1916.....	1,551 00
National Guard and Naval Militia, First Armored Motor Battery—Wages, 1916.....	735 00
National Guard and Naval Militia, Fifteenth Infantry—Compensation of Armory Employees, 1916.....	2,461 00
Payment of New York County Charges and Expenses.....	106,783 19
Payment of Premium on Bonds of County Officers—Chapter 481, Laws of 1912, County of New York.....	4,939 66
Register, New York County—Reindexing Conveyances, 1916.....	29,015 88
Rents—New York County, 1914.....	779 17
Supreme Court, First Department—Balance of Salary for 1913 of Justice Henry Bischoff—Chapter 375, Laws of 1915.....	5,685 48
Supreme Court, First Department—Balance of Salary of Late Justice Delaney for July, August, September and October, 1915—Chapter 197, Laws of 1916.....	4,467 00

Surrogates' Court, New York County, Commissioner of Records—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3110, 1916.....	300 00
Surrogates, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3208, 1916.....	599 64
Surrogates' Court, New York County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3206, 1916.....	33 36
Stenographers' Fees—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3217, 1915.....	529 55

Total for New York County..... \$193,385 69

County of Bronx.

Revenue Bond Fund, for—	
County Clerk, Bronx County—Equipment for New Office in Bergen Building, 1916.....	\$715 00
County Clerk, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3250, 1916.....	1,201 43
County Clerk, Bronx County—Purchase of Office Equipment, 1916.....	227 00
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3340, 1915.....	140 00
County Court, Bronx County—Temporary Stenographers' Fees, 1915.....	50 00
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3341, 1915.....	24 63
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3343B, 1915.....	26 83
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3339, 1916.....	1,350 00
County Court, Bronx County—Equipment for Judges' New Quarters in Bergen Building, 1916.....	1,000 00
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3347, 1916 (Stenographers' Fees).....	220 00
County Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3345, 1916 (Fees and Expenses of Jurors).....	37 00
District Attorney, Bronx County—Special Expenses in Various Criminal Prosecutions.....	2,979 82
District Attorney, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3260, 1916.....	175 00
Payment of Premium on Bonds of County Officers—Chapter 481, Laws of 1912.....	3,547 50
Payment of Bronx County Charges and Expenses.....	19,632 45
Public Administrator, Bronx County—Rent of Offices, 1915.....	50 00
Public Administrator, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3293, 1916.....	37 63
Register, Bronx County—Moving and Copying Real Estate Records.....	226 75
Register, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3271, 1915.....	440 30
Sheriff, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3303B, 1915.....	16 00
Sheriff, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3302A, 1915.....	996 24
Sheriff, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3305, 1915.....	191 06
Sheriff, Bronx County—Purchase of Equipment, 1916.....	926 00
Sheriff, Bronx County—Payment of Salaries, 1916.....	4,121 54
Sheriff, Bronx County—Salaries of Temporary Employees, 1916.....	183 33
Surrogate's Court, Bronx County—Removal to and Equipping New Quarters, 1916.....	993 00
Surrogate's Court, Bronx County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3334½, 1916.....	777 86

Total for Bronx County..... \$40,286 37

County of Kings.

Revenue Bond Fund, for—	
County Court, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3490, 1915.....	\$25 00
County Court, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3493, 1916.....	3,751 00
County Court, Kings County—Salaries and Wages of Additional Employees, 1916.....	5,235 63
District Attorney, Kings County—Expenses of Criminal Prosecution of Edward M. Grout.....	498 00
District Attorney, Kings County—Printing Briefs on Appeal.....	2,331 75
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3383, 1915.....	206 47
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3384, 1915.....	136 56
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3386, 1915.....	205 34
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3387, 1915.....	233 00
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3388, 1915.....	541 64
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3380, 1916.....	2,790 64
District Attorney, Kings County—Deficiencies in Appropriations, 1916.....	831 37
Kings County Volunteer Firemen's Association—Celebration of Washington's Birthday.....	1,500 00
National Guard and Naval Militia—Fifteenth Infantry—Compensation of Employees at Armory of Second Battalion.....	451 00
Payment of Kings County Charges and Expenses.....	24,391 24
Payment of Premium on Bonds of County Officers—Chapter 481, Laws of 1912.....	2,153 24
Rent of Premises for Public Administrator, Kings County.....	100 00
Rent of Space in Garfield Building, Brooklyn—1916 (Supreme Court).....	7,500 00
Sheriff, Kings County—Furnishing and Equipping Civil Prison.....	175 67
Sheriff, Kings County—Furniture and Equipment for New Offices, 1914.....	2 60
Supreme Court, Second Department, Appellate Term—Salary of Confidential Opinion Stenographer—1916—Chapter 377, Laws of 1916.....	1,975 81
Surrogate, Kings County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3480, 1916.....	6,139 66

Total for Kings County..... \$61,175 62

County of Queens.

Revenue Bond Fund, for—	
Board of City Record—Blank Books for Offices of Queens County, 1915.....	\$1,791 23
Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3552, 1916.....	250 00
County Clerk, Queens County—Equipment for New Office.....	1,168 35
County Clerk, Queens County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3528, 1915.....	34 94
County Court, Queens County—Referees' Fees on Accountings for Incompetents.....	1,590 15
District Attorney, Queens County—Emergency Process Servers, 1915.....	182 00
District Attorney, Queens County—Special Expenses in Case of People vs. James Clare.....	699 51
District Attorney, Queens County—Special Expenses in Various Criminal Trials, 1916.....	1,447 90
District Attorney, Queens County—Office Equipment, 1916.....	1,173 91
Jurors—Fees and Expenses of—Queens County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3630, 1916.....	9,645 30
Payment of Queens County Charges and Expenses.....	6,478 07
Payment of Premium on Bonds of County Officers—Chapter 481, Laws of 1912.....	1,185 50
Sheriff, Queens County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3568A, 1915.....	314 27
Surrogate, Queens County—Furnishings and Typewriters, 1915.....	1,791 46
Surrogate's Court, Queens County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3606, 1916.....	443 09

Total for Queens County..... \$28,195 59

County of Richmond.

Revenue Bond Fund, for—	
District Attorney, Richmond County—Expenses of Investigations of Smoke Nuisances along Kill von Kull.....	\$61 06

District Attorney, Richmond County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3666, 1915.....	146 52
Jurors—Fees and Expenses of—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3720, 1916.....	1,719 00
National Guard and Naval Militia—Troop F, First Cavalry—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3690, 1915.....	93 00
National Guard and Naval Militia—Troop F, First Cavalry—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3690, 1916.....	1,098 00
Payment of Richmond County Charges and Expenses.....	9,059 89
Payment of Premium on Bonds of County Officers—Chapter 481, Laws of 1912.....	134 00
Sheriff, Richmond County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3684, 1916.....	1,841 76
Sheriff, Richmond County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3685, 1916.....	35 67
Witness Fees, Richmond County—Deficiency in Budget Item No. 3722, 1916.....	250 00
Total for Richmond County.....	\$14,438 90
RECAPITULATION.	
County of New York.....	\$193,385 69
County of Bronx.....	40,286 37
County of Kings.....	61,175 62
County of Queens.....	28,195 59
County of Richmond.....	14,438 90
Total.....	\$337,482 17

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Jurors for the County of Kings:

No. 1321.

Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County—Annual Report for 1915-1916.

Office of the Commissioner of Jurors, 381-383 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y., February 27th, 1917.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In compliance with the Laws of the State of New York (Article 2, Title 4, Chapter 10), Chapter 48, I have the honor to submit a statement of the business of this department from August 31st, 1915, to August 31st, 1916.

Having taken possession of the office on July 6th, 1915, as to the acts performed up to that date, I take the same from the records in this office, except that I prepared a list of 1,500 additional qualified jurors, which were required to be added to the Jury list of 1915-1916, (as an insufficient number had been examined by my predecessor) whose names could be placed in the Jury wheel.

The Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York, under Chapter 30 of the Consolidated Laws, Judiciary Laws, Section 691, whose duty it is to furnish names of persons for jury duty residing within the county limits, provided 489 names of persons to be examined.

According to Chapter 690 of the Consolidated Laws, Judiciary Laws, of the State of New York, I selected 57,546 persons, all of whom, in conjunction with those provided by the Department of Taxes and Assessments, were examined.

After examination and correction, as to their qualifications, etc., 11,383 were exempt or disqualified by reason of military service, overage, physical incapacity, illiteracy, no property, volunteer firemen, election officials, physicians, Government and City employees, newspaper men, etc., 6,544 could not be found; 7,274 whose time was extended to the following year; 4,552 were out of city and county; 1,929 were duplicated; 2,184 were non-residents; 478 deceased; 67 selected as special jurors, and 23,624 qualified for jury duty for the year 1915-1916.

Under Chapter 257, Laws of 1904, there was submitted to the Board for the selection of Grand Jurors, a list of persons who qualified to act as jurors during the ensuing year. From this list there was selected and returned 682 persons for service as Grand Jurors.

During the year covered by this report, August 31st, 1915, to August 31st, 1916, there has been drawn from the list of 25,124 who qualified, 24,416 Trial Jurors and 480 Grand Jurors.

The number of jurors drawn, and the Courts to which they were summoned, the number served, the number of persons fined, etc., is shown in the following statement:

For the Supreme Court of the State of New York, there were drawn 10,560 Trial Jurors.

For the Kings County Court there were drawn 10,145 Trial Jurors and 480 Grand Jurors.

For the Surrogate's Court there were drawn 720 Trial Jurors.

For the Municipal Courts of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Districts of the Borough of Brooklyn, there were drawn 2,160 Trial Jurors.

Pursuant to Chapter 68, Laws of the State of New York, 1915, a list of 251 Trial Jurors was selected from the Jury list, by the Sheriff of Kings County.

Pursuant to Chapter 279, section 122, of the Laws of the State of New York, 1915, there was selected from the Jury list 100 names of Jurors to act for the several Municipal Courts.

Making a total of 24,416 jurors drawn for all Courts.

By referring to the returns made to this department by the Clerks of the Supreme, County, Surrogate's, and Municipal Courts, it will be seen that out of a total of 23,585 persons drawn and summoned as Trial Jurors, 16,322 served; 5,216 were excused by the Judges of the several Courts; 112 were returned as having been fined for non-attendance; 1,785 were returned by the officers serving the Jury Notices after diligent search and inquiry, on the part of said Jury Notice Servers, as not found; 150 were withdrawn at the November Term, 1915, of the Kings County Court, and returned to the Jury wheel by an order from Hon. Robert H. Roy, County Judge.

Of the 480 Grand Jurors drawn 275 served; 173 were excused by the Court; 2 were fined; 30 were returned as not to be found.

I also state that from the official returns of the several Courts, as will be shown upon examination, I have received the names of 114 delinquents, who were fined, all of whom were examined by the Board for the Remission and Enforcement of Jury Fines, who met at the office of the Commissioner of Jurors on January 19th, 1917, of which 76 were remitted, 28 could not be found, and 10 cases await the action of the Board.

On the date of the last report from this department, there were awaiting the action of the Board for the Remission and Enforcement of Jury Fines, 5 cases. They have been disposed of as follows: 5 cases were remitted.

The excuses and answers offered for the remission of fines, and the cause of such remission, are placed opposite the name of each person on the list hereto annexed.

Respectfully submitted, JACOB BRENNER, Commissioner of Jurors for the County of Kings.

Supreme Court, September Term, 1915.

Number.	Name and Cause of Remission.	Amount.
20534	Howard M. Read; remitted by Board.....	\$75 00
Supreme Court, October Term, 1915.		
2592	Moses H. Brand; no notice.....	125 00
10739	John Vanderbilt; not found.....	125 00
10439	Meyer E. Kaplan; erroneously fined.....	125 00
3472	Sylvester J. Hettick; non-resident.....	125 00
Supreme Court, November Term, 1915.		
4997	James F. O'Brien; physically incapacitated.....	100 00
5537	Edward Grauer; remitted by Board.....	25 00
5842	Daniel Chase; no notice.....	75 00
5888	Louis Hertenstein; remitted by Board.....	75 00
Supreme Court, December Term, 1915.		
5000	Benj. F. Edelman; remitted by Board.....	100 00
Supreme Court, February Term, 1916.		
3089	Joseph Metzger; not found.....	75 00
2847	Isidor Levy; no notice.....	125 00
11950	Alexander Harvey; no answer.....	125 00
Supreme Court, March Term, 1916.		
14002	Richard M. Cahill; not found.....	125 00

Number.	Name and Cause of Remission.	Amount.
14237	Chas. C. Walden; not found.....	125 00
14245	Frank S. Watt; absent from county.....	125 00
14587	Fred C. Rolfe; not found.....	125 00
Supreme Court, April Term, 1916.		
15048	Ira L. Beebe, Jr.; remitted by Board.....	100 00
16537	Alexander H. Tompkins; not found.....	125 00
Supreme Court, May Term, 1916.		
18859	Isaac L. MacArthur; not found.....	100 00
19144	F. W. Miles; not found.....	100 00
19446	John Edelbohl; physically incapacitated.....	125 00
Supreme Court, June Term, 1916.		
21566	Francis J. Goodman; remitted by Board.....	25 00
21911	Edgar F. Sherk; absent from county.....	75 00
7855	George W. Mapother; absent from county.....	100 00
22495	Walter J. Quard; erroneously fined.....	100 00
County Court, September Term, 1915.		
18102	Cornelius F. Dugan; remitted by Board.....	100 00
21579	Adolph Fortgang; remitted by Board.....	100 00
97	C. H. Roberts; erroneously fined.....	25 00
158	Richard J. Donovan; no answer.....	100 00
21327	John J. Noonan; physically incapacitated.....	125 00
788	Louis J. Ger; absent from county.....	125 00
County Court, October Term, 1915.		
1212	W. A. De Groat; erroneously fined.....	125 00
12201	Jacob Cranzler; remitted by Board.....	125 00
1371	Robert Folliard; no notice.....	100 00
18068	Rudolph F. Bell; not found.....	125 00
1576	Joseph Lacov; erroneously fined.....	100 00
1616	Adolph F. Knippler; not found.....	100 00
1664	Edward Albert; no notice.....	75 00
County Court, November Term, 1915.		
21630	Max Lacher; no notice.....	100 00
4029	Walter Darby; not found.....	100 00
1327	Harry Nathan; remitted by Board.....	125 00
4538	Thomas Brahmay; remitted by Board.....	75 00
County Court, December Term, 1915.		
6274	Otto Offinger; remitted by Board.....	125 00
6307	Peter R. Henaghan; erroneously fined.....	125 00
6309	Emanuel Hess; no notice.....	125 00
11958	Hilton J. Gould; remitted by Board.....	125 00
6475	Thomas S. Mousley; not found.....	125 00
County Court, January Term, 1916.		
8188	William F. Gohlke; absent from county.....	125 00
4446	Ralph G. Hibbard; erroneously fined.....	125 00
8468	Edward R. Hayde; no notice.....	100 00
1993	Henry Lichtenstein; remitted by Board.....	100 00
County Court, January Term, 1916.		
4046	Joseph D. Pi; remitted by Board.....	\$100 00
8776	J. R. Dunkerton; not found.....	125 00
County Court, February Term, 1916.		
4198	Charles Miller; physically incapacitated.....	\$125 00
1241	Wilbur L. Raynor; adjourned.....	125 00
10850	Adolph Fischer; no notice.....	125 00
10994	John C. Miller; no notice.....	125 00
11140	R. C. Copeland; not found.....	100 00
3719	Hyman Tobokman; remitted by Board.....	75 00
6552	William E. Mulford; not found.....	125 00
2110	Chas. F. Swenson; adjourned.....	125 00
4436	Adolph Oettinger; remitted by Board.....	100 00
County Court, March Term, 1916.		
13090	George H. Ward; no notice.....	\$100 00
13250	J. D. Laurie; erroneously fined.....	75 00
13268	Jacob J. Mack; no notice.....	75 00
4414	Frank A. Graus; remitted by Board.....	125 00
3737	Wm. B. Williams; remitted by Board.....	100 00
13636	Jacob Valenski; not found.....	75 00
County Court, April Term, 1916.		
15171	Henry Miller, Jr.; erroneously fined.....	\$125 00
15433	Joseph Smith; not found.....	125 00
15488	Louis P. Kattan; remitted by Board.....	125 00
15647	Frank J. McMenemy; erroneously fined.....	100 00
15203	Theodore Ledyard Cuyler, 3d; not found.....	100 00
15859	Eustace H. Valdes; no notice.....	100 00
15871	Theodore Anderson; remitted by Board.....	100 00
15911	Wm. Pool; no answer.....	125 00
15972	Paul Chas. Josephs; non-resident.....	125 00
16083	Fred'k A. Hoffman; no notice.....	100 00
16112	Wm. O. Randall; not found.....	100 00
County Court, May Term, 1916.		
17905	Abraham Sacks; no answer.....	\$100 00
17970	Lawrence Strong; not found.....	100 00
18326	Grey W. Lawrence; erroneously fined.....	125 00
County Court, June Term, 1916.		
20068	John E. Cairns; no answer.....	\$125 00
20098	George F. Seeger; remitted by Board.....	125 00
20346	A. W. Goodell; not found.....	100 00
20451	John A. J. Fenton; remitted by Board.....	100 00
20585	William Honick; remitted by Board.....	125 00
20792	Lawrence Levy; not found.....	125 00
20826	Edwin J. Kushman; remitted by Board.....	125 00
20962	Herbert Austey Sawyer; not found.....	100 00
County Court, July Term, 1916.		
11347	Joseph C. Price; not found.....	\$50 00
23073	William Sunderland; erroneously fined.....	125 00
County Court, August Term, 1916.		
451	Philip Herrschaft; erroneously fined.....	\$475 00
461	Howard J. Smith; remitted by Board.....	475 00
23113	Louis Baron; remitted by Board.....	125 00
23178	David E. Hamilton; no answer.....	125 00
23192	Henry Koster; erroneously fined.....	125 00
23278	Joseph S. Goldstein; no answer.....	125 00
23065	Thomas C. Wright; remitted by Board.....	100 00
23429	Charles A. Hartmaier; not found.....	125 00
23434	John D. Heffron; remitted by Board.....	125 00
Municipal Courts, October Term, 1915.		
2426	Hyman Brinker; remitted by Board.....	\$125 00
Municipal Courts, December Term, 1915.		
7112	Wm. A. Murphy; remitted by Board.....	\$75 00
Municipal Courts, January Term, 1916.		
9004	Herman F. Dietmann; erroneously fined.....	\$125 00
6989	George A. Keene; remitted by Board.....	125 00
Municipal Courts, February Term, 1916.		
11616	Charles C. Rice; erroneously fined.....	\$100 00
Municipal Courts, March Term, 1916.		
6982	Joseph G. Miller; not found.....	\$125 00
Municipal Courts, April Term, 1916.		
16291	Ernest F. Freeberg; no answer.....	\$125 00
Municipal Courts, May Term, 1916.		
8931	Archibald Haines; erroneously fined.....	\$125 00
Municipal Courts, June Term, 1916.		
21053	Richard J. Rhatigan; not found.....	\$125 00
8961	Jacob G. Reidel; not found.....	125 00
21174	Frederick Huhn; remitted by Board.....	125 00

Which was ordered on file.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1322 (G. O. 258).

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

- By the President—
Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds:
- By Alderman Bassett—
Thomas B. Cullen, 74a Conselyea St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. F. Ganwel and C. N. Nittoly.
- By Alderman Bent—
Rudolph J. Vogt, 406 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. P. Mulligan and H. E. Shirk.
- By Alderman Browne—
James J. Lewis, 183 York St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. G. Smith and N. Menendez.
- By Alderman Burns—
Isidor L. Daniels, 47 Sheriff St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. Hamburger and M. Cohen.
Samuel B. Herbst, 1-3 Scammel St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. J. Hayes and J. K. Rettenberg.
- By Alderman Carroll—
H. Seymour Eisman, 911 Park Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. Lazansky and M. R. Ryttenberg.
- By Alderman Cassidy—
Bernard Braun, 305 East 79th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. Cassidy and J. F. Caponigri.
- By Alderman Colne—
Gustave Vaecht, 623 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. P. Kirchner and W. F. Gnad.
Alfred John Hudson, 1200 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. B. Jones and J. H. Cross.
- By Alderman Cox—
William J. Morris, Jr., Bayview Ave., Far Rockaway, Queens.
Endorsed by D. O'Leary and T. J. Groh.
Chester Arthur Adee, 1479 Metropolitan Ave., Middle Village, Queens.
Endorsed by J. J. Schwartz and D. B. Buc.
Agnes E. Lux, 453 Lockwood St., Astoria, Queens.
Endorsed by W. E. Dunn and J. F. Sullivan.
- By Alderman Crane—
William Johnson, 661 W. 179th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. T. Hartley and J. A. Mojrine.
Harry Greenwald, 500 West 171st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. E. Coonan and F. F. McCauley.
- By Alderman Curran—
Edna M. Gibbons, 245 West 4th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by R. B. Ellratt and F. Cuddahy.
- By Alderman Curley—
Joseph Edward McCarthy, 437 East 135th St., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. J. Hanratty and J. H. Droge.
Harry Sherr, 354 Cypress Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by N. Synes and B. Ramez.
- By Alderman Diemer—
John Furlan, 120 Ellery St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Diemer and A. Schaefer.
Bennett Cohen, 827 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. Bamett and B. Fineberg.
- By Alderman Donnelly—
John Fanelle, 203 Spring St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. P. McCormick and B. Infeld.
- By Alderman Drescher—
Louis J. Catalanotto, 9506 Avenue L, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by R. McAvoy and W. R. Wilson.
Abraham J. Zirinsky, 1613 Prospect Pl., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by F. A. Baker and W. Socol.
Elias Silpe, 381 Pennsylvania Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. G. Rivkin and I. J. Ellis.
Herbert Cohen, 2110 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Weinberger and D. Bernstein.
Sol H. Adler, 2019a Bergen St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by L. Shapiro and D. G. Natzkin.
George David Edenbaum, 1789 Union St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. L. Mandelbaum and P. Wirth.
- By Alderman Dunn—
Charles Edwin Finken, 140 86th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by P. McCormack and J. H. Cross.
- By Alderman Friedlander—
Charles B. Plitt, Jr., 64 W. 118th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. Koler and J. H. Klein.
Abraham Solomon, 66 West 113th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. B. Libenstern and J. Jurin.
- By Alderman Gilmore—
Frank J. Gunner, 605 E. 84th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. H. Ott and P. McCormack.
- By Alderman Gutman—
Emma G. Goldbergh, 25 East 99th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. Brandinmarker and H. J. Mason.
- By Alderman Haubert—
Mary F. Flaherty, 141 Somers St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. C. Soldnay and S. C. Crane.
- By Alderman Heyman—
Max M. Lasky, 58 Cook St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. B. Parish and S. Nellys.
Gaetano D. Fasullo, 188 Montrose Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Heyman and G. Keighler.
- By Alderman Hilkemeier—
Edward J. Dwyer, 175 Melrose St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by O. Schumann and J. Storch.
- By Alderman Hogan—
Edward Alter Bank, 331 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. F. Murray and A. D. Newman.
Oswald R. McCarty, 372 State St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. J. Duclos and C. H. McCarty.
- By Alderman McManus—
Harry Oliver Reeves, 404-6 West 44th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. A. Britrane and J. E. Kleist.
Thomas F. Cain, 320 W. 46th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. Robitzek and L. Wendell, Jr.
- By Alderman Moran—
Henry Grossmann, 343 Bronx Park Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by S. E. Rapport and P. Fichel.
- By Alderman Moore—
Peter Van Varick, 66 Granite St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. J. Gilchrist and F. Trau.
- By Alderman Mullen—
Charles Rochford White, 644 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. W. Bauman and D. Barnes.
Benjamin Hunt, 226 West 140th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. Laudon and S. Manheimer.
- By Alderman Roberts—
Henry P. Dausch, 303 W. 12th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. P. Boyle and J. J. Muldoon.
Patrick H. Quinn, 648 Hudson St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. P. Boyle and J. J. Muldoon.
James D. Hines, 360 W. 15th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. P. Blue and J. F. Murphy.
- By Alderman Robitzek—
Maurice Sidney Levoff, 1116 Hoe Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by A. J. Goldsmith and C. N. Kayser.

- Eugene Odell, 683 East 170th St., Bronx.
Endorsed by C. J. Dunn and L. A. Moskowitz.
Samuel Goldberg, 1253 Franklin Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. F. Lange and H. Frankel.
Loretta M. Callanan, 963 Grant Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by A. B. Murphy and T. McCullough.
Frank Gorrill, 419 East 151st St., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. Boyle, Jr., and E. O. Austin.
Lewis Levy, 1017 Trinity Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by L. Schwartz and S. A. Kimmelfreich.
Edward Lewin, 1039 Intervale Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by L. J. Rogers and S. D. Matthews.
- By Alderman Ryan—
Joseph S. Byrne, 2112 East 14th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. J. Kelly and P. J. Keegan.
Oliver Edward Allard, 1422 Ave. J, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. H. Ohlrogge and D. Heimann.
Emanuel Siegfried, 1606 Ave. V, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. C. Taylor and M. J. Lorack.
George H. Burtis, 1023 East 12th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. F. Van Thun, Jr., and J. C. von Glahn.
- By Alderman Schmitz—
Jacob J. Cohen, 10th St. and 1st Ave., College Point, Queens.
Endorsed by R. G. Doyle and W. Sonenthal.
Francis X. McCauley, 85 54th St., Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by W. E. Coonan and J. X. Lahey.
- By Alderman Shields—
Robert Daniel Clements, 446 Manhattan Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. J. Whalen and H. Goodwin.
Jerome L. Adler, 452 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. K. Brown and M. Mullimet.
- By Alderman Smith—
Edward E. Blakeslee, Jr., 167 Madison St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. R. Potter and M. Wyler.
Isabel Gertrude Black, 491A Madison St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. Black and C. W. Smith.
- By Alderman Squiers—
William R. Lockwood, 484 Rugby Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. E. Kelly and W. W. Chere.
John D. Mahony, 815 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. L. Carr and W. G. Bushell.
- By Alderman Trau—
Frank Paul Luckes, 243 E. 106th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by N. Novello and C. Caggiano.
Helena N. Zuckerman, 108 East 116th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. Traud and F. Trau.
- By Alderman Williams—
Thomas Frederick Small, 10 West 99th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. A. O'Gara and R. Callahan.
- By Alderman Wirth—
Herman Heppenheimer, 717 McDonough St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. W. Yensen and C. S. Chappatin.
Nathan Manasse, 414 Macon St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. H. Murphy and G. Zaun.
- By Alderman Wise—
Harry J. Sneudaira, 601 West 137th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. F. Mooney and H. C. Moore.
Charles H. Dietrich, 152 West 128th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. W. Harburger and O. Reissmann.
Pedro J. Candean, Jr., 150 West 130th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. Brendler and E. R. Hickman.
Which was laid over.

No. 1323.

Resolution in Opposition to Further Centralizing of City Functions in State Boards by the Legislature.

- By the President and Alderman Curran—
Whereas, The Legislature of the State of New York has now under consideration a bill creating a Market Commission with extraordinary powers for State regulation of provisions and market facilities of all descriptions, and
Whereas, The Act contains a clause which eliminates that control of the establishment of markets in The City of New York which the City Charter wisely confers on the Board of Aldermen as a distinctive measure of home rule; be it
Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby records itself as unalterably opposed to any further centralizing of City functions in State boards, and demands that the members of the Legislature representing City districts unite in using every effort to retain to the municipal legislature this right to establish its city markets.
Which was adopted.

No. 1324.

Resolution Requesting the Corporation Counsel to Prepare an Amendment to the Charter Providing for Purchase and Sale of Necessaries of Life in Emergencies.

- By the President and Alderman Curran—
Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and hereby is requested to prepare and submit to the members of the Board of Aldermen, at the earliest possible moment, an amendment to the Charter providing for the appropriation and use of funds for the purchase and distribution, through sale, of necessities of life, whenever an emergency shall exist which, in the opinion of the Mayor, justifies such a course.
Which was adopted.

No. 1325.

Resolution for Appointment of a Special Committee to Devise Means of Relief in Present Food Crisis.

- By Alderman Drescher—
Whereas, The City of New York has been confronted with a crisis due to the high cost of living; and
Whereas, The prices now demanded for the every-day necessities of life is inflicting a great hardship upon many persons, especially those with small incomes; and
Whereas, Unless immediate steps are taken to overcome these conditions great distress is bound to ensue; and
Whereas, There is now pending in Congress legislation calling for the appropriation of \$400,000, which is for the purpose of enabling the Federal authorities to investigate, first, the causes such as any combinations that may exist for the boosting of the prices of food; and
Whereas, There is about to be presented to the State Legislature bills that will confer upon the City authorities powers enabling them to immediately relieve the City of its present plight; and
Whereas, There is also pending and to be presented in the State Legislature bills for the establishment of terminal markets which will be a means of preventing a recurrence of the City's present predicament; and
Whereas, It is incumbent upon The City of New York to use every possible means that lies within its power to secure such legislation as will remedy these conditions by encouraging the passage of the aforesaid laws; now therefore be it
Resolved, That for the purpose of co-operating with and assisting the National, State and Municipal authorities in furthering the passing of such remedial legislation as is required for the immediate relief of the pending crisis and also to permanently prevent any possible recurrence of the City's present plight, the Committee on Rules of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York be empowered to appoint a committee of the members of the Board whose duties it shall be to take such steps and do such acts as will bring about the relief sought for.
Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

No. 1326.

Resolution Authorizing the County Clerk of Bronx County to Purchase Office Furniture Without Public Letting.

- By the Vice-Chairman—
Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the County Clerk of Bronx County is hereby authorized and

empowered to purchase Office Furniture for use in County Clerk's Office by open market without public letting at a total cost not to exceed six hundred and forty dollars (\$640).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 1327.

Resolution Relative to the High Cost of Living.

By Alderman Gutman—

Whereas, a few hundred women, some with babies in their arms, came to the City Hall demanding food, and

Whereas, It is deplorable that in a time when prosperity is greater than ever before recorded in the history of the Country such conditions should exist, and

Whereas, The existence of the people depend upon the products of the farm, which has been mounting to fabulous prices, and

Whereas, Thousands of mothers in this City to-day find difficulty in nourishing their children, for they have not the means to nourish themselves, and

Whereas, The cost of living never was more difficult for the vast majority of wage earners than it is to-day, therefore be it

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen request the Honorable David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, the man through whose prestige, power and influence, the forces of agriculture can be organized that production may be increase, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of Agriculture be requested to do all in his power to protect American people from hunger and suffering through lack of food.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 1328 (Ord. No. 236).

An Ordinance Amending Section 219 of Article 16 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to Signs and Showbills.

By Alderman Schweickert—

AN ORDINANCE amending section 219 of article 16 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to signs and showbills.

Section 219. Exemption.

No part of the foregoing sections of this article shall apply to walls constructed wholly or principally of stone, marble, brick, terra cotta, concrete or other like materials, composing a masonry or monolithic wall; nor to back yard fences on the ground in the interior of a court; nor to picket fences and ornamental metal fences; nor to the usual For Sale or To Let signs.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 1329.

Resolution Granting Permission to Storekeepers, Hucksters and Peddlers to Use Streets for Sale of Wares on Account of the Jewish Holidays.

By Alderman Tolk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk and in the carriageway near the curb, on the streets and thoroughfares of the City of New York, excepting on such streets and thoroughfares on which all encroachments have been removed by direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the sale of their wares on account of the Jewish holidays, with the consent of the property owners and the Commissioner of Licenses, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians and on the carriageway for all vehicles; such permission to continue only from March 19, 1917, to April 14, 1917, inclusive, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned; the exercise of any privilege granted hereunder to be subject to supervision by the Police Department; furthermore, it is to be understood that this resolution shall not be in effect in any street where in the judgment of the Police Commissioner the privileges therein granted are apt to interfere with the religious repose of the residents or worshippers in the immediate neighborhood thereof.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of the Committee on Finance—

No. 769.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing a Resolution Relative to Establishment of a Municipal Bath House at Coney Island.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 45), the annexed resolution relative to establishment of a Municipal bath house on the Dreamland beach front at Coney Island, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee are of the opinion that a more important improvement is under way, namely, the board walk, and until such time as definite lines for said improvement are laid out this matter should be held in abeyance.

It therefore recommends the accompanying resolution be placed on file.

Whereas, The Municipal Bath House at Coney Island has proven to be a great success by accommodating thousands of men, women and children who heretofore were unable to get the benefit of the cool ocean waves as they dash upon the shore and enjoy plenty of refreshing salt water due to the excessive prices charged by the private bath house keepers on Sundays and holidays, which is the only time the working class can attend seaside resorts; and

Whereas, The present Municipal Bath House cannot adequately accommodate the many thousands who wish to take advantage of this great public benefit and consequently are turned away, especially women and children; and

Whereas, The establishment of a Municipal Bath House charging a nominal fee has proven to be self-sustaining; and

Whereas, Since the establishment of the present Municipal Bath House the City has acquired Dreamland Beach at a great expense and which is practically useless; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment through its Corporate Stock Budget Committee be respectfully requested to consider the advisability of establishing another Municipal Bath House on the Dreamland beach front, to be devoted to the use of mothers and children, with a roof garden attached, and that a report as to the advisability of carrying out this plan be made to this Board at its next regular meeting.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, FRANCIS P. BENT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, ROBERT L. MORAN, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, February 3, 1917.

Mr. JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Committee Clerk, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Mr. Flaherty—Your favor of the 31st ult., asking for a statement regarding the financial operations of the Municipal Bath House at Coney Island, was duly received.

I enclose herewith statement of the receipts and cost of maintenance and operation during the year 1911, when this bath house was first built. The first year of its operation, 1911, you will remember, it was not ready for use until late in the season, hence the small receipts for that year.

The enclosed statement, of course, only covers the cost of operation and repairs. It does not take into consideration the interest or amortization on the original cost of the bath house. The cost of the building originally was \$175,000. It was built on City property and therefore no appropriation was made for land.

If the enclosed information is not what you desire I shall be pleased to furnish anything additional at your request.

Yours very truly, L. H. POUNDS, President of the Borough.

Copy.

January 23, 1917.

Hon. E. W. VOORHIES, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—The following is a statement showing the receipts and expenditures covering the Municipal Bath, Coney Island, by years, from August 11th, 1911 (the day on which the bath opened for business), up to the close of business September 24th, 1916:

	Receipts.	
Year 1911.....	21,908 bathers	\$2,190 80
Year 1912.....	253,093 bathers	25,309 30
Year 1913.....	371,105 bathers	37,110 50
Year 1914.....	330,902 bathers	33,090 20

Year 1915.....	320,710 bathers	32,071 00
Year 1916.....	342,783 bathers	34,278 30

1,640,501

\$164,050 10

Cost of Maintenance During the Same Period.

Year.	Salaries.	Repairs and Supplies	Gas and Electricity.	Total.
1911.....	\$6,228 32	\$2,355 34	\$16 79	\$8,600 45
1912.....	24,253 81	1,487 12	187 92	23,928 85
1913.....	25,253 81	1,744 31	325 33	27,759 16
1914.....	25,614 73	2,414 09	366 57	28,395 39
1915.....	24,186 19	2,951 36	249 28	27,395 83
1916.....	23,693 40	6,859 76	157 37	30,710 53

\$148,831 21

Bal., \$15,219.

Yours very truly

L. M. SWASEY, Superintendent.

Which, on motion of Alderman Kenney, was recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1258 (G. O. 259).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance Designating Three Sites for Location of Refuse Destructors in the Borough of Queens.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 6, 1917 (Minutes, page 448), the annexed request of the President of the Borough of Queens for designation of three sites for location of refuse destructors, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee believes the sites proposed are the best available for the purpose and recommends the adoption of the accompanying ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE selecting sites to be acquired for use as a refuse destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby selects as sites to be acquired for use as a refuse destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens the following lands situate and lying in the Borough and County of Queens, State of New York, described in metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the westerly line of Eastport Street and the northerly line of Connorton Avenue, as said street and avenue are laid down upon a map establishing the lines and grades of that portion of the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and bounded by Uhland Avenue, White-stone Avenue, Jackson Avenue, Tallman Avenue and Fork Street and of Wakefield Street from Uhland Avenue to the old Village Line, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 13th day of June, 1912, and filed at Jamaica on August 21, 1912.

Thence westerly 272.50 feet along the northerly line of Connorton Avenue, as said avenue is laid down on above map, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard, the said easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard being 10 feet measured at right angles and westerly of the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard as laid down on above adopted map.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 89 degrees, 42 minutes, 07 seconds for 303.57 feet along the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard to the southerly line of Cadiz Place prolonged westerly, said line of Chesterfield Boulevard being parallel to and 10 feet westerly measured at right angles from the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard, as laid down upon adopted map above referred to.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, 00 minutes, 00 seconds for 366.53 feet along the southerly line of Cadiz Place, and prolongation thereof, to the westerly line of Eastport Street.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right for 319.16 feet along the westerly line of Eastport Street to the northerly line of Connorton Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

The second, located in Jamaica, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Sampson Street, as said Sampson Street is defined by stone monuments upon five foot offsets measured at right angles southerly from the northerly line of Sampson Street distant 103.56 feet easterly from the easterly line of Highview Avenue, as said avenue is defined by a monument line situated 5 feet westerly measured at right angles from the easterly line of said Highview Avenue.

Thence northerly along a line distant 100.08 feet easterly measured at right angles from said Highview Avenue and parallel thereto for a distance of 512.04 feet. Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, 00 minutes, 00 seconds for 154.32 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 89 degrees, 29 minutes, 50 seconds for a distance of 152.70 feet.

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Thence southerly deflecting to the right 14 degrees, 38 minutes, 10 seconds for a distance of 159.62 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 58 degrees, 00 minutes, 45 seconds for a distance of 1.89 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the left 59 degrees, 42 minutes, 00 seconds for a distance of 64.55 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the left 27 degrees, 58 minutes, 00 seconds for a distance of 83.93 feet.

Thence westerly deflecting to the right along the northerly line of Sampson Street as defined by a monument line upon a 5-foot offset southerly measured at right angles from the northerly line of Sampson Street for 79.97 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The third, located in Arverne, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the northerly line of Thursby Street (Morris Avenue) and the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue), Thursby Street (Morris Avenue) being 50 feet in width, and being defined by two monuments placed upon a line 5 feet northerly measured at right angles from the southerly line thereof; Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue) being 60 feet wide and being defined by two monuments placed 5 feet easterly measured at right angles from the westerly line thereof.

Thence northerly 200 feet along the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue) to the southerly line of Elizabeth Place as laid down upon the aforementioned map, filed at the County Clerk's Office as Map 250.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, for 355 feet, plus or minus, along the southerly line of Elizabeth Place to the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, Jamaica Bay.

Thence southerly along the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, as said line winds and turns to the northerly line of Thursby Street (Morris Avenue).

Thence westerly along the northerly line of Thursby Street (Morris Avenue) for 360 feet, plus or minus, to the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue), the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. The Corporation Counsel is hereby authorized and directed to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of said lands and premises.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall not preclude the acquisition of the above prescribed lands and premises or any part thereof, by purchase from the owner or the respective owners thereof at a price authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Sec. 4. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare two similar surveys, maps or plans of said lands and premises and file the same—one in the office of this Board and the other in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, in accordance with the provisions of section 1436 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WILLIAM P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, FRANCIS P. BENT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, ROBERT L. MORAN, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, February 6, 1917.
To the Hon. Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y.:

Sirs—In accordance with the Charter provisions, I hereby request your approval of the selection of the following sites for refuse destructors in the Borough of Queens, surveys, as shown on blueprints, of which are transmitted herewith. The sites are located in Flushing, Jamaica and Arverne.

The site at Flushing is bounded and described as follows:

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

Which was laid over.

No. 1261, 1294 (S. O. 218).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting a Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$9,000, for Paving Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, and Filing a Petition Relating Thereto.
The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 6 and 20, 1917 (Minutes, pages 539, 541), the annexed petition and request of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for Special Revenue Bonds, \$9,000, for paving Fort Hamilton Parkway, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it has been shown to the Committee on various occasions that the pavement of this roadway is in a deplorable condition. The Park Commissioner stated that he has been unable to obtain any budget allowance for this work.

The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

It further recommends that the accompanying petition be placed on file.

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 nine thousand dollars (\$9,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of paving Fort Hamilton Parkway, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WILLIAM P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, FRANCIS P. BENT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, ROBERT L. MORAN, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Fifth Street and Prospect Park West, February 17, 1917.

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

Gentlemen—You are respectfully requested to authorize the issuance of revenue bonds in the amount of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000). These additional funds are required for urgent highway repairs, as below set forth, for which no Budget allowance was made for the year 1917.

Fort Hamilton Avenue, 72nd Street to Fort Hamilton—The roadway on this section of Fort Hamilton, which is macadam, is in poor condition and very rapidly deteriorating, owing to the fact that it has not been maintained for the last two years. It is proposed to repair and provide a tar surface for a part of this section and to resurface the remainder of this section with new stone and tar top. This section of Fort Hamilton Avenue cannot, at this time, be permanently paved, owing to the fact that no sewers have as yet been installed. If this work is not performed during the roadway repair season of 1917, the roadway will soon become impassable, which will necessitate its entire reconstruction at a great expense.

It is necessary that this work should be carried out to completion just as soon as possible, and your favorable action is, therefore, urgently requested. Very truly yours,

RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, Commissioner.

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

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of New York duly passed an act known

as chapter 665, Laws of 1892, entitled "An act to provide for a system of additional boulevards or parkways in the County of Kings," and approved by the Governor May 17, 1892, which act provided:

"§1. The continuous highway extending from the Ocean parkway through the towns of Flatbush and New Utrecht to the Shore road at Fort Hamilton and known as Fort Hamilton Avenue shall from and after the passage of this act be under the exclusive charge and management of the park commissioner of the city of Brooklyn, and shall be known as Fort Hamilton parkway. The said commissioner shall make and enforce proper rules and regulations for the public use thereof; its subsequent maintenance shall be a charge upon the City of Brooklyn; and such amount as said park commissioner of the city of Brooklyn shall from time to time determine to be necessary for the maintenance and improvements of the same shall annually be raised by the board of supervisors of the county of Kings and collected in the taxes of the then current year and paid over to the said park commissioner of the city of Brooklyn."

—and

Whereas, Subsequent to the passage of the said Act the city of Brooklyn has become consolidated with and part of the greater City of New York, and the title to all boulevards, park and parkways in the former city of Brooklyn has become vested in the greater City of New York; and

Whereas, Fort Hamilton Parkway in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, has become, and now is, in a condition that is unhealthy and injurious to the residents residing thereon, and to the people having occasion to use the said Parkway because the same has not been properly paved, nor proper care been given to its maintenance; and

Whereas, On or about the 11th day of October, 1915, the Commissioner of Health of the City of New York addressed a letter to the Mayor, in which, among other things, he stated:

"During the past summer the condition of Fort Hamilton Parkway has been a cause of frequent complaint of the Department of Health because of the large amount of dirt and dust from the roadway and the ponding of water in depressions creating mosquito nuisance after rain.

"May I ask your early consideration of the matter anew, as the complaints of the citizens appear to this department as wholly justified and as the health and comfort of the users of the Parkway and adjacent residents demand a remedy for the existing conditions."

And the said Commissioner of Health on April 12, 1916, addressed a letter to the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, in which he stated, among other things:

"May I ask you to put in a request at as early a date as possible to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for funds to meet the sanitary needs of Fort Hamilton Parkway. I believe that your request should be vigorously pushed. * * * Certainly the difference of political opinion which has delayed action so long should not be allowed to jeopardize the health of the people using this roadway or living adjacent to it. The inequalities of surface of this roadway last summer allowed of a serious nuisance from dust and the frequent breeding of mosquitoes in the holes."

Now, therefore, citizens and owners and residents of property abutting upon Fort Hamilton Parkway of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and adjacent thereto, respectfully request your Honorable Board to take such action as is deemed advisable to provide funds for the repaving of Fort Hamilton Parkway to the end that the said thoroughfare may be put in proper condition, and that the nuisance thereon be abated and that the health of the residents and users thereof be not further endangered.

JAMES S. GOLD, 983 52nd St., et al.

Which was laid over.

No. 1295.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the Department of Health for Special Revenue Bonds to Provide Means for Employment of a Sanitary Superintendent.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes, page 541), the annexed request of the Department of Health for special revenue bonds, \$6,000, to provide means for employment of a Sanitary Superintendent, respectfully

REPORTS:

That according to annexed report of the Bureau of Personal Service, funds for this purpose can be obtained from the General Accrual Fund on application.

The Committee therefore recommends that this request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, FRANCIS P. BENT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, ROBERT L. MORAN, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Department of Health, Office of the Secretary, February 5th, 1917.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan:

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held January 30, 1917, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, be and it is hereby respectfully petitioned to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not exceeding the sum of \$6,000, the proceeds whereof to be applied to provide means necessary for the employment of a Sanitary Superintendent in the Department of Health at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.

A true copy.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Personal Service, February 26, 1917.

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

Sir—Your inquiry as to request of the Department of Health for \$6,000 in special revenue bonds to provide means for employment of a Sanitary Superintendent received.

The Bureau of Personal Service has recommended to the Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the restoration of the position of Sanitary Superintendent in the Department of Health, which was not requested in the departmental Budget estimate for 1917. It is further recommended that the necessary funds be transferred from Account No. 3039, the General Accrual Fund, in order to avoid authorization of the issue of special revenue bonds.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE L. TIRRELL, Director.

Which report was accepted.

No. 1298 (S. O. 219).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$750, to Provide Means for Memorial Day Observances, Under the Auspices of the Army and Navy Veterans, U. S. A.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes, page 545), the annexed resolution to provide for special revenue bonds, \$750, for the purpose of providing means for Memorial Day Observances, under the auspices of the Army and Navy Veterans, U. S. A., in 1917, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it is customary to provide funds for the purposes called for in the accompanying resolution.

The Committee recommends the adoption of said resolution.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Army and Navy Veterans, U. S. A., for the purpose of providing means for Memorial Day Observances under the auspices of said organization, in the year 1917.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 1292.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the Fire Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,818, to Pay Increase in Wages.
The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes,

page 539), the annexed request of the Fire Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, No. 5818, to pay increase in wages, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, in accordance with report of the Bureau of Personal Service, funds for these increases can be obtained from the General Accrual Fund upon application by the Fire Commissioner.

It, therefore, recommends the request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, FRANCIS P. BENT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, ROBERT L. MORAN, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

Fire Department of The City of New York, February 14, 1917.

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

Sir—In compliance with resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 2, 1917, in connection with the increased rate of compensation of painters to \$5 per diem from January 1, 1917, I have the honor to request that special revenue bond funds be authorized in the sum of \$5,818 to provide additional funds to pay employees in this department affected by the increased rate as shown on the attached schedule.

Inasmuch as the services of these employees are absolutely necessary every working day of the year, it is therefore inadvisable to reduce the number of days in the schedules which now read 277 days. Respectfully,

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

	Present Schedule, Code 1672	Proposed Schedule, Code 1672		Present Schedule, Code 1672	Proposed Schedule, Code 1672
"Shops"—			Days.		Days.
Painter	2 at \$4 00 277	\$2,216 00	2 at \$5 00 277	\$2,770 00	
Carriage Painter	1 at 4 00 277	1,108 00	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Wagon Painter	1 at 4 00 277	1,108 00	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Letterer	1 at 4 50 277	1,246 50	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Painter and Letterer	1 at 4 50 277	1,246 50	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Striper	5 at 4 50 277	6,232 50	5 at 5 00 277	6,925 00	
Painter and Striper	2 at 4 50 277	2,493 00	2 at 5 00 277	2,770 00	
Varnisher	1 at 4 00 278	1,112 00	1 at 5 00 278	1,390 00	
"Building"—					
Painter	4 at 4 00 277	4,432 00	4 at 5 00 277	5,540 00	
House Painter	2 at 4 00 277	2,216 00	2 at 5 00 277	2,770 00	
Wagon Painter (House Painter)	1 at 4 00 277	1,108 00	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Foreman House Painter	1 at 4 50 277	1,246 50	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
Varnisher	1 at 4 00 277	1,108 00	1 at 5 00 277	1,385 00	
"Alarm Service," Code 1670—					
Painter	3 at 4 00 277	3,324 00	3 at 5 00 277	4,155 00	
	26	\$30,197 00	26		
Additional amount required		5,818 00			
		\$36,015 00			\$36,015 00

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Personal Service, February 26, 1917.

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

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your communication of the 23d inst., relative to the issuance of \$5,818 in Special Revenue Bonds for the Fire Department and report thereon as follows:

The purpose of the Commissioner's request is to afford means for the compliance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of Feb. 2, 1917, recommending the increase in rate for Painters in all departments from \$4 to \$5 per day, which recommendation was the basis for the establishment of the position at \$5 per day for an unlimited number of incumbents by your Board on Feb. 20, 1917. Because of the creation of a General Accrual Fund under the provision of Section Second (f) of the 1917 Budget resolutions, it will not be necessary to issue the bonds as requested. The department will be informed of the availability of the money and will be recommended to request a transfer from the General Accrual Fund.

Very truly yours,

PAUL LOESER, Assistant Director.

Which report was accepted.

Reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades—

No. 1273.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Filing a Request of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the Creation of the Position of Assistant Medical Superintendent in Bellevue Hospital.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 13, 1917 (Minutes, page 489), the annexed request of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the creation of the position of Assistant Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this request should be made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

It recommends the matter be placed on file.

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANCIS P. BENT, W. W. COLNE, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, February 7, 1917.

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

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen to create the position of Assistant Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital, at a salary of \$2,500 a year, with maintenance. The growth of the department has imposed upon the inadequate administrative staff of that hospital so many additional duties that another assistant superintendent is necessary for the efficient execution of the work. In addition to the general executive work of the position, the Trustees contemplate assigning the following specific duties to the incumbent of the place:

1. To represent and follow up all cases under the Workmen's Compensation Law. From this source alone the City may expect a much greater income than at present and that would more than offset the amount necessary to pay the salary for the place.

2. He is to have administrative charge of all accident cases coming to the department and represent the hospital in interviews between such patients and representatives of employers, insurance companies or persons against whom claim may be made as a result of the accident for which they are being treated.

3. Supervise the work of the Registrar's Office and the Information Bureau, which are points of contact of the general public with the hospital. These branches of the service require careful supervision in the control of employees dealing with the public and the patients.

4. Assist in the administrative routine, thus relieving the First Assistant Medical Superintendent so that he may devote more time to the study of methods and planning organization and means for carrying on the work in the hospital.

Upon the creation of the place the Trustees also request an issue of special revenue bonds to pay the salary for the remainder of the year 1917. Respectfully,

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

Which report was accepted.

No. 1288.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting a Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Electrician in City Departments.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes, page 529), the annexed resolution to establish the grade of position of Electrician in City Departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the purpose of this resolution is to pay the prevailing rate of wages to Electricians in City Departments.

The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the pro-

visions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby 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 Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Electrician	\$5 00	Unlimited

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANCIS P. BENT, W. W. COLNE, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman O'Rourke, was made a General Order for the day.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Connolly, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.

No. 1289.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting a Resolution to Establish the Grades of Positions of Moulder and Coremaker in City Departments.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes, pages 531), the annexed resolution to establish the grades of position of Moulder and Coremaker in City Departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the purpose of this resolution is to pay the prevailing rates of wages to Moulders and Coremakers in City Departments.

The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

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 City departments of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Moulder	\$4 25	Unlimited
Coremaker	4 25	Unlimited

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANCIS P. BENT, W. W. COLNE, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman O'Rourke, was made a General Order for the day.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Connolly, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.

No. 1290.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting a Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Machinist in City Departments.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to which was referred on February 20, 1917 (Minutes, page 532), the annexed resolution to establish the grade of position of Machinist in City Departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the purpose of this resolution is to pay the prevailing rate of wages to Machinist in City Departments.

The Committee recommends the adoption of accompanying resolution.

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

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Machinist	\$5 00	Unlimited

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANCIS P. BENT, W. W. COLNE, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman O'Rourke, was made a General Order for the day.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Connolly, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.

No. 1284.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting a Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Marine Engineer (Uniformed Force) in the Fire Department.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 13, 1917 (Minutes, page 512), the annexed resolution to establish the grade of position of Marine Engineer (Uniformed Force) in the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee agrees with the findings contained in the report of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

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 Fire Department of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Marine Engineer (Uniformed Force)	\$1,700 00	Six.

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN McCANN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, FRANCIS P. BENT, W. W. COLNE, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman O'Rourke, was made a General Order for the day. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt such resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Connolly, by Albert C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

S. O. 213 (Int. No. 1198).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting a Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Charities to Purchase Medical Supplies Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 23, 1917 (Minutes, page 177), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Public Charities for authority to purchase medical supplies without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Mr. McKenney, Chemist of the Department of Charities, appeared before the Committee and advised the Committee that it was impossible to obtain bids on account of the unusual market conditions.

The Committee, recognizing this fact, recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase medical supplies in the open market without public letting at a cost not to exceed twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, WM. P. McGARRY, CHARLES P. COLE, PETER SCHWEICKERT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, EDWARD W. COX, JAMES J. BROWNE, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting. Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, 10th floor, January 16, 1917.

Re Open Market Purchase of Medical Supplies.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request permission to purchase in the open market without public letting \$20,000 worth of medical supplies.

The reason for this request is that the market for drugs, chemicals and kindred articles is still in a very unsettled condition, due to the war in Europe. The American manufacturers are becoming more and more in a position each day to supply these necessary items, and, as the present tendency of the market is downward, we feel that if the question of contracts could be held off for possibly six months we would be able to obtain better prices for the commodities than we can obtain at the present time.

In view of these facts, I would urge your Honorable Board to take prompt and favorable action on our request. Very truly yours,

HENRY C. WRIGHT, First Deputy Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the Vice-Chairman—65.

S. O. 214 (Int. No. 1205).

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

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 23, 1917 (Minutes, page 185), the annexed request of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to purchase two motor ambulances without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Dr. O'Hanlon informed the Committee that the ambulances required are of a special design and make and it will be difficult to obtain acceptable ambulances by bids.

The Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to purchase two motor ambulances for use of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in the open market without public letting at a total cost not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, WM. P. McGARRY, CHARLES P. COLE, PETER SCHWEICKERT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, EDWARD W. COX, JAMES J. BROWNE, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting. Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, January 17, 1917.

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

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request your Board for permission to buy in the open market, without public letting, two motor ambulances for this department, for which an appropriation was authorized in the 1917 budget. The ambulances that are required are of a special character, and it will be difficult, if not impossible, to obtain acceptable ambulances by advertising for bids. Respectfully,

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the Vice-Chairman—65.

S. O. 215 (Int. No. 1268).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting a Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Public Charities to Contract for Furnishing and Erecting Steel Work for Elevator Storehouse on Blackwell's Island Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 13, 1917 (Minutes, page 486) the annexed request of the Commissioner of Public Charities for authority to contract for furnishing and erecting the steel work for the Elevator storehouse on Blackwell's Island, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this request is due to changes in construction ordered by the Art Commission.

The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract for furnishing and erecting the steel work for the Elevator Storehouse on Blackwell's Island, in the open market without public letting at a cost not to exceed two thousand nine hundred and fifty-three dollars and ninety-five cents (\$2,953.95).

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, WM. P. McGARRY, PETER SCHWEICKERT, CHARLES P. COLE, C. AUGUSTUS POST, EDWARD W. COX, JAMES J. BROWNE, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Public Charities, of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, February 3, 1917.

Re Elevator Storehouse, Blackwell's Island.

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

Gentlemen—We request permission of your Honorable Board to enter into a contract for \$2,953.95, without public letting, with the Snare & Triest Company, 233 Broadway, New York, Contractors for furnishing and erecting the steel work for the Elevator Storehouse on Blackwell's Island.

The occasion of this request is for additional steel work required for the complete construction of this building. This additional steel, which amounts to 25.88 tons, is subdivided as follows:

Changes in the elevator shaft and machinery supports in the pent house..	10	tons
Changes to column centres and general design as directed by the Art Commission	5	tons
Changes to improve construction	3.8	tons
Additional steel to give added strength to the 4 cantilevers.....	7.08	tons

Total 25.88 tons

The steel already contracted for erection amounts to 1,120 tons. The additional steel amounts to about 2 per cent. of the original amount contracted for, which in a structure of this kind, a building 98 feet by 133 feet and nine stories high, is a very small amount. Very truly yours,

HENRY C. WRIGHT, First Deputy Commissioner.

Alderman Eagan moved that the foregoing proposition be recommitted to the Committee on Public Letting.

Which was lost.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the Vice-Chairman—57.

Negative—Aldermen Bassett, Cunningham, Dixon, Eagan, Ferrand, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, McGarry and Stapleton—10.

Excused—Alderman Bent.

S. O. 216 (Int. No. 1272).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting a Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Correction to Purchase Broom Corn Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 13, 1917 (Minutes, page 488) the annexed request of the Commissioner of Correction for authority to purchase broom corn without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Commissioner Lewis informed the Committee it is difficult to obtain a satisfactory supply by advertising, and it will be necessary to send a representative to the supply warehouses in Chicago to make the necessary purchases. The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Correction be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase broom corn in the open market without public letting, at a cost not to exceed seven thousand dollars (\$7,000).

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, WM. P. McGARRY, PETER SCHWEICKERT, CHARLES P. COLE, C. AUGUSTUS POST, EDWARD W. COX, JAMES J. BROWNE, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Correction of the City of New York, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York, February 6, 1917.

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

Dear Sir—I hereby make application to your Honorable Board for permission to purchase broom corn, not to exceed fifty tons, without public letting, in accordance with the specifications of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Early in the Autumn of 1916 this department advertised for bids on twenty tons of broom corn of a proper grade to manufacture the brooms desired by our own and other city departments. We had two bids, one at 9¼ cents per pound and one at 12½ cents per pound. The accompanying samples were sent to the Central Testing Laboratory, and the sample at the higher price was accepted there, the other was rejected. The contract was drawn and signed by the successful bidder and a delivery of five tons was made, at the price of 12½ cents. Then the man who had bid 9¼ cents per pound remonstrated to me, to the Superintendent of Industries and to the Bureau of Standards, and finally took it up with the Commissioner of Accounts. After considering the matter and taking testimony about the corn the Commissioner of Accounts recommended that the contract be cancelled and the broom corn re-advertised.

This was done and only one bid was received, from the former successful bidder, but at 19 cents per pound. Since this price seemed high beyond reason I refused to conclude the contract at these figures. I am told that by accepting a certain amount, say a third, of shorter broom corn than we have taken in the past, which can be utilized in the making of whisk brooms and small hand brooms, we can buy broom corn in the Chicago Market at a price equivalent to 12 and 13 cents here.

It seems to me that it would be well to make the attempt to get a supply of broom corn in this way, as the manufacture of brooms is work which our men can easily learn to do, and the brooms are needed by every city department to a greater or less degree.

It is my intention to request the Comptroller to appoint a representative for his department and to appoint as a representative of this department Mr. James E. King, General Foreman of the Industrial shops at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, and to send these two men, at the expense of the City, to Chicago, where broom corn may be purchased. The sales agents for broom corn have stated that they are not willing under existing market conditions to sell broom corn under existing purchasing conditions. I suggest the alternative of sending a representative of the Comptroller's department and a representative of the Department of Correction to Chicago in order to meet that situation, and I hereby make application to the Board of Aldermen for authority to purchase in the open market in accordance with specifications, without public letting.

I recognize that this is an extraordinary request. But the department must meet an extraordinary situation, the seriousness of which is well known to the Bureau of Contract Supervision, of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Commissioner of Accounts.

Inasmuch as the total expenditures, including freight and other charges, will probably not exceed \$7,000, it seems to me rather than shut down the broom industry we should make the effort to secure the broom corn at reasonable prices.

Respectfully, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the Vice-Chairman—65.

S. O. 217 (Int. No. 1142).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize the Police Commissioner to Purchase Bicycles and Motorcycles Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 9, 1917

(Minutes, page 62), the annexed request of the Police Commissioner for authority to purchase bicycles, motorcycles and automobiles without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it has given careful consideration to this request, and as the automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles are all of a special make no advantage can be had by advertising.

Past experience, under similar permission, warrant the Committee in recommending the adoption of the accompanying resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority conferred upon it, by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes and empowers the Police Commissioner of The City of New York to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, bicycles at a cost not to exceed \$5,800.00, motorcycles at a cost not to exceed \$10,000.00, and automobiles at a cost not to exceed \$8,417.50.

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCURT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, January 4, 1917. The Honorable The Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—An appropriation was made in the Police Department Budget for 1917 for the purchase of bicycles, motorcycles and automobiles. Some of the equipment is required for immediate use to replace that which has been condemned as unfit for further service.

For this reason, it is desirable that we be able to purchase new equipment as promptly as possible. Our experience in purchasing similar equipment in the past has demonstrated that there is no advantage to the City in purchasing on contract; in fact, there is a disadvantage because of delays due to the preparation of specifications, advertising, etc., and also an additional cost because of extra printing.

I request, therefore, that in accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, authorization be granted to purchase automobiles, bicycles and motorcycles in the open market instead of by contract at public letting, to the extent of the following amounts:

Bicycles	\$5,800 00
Motorcycles	10,000 00
Automobiles	8,417 50

Total \$24,217 50
I am enclosing herewith a draft of the necessary resolution, and earnestly request prompt and favorable action by your honorable body. Respectfully,
A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Burns, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Egan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Hogan, Kennally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the Vice-Chairman—57.

Negative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Browne, Cox, Dixon, Drescher, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, McGarry and Schweickert—11.

At the request of Alderman Bent the Board returned to the order of business of Ordinances and Resolutions.

No. 1330.

Resolution Authorizing Committee on Markets to Investigate Cold Storage Plants and Produce and Food Exchanges.

Resolved, that the Committee on Markets be appointed a special committee with authority to increase its membership for the purpose of conducting a special investigation of all cold storage plants and other places where food products are stored, together with all produce and food exchanges within our city.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

G. O. 256 (Int. No. 1297).

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

By President Dowling—Moritz Tolk, 97 Forsyth St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. J. Martin and R. J. White.

By Alderman Bassett—Robert J. Brown, 770 Metropolitan Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. Runkel and I. Meakim.

By Alderman Bent—Rudolph J. Vogt, 406 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. P. Mulligan and H. E. Shirk.

By Alderman Cardani—Ruth E. Clough, 1690 Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. F. Ellsworth and E. C. L. Smith.

By Alderman Cox—William H. Brunjes, Dry Harbor Road, Elmhurst, Queens.
Endorsed by S. Frontera and F. Fadel.

Henry Mollenhauer, Jr., 554 Rector St., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by S. J. Comfort and J. Striker.

August H. Schmidt, 25 Foxall St., Ridgewood, Queens.
Endorsed by C. H. Larson and S. A. Marks.

By Alderman Crane—Estella Z. Haas, 503 West 177th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. Berson and J. Finn.

Beatrice Ruth Marx, 851 West 181st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. S. Seebacher and W. E. Dunn.

Gertrude Consuelo Dwyer, 216th St. and Park Terrace, "Marble House," Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. A. O'Brien and G. Squiers.

Arthur A. Hirsch, 240 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Hoge and H. C. Davis.

By Alderman Curley—Morris Israel, 831 Hunts Point ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. Zelenks and S. Goldstein.

Murray April, 851 Hunts Point ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by M. Israel and M. G. Cohen.

Isidore J. Haber, 949 Faile st., Bronx.
Endorsed by S. Levovich and C. H. Walker.

Laura S. Moering, 1057 Jackson ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by G. E. Weller and A. W. Bailey.

By Alderman Daly—Joseph A. Wasserman, 1223 River ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by T. J. Douglas and J. F. Sullivan.

By Alderman Delaney—Samuel Ackermann, 210 East 103d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. Cherkos and L. Kranz.

By Alderman Diemer—Max Midgen, 994 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Rothenberg and A. Davis.

Samuel Zirn, 181a Vernon ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Nerbelovsk and P. Rosenblum.

Adolph C. Schieffer, 311 Linden ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. Benninger and J. Minett, Jr.

Paul Campaigniac, 319 Hart st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. R. Lord and J. J. Belmore.

Bertha Robinson, 777 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Balmach and F. L. Theilmann.

By Alderman Donnelly—Josephine Cecile Jacobs, 48 Charlton st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by C. Jacobs and B. E. Donnelly.

By Alderman Dostal—Leo Kraus, 105 East 4th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. A. Cymberg and M. M. Rubenstein.

By Alderman Drescher—Lucella Hoffmann, 1006 E. 98th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. J. McAdam and I. C. Barnes.
Bessie Ruth Bookstaver, 1325 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Brandmarker and J. J. Brosen.
Lena Jaffe, 272 Glenmore ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by B. Jaffe and M. Sabot.

By Alderman Dunn—Elias T. Hatch, 218 Bay Ridge ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. E. Dunn and J. F. Sullivan.
Alexander Andersen, 244 78th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. T. Fay and F. D. Creamer.
Ethel A. Stout, 434 59th st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by R. H. Quellers and C. A. Appleton.

By Alderman Farley—Arnold Loeffel, 44 East 58th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. Conklin and J. J. Curran.

By Alderman Ferrand—Margaret Marie Bohlen, 838 Bergen st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. B. Kennedy and M. B. F. Ryan.

By Alderman Ferguson—Max Littenberg, 225 West 110th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. Rubuck and A. N. Pearlman.
Francesco D. Pittaro, 590 Morris ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by D. Villamena and S. Allsegro.
Alfred Edward Schaefer, 763 Courtlandt ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by G. F. A. Ott and O. A. Deffan.

By Alderman Friedlander—Solomon Pulver, 275 W. 122d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. Winegarden and M. L. Hoffman.
Benjamin Roth, 1324 Fifth Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. Fleischer and S. W. Fleischman.

By Alderman Gaynor—Max Joseph Rosen, 175 Hewes St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by L. Kraus and M. Rubenstein.
Samuel Freedman, 85 Morton St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. E. Perlman and J. F. Waldron.

By Alderman Gilmore—Victor Gerard Merrill, 19 N. 14th St., Flushing, Queens.
Endorsed by J. F. Egan and F. J. Applegate.

By Alderman Glennon—Mary G. Murphy, 360 W. 23d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. E. Cavanagh and J. E. Cavanaugh.

By Alderman Goetz—John A. Hartwein, 264 Fulton St., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by E. J. Ashmead and W. F. O'Connor.
John H. Cornell, 7 Highland Ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by H. J. Mullen and W. L. Fredericks.
Almon G. Rasquin, 809 Hatch Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by J. Reilly and G. G. Schwartz.
George F. Lebohner, Jackson Ave. and Walnut St., Queens.
Endorsed by J. Wolff and W. L. Morehouse.

By Alderman Gutman—Isaac Cohen, 16 E. 96th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. Whichtig and S. D. Lasky.

By Alderman Haubert—John J. Ryan, 157 E. 8th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by C. H. Haubert and F. P. Kenney.
William John England, 171a Cooper St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by William F. Brennan and J. J. O'Donnell.

By Alderman Hilkemeier—Clarence Gordon, 195 So. 9th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by R. G. Barclay and R. Stewart.
Harry M. Armor, 184 St. Nicholas Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. C. Schmitt and M. M. White.

By Alderman Hogan—Walter William Wolff, 98 Henry St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by I. H. Cary and H. Aschner.

By Alderman McCourt—Elwood Hughes, 210 West 34th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. P. Howley and G. H. McAdam.

By Alderman McGarry—George J. Brigham, 105 Milton St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. D. Sloane and T. Morrissey.

By Alderman McGillick—Eli Bruce Levy, 51 East 129th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. Swinton and P. A. de Rosa.

By Alderman McKee—Sadie F. Sheizman, 76 W. 114th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. S. Hecht and H. T. Miller.

By Alderman Moore—Max Rothaus, 485 Jerome St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. S. Demovitch and R. T. Whalen.
Alice L. Wright, 462 Enfield St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. F. Keogh and G. W. Sniffin.
Joseph Gilbert, 283 Vermont St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. S. Gibbs and E. Endelman.

By Alderman Mullen—William A. Herman, 522 West 148th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by R. T. Black and J. I. Lannen.

Sadie Wiener, 522 W. 148th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. Loeser and E. Willvonseeder.

James F. Cheevers, 275 W. 145th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. J. Fitzgerald and W. A. Bohn.

By Alderman O'Rourke—Hugo J. Stelzner, Austin Pl., Tompkinsville, Richmond.
Endorsed by A. G. Fact and J. H. Tremack.

By Alderman Post—Gilbert W. Roberts, 185 State St., Flushing, Queens.
Endorsed by W. W. Taylor and C. E. Kelley.

By Alderman Quinn—Clarence M. Lewis, 160 W. 87th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. Fixman and H. Wolfe.

By Alderman Robitzek—Austin P. Boleman, 1712 Longfellow Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by C. B. Archebahr and T. J. Gowen.

Peter Petrone, 1718 So. Blvd., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. A. Wieri and E. Petrillo.

Louis Biloon, 8222 Boston Road, Bronx.
Endorsed by N. M. Goodman and M. Warl.

Aaron Baum, 542 E. 173d St., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. S. Kulkin and J. J. Kozinn.

Julius Austin Newman, 1034 Faile St., Bronx.
Endorsed by H. L. Turk and M. Rosenfeld.

Joseph Weiss, 1159 Vyse Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by S. Liss and M. Arnheim.

Isador Worth Freitag, 924 E. 181st St., Bronx.
Endorsed by S. Lieban and E. Kleiner.

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Endorsed by L. Newman and C. Kassomers.

Hyman Schlesinger, 1056 Hoe Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by I. N. Kahn and V. Kahn.

By Alderman Ryan—Frederick S. Oliver, 1574 E. 22d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. W. Redmond and M. R. Redmond.

Harry L. deArrastia, 625 East 14th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Walsh and J. J. Manning.
Patrick J. Reynolds, 278 Linden Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. Lyons and R. H. Dunmet.
Thomas Joseph Stapleton, 525 61st St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Kaphan and B. F. Childs.
Oliver Spitzer, 196 Marlborough Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by L. A. Koogle and W. J. Hardcroft.
Maud Bradfield, 1029 East 13th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. E. Butler and F. B. Bailey.
Elliott Coleman, 205 Webster Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. Schirmer and A. J. Dierks.
Jacob C. Jentzer, 2821 West 17th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. Moresco and W. Lumsden.
Joseph C. Moran, 718 Ave. C, West Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. O'Connell and W. Lewis.
Bertram B. Soloff, 1404 Ave. R, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Hanoburg and H. Goldschmidt.
By Alderman Schmitz—
Bernard Louis Rullman, 50 Fillmore Ave., Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by B. J. Pearlman and U. S. Fancs.
Richard M. Crowley, 24 39th St., Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by H. Heyman and James H. Cross.
By Alderman Schweickert—
L. Josephine Moses, 3413 White Plains Rd., Bronx.
Endorsed by A. M. Schwartz and H. Wahst.
By Alderman Shields—
Miriam Scofield, 205 W. 101st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. G. Samison and J. O. Skinner.
John S. Klinger, 18 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. G. Schaffner and I. Keppler.
By Alderman Squiers—
Louis I. Elson, 1063 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by N. Eelsen and A. Lipfeld.
Ernest M. Hollister, 319 Lenox Rd., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by G. Babcock and L. W. Finke.
Thomas Walworth Power, 319 E. 32nd St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Joachim and H. W. Jentz.
By Alderman Stevenson—
Antonio Nitti, 443 13th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. B. Bennitt and W. H. Kirkwood.
John P. Deery, 315 Sterling Pl., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Walsh and E. R. O'Brien.
By Alderman Sullivan—
Samuel Tilden Silverman, 236 E. 10th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. Baum and S. M. Rothberg.
By Alderman Tolke—
Samuel Schleimer, 122 Suffolk St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. Best and M. Wyckoff.
Joseph Kleinberg, 62-64 Forsyth St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. I. Schaum and H. Butimsky.
By Alderman Trau—
Leonard R. Hanower, 158 E. 111th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. J. Goldenberg and F. C. Goldsmith.
Charles H. Hang, 109 East 123rd St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. Trau and F. Dostal.
By Alderman Wirth—
Louis Waxberg, 984 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Frank and J. Wiener.
Joseph William Kelly, 255 Decatur St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. J. Spofford and J. F. Maguire.
By Alderman Wise—
Marie E. Driscoll, 213 W. 127th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Cross and J. F. Sullivan.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Glennon, Goetz, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Roberts, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolke, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, President Van Name, President Connolly, by Alfred C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; the Vice-Chairman—71.
G. O. 257 (Int. No. 1232).

Report of the Committee on Markets in Favor of Adopting a Resolution of Recommendation to the Legislature for Passage of the Cotillo-Smith Bill Relative to Cost of Foodstuffs.

The Committee on Markets, to which was referred on January 30, 1917 (Minutes, page 239), the annexed resolution of recommendation to the Legislature for passage of the Cotillo-Smith bill relative to cost of foodstuffs respectfully

REPORTS:

That it was demonstrated to the Committee by those who appeared in favor of this resolution that if proper control were had the cost of food stuff to the consumer would be materially reduced; and in the light of what confronts the public the Committee is in favor of the proposed act before the Legislature, particularly on account of the following which appears therein:

"The Commissioner shall have power to fix the price at which all such commodities sold by such licensed auctioneers through the department of foods and markets shall be sold to the consumer, and shall have power to revoke the privilege of any person so purchasing in said markets if they exact a higher price than that fixed by the Commissioner. Any person who exacts from the ultimate consumer a price higher than that fixed by the said department of foods and markets, for commodities purchased in said market, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

In consideration of the foregoing, the Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Whereas, The retail price of food stuffs and other commodities are out of proportion to the cost of hauling here; and

Whereas, The wage earner to-day is unable to meet the exorbitant demands for the cost of foodstuffs; and

Whereas, The high cost of living has been the cause of much discussion, and as a result there is being waged a relentless war to reduce the selling price of foodstuffs; and

Whereas, There is now pending in the Legislature at Albany the Smith Bill in Assembly and the Cotillo Bill in the Senate, amending the General Business Law in relation to the establishment of a Department of Foods and Markets, and granting to the State Food Commissioner the right to regulate the price of commodities; and

Whereas, This Board believes that the interests of the people of this City will best be conserved by the enactment of legislation such as has been introduced by the above legislators, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen recommends to the Legislature of the State the passage of the Cotillo-Smith Bill.

WM. P. McGARRY, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, HARRY HEYMAN, FRANK MULLEN, THOMAS M. FARLEY, BERNARD E. DONNELLY, CHARLES J. MCGILLICK, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, Committee on Markets.

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

Which was adopted, Aldermen Curran and Hogan voting in the negative.
Alderman Kenney moved that the Board do now adjourn to meet on Thursday, March 1, 1917, at 1.30 P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Thursday, March 1st, 1917, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

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

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1916.

Tenements.						
	Manhattan.	The Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Richmond.	New York City.
Old Law	35,489	4,862	34,997	1,877	379	77,604
New Law	5,424	5,554	12,411	3,735	25	27,149
Total	40,913	10,416	47,408	5,612	404	104,753
<i>Close of Same Quarter, 1915.</i>						
Old Law	35,657	4,869	35,168	1,883	383	77,960
New Law	5,239	5,255	11,883	3,521	24	25,922
Total	40,896	10,124	47,051	5,404	407	103,882
Apartments in Tenements.						
Old Law	390,795	32,878	164,681	8,116	1,485	597,955
New Law	148,510	102,015	107,550	20,209	158	378,442
Total	539,305	134,893	272,231	28,325	1,643	976,397
<i>Close of Same Quarter, 1915.</i>						
Old Law	392,485	32,882	165,373	8,135	1,497	600,372
New Law	142,639	94,777	100,236	18,437	155	356,244
Total	535,124	127,659	265,609	26,572	1,652	956,616
New Tenement Plans Filed.						
Plans	23	17	63	29	1	133
Tenements	26	23	110	78	1	238
Apartments	694	702	1,592	652	20	3,660
Rooms	3,515	2,783	6,005	3,203	77	15,583
Estimated cost.....	\$3,765,000	\$1,586,000	\$2,423,500	\$1,112,000	\$40,000	\$8,926,500
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Plans	34	77	161	34	..	306
Tenements	42	128	319	57	..	546
Apartments	1,246	3,103	3,809	481	..	8,639
Rooms	6,009	12,061	14,688	2,060	..	34,818
Estimated cost.....	\$5,770,000	\$6,325,000	\$5,808,500	\$830,000	..	\$18,733,500
New Law Tenements Erected.						
Buildings	66	114	164	85	..	429
Apartments	2,224	2,800	2,405	750	..	8,179
Rooms	11,008	11,045	9,262	3,261	..	34,576
Estimated cost.....	\$11,418,500	\$5,914,000	\$3,755,000	\$1,159,500	..	\$22,247,000
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Buildings	55	155	243	90	..	543
Apartments	1,670	3,612	3,513	766	..	9,561
Rooms	6,340	14,330	14,063	3,390	..	38,123
Estimated cost.....	\$3,779,000	\$7,053,500	\$6,131,400	\$1,263,500	..	\$18,227,400
Tenements Demolished.						
Old Law	24	2	9	2	..	37
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Old Law	41	5	22	4	..	72
Plans Filed for the Alteration of Tenements.						
Alteration plans.....	222	43	200	12	..	477
Tenements	259	49	220	12	..	540
Estimated cost.....	\$210,315	\$35,340	\$96,940	\$3,046	..	\$345,641
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Alteration plans.....	342	42	234	12	9	639
Tenements	370	50	252	16	10	698
Estimated cost.....	\$209,415	\$31,560	\$92,102	\$13,040	\$2,090	\$348,207
Slips Filed for the Repair of Tenements.						
Repair Slips	184	19	44	4	1	252
Tenements	186	20	45	4	1	256
Estimated cost.....	\$10,730	\$1,135	\$5,875	\$245	\$25	\$18,010
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Repair Slips	368	18	95	10	7	498
Tenements	370	23	96	11	7	507
Estimated cost.....	\$11,826	\$1,333	\$6,318	\$835	\$20	\$20,332
Applications Filed for Conversion of Tenements to Non-Tenements.						
Applications	17	1	42	5	..	65
Tenements	17	1	43	5	..	66
Estimated cost.....	\$31,870	\$5	\$8,697	\$20	..	\$40,592
Tenements for Which Ownership Was Registered.						
Tenements Registered..	2,343	529	1,371	154	20	4,417
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Tenements Registered..	2,421	694	1,798	219	26	5,158
Applications Received for Written Searches of Tenement Violations.						
Applications	1,966	510	1,837	83	3	4,399
<i>Same Quarter of 1915.</i>						
Applications	2,490	573	1,822	82	3	4,970
Complaints Concerning Tenements.						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916....	1,382	132	412	39	34	1,999
Received—						
Signed	1,811	134	334	17	24	2,320
Anonymous	3,659	342	1,130	316	4	5,451
From other depts.....	130	480	714	79	..	1,403
Total	5,600	956	2,178	412	28	9,174

	Manhattan.	The Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Rich- mond.	New York City.
Action Taken—						
Violations Issued—						
Old buildings.....	1,508	296	580	52	8	2,444
Alteration	64	..	..	..	2	66
Prostitution .....	..	..	19	..	..	19
Previously acted on....	294	65	165	18	..	542
Cause removed	1,786	339	313	14	2	2,454
Referred to other depts.	338	50	249	23	3	663
No basis	46	140	349	15	1	551
No action necessary....	1,742	97	402	42	5	2,288
Total	5,778	987	2,077	164	21	9,027
Pending Dec. 31, 1916.	1,204	101	513	287	41	2,146

Same Quarter of 1915.

Pending Oct. 1, 1915..	1,386	113	230	31	25	1,785
Received	6,370	685	2,484	103	35	9,677
Acted on	7,122	738	2,389	120	40	10,409
Pending Dec. 31, 1915..	634	60	325	14	20	1,053

New Building Violations Filed on Tenements in Process of Erection.

(One Violation Usually Includes Several Items.)

Pending Oct. 1, 1916....	54	219	228	23	1	525
Filed	180	375	329	74	2	960
Dismissed	162	422	238	31	1	854
Cancelled	18	29	83	14	..	144
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	54	143	236	52	2	487

Same Quarter of 1915.

Pending Oct. 1, 1915....	71	154	307	62	1	595
Filed	191	412	285	55	..	943
Dismissed	180	442	207	32	..	861
Cancelled	33	18	200	31	..	282
Pending Dec. 31, 1915..	49	106	185	54	1	395

Tenements with Violations.

Old Law—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	17,788	1,660	19,767	1,309	277	40,801
Filed	3,685	203	2,722	73	33	6,716
Dismissed	1,871	386	1,637	279	80	4,253
Pending Dec. 31, 1916.	19,602	1,477	20,852	1,103	230	43,264

New Law—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	3,244	1,526	4,714	407	15	9,906
Filed	258	202	948	82	..	1,490
Dismissed	257	229	362	183	5	1,036
Pending Dec. 31, 1916.	3,245	1,499	5,300	306	10	10,360

Illegal Conversion—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	366	147	2,316	691	92	3,612
Filed	41	16	58	54	2	171
Dismissed	153	10	235	322	16	736
Pending Dec. 31, 1916..	254	153	2,139	423	78	3,047

Totals—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	21,398	3,333	26,797	2,407	384	54,319
Filed	3,984	421	3,728	209	35	8,377
Dismissed	2,281	625	2,234	784	101	6,025
Pending Dec. 31, 1916.	23,101	3,129	28,291	1,832	318	56,671

Totals, Same Quarter of 1915.

Pending Oct. 1, 1915..	21,426	2,573	26,090	2,013	367	52,469
Filed	2,571	1,185	4,237	546	7	8,546
Dismissed	5,142	1,162	6,419	633	58	13,414
Pending Dec. 31, 1915..	18,855	2,596	23,908	1,926	316	47,601

Rooms Not Legally Lighted and Ventilated, and School Sinks.

†Rooms not legally lighted and ventilated.	960	58	3,326	317	35	4,696
*School sinks	2	..	19	96	4	119
class .....	..	..	10	4	1	17

December 31, 1915.

Rooms not legally lighted and ventilated.	2,252	57	4,493	405	49	7,256
*School sinks	2	..	19	95	4	120

Old Law Tenements With Structural Violations.

Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	1,883	171	8,903	525	121	11,603
New Cases	38	..	204	1	..	243
Defects remedied.....	85	8	48	2	2	145
Removed from tenement class	2	..	10	4	1	17
Pending Dec. 31, 1916..	1,834	163	9,049	520	118	11,684

Same Quarter of 1915.

Pending Oct. 1, 1915..	2,489	209	8,963	560	172	12,393
New cases	20	4	115	13	..	152
Defects remedied.....	254	23	261	33	26	597
Removed from tenement class	18	..	18	3	2	41
Pending Dec. 31, 1915..	2,237	190	8,799	537	144	11,907

Violation of Law in Completed and Occupied Tenements.

Fire Protection—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	10,914	615	17,278	865	171	29,843
Issued	9,738	385	8,698	258	18	19,097
Dismissed or canceled	5,500	295	2,726	60	12	8,593
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	15,152	705	23,250	1,063	177	40,347
Lighting and Ventilation—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	1,063	80	17,919	1,744	552	21,358
Issued	242	120	419	5	52	838
Dismissed or canceled	272	87	4,194	1,596	303	6,452
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	1,033	113	14,144	153	301	15,744
Paving and Grading—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	4,747	495	1,622	42	18	6,924
Issued	1,296	64	508	12	3	1,883
Dismissed or canceled	630	89	190	4	5	918
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	5,413	470	1,940	50	16	7,889
Plumbing and Drainage—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916..	13,272	1,332	12,213	311	151	27,279
Issued	6,224	416	4,290	122	35	11,087

†The difference between the present number of dark rooms with that of the previous quarter is due to a revision of the Brooklyn and Queens figures.

*There remains no school sink on tenement property in The City of New York, except where the house is vacated, where the school sink structure has been removed, but not all the requirements of the law have been met, or where the fixture cannot be removed at present owing to lack of proper sewer connection.

	Manhattan.	The Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Rich- mond.	New York City.
Dismissed or canceled	3,977	572	1,965	40	22	6,576
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	15,519	1,176	14,538	393	164	31,790
Prostitution—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	573	.....	102	2	.....	677
Issued	4	.....	19	.....	.....	23
Dismissed or canceled	206	.....	23	1	.....	230
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	371	.....	98	1	.....	470
Toilet Accommodations—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	5,802	1,044	5,913	204	57	13,020
Issued	3,342	326	1,967	62	12	5,709
Dismissed or canceled	1,900	435	970	28	5	3,338
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	7,244	935	6,910	238	64	15,391
Shafts and Courts—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	90	2	303	40	1	436
Issued	15	.....	140	3	.....	158
Dismissed or canceled	18	.....	26	3	.....	47
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	87	2	417	40	1	547
Unlawful Use of Premises—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	570	12	340	22	6	950
Issued	237	12	72	1	.....	322
Dismissed or canceled	231	3	61	3	.....	298
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	576	21	351	20	6	974
Other Alterations and Repairs—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	21,370	3,850	20,609	1,477	244	47,550
Issued	8,431	735	3,919	126	73	13,284
Dismissed or canceled	5,116	1,057	2,127	244	30	8,574
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	24,685	5,528	22,401	1,359	287	52,260
Miscellaneous Cleaning—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	14,692	1,339	6,013	232	55	22,331
Issued	4,503	363	1,681	60	12	6,619
Dismissed or canceled	2,938	463	756	26	5	4,188
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	16,257	1,239	6,938	266	62	24,762
Others—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	11,116	1,042	320	24	29	12,531
Issued	352	64	331	17	3	767
Dismissed or canceled	223	268	201	8	4	704
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	11,245	838	450	33	28	12,594
Totals—						
Pending Oct. 1, 1916.	84,209	9,811	82,632	4,963	1,284	182,899
Issued	34,384	2,485	22,044	666	208	59,787
Dismissed or canceled	21,011	3,269	13,239	2,013	386	39,918
Pending Dec. 31, 1916	97,582	9,027	91,437	3,616	1,106	202,768

Same Quarter of 1915.

Pending Oct. 1, 1915.	88,256	6,438	71,836	3,435	1,114	171,079
Issued	11,966	2,594	12,338	1,220	81	28,199
Dismissed or canceled	29,981	3,465	22,508	1,211	334	57,499
Pending Dec. 31, 1915	70,241	5,567	61,666	3,444	861	141,779

Work Accomplished.

Ceilings, walls, shafts and courts, cleaned or repaired	12,677	932	2,435	68	1	16,131
Chimneys, drains, leaders and gutters cleaned, repaired or provided	1,561	217	599	3	2	2,382
Disinfections made	10	27	11	.....	.....	48
Fire Protection—						
Buildings provided with fire-escapes ...	18	1	51	3	3	76
Other fire-escape improvements effected	11,748	611	2,921	36	16	15,332
Fireproofing	212	16	119	4	1	352
Springs provided for fireproof doors	7,185	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,185
Janitors provided .....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6
Lighting and ventilating improvements made..	779	140	5,940	1,345	295	8,499
Paving and grading....	792	118	202	3	2	1,117
Plumbing fixtures and pipes provided, removed or repaired...	3,702	521	1,635	28	18	5,904
Unlawful use of premises discontinued.....	462	13	95	7	.....	577
Water supply improvements made	781	49	174	3	.....	1,007
Water-closets, privies, school sinks and cess-pools provided, removed, cleaned or repaired	6,905	838	2,159	43	8	9,953
Other cleaning and repairs	10,133	2,639	3,142	46	13	15,973
Total	56,965	6,128	19,501	1,589	359	84,542

Same Quarter of 1915.

Total	94,650	5,346	33,014	1,194	378	134,582
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JOHN J. MURPHY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1917.

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

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

Where the word "final" is shown after the name of the payee, payment will not be made until thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the work, but all of the other warrants mentioned will be forwarded through the mail unless some reason exists why payment is to be made in person, in which event written notice will be promptly given to the claimant.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
37215	3- 8-16	2-17-17	Armory Board.	
37214	11-29-16	2-17-17	Stanley & Patterson, Incorporated....	\$1 50
37199	1-31-17	2-17-17	John F. Ferguson	58 00
37205	1- 9-17	2-17-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	97 20
			Agent and Warden Auburn Prison...	5 60

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37196	12-30-16	2-17-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	28 00	37834	1-16-17	2-20-17	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	98 00
37217	12-29-16	2-17-17	C. Schlichtmann	13 00	37826	1-17-17	2-20-17	The O'Connell Press	3 00
37204	1-11-17	2-17-17	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	10 33	36944	12-29-16. 1- 4-17	2-16-17	Koller & Smith Company, Inc.	43 60
37207	1-17-17	2-17-17	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	53 00	37115	1- 5-17	2-17-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	83 89
37208	1-16-17	2-17-17	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	20 66	37373	1- 8-17	2-19-17	William Bratter & Co.	87 50
37454	1-29-17	2-19-17	McKesson & Robbins	9 30	37372	12-27-16. 1- 8-17	2-19-17	P. J. Collison & Co.	51 74
37260	9-14-16	2-17-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	7 00	37835	1-18-17	2-20-17	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co.	27 41
37213	12-31-16	2-17-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	12 00	37440	12-22-16	2-19-17	P. J. Collison & Co.	4 44
37203	12-29-16	2-17-17	William R. Thompson	16 00	37441	1- 3-17	2-19-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	19 69
37210	1-25-17	2-17-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	10 50	37443	1- 6-17. 1-13-17	2-19-17	Remington Typewriter Company	2 90
37456	2- 2-17	2-19-17	W. F. Haigh	9 50	37839	1-23-17	2-20-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	31 50
37464	1-31-17	2-19-17	Stanley & Patterson	7 20	37447	12-29-16	2-19-17	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co.	62 35
37463	1-30-17	2-19-17	John L. Whiting-J. J. Adams Co.	6 95	37448	1-12-17	2-19-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	11 33
37462	1-12-17	2-19-17	Lux Manufacturing Co.	38 25	37371	12-28-16. 1-16-17	2-19-17	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	2 10
37461	1-23-17	2-19-17	Waterbury Co.	14 81	37378	12-30-16	2-19-17	Tiebel Bros.	16 15
37206	1-21-17	2-17-17	Samuel Lewis	10 25	37381	12-28-16. 1-16-17	2-19-17	William Bratter & Co.	45 70
37212	1- 5-17	2-17-17	John A. Casey Co.	7 50	37449	1- 8-17	2-19-17	Tiebel Bros.	31 90
37211	1- 4-17	2-17-17	National Lead Co.	10 50	37370	12-21-16. 1- 5-17	2-19-17	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co.	27 03
37457	2- 3-17	2-19-17	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	9 00	36933	12-29-16. 1- 4-17	2-16-17	Vacuo Static Carbon Co.	83 27
37465	1-18-17	2-19-17	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	19 23	36937	1-28-16. 1-11-17	2-16-17	Remington Typewriter Co.	3 60
39002	2- 1-17	2-21-17	United Electric Service Co.	\$7 20	36943	12-28-16	2-16-17	H. C. Davison & Co.	55 87
36183	12-13-16	2-15-17	B. Altman & Co.	\$138 00	36934	1-26-17. 1-29-17	2-16-17	Library Bureau	48 00
38027	2- 2-16	2-20-17	John Boyle & Co., Inc.	\$50 00	37380	12-27-16	2-19-17	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co.	46 10
37255	1-21-17	2-17-17	J. M. Kohlmeier	16 77	37383	1-16-17	2-19-17	Tiebel Bros.	3 19
36625	2- 9-17	2-16-17	Harden Contracting Co.	16 00	37368	12-29-16	2-19-17	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.	11 00
37251	1-12-17	2-17-17	William Farrell & Son	89 82	37553	1- 5-17	2-19-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	18 00
37250	1-26-17	2-17-17	Geo. Pool & Son	8 78	36607	8-31-16. 10-31-16	2-16-17	Russell & Co.	8 70
37252	1-26-17. 2- 1-17	2-17-17	The Linde Air Products Co.	24 00	32288	1-17-17	2-15-17	Armour & Co.	\$87 87
37254	1-27-17	2-17-17	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	4 50	34566	1-17-17	2-13-17	Harris Brothers Company	1,877 54
37257	1-25-17	2-17-17	The East River Mill and Lumber Co.	16 02	38570		2-21-17	Frank W. Fox, Warden	996 55
37256	2- 6-17	2-17-17	The Geo. Josephie Co.	43 78	38568		2-21-17	Joseph A. McCann, Head Keeper	5 15
37258	1-31-17	2-17-17	The Terry & Tench Co., Inc.	75 00	36217		2-15-17	New York Telephone Company	4 80
36632	2- 6-17	2-16-17	Bishop Gutta Percha Co.	37 81	36390		2-15-17	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	101 30
36618	1-31-17	2-16-17	Manhattan Sand Co., Inc.	65 00	37578		2-19-17	F. C. Vitt, Chief Clerk	237 84
37074	1-22-17	2-17-17	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.	\$38 00	35058	2- 1-17	2-19-17	District Attorney, Richmond County.	\$5 00
37080	1- 2-17	2-17-17	Evans Products Corp.	2 68	30231	1-12-17. 1-15-17	2-14-17	District Attorney, Kings County.	\$8 00
37081	12-29-16	2-17-17	The American Laundry Machinery Co.	3 00	36591	2-14-17	2-14-17	District Attorney, Bronx County.	\$87 50
37082	1- 8-17	2-17-17	Record Surgical Appliance Corp.	3 50	37503		2-16-17	M. Borsuk	20 00
37083	1- 8-17	2-17-17	Wappler Electric Co., Inc.	1 26	37506	2-13-17	2-19-17	District Attorney, New York County.	\$91 00
37063	10-27-16	2-17-17	American Thermos Bottle Co.	98 00	34511		2-19-17	Broadway Central Hotel	17 70
37055	11-21-16	2-17-17	Peters & Heins	5 25	37510		2-13-17	Frederick A. Baker	20 64
37056	12-11-16	2-17-17	Stanley & Patterson	1 50	35118		2-19-17	Ambrose M. Steinert	72 70
37051	10-31-16	2-17-17	Singer Sewing Machine Co.	13 85	35141	2- 6-17	2-17-17	Department of Docks and Ferries.	\$29,234 49
37058	12-19-16. 12-30-16	2-17-17	Borden's Farm Products Division	54 00	35122		2-14-17	Post & McCord	110 00
37065	12-26-16	2-17-17	James M. Shaw & Co.	20 00	35142	2- 7-17	2-14-17	Thomas F. Guidara	54,168 20
37062	12-27-16	2-17-17	L. Barth & Son	28 56	37929		2-14-17	Pattison & Bowns	27 00
37060	1- 3-17	2-17-17	Alpha Electric Co., Inc.	4 50	38864		2-20-17	W. S. Flynn	13 13
37059	12- 7-16	2-17-17	Hull Grippen & Co.	8 21	38866		2-21-17	Chas. W. Staniford, Chief Engineer	39 84
37070	1- 3-17	2-17-17	Patterson Brothers	1 65	35751		2-21-17	Jacob F. Hazrick, Clerk	30 80
37071	1- 8-17	2-17-17	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co.	1 35	35744		2-15-17	Richardson Saunders	630 00
37072	12-23-16	2-17-17	Tower Manufacturing Co.	24 80	37338	6-21-16	2-15-17	I. Langner	3,879 00
37073	1-16-17	2-17-17	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	81 00	37326	1- 9-17	2-19-17	J. M. Knopp	1 94
37076	1-11-17	2-17-17	Vacuum Oil Co.	55 40	37343	12-13-16	2-19-17	Geo. Damon & Sons	12 00
37077	1- 5-17	2-17-17	The Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.	11 50	37674	12-19-16	2-19-17	Frederick H. Schaupp	13 50
37078	1-24-17	2-17-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.	19 00	37668	12-20-16	2-20-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	5 60
2001		2-15-17	Department of Correction	36550	36550		2-20-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	8 75
34413	1-31-17	2-13-17	Jay P. Hopkins	\$240 00	36547		2-16-17	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co.	1 30
37365		2-19-17	Board of Coroners.	35820	36547		2-16-17	Paul Baron	2 99
35456	1-25-17	2-14-17	Fred M. Schildwachter, Inc.	\$5 60	37136		2-15-17	World Book Company	32
1949		2- 9-17	New York Telephone Co.	13 44	38204	12-18-16	2-17-17	Underwood Typewriter Co.	25 00
36753	2- 1-17. 2- 2-17	2-16-17	The Banks Law Publishing Co.	\$28 00	38205	11-25-16	2-21-17	Volta Bureau	1 50
37364	1-25-17	2-19-17	Thomas F. Darcy	\$7 50	37656	10-20-16	2-21-17	G. Schirmer, Inc.	4 75
37363	2- 9-17	2-19-17	City Magistrates' Courts.	\$5 50	35674	12-19-16	2-20-17	D. Van Nostrand Co.	27 55
37369	1-22-17	2-19-17	Hillard Manufacturing Co.	\$0 75	37675	12-20-16. 12-22-16	2-15-17	Garbutt & Co.	46 92
37358	1-31-17	2-19-17	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	\$0 75	37676	12-20-16	2-20-17	Row, Peterson & Co.	6 41
37357	2- 1-17	2-19-17	William Von Heiff	4 50	37677	12-21-16	2-20-17	The Taylor, Holden Co.	1 50
37355	2- 1-17	2-19-17	A. S. Wickert	4 50	35682	12-20-16	2-15-17	Immigrant Publication Society, Inc.	15 00
37360	1-20-17	2-19-17	Cobb-Macey-Dohme, Inc.	4 00	35688	12-14-16. 12-16-16	2-15-17	W. E. Moss	36 25
35999		2-15-17	Nickel Towel Supply	1 00	36559		2-16-17	William J. Olvany	70 36
32762		2-19-17	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	12 00	35913	12-22-16	2-15-17	Thompson, Brown & Co., Assignee of E. P. Dutton & Co.	67 10
35994	1-22-17	2-15-17	Eugene H. Tower, Inc.	1 75	37322	12-30-16	2-19-17	L. P. Gfroerer Co.	82 88
37769	2- 9-17	2-20-17	Court of General Sessions.	\$148 08	35923	12-30-16	2-15-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	10 56
37770	2- 7-17	2-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	103 50	37323	12-31-16	2-19-17	Herman Auskult	27 50
37771		2-15-17	M. A. Gilligan	32 00	37325	12-12-16	2-19-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	3 84
37768	1-31-17	2-20-17	Cobb-Macey-Dohme, Inc.	\$0 75	35912	12-19-16	2-15-17	The Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of Herman Sacks Roofing & Contracting Co., Inc.	17 00
36196	11-29-16. 1-31-17	2-15-17	The Frank Shepard Co.	\$0 75	38009	2-14-17	2-20-17	James I. Kelly	29 80
35555	1-30-17	2-20-17	T. Hanrahan & Co.	11 00	35808	12-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	24 57
35553	1-29-17	2-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	34 99	38007	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	84 07
35551	1-31-17	2-20-17	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	19 50	38010	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	70 38
35552	2- 1-17	2-15-17	Supreme Courts.	\$714 04	38011	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	41 25
37287		2-19-17	The New York Edison Co.	\$93 60	38012	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	96 88
37284	2-13-17	2-19-17	The American Law Book Co.	51 25	38013	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	30 38
37285		2-19-17	West Publishing Co.	382 25	38014	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	33 61
33040	10-31-16	2-15-17	The Banks Law Publishing Co.	90 20	38015	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	40 60
36404	9- 5-16	2-15-17	County Clerk, Richmond County.	\$7 72	38016	2-14-17	2-20-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	24 38
36420	11-24-16	2-15-17	County Clerk, Queens County.	\$1 00	37976	1-13-16	2-15-17	Title Guarantee & Trust Company	35 63
37309	1-31-17	2-19-17	Plaut Bros.	\$25 53	37644		2-15-17	Neostyle Envelope Co.	29 40
36441	11-25-16	2-15-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$0 55	38202		2-20-17	Hobart H. Todd	21 33
36409	11-23-16	2-15-17	Postal Telegraph-Cable Co.	\$64 75	36654		2-21-17	Anna H. Wilcox	9 10
36419	11-29-16	2-15-17	The Marine Biological Laboratory	11 37	37671	2- 2-17	2-16-17	M. J. Tobin	6 47
36443	11- 3-16	2-15-17	Atlas Seating Co.	2 00	35973	11-14-16	2-20-17	E. I. Horsman Co.	33 90
36387		2-15-17	Johnson Service Co.	33 08	35880	12- 6-16. 12-11-16	2-15-17	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	32 50
36442	10- 6-16	2-15-17	Palo Co.	25 75	35672	11-14-16	2-15-17	L. P. Gfroerer Co.	76 05
36429	11-25-16	2-15-17	The Marine Biological Laboratory	67 88	35670	11-23-16	2-15-17	Garbutt & Co.	45 53
36411	6-16-16	2-15-17	Chivers Bookbinding Co.	161 30	37324	12-19-16	2-15-17	Patrick A. McCauley	54 54
36388		2-15-17	Pattison & Bowns	1,490 31	37318	1- 2-17	2-19-17	L. P. Gfroerer Co.	77 85
36399	1-23-17	2-15-17	Stanley & Patterson	144 15	35622	12- 6-16	2-19-17	James I. Kelly	28 36
36400	1-31-17	2-15-17	Edison Lamp Works of General Electric Co.	107 25	37336	12-30-16	2-19-17	Henry Saal	13 00
37832	12- 2-16	2-20-17	Board of City Record.	\$21 00	37335	12-30-16	2-19-17	Max Jackel	10 75
					37330	12-30-16	2-19-17	Philp & Paul	27 16
					35903	12- 4-16	2-15-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	3 12
					36548		2-19-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	3 84
					36658		2-19-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	10 32
					36546		2-19-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	7 20
					35936		2-15-17	James J. Fay	25 80
					35933		2-16-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	43 45
							2-16-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	6 14
							2-16-17	Knickerbocker Ice Company	1 34
							2-15-17	Nathan Strauss, Inc.	1,047 03

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36655	11-20-16. 12- 9-16	2-16-17	M. J. Tobin.....	2 54	39156	2-23-17		Vito Giordano	39 00
35859		2-15-17	Schrock & Squires.....	109 14	39155	2-23-17		Hattie Brady	100 00
35749		2-15-17	E. Rutzler Co.	900 00	39154	2-23-17		Mercantile Stores Corp., as Assignee of the H. B. Clafin Co.....	812 50
35748		2-15-17	Leslie & Tracy, Inc.....	996 30	39158	2-23-17		Victoria E. Bea.....	225 00
36311		2-15-17	E. B. Latham & Co.....	157 91	39159	2-23-17		The Corn Exchange Bank.....	110 00
31617		2- 5-17	Frank J. Felgenhauer Company, Inc.....	247 00	39160	2-23-17		Alexander Campbell Milk Co.....	250 00
31619		2- 5-17	Frank J. Felgenhauer Company, Inc.....	8,924 81	39162	2-23-17		Eldred A. Carley, as Sole Surviving Executor of and Trustee Under the Last Will and Testament of Milton H. Robertson, Deceased	450 00
36310		2-15-17	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.....	540 00				Henry Ruhl	150 00
36267		2-15-17	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	756 01				Hugh Cavanaugh	475 00
35932		2-15-17	William J. Belford, Trading as P. Belford & Son.....	2,867 25				Francis Livingston Wandell, Executor, and Josephine Wandell Gill, Executrix of the Estate of Townsend Wandell, Deceased	187 50
37333	1-23-17	2-19-17	Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	23 00	39421	2-23-17		Alumnae Association of the Bellevue Training School for Nurses.....	675 00
37344	4- 3-16	2-19-17	The Celluloid Co.....	75	39420	2-23-17		Thomas G. Field, as Trustee of the Estate of Henry Weil.....	135 00
36309		2-15-17	Harry Klein	365 00	39419	2-23-17		Alfred P. Coburn and Caroline A. Cummings	105 00
36308		2-15-17	Ohlhausen & Veit	1,198 80				Mrs. Fannie Bagatell	75 00
35809		2-15-17	Bacon Coal Co.....	1,456 97				Theodore C. Eppig, as Executor of the Estate of Joseph Eppig, Deceased.....	75 00
36552		2-16-17	O. M. Gottesman	5 95	39422	2-23-17		Charles E. Coffey, Ind., and as Committee of the Person and Property of Emma Coffey	150 00
36536		2-16-17	The Pathscope Co. of America.....	11 25	40376	2-26-17		Jacob Marx	90 00
36538		2-16-17	Paul Baron	21 98	40375	2-26-17		Cecelia Kaicher	75 00
35805		2-15-17	Paul Baron	34 20	40374	2-26-17		Sophie Weiss	75 00
35816		2-15-17	Milton Bradley Company.....	695 75	40373	2-26-17		Antonio Maviglia and Studia Maviglia	120 00
36269		2-15-17	Hinds, Noble & Eldredge.....	1,568 87				S. Gottlieb	45 00
35792		2-15-17	H. C. Hallenbeck.....	465 10				George W. M. Clark.....	550 00
35799		2-15-17	Neostyle Env. Co.....	112 55				Charles J. Cavanaugh.....	560 00
35789		2-15-17	H. C. Hallenbeck	114 00				Ernest R. Eckley	845 00
35791		2-15-17	H. C. Hallenbeck	878 95				Manton M. Wyvell	40 00
35796		2-15-17	Paul Baron	7 45				Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn	1,326 79
35797		2-15-17	Paul Baron	195 19	39975	2-26-17		Hope Farm	2,223 72
36268		2-15-17	Milton Bradley Company.....	598 76	39974	2-26-17		House of Mercy.....	909 18
35752		2-15-17	The Keystone Type Foundry.....	320 90	39970	2-26-17		German Hospital of Brooklyn.....	1,539 77
35874	11-21-16. 11-25-16	2-15-17	Allyn & Bacon	287 64	39973	2-26-17		Blythedale Home for Tubercular Crippled Children	279 91
35649	12- 1-16. 12- 9-16	2-15-17	Michael Fogarty, Inc.....	106 12				Asylum of St. Vincent De Paul.....	863 75
35631	12-15-16	2-15-17	Atlantic National Bank, Assignee of Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	264 00	39971	2-26-17		Realty Associates	140 00
			Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	154 88	40350	2-26-17		Hugh Quinn	130 00
35641	12- 8-16. 12-22-16	2-15-17	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.....	108 95	40351	2-26-17		Frederick C. Trowbridge, as executor of the estate of Henry Trowbridge, deceased	150 00
35646	11-24-16. 12-28-16	2-15-17	Paul Baron	103 50	40605	2-27-17		Antonio Loughitano	4 35
36306		2-15-17	T. A. Clarke Co.	20,206 48	40606	2-27-17		Berkley Booker	19 04
36307		2-15-17	Milton G. Reeves	512 10	40607	2-27-17		Edmund F. Lutz	1 46
35875	12- 4-16	2-15-17	Patterson Brothers	207 00	40608	2-27-17		Ben Moskowitz	44 62
35823		2-15-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	544 65	40609	2-27-17		William Pasternach	26 16
36313		2-15-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	406 56	40610	2-27-17		James Wright	30 78
36266		2-15-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	565 87	40611	2-27-17		Charles J. Eisele	4 56
35808		2-15-17	C. H. Reynolds & Sons.....	529 42	40625	2-27-17		Timothy Fitzmaurice	57 66
35807		2-15-17	Richmond Ice Co.	943 49	40624	2-27-17		Timothy McCarthy	20 07
35658	12-10-16	2-15-17	Keasbey & Mattison Company, Assignee of Charles J. Weinz	144 00	40623	2-27-17		William J. Decker	12 05
35709	12- 4-16. 12-12-16	2-15-17	Lorenzo & Byrns	153 34	40622	2-27-17		Charles R. Goutches	63 84
36260		2-15-17	The Holden Paper Co., of Newburgh, Assignee of the Smith Tablet Co., Inc.....	283 44	40621	2-27-17		Palo Turano	16 72
35716	10-23-16. 11- 4-16	2-15-17	The National Folding Box & Paper Co.....	133 00	40620	2-27-17		William McKinley	90 00
35742		2-15-17	William Kreisberg	394 00	40619	2-27-17		Thomas S. Dolan	90 00
35743		2-15-17	J. M. Knopp	1,336 50	40617	2-27-17		Margaret McCarthy	22 42
35750		2-15-17	New York Construction Co.....	450 00	40618	2-27-17		James D. Reid	4 29
			Department of Finance.		40616	2-27-17		Eugene O'Reilly	153 24
36451	46347	2-15-17	John H. Eckhoff, Jr.....	256 83	40615	2-27-17		William J. Moore	9 61
			Department of Health.		39977	2-26-17		Leake and Watts Orphan House	689 22
35832	1-22-17	2-15-17	Wm. Ladew Feed Co., Inc.....	41 81	41361	2-28-17		Bernard Quinn	4 87
32157	12-12-16	2- 6-17	The H. B. Clafin Corporation	36 85	41362	2-28-17		Charles P. Schwindt	30 43
36254	8- 1-16	2-15-17	Oriental Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.....	149 20	41363	2-28-17		John McCann	14 42
38758		2-21-17	Robert J. Wilson, M. D., Director	8 40	40634	2-27-17		Catherine Reinhardt or Frank X. McCaffry, attorney	1,543 70
38039		2-20-17	John J. Cronin, M. D., Asst. Director	14 55	40351	2-26-17		Mathilde Protzmann	55 00
38043		2-20-17	John J. Cronin, M. D., Asst. Director	14 10	40352	2-26-17		Excelsior Estates Company	5,000 00
38047		2-20-17	New York Telephone Company.....	94 29	40353	2-26-17		H. N. Flanagan, as agent for John B. Simpson	108 33
38048		2-20-17	John J. Cronin, M. D., Asst. Director	1 10	40355	2-26-17		Morris Siegel and Louis Levine	20 00
38050		2-20-17	John J. Cronin, M. D., Asst. Director	7 70	39901	2-26-17		Church of St. Margaret	390 00
38038		2-20-17	John J. Cronin, M. D., Asst. Director	47 15	39900	2-26-17		Agnes V. Cunningham, executrix, and John A. McCarthy and Thomas Regan, as executors of the estate of William F. Cunningham, deceased	2,000 00
35835	1-31-17	2-15-17	Library Bureau	4 68	39899	2-26-17		Uptown Talmud Torah Association	1,450 00
36800	1-11-17	2-16-17	Underwood & Underwood, Incorporated	6 00	39898	2-26-17		Frank W. Lahey and Maria Farrell	58 50
36801	1-20-17	2-16-17	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.....	1 20	39897	2-26-17		George B. Raymond and Ferdinand V. Morrison, Jr.....	37 50
36797	1-16-17	2-16-17	L. Sonneborn Sons, Inc.....	50				Enterprise Social and Benevolent Association	112 50
36796	1-24-17	2-16-17	Medical Society of the State of New York	2 50	39895	2-26-17		Seaside Hose and Engine Co. No. 1	187 50
35839	1-29-17	2-15-17	Medical Society of the State of New York	15 00	39894	2-26-17		Atlantic Engine Co. No. 1; Frank Baldwin, trustee	150 00
35836	1-29-17	2-15-17	William H. Thompson	60	40626	2-27-17		Michael Ryan	25 00
36805	1-25-17	2-16-17	The Lignum Chemical Works	4 00	40627	2-27-17		Henry Kratch	10 71
36803	1-26-17	2-16-17	S. M. Wood	10 00	40628	2-27-17		Andrew Flood	8 82
36235	12-28-16	2-15-17	American Steel & Wire Company	215 64	40629	2-27-17		Michael Barone	40 60
36317		2-15-17	Clinton & Russell	433 95	40630	2-27-17		Harry T. Jones	40 60
35323	9-14-16	2-14-17	Gane Brothers & Co.....	12 25	40631	2-27-17		Joseph Littrell	64 04
36237	1-15-17	2-15-17	McCall Incinerator Company	102 00	40632	2-27-17		Joseph Gregory	12 27
36812	12-12-16	2-16-17	Rex Radiator & Mfg. Co.....	13 50	40633	2-27-17		Julius Martins	16 69
36814	10-12-16	2-16-17	P. O'Brien	10 00	40592	2-27-17		Thomas Barrett	22 50
35825	12-21-16	2-15-17	The Watters Laboratories	106 80	40593	2-27-17		John A. Grese	7 70
			Board of Inebriety.		40594	2-27-17		Felix Frizella	5 96
38093	11-30-16	2-20-17	The Western Union Telegraph Company, Inc.....	83	40595	2-27-17		Thomas Taylor	51 05
38085	1- 1-17	2-20-17	Seely Quackenbush	5 15	40596	2-27-17		John Kelly	12 86
38090	10-30-16	2-20-17	David Vance	9 00	40597	2-27-17		Vincenzo Muscatello	40 01
38088	1-15-17	2-20-17	William H. Thompson	3 50	40367	2-26-17		Mrs. Lizzie Monday	120 00
35784	1-23-17	2-15-17	E. N. Little's Sons	2 00	40366	2-26-17		The New York Throat, Nose & Lung Hospital	225 00
38092	12-30-16	2-20-17	The Western Union Telegraph Company	3 53	40365	2-26-17		Abraham Berkman, as Assignee of Samuel Chalossow	75 00
			Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.		40364	2-26-17		Joseph De Lucia	120 00
37550		2-19-17	New York Telephone Company.....	14 81	40361	2-26-17		Rev. Patrick Cherry	375 00
			Department of Licenses.		40362	2-26-17		Land Realty Company, Inc.....	375 00
35102	2- 3-17	2-14-17	The General Fireproofing Co.....	37 58	40360	2-26-17		Stuard Hirschman	1,148 25
			Law Department.		40359	2-26-17		B. Theresa Kelly, Assignee of George W. Plunkitt and E. L. Bushe, as Trustees for B. Theresa Kelly and others	1,000 00
34538	1-25-17	2-13-17	E. Belcher Hyde	\$100 00					
			Miscellaneous.						
39135		2-23-17	Mary Olmstead	\$83 33					
39137		2-23-17	Amelia M. Malone	60 00					
39153		2-23-17	Catherine M. Bremer.....	75 00					
39152		2-23-17	Martin F. Ficke	150 00					
39157		2-23-17	Rev. Patrick Cherry	225 00					
39207		2-23-17	Gilroy Realty Co.....	225 00					
39144		2-23-17	The Loretta Corp.....	350 00					
39145		2-23-17	The Loretta Corp.....	75 00					
39146		2-23-17	Isaac Levy	75 00					
39143		2-23-17	Property Realization Co.....	13 00					
39142		2-23-17	W. J. Patterson	100 00					
39141		2-23-17	Queens Plaza Court, Inc.....	12 50					
39140		2-23-17	Marv J. McCartie.....	55 00					
39139		2-23-17	C. W. Dellett	83 33					
39138		2-23-17	Jeanne M. Copeland	83 33					
39163		2-23-17	Anable Avenue Factory Corp.....	6,800 00					
39136		2-23-17	Queens Plaza Court, Inc.....	60 00					
39161		2-23-17	Michael Pisapia	525 00					

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40358		2-26-17	Paul F. Pyburn, as Executor, and Mary E. Pyburn as Executrix of the Estate of John J. Pyburn, Deceased	105 00	36363	11- 1-16	2-15-17	of The City of New York, trustee, for account of Street Opening Fund	185 83
40357		2-26-17	Patrick Purcell	150 00	36364	11- 1-16	2-15-17	Elmhurst Bridge Garage	31 96
40356		2-26-17	James S. Herrman	1,750 00	36365	12-13-16	2-15-17	Elmhurst Bridge Garage	32 35
40354		2-26-17	William Horrmann and Charles Horrmann, as Executors of the Estate of A. Horrmann, Deceased	20 00	37901		2-20-17	Elmhurst Bridge Garage	31 60
					36371	1-30-16	2-15-17	Frank Fredericks	80 00
40613		2-27-17	Theodore Engler	31 38			2-15-17	Strang Auto Garage Co., Inc.	34 88
40612		2-27-17	Samuel Brown	1 58				President of the Borough of Richmond.	
40598		2-27-17	Jacob Weinstein	20 30	35482		2-14-17	Thaddeus Carlin	\$40 00
40591		2-27-17	John T. Roche	39 15	35481		2-14-17	Harry R. Denyse	40 00
40599		2-27-17	Hugh J. Walsh	4 38	37538	2- 2-17	2-19-17	C. J. Tagliabue Mfg. Co.	9 00
40600		2-27-17	Isaac Cooper	2 98	37536	9-29-16	2-19-17	Northwestern Electric Equipment Co.	14 83
40601		2-27-17	Pietro Benedetto	27 69	37534	1- 1-17	2-19-17	George C. Knesel	72 50
40602		2-27-17	Michele Cherevino	44 82	35480		2-14-17	Cornelius C. Jones	25 00
40603		2-27-17	James Brennan	9 85	35479		2-14-17	Samuel W. Benedict	25 00
40604		2-27-17	Dominick Crea	1 49				Public Service Commission.	
			National Guard.		36471		2-15-17	Powell Building	\$150 00
39869	2-15-17. 2-20-17	2-26-17	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association	1,162 55	36461		2-15-17	William C. Bergen	41 66
39870	2-17-17	2-26-17	Navy Young Men's Christian Association	1,945 00	36475		2-15-17	United States Realty and Improvement Company	50 00
			Central Purchase Committee.		36463		2-15-17	Isaac J. Dukore	25 00
36633	1- 4-17. 1-19-17	2-16-17	Evans Products Corporation	31 50	36472		2-15-17	William H. Reynolds	125 00
29207		1-27-17	S. C. Richards	200 00	36462		2-15-17	Willard S. Burrows Company, agent for Childs Co.	125 00
			Department of Parks.		36476		2-15-17	United States Trust Co. of New York, trustee for estate of E. J. Donnell, deceased	45 00
35777	12- 1-16. 1- 2-17	2-15-17	James Mulligan	70 50	36468		2-15-17	Charles F. Noyes Co., agent for Joseph Fahys & Co.	125 00
38486		2-21-17	John J. McCarthy	17 88	36474		2-15-17	The Schaefer Company	166 67
37569		2-19-17	New York Zoological Society	6,885 55	36473		2-15-17	Thomas E. Ritter, attorney	114 00
37740	1-19-17	2-20-17	Library Bureau	1 31	36564	1- 2-17. 1-31-17	2-15-17	William Bratter & Co.	111 95
37741	1-10-17	2-20-17	The Rotospeed Company	2 75	36505	1-17-17. 1-23-17	2-15-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	108 80
37744	1-16-17	2-20-17	A. H. Hews & Co., Inc.	1 88	36494	12-18-16. 12-28-16	2-15-17	Correct Printing Co., Inc.	263 57
37759	1-19-17	2-20-17	Knight & Struck Company	8 00	36499	12-11-16	2-15-17	J. J. Little & Ives Co.	246 75
37752	1-25-17	2-20-17	West Disinfecting Company	60 00	36487	1-29-17	2-15-17	Title Guarantee and Trust Company..	603 75
37758	1-25-17	2-20-17	J. & T. Adikes	29 00	39185		2-23-17	Kelsey, Suydam & Mollenhauer, agents for William C. Schirmer, executor for the estate of William Schirmer	25 00
37754	1-25-17	2-20-17	Stumpp & Walter Co.	10 00			2-23-17	Mary J. Odell	70 00
37753	1-26-17	2-20-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	35 00	39188		2-23-17	Mary J. Odell	35 00
37760	1-31-17	2-20-17	Bell & Valk, Inc.	5 00	39183		2-23-17	A. W. Cherrington, agent for Title Guarantee and Trust Co. of Brooklyn, executor of the estate of Margaret V. McNulty	20 00
37742	1-12-17. 1-15-17	2-20-17	Armour & Company	16 75			2-23-17	Montrose Realty Company	30 00
37756	1-26-16	2-20-17	Pain's Manhattan Beach Fireworks...	16 25	39189		2-23-17	Plaza Improvement Co.	95 00
37750	1-30-17	2-20-17	Chas. E. Miller	13 68	39184		2-23-17	Mary Childs	40 00
37743	1-15-17. 1-19-17	2-20-17	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison.	18 00	39191		2-23-17	Weinbros Real Estate Co.	266 66
37746	1-29-17	2-20-17	Tisdale Lumber Company	24 40	39187		2-23-17	National Railway Publication Company	330 00
37739	1- 5-17	2-20-17	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons	24 75	39178		2-23-17	F. E. Kalbrenner, trustee for the estate of Hugo Wesch	80 00
37748	1-26-17	2-20-17	Martin A. Meyer, Jr., Co.	10 35	36464		2-15-17	Harry Goodstein Realty Co.	30 00
37755	1-30-17	2-20-17	Carroll A. Piper	12 80	34080		2-10-17	Altoria Realty and Construction Co..	7,898 17
37751	1-26-17	2-20-17	Nason Manufacturing Co.	22 50	36500	5-31-16	2-15-17	J. B. Lyon Company	100 69
35772	9-14-16	2-15-17	Department of Docks and Ferries ..	393 00	39199		2-23-17	The Chamberlain of The City of New York	56 53
34261	1- 9-17	2-10-17	William Farrell & Son	1,054 80			2-23-17	The Chamberlain of the City of New York	25 23
35780	11-29-16. 12-30-16	2-15-17	The Citizens Water Supply Co. of Newtown	106 34	36485	3-27-16	2-15-17	The Tribune Association	336 00
35779	12-31-16. 1- 1-17	2-15-17	Jamaica Water Supply Co.	153 37	36486	3-24-16	2-15-17	The New York Times	378 00
35769	9-11-16. 12- 7-16	2-15-17	Pure Oil Company	164 56	36482	3-22-16	2-15-17	The Globe & Commercial Advertiser.	216 00
			Police Department.		36483	3- 9-16	2-15-17	Sun Printing & Publishing Association	308 00
37278	2- 1-17	2-17-17	Albert Freyer	\$92 00	36510	1-10-17. 1-23-17	2-15-17	Zincograph Company	153 00
37276	2- 1-17	2-17-17	Patrick J. May	6 00	36467		2-15-17	Charles F. Noyes Co., Agents	83 34
36910	1-11-17	2-16-17	Spratt's Patent Am., Ltd.	41 55	36121	12-30-16	2-15-17	Castleton Motor Car Co.	6 42
37261	2- 7-17	2-17-17	Prest-o-Lite Company	1 75	36205		2-15-17	Russell & Co.	1,116 51
37401		2-19-17	John J. Zipp	111 00	35335	12-19-16	2-14-17	Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Company	118 00
37391		2-19-17	Thomas S. Hughes	4 93	35345	12-29-16	2-14-17	John Wanamaker, New York	72 00
37277	1- -17	2-17-17	Sam Giles	10 00	38101		2-20-17	Edward S. McSweeney, Medical Superintendent	7 20
36902	2- 7-17	2-16-17	Motor Car Equipment Co.	89 40	35364	12-30-16. 1-18-17	2-14-17	Evans Products Corporation	96 50
			President of the Borough of Manhattan.		38103		2-20-17	Walter H. Conley, Medical Superintendent	3 00
30634		2-14-17	Walton Contracting Co.	\$2,989 23	36075	2- 1-17	2-15-17	L. Crocco & Sons	32 70
35986		2-15-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	696 01	36066	1-21-17	2-15-17	B. Ackermann Co.	60 00
36222	12- 8-16	2-15-17	Mead-Morrison Manufacturing Co.	34 00	36135	12- 4-16	2-15-17	John W. Sullivan Co.	7 71
37482		2-19-17	Charles N. Kent, Chief Inspector of Buildings	6 35	36114	12-30-16	2-15-17	Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.	153 00
36225	12-26-16	2-15-17	E. B. Latham & Company	17 80	35446	12-27-16	2-14-17	Sterling Top & Equipment Co., Inc.	85 00
35985		2-15-17	W. J. Fitzgerald	162 95	36113		2-15-17	General Motors Truck Company	1,598 00
36331	1-22-17	2-15-17	American Mason Safety Tread Co.	28 00	35409	1-26-17	2-14-17	Neptune B. Smyth, Inc.	620 00
36332	1-22-17	2-15-17	McGlynn, Hays & Co., Inc.	20 00	38100		2-20-17	A. M. Wilson, Director	3,027 00
36349	5-18-16	2-15-17	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.	83 03	38162		2-20-17	Walter H. Conley, Medical Superintendent	32 95
35984		2-15-17	Warner, Quinlan Asphalt Company	80 43			2-20-17	C. B. Bacon, Medical Superintendent..	5 45
35988		2-15-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	14,011 20	36075	2- 1-17	2-15-17	F. Wagner & Son	15 00
36358	12-12-16	2-15-17	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.	160 00	36066	1-21-17	2-20-17	Frank Doyle, Bookkeeper	79 96
33556		2- 8-17	Aaron H. Rosenberg & James M. Vincent	375 41	36135	12- 4-16	2-20-17	Frank Doyle, Bookkeeper	300 00
36348		2-15-17	The Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn.	279 00	36114	12-30-16	2-15-17	Henneberger & Herold	2,305 41
36325	1-16-17	2-15-17	Dickerson, Van Dusen & Co.	168 19	35446	12-27-16	2-15-17	Charles F. Matlage & Sons	1,415 18
36227	9-30-16	2-15-17	The Aztec Asphalt Company, Inc.	112 49	36113		2-15-17	The Fleischmann Co.	244 40
36337	8-11-16	2-15-17	The Canton Art Metal Company	107 50	36114		2-15-17	Joseph Seeman	5,903 54
36343	12-30-16	2-15-17	The Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company	142 02	36113		2-15-17	J. F. Gylsen	127 50
35987		2-15-17	The Asphalt Construction Co.	5,134 50	36113		2-15-17	Lewis De Groff & Son	363 00
36322	1-15-17	2-15-17	474 W. 130th St. Garage, Inc., W. E. Thompson, Manager	1,740 60	36113		2-15-17	Conron Brothers Company	1,318 68
36226	10-12-16	2-15-17	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company	164 42	39117		2-15-17	John Bellmann	615 06
			President of the Borough of The Bronx.		36197		2-15-17	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of the City of New York	1 25
36818	11-21-16. 1-15-17	2-16-17	Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company	\$29 65	36203		2-15-17	Armour & Company	358 40
36836	2-10-17	2-16-17	Hopkins & Co.	8 75	36206		2-15-17	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	520 42
36843	1-29-17	2-16-17	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison...	5 87	36112	12-27-16. 1-19-17	2-15-17	Swift & Company, Inc.	687 65
36830	2- 3-17	2-16-17	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	2 92				Oriental Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.	221 60
36833	1-19-17. 2- 6-17	2-16-17	The Auto Supply Co.	8 10	36088	1-16-17	2-15-17	H. J. Heinz Company	192 00
36835	2- 7-17	2-16-17	J. P. Duffy Company	9 00	36077	1-15-17	2-15-17	Lewis De Groff & Son	253 57
36834	2- 8-17	2-16-17	American Steam Pump Company	7 20	36688		2-16-17	Swift & Co., Inc.	69 35
36842	2- 6-17	2-16-17	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	34 39	36214		2-15-17	Bacon Coal Company	1,907 67
36827	2-13-17	2-16-17	Boreal Ventilator Co.	31 86	35401	1- 6-17	2-14-17	B. Diamond	110 00
36826	2-13-17	2-16-17	Eugene Dietzgen Co.	13 80	36094	1-17-17. 1-18-17	2-15-17	Chas. Zeller & Son	137 98
36840	2-13-17	2-16-17	Tremont Auto & Carriage Works	18 00	36215		2-15-17	B. Nicoll & Company	1,683 73
			President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		36213		2-15-17	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.	840 00
38111		2-20-17	Wm. J. Shea, Engineer	\$90 65	36212		2-15-17	Pattison & Bowns	4,785 60
36977	2- 1-17	2-16-17	H. E. Spicer Co.	4 50	36211		2-15-17	B. Nicoll & Company	2,177 95
36985	2- 2-17	2-16-17	Van Brunt Tandy	14 75	36057	12-26-16	2-15-17	Hydro-Dar Waterproofing Co., Inc.	230 00
36970	2- 1-17	2-16-17	J. Morris	35 00	36111	12-29-16. 1-19-17	2-15-17	Bloomington Bros.	111 81
36988	1- 8-17	2-16-17	Keuffel & Esser Co.	4 00	36072	1-20-17	2-15-17	Bleeker & Simons	600 88
36969	2-14-17	2-16-17	Geo. M. Eddy & Co., Inc.	17 75	36076	1- 6-17. 1-20-17	2-15-17	L. Crocco & Sons	178 63
36972	1-19-17	2-16-17	C. W. Keenan	1 50	36098	12- 4-16	2-15-17	Whitney & Kemmerer	1,069 78
36974	1-31-17	2-16-17	Henry Grashorn, Inc.	1 75	36115	1-13-17	2-15-17	The Knight Tire and Rubber Co. of New York, Inc.	423 50
36975	2- 1-17	2-16-17	J. Morris	6 48					
38109		2-20-17	James J. Byrne, Chief Clerk	39 20					
38110		2-20-17	William J. Shea, Engineer in Charge..	5 35					
35500	2- 1-17	2-14-17	The Bedford Auto Top Co.	65 00					
			President of the Borough of Queens.						
36370	12-30-16	2-15-17	The Citizens Water Supply Co. of Newtown	\$19 91					
38847		2-21-17	William T. Hushion	25					
36862		2-16-17	William A. Prendergast, Comptroller						

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36064	12- 5-16	2-15-17	Ernest W. Newman	335 00	36012	1-31-17	2-15-17	Central Hudson Gas and Electric Co.	2,726 68
36062	12-28-16	2-15-17	Eimer & Amend	372 28	36081		2-15-17	George J. Purdy	740 00
36199		2-15-17	Grand Central Market, Inc.	2,599 10	36085		2-15-17	G. Albert Thompson	800 00
36097	11-27-16	2-15-17	Pattison & Bowns	2,712 00	37779		2-20-17	Isaac Purdy	180 00
37183	1-25-17	2-17-17	Register, Kings County.		36023	1- 1-17	2-15-17	The Freeman Publishing Co.	392 75
38320		2-21-17	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	\$3 87	36054		2-15-17	American Cement Tile Mfg. Co.	1,065 50
36007	1-31-17	2-15-17	Sheriff, Richmond County.	\$2 00	36053		2-15-17	The J. W. Pratt Co.	1,780 97
		2-15-17	F. A. Lambert & Co.	265 88					
37229	2- 6-17	2-17-17	Sheriff, Kings County.		36738	12-27-16	2-16-17	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	\$89 17
37223	1-31-17	2-17-17	Eagle Spring Water Co.	\$2 40	36298	1-15-17	2-16-17	Castleton Motor Car Co.	53 30
37222	1-31-17	2-17-17	John F. Farrell, Inc.	9 00	38832		2-15-17	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison.	29 20
37225	2- 3-17	2-17-17	The Empire State Dairy Co.	13 40	35548	12-23-16	2-21-17	F. J. Fitzpatrick, Inspector	625 44
37221	1-31-17	2-17-17	Holland Laundry	6 36	36305	1-19-17	2-14-17	Rudolph Reimer	87 75
37220	1-31-17	2-17-17	Michael Braun	13 35	35549	12-30-16	2-15-17	Oriental Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.	140 00
37224	2- 1-17	2-17-17	J. D. Books	13 61	131400		2-14-17	Atlantic Basin Iron Works	186 80
37226	1-31-17	2-17-17	C. Fitter & Sons	60 71	36715	1-10-17	10-18-16	Voorhees Rubber Mfg. Co.	16 15
		2-17-17	Metropolitan Hotel Supply Co.	60 33	36275	1-19-17	2-16-17	H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	8 49
37093	2- 1-17	2-17-17	Sheriff, Bronx County.	\$39 00	35276	4-25-16	2-15-17	Fein & Son	53 10
37096	1-31-17	2-17-17	Adams Flanigan Co.	77 50	36727	2- 1-17	2-15-17	H. A. Rogers Co.	19 00
37091	2- 1-17	2-17-17	Ward Baking Co.	37 80	36729	2- 1-17	2-16-17	Hudson Auto Lamp Works, Inc.	20 00
37100	2- 2-17	2-17-17	Jos. T. Mohan	19 13	36730	2- 1-17	2-16-17	T. F. Hayes & J. P. Dunn	16 00
37102	1- 4-17	2-17-17	Charles Sowa	52 50	36731	1-31-17	2-16-17	Thomas Hicks	16 63
37104	1-20-17	2-17-17	G. Robitsek & Bro., Inc.	5 14	36186		2-15-17	William J. Sullivan	144 97
37101	1-20-17	2-17-17	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co., Inc.	14 00	36732	2- 1-17	2-16-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	11 00
37099	1-10-17	2-17-17	Bartelstone Bros.	9 00	36733	1-31-17	2-16-17	James P. Fallon	98 40
37095	1-31-17	2-17-17	The Cudahy Packing Co.	12 80	37239	1-11-17	2-17-17	Powers Accounting Machine Co.	15 98
37090	1-31-17	2-17-17	Fred. M. Schildwachter, Inc.	6 00	35981	12-29-16	2-15-17	John F. O'Rourke	1,041 82
37098	1-29-17	2-17-17	Clover Farms, Inc.	25 60	34512	12-28-16	2-13-17	Joseph Johnson's Sons	1,198 48
38673		2-21-17	Emil Fleischl & Son	7 24	36184		2-15-17	Gavin Rowe	45,163 96
38674		2-21-17	Timothy J. Duane	5 25	36270	1-25-17	2-15-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	500 80
37233	1-26-17	2-17-17	Christian Thoman	1 50	36286	1-31-17	2-15-17	Louis D. Gregory	106 25
37231	1-26-17	2-17-17	P. I. Collison & Co.	25 00	36289	1-26-17	2-15-17	James McArdle	233 40
			Collins & Collins		36279	1- 4-17	2-15-17	James A. Miller	114 84
40614		2-27-17	Department of Street Cleaning.	\$17 91	36278	9- 5-16	2-15-17	H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	178 00
			Board of Water Supply.		36277	1-25-17	2-15-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	315 00
36898	1-30-17	2-16-17	William Hehl	\$75 20	36291	1-10-17	2-15-17	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.	100 00
36044	1-24-17	2-15-17	Columbia Smelting and Refining Works	21 33	36185		2-15-17	M. T. Davidson Company	645 20
37780		2-20-17	Livingston Radiator & Mfg. Co.	93	36299	1-22-17	2-15-17	New York Telephone Company	123 20
36052		2-15-17	New York Telephone Co.	2,120 00	36304	1-16-17	2-15-17	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	851 28
36083		2-15-17	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	612 07	36281	1-28-17	2-15-17	Bruce & Cook	165 59
			State Law Reporters, Inc.					Peter J. Donohue's Sons	

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1917.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
41464		Thos. J. York	6 95
41476	2-15-17	Remington Typewriter Co.	3 50
41477	1-30-17	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	5 75
41478	1-27-17	The Minwax Co.	6 75
41479	1-25-17	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	3 00
41480	1-24-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	8 90
41481	2-13-17	Charles F. Hubbs & Co.	20 25
41482	1-23-17	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	5 75
41483		Hoffman, Corr. Mfg. Co.	98 51
41484	2- 1-17	Charles B. Spies	13 75
41485	1-31-17	McKesson & Robbins	19 40
41486	1-31-17	Stanley & Patterson	7 20
41487	2- 3-17	Wm. R. Thompson	90 00
41488	2-13-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	11 00
41489	2-13-17	Cavanagh Bros. Co.	12 50
41490	1-27-17	John A. Casey Co.	7 80
41491	2- 5-17	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	26 80
41492	1-27-17	National Lead Co.	47 75
41493	1-29-17	John A. Casey Co.	30 30
41494	1-29-17	The Minwax Co.	62 50
41495	1-29-17	Rocap & Poole	96 00
41496		T. J. Cummins Plumbing Co.	52 57
41497	1-31-17	T. E. Quinn	105 00
41498	1-31-17	T. E. Quinn	76 00
41499	2- 7-17	T. E. Quinn	37 00
41500	1-13-17	T. J. Cummins Plumbing Co.	14 70
41501	2- 9-17	T. E. Quinn	10 00
41502	2-20-17	T. E. Quinn	35 00
41503	2- 5-17	A. Pearson's Sons	175 00
41465	1-20-17	Henry J. Von Der Leith & Co.	125 00
41466	1-26-17	William Farrell & Son	52 50
41467	1- 2-17	William Farrell & Son	105 00
41468	1-29-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	6 75
41469	1-29-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	9 00
41470	1-25-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	21 70
41471	1-10-17	Stanley & Patterson	6 30
41472	1-10-17	Stanley & Patterson	10 80
41473	1-31-17	Wm. R. Thompson	45 00
41474	1-31-17	Agent and Warden of Clinton Prison	7 50
41475	1-19-17	N. J. Schery	68 55
41352	1-31-17	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	13 30
41353	1-17-17	Williamson Law Book Co.	1 00
41354	1-26-17	Follett Time Recording Co.	2 40
41355	1- 1-17	A. A. Benedict	9 00
41356	1-31-17	The Tabulating Machine Co.	66 00
41357	1-25-17	Lithoprint Co.	10 56
41358	12-26-16	James A. Hearn & Son	4 35
41359	1-19-17	The Globe-Wernicke Co.	111 20
41360	2- 1-17	Napier, Browning Co.	35 00
41341	44257	New York Tel. Co.	127 87
41394	1-22-17	H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	16 35
41395	1-23-17	Vacuum Oil Co.	25 13

Finance Voucher No.	Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
41396	2-10-17	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	4 25
41397	1-22-17	Pennsylvania & Delaware Oil Co.	43 68
41398	1-27-17	D. S. Walton & Co.	175 90
41421	46585	C. H. F. Jurgens	43 50
41422	46533	Leo Hamburger	468 12
41423	46470	Washburn, Crosby Co.	180 00
41424	46588	Chas. F. Matlage & Sons	66 55
41425	46468	J. D. Stout & Co.	230 30
41426	46589	Russell & Co.	310 97
41427	45636	Meeker & Co.	1,225 53
41428	45393	Pattison & Bowns	1,047 15
41429	45636	Meeker & Co.	1,586 14
41430	40902	The Hospital Supply Co.	466 30
41381	1- 1-17	The Hospital Supply Co.	377 60
41382	7-28-16	Progress Blue Print Co.	43 42
41383	1-27-17	Sibley, Pitman Electric Corp.	7 44
41384	11- 8-16	Julius Fowl	8 90
41385	4- 1-16	The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	5 20
41386	1-18-17	New York French Range Co.	7 50
41387	1-22-17	Mead, Johnson & Co.	60 00
41388	1-27-17	Wm. Farrell & Son	31 50
41389	2- 7-17	Olin J. Stephens	146 25
41390	2- 5-17	Everson & Reed Co., Inc.	2 40
41391	1-24-17	H. Kohnstamm & Co.	12 00
41392	2- 3-17	H. Kohnstamm & Co.	12 00
41393	1-24-17	Thos. Stokes & Son	63 75
41394	2- 3-17	Alpha Electric Co.	5 00
41399	1-20-17	Adder Machine Co.	305 00
41400	1-25-17	Arthur J. La Croix	468 00
41401	1-30-17	L. Barth & Son	3 12
41402	1-24-17	N. Y. Belting & Pkg. Co.	10 00
41403	1-11-17	The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	44 67
41404	1- 5-17	John Chatillon & Sons	4 50
41405	1-27-17	Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.	53 70
41406	1-25-17	Flexitallic Gasket Co.	9 15
41407	1-24-17	Record Surgical Appliance Corp.	25 50
41408		American Thermos Bottle Co.	1 26
41409	1- 9-17	I. Hanerfeld	18 50
41410	2- 5-17	Wm. Langbein & Bros.	51 10
41411	2- 1-17	Disinfecting & Exterminating Corp.	15 00
41412	1- 1-17	Disinfecting & Exterminating Co.	75 00
41413	9-22-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	51 84
41414	11-17-16	Stanley & Patterson	24 67
41435		Surrogate's Court, Bronx County.	24 53
41086		46691 New York Tel. Co.	2 25
41087		Cornelius Snedeker	2 60
41088		Michael J. Daly	2 15
41089		James T. Kelly, Jr.	3 95
41090		William A. Nelson, Jr.	8 40
41091		New York Towel Supply Co.	10 50
41092		James Foley	5 00
41093	2- 9-17	Michael Skelly	3 00
41094		John P. Burns	5 00
41095		Frank Buckley	3 00
41096	1-27-17	Acme Law Reporting Co.	65 00
41097		N. Y. Towel Supply Co.	33 00
41098		Harry C. Perry	15 00
41099	2- 3-17	Frank Bulkley	5 00
41100	1-27-17	Charles M. Byrne	5 00
41101		John Henigan	15 00
41102		John Henigan, Jr.	2 35
41103	2- 1-17	William R. Fagan	10 00
41104		Stephen Collins	2 50

Finance Voucher No.	Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
41083		John J. Dietz	5 00
41084		Francis J. Gilmartin	4 00
41085		Joseph G. Fuller	1 30
41276	2-24-17	Board of City Record.	\$70 07
41442		Michael Bradley	54 00
41443	2- 7-17	The New York Times	39 60
41444	1-21-17	Sun Printing & Pub. Co.	72 40
41445		New York Herald Co.	78 00
41446	1-26-17	The World	76 00
41447		New York American	36 00
41433		Department of Correction.	\$4 00
41434		Louis E. Lawes	3 40
41337	12- 1-16	District Attorney, Queens County.	
41336	12-31-16	Court Square Restaurant	\$84 60
41335	12-31-16	Heilbut & Kleefeld, props.	90 84
41437	2-19-17	District Attorney, Kings County.	\$4 00
41438	2-17-17	George Rea	307 20
41439	2-21-17	Clyde H. Marshall	54 00
41440		Ralph E. Roberts	94 95
41441		John J. Dowling	29 05
41448	2-24-17	District Attorney, New York County.	\$7 70
41449	2-20-17	Broadway Central Hotel	9 00
41450	2-24-17	Hotel Van Cortlandt	21 00
41451	2-25-17	Hotel Braddock	25 00
41452	2-27-17	Jos. F. Delahunt	311 95
41453	11-23-16	Edward Swan	
41454	2-25-17	Independent Taxi Owners' Association	18 20
41333	41648	Bogler, Berman & Fox	36 01
41334	41657	Department of Education.	\$47 00
41335	41644	Allyn & Bacon	1 09
41168	12-19-16	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co.	147 75
41169	12- 6-16	D. C. Heath & Co.	36 00
41170	12- 1-16	Columbus Mfg. & Supply Co.	42 45
41171	1- 3-17	J. Friedman	18 24
41172	10-31-16	W. H. Hankinson	3 37
41173	12-26-16	M. Kalmus	4 30
41174	12- 6-16	F. J. Kloes	21 37
41175	12- 1-16	H. Hanig	9 93
41176	12-13-16	J. Friedman	3 80
41177	12-29-16	Reid's Express	1 25
41178	12-29-16	Emil F. Bertram	69 10
41179	7-19-16	Hermansen & Co.	10 98
41180	7-19-16	S. Zacharkow	10 73
41181	12-12-16	Michael Leonard	13 00
41182	11-29-16	J. & C. Fischer	2 00
41183	12-30-16	Lignum Carpenter Works	38 54

Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
41316 44492	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co.	75	41300 44130	E. Steiger & Co.	21 10	41663 1-30-17	J. E. Linde Paper Co.	80 50
41317 44010	American Flag Co.	1 90	41301 44516	Scott, Foresman & Co.	66 00	41664 2-13-17	Powers Accounting Machine Co.	127 20
41318 44021	H. T. Dakin	1 54	41302 41644	D. C. Heath & Co.	414 05	41665 2- 9-17	The Zincograph Co.	52 00
41319 41667	Chas. E. Merrill Co.	3 00	41303 41629	American Book Co.	227 95	41666 2- 9-17	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	244 98
41320 44082	E. W. A. Rowles	2 46	41305 41645	D. Appleton & Co.	132 30	41667 2-10-17	Art Metal Const. Co.	184 64
41321 44169	Rolle Rubber Co.	1 42	41306 44502	D. C. Heath & Co.	44 25	41668 2- 1-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	18 87
41322 44081	Jas. H. Rhodes & Co.	42	41307 41667	Chas. E. Merrill Co.	183 70	41669 2-16-17	Schoverling, Daly & Gales	855 57
41323 44045	Putnam & Co.	62	41308 41639	Ginn & Co.	559 90	41670 2-21-17	Motor Car Equipment Co.	377 34
41200 9-13-16	Benjes & Stiefel	27 83	41309 41648	Allyn & Bacon	199 90	41671 2-17-17	Eagle Regalia Co.	17 50
41201 12-12-16	American Ornamental Iron Works	17 68	41310 41644	D. C. Heath & Co.	40 38	41672 2- 9-17	Goodyear India Rubber Glove Mfg. Co.	10 77
41202 12- 8-16	Wm. J. Olvany	37 30	41655 1-21-17	Samuel Lewis	1,550 00	41673 2-14-17	Ford Motor Co.	29 89
41203 12-11-16	Geo. H. Beck & Sons	25 63	41288 2- 8-17	Saverno Products Co.	\$0 50	41674 2-10-17	Genereux Co., Inc.	33 38
41204 12- 4-16	Alfred Whiteley, Inc.	43 55	41289 1-23-17	Front Drive Motor Co.	81 67	41675 1-29-17	Hudson Auto Lamp Works, Inc.	7 00
41205 12-18-16	Lorenzo & Byrns	10 99	41290 1- 4-17	American La France Fire Engine Co.	57 07	41676 2- 6-17	Stewart Products Service Sta- tion Co.	3 00
41206 12-20-16	Marquard, Fay & Co., Inc.	13 01	41291 1-10-17	International Motor Co.	115 10	41677 2- 9-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	56 91
41207 12-18-16	Julius Haas & Sons, Inc.	6 80	41292 2- 6-17	D. B. Fleming & Son	418 06	41658 12-29-16	Hudson Auto Lamp Works	5 50
41208 12-28-16	Virgil Polley	18 54	41293 1-30-17	H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	53 58	41622 36622	Department of Plant and Structures. Abraham & Straus	100 00
41209 12- 7-16	Edward D. Fox	21 02	41294 1-30-17	For Motor Co.	31 37	41623 46683	J. W. Gasteiger & Son	627 56
41210 12-19-16	Geo. F. Bason	25 29	41295 1-20-17	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	13 00	41624 2-23-17	Egleston Bros. & Co.	19 23
41211 12- 9-16	Chas. Williams	6 35	41296 1-29-17	Manhattan Slide & Film Co.	18 00	41625 2-23-17	Riverside Contracting Co.	330 00
41212 1- 3-17	O. W. Nordstrom	14 43	41277 2-14-17	Marquard Fay Co.	134 00	41626 2-23-17	National Auto Radiator and Lamp Works, Inc.	25 75
41213 12-27-16	Frank Kiebitz	48 50	41278 1-17-17	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	9 50	41627 2-23-17	Westinghouse Electric Mfg. Co.	11 30
41214 12-27-16	Frank Kiebitz	48 50	41279 12-27-16	International Motor Co.	165 70	41628 2-23-17	Stanley & Patterson	158 49
41215 12-28-16	Edw. E. Stapleton	4 50	41280 1- 9-17	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	2 50	41629 2-23-17	Gulian Ross	340 36
41216 12-27-16	Doncourt Const. Co.	20 10	41281 2-31-17	Isaac G. Johnson Co.	6 12	41630 2-10-17	Fred W. Beatty	54 68
41217 1- 4-17	John F. Rogers & Co.	14 10	41282 12-19-16	International Motor Co.	4 75	41631 2- 7-17	Stanley & Patterson	8 36
41218 10-24-16	The Titusville Iron Co.	7 50	41283 12-28-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.	50	41632 2-20-17	Stanley & Patterson	24 03
41219 12-28-16	Jas. H. Draper	7 75	41284 2-14-17	Marquard Fay Co.	134 00	41633 2-10-17	Stanley & Patterson	25 04
41220 11-30-16	John F. Rogers & Co.	26 59	41285 12- 1-16	Sanborn Map Co.	600 00	41634 2- 9-17	Brooklyn Bridge	3 50
41221 11-25-16	Jos. A. Graf	49 37	41286 2- 8-17	The Fire Engineer	1 00	41635 2-15-17	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	16 47
41222 12-26-16	Emil Sickmann	6 65	41287 1-25-17	The Linde Air Products Co.	3 50	41636 2- 9-17	Pure Oil Co.	4 50
41223 12- 2-16	Geo. H. Waters Co.	10 43	41288 2-17-17	T. H. Hogeman, Inc.	8 50	41637 2-10-17	The Linde Air Products Co.	42 00
41224 12-30-16	H. Pfund	81 32	41367 2-19-17	Abraham Kalisky	\$300 00	41638 2-20-17	Abraham & Straus	19 50
41225 12-18-16	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	43 50	41370 2-19-17	Henry Ruhl	74 20	41639 2-10-17	Sibley Pitman Electric Corp.	20 26
41226 10-25-16	Geo. Kessler	34 41	41371 1-29-17	Arthur E. J. Nuhn	106 74	41640 1-20-17	Johnson Bros.	19 08
41227 11-20-16	Robertson & Conry, Inc.	48 00	41372 2-16-17	Samuel Gindin	62	41641 2- 8-17	E. F. Keating Co.	103 88
41228 9- 5-16	S. & P. Krajci	74 41	41373 2-23-17	William M. Blain	4 07	41642 2-10-17	Bishop Gutta Percha Co.	17 30
41229 12- 2-16	H. Pfund	14 95	41374 2-19-17	Jacob Rupert	217 06	41620 45184	President of the Borough of Queens. Edw. E. Buhler Co.	\$335 30
41230 5-26-16	Patrick Murphy	8 99	41375 2-27-17	Bernhard H. Schmah	27 50	41621 46128	Peace Bros.	1,433 25
41231 12-20-16	John A. O'Brien	15 73	41376 2-27-17	William P. Malloy	95 56	41622 12-14-16	Edw. E. Buhler Co.	141 00
41232 12-30-16	Wm. E. Mason	4 63	41377 2-27-17	Cecelia Brady	6 67	41623 1- 6-17	W. Scarborough	20 00
41233 12-30-16	A. D. Evertsen Co.	42 53	41378 2-27-17	Rose Gorman	10 48	41624 6-30-16	John Wanamaker	34 05
41234 12- 1-16	Wm. Kroepke	21 96	41379 2-27-17	Robert Allen	1 33	41625 10-24-16	Jamaica Auto Garage	29 41
41235 12-29-16	Albert J. Kelting	38 29	41380 2-17-17	Augusta Goodkind	86 70	41626 5- 4-16	W. E. Pruden Hardware Co.	15 75
41236 1-10-17	Thos. F. Ford	1 46	41364 2-17-17	Jas. S. Graham	6 54	41627 12-12-16	Arthur H. Thomas Co.	40 80
41237 12- 1-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	9 00	41365 2-17-17	Lillie C. Tuney	1 00	41628 9-20-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	58 75
41238 12-15-16	Wagner Electric Mfg. Co.	89 84	41366 2-17-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	2 72	41629 9-20-16	The East River Mill and Lumber Co.	192 00
41239 12-20-16	Ernest W. Newman	42 37	41361 2- 2-17	Bernard Quinn	4 87	41630 12-28-16	Maher & Flockhart	12 00
41240 12-18-16	Geo. Kessler	5 50	41362 2- 2-17	Charles P. Schwindt	30 43	41631 12-29-16	Nason Mfg. Co.	46 07
41241 12-18-16	W. A. Leonard	1 95	41363 2- 2-17	John McCann	14 42	41632 10- 1-16	John Striker	80 00
41242 1- 4-17	Alexander R. Boyce, Inc.	48 08	41364 1-12-17	Fidelity & Deposit Co.	107 50	41633 2- 7-17	Frank Trudden's Son	75 00
41243 12-27-16	I. Youdelman	14 24	41371 1- 9-17	The Fidelity & Casualty Co. of N. Y.	10 00	41634 7-20-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.	8 50
41244 12-16-16	John Wenning	74 33	41572 12-30-16	National Surety Co.	12 50	41635 10-14-16	Jamaica Auto Garage	12 50
41245 12-27-16	Doncourt Const. Co.	44 67	41573 2-11-17	American Fidelity Co.	10 50	41636 7-31-16	Jamaica Auto Garage	3 35
41246 1- 2-17	Edward E. Stapleton	19 59	41574 12-19-16	U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co.	5 00	41637 6-30-16	Jamaica Auto Garage	17 15
41247 12-27-16	Doncourt Const. Co.	70 63	41576 12-19-16	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co.	112 50	41638 9- 2-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	3 00
41248 11-10-16	Philip & Paul	48 87	41577 8- 9-17	Royal Indemnity Co.	1 28	41639 1-31-17	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	60 84
41249 10-23-16	F. A. Buser	8 44	41578 8-28-16	Casualty Co. of America	2 11	41640 2- 9-17	Duplicator Mfg. Co.	14 10
41250 1- 6-17	Kroepke Plumbing & Heat- ing Co.	93 34	41579 1-15-17	Hartford Accident and In- demnity Co.	31 25	41641 1-25-17	N. M. Dennison	22 20
41251 12-20-16	Thos. F. Ford	8 00	41580 12-30-16	National Surety Co.	170 00	41642 1-31-17	P. J. Lennon	17 56
41252 6- 1-16	Goetz & Co.	45 00	41581 1-18-17	Actna Accident & Liability Co.	167 50	41643 1-31-17	Strang Auto Garage Co.	9 21
41253 11- 1-16	Geotz & Co.	6 00	41582 1-18-17	Maryland Casualty Co.	12 50	41606 2- 4-17	Madison Ave. Garage and Stables, Jas. H. Connell, pro- prietor	40 18
41254 12- 1-16	J. W. Noordzy	6 67	41342 1-30-17	The Mayoralty. John J. Glennon	100 00	41607 1-31-17	Madison Ave. Garage and Stables, Jas. H. Connell, pro- prietor	28 00
41255 12-30-16	E. Rutzel Co.	12 81	41343 1-23-17	Public Administrator, Queens County. New York Tel. Co.	3 30	41608 1-31-17	Crescent Garage	15 30
41188 11-28-16	John J. Kenney Co.	33 58	41350 1-23-17	Public Administrator, New York County. Munson Supply Co.	6 30	41609 1-10-17	Crescent Garage	39 80
41189 10-31-16	E. Rutzel Co.	30 52	41351 2- 1-17	David F. Williamson Co.	14 00	41610 1-25-17	Walldorf, Hafner & Schulz, Inc.	84 30
41190 12-14-16	J. D. Duffy, Inc.	31 15	41343 1-15-17	William M. Hoes	10 00	41611 2-14-17	Walldorf, Hafner & Schulz, Inc.	6 50
41191 12- 1-16	Michael Fogarty	24 20	41344 1-13-17	Everson & Reed Co.	60	41612 2- 9-17	Crandall Packing Co.	147 07
41192 12- 6-16	Geo. H. Beck & Sons	48 30	41345 2- 1-17	Goldsmith Bros.	6 19	41613 2- 8-17	Bloomington Bros.	10 40
41193 12-16-16	Robertson & Conry, Inc.	10 94	41346 1-31-17	New York Telephone Co.	13 23	41614 2- 3-17	Bloomington Bros.	14 34
41194 11-16-16	Thos. J. Tuomey Co.	12 90	41347 1-31-17	Great Bear Spring Co.	2 00	41615 2- 3-17	Bloomington Bros.	4 95
41195 12-30-16	H. Pfund	14 35	41348 1-31-17	McClunn & Co.	50	41616 1-29-17	Bloomington Bros.	5 95
41196 1- 5-17	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	16 42	41349 1-15-17	Remington Typewriter Co.	3 00	41617 2-15-17	The Ohman Map Co., Inc.	5 00
41197 11-29-16	Herman Sacks Roofing and Contracting Co.	24 82	41104 7-28-16	Bronx Parkway Commission. Geo. R. Hilty	84 93	41618 2- 7-17	Underwood Typewriter Co.	99 23
41198 11- 9-16	Geo. Rabe	10 31	41105 1-24-17	Geo. Lattimer	16 40	41619 2-19-17	The Banks Law Pub. Co.	5 75
41199 12- 6-16	Geo. H. Beck & Sons	23 09	41106 2- 1-17	Kolesch & Co.	25 16	41110 46447	President of the Borough of Richmond. M. McQuade & Co.	\$899 15
41256 12-26-16	The New York Association for the Blind	74 90	41107 1-30-17	Greene, Tweed & Co.	5 35	41137 1-29-17	T. J. Mullen	33 90
41257 12-26-16	Aeolian Co.	35 36	41090 1-30-17	Splitdorf Electrical Co. of N. Y.	8 30	41138 1-29-17	T. J. Mullen & Son	34 06
41258 12-26-16	Goetz & Co.	10 07	41091 4-20-16	Hermann W. Merkel	372 48	41139 1-29-17	T. J. Mullen & Son	64 80
41259 12-26-16	The Aeolian Co.	23 75	41092 1- 2-17	A. H. Seaman & Co., Inc.	50 50	41140 1-29-17	T. J. Mullen & Son	57 12
41260 7- 8-16	J. F. Valois	18 94	41093 1- 2-17	Theodosius F. Stevens	35 00	41141 1- 9-17	M. Hoey	9 60
41261 12-25-16	J. D. Johnson Co.	52 02	41094 1- 2-17	Evening Telegram	16 00	41142 1- 9-17	Schurrs Bros.	14 65
41262 12-28-16	Frederick Pearce Co.	26 97	41095 1- 9-17	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	33 57	41143 2- 7-17	E. J. O'Connor	80 00
41263 12-26-16	J. J. Cook & Son	75 10	41096 1-19-17	The Berger Mfg. Co.	108 30	41144 1- 9-17	Jas. Thompson & Sons	15 00
41164 12-21-16	Fred A. Buser	14 02	41097 12- 1-16	Gimbel Bros.	7 02	41145 1- 9-17	G. F. Van Dam & Son	11 89
41165 12-11-16	Patrick Murphy, Inc.	13 74	41098 1- 6-17	Fred'k H. Hurdman	200 00	41146 1-23-17	G. F. Van Dam & Son	16 75
41166 12-28-16	Virgil Polley	25 61	41099 1- 6-17	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	266 00	41147 1-26-17	Montgomery & Co.	6 80
41167 12-28-16	P. A. McCauley	3 05	41100 2- 6-17	Library Bureau	16 69	41148 1- 9-17	Zorn & Schrengauer	25 05
41153 12- 9-16	John A. O'Brien	15 86	41101 1-19-17	Smith Form A Truck Co.	24 00	41149 1- 9-17	F. H. Van Duzer	1 30
41154 12-12-16	Wm. E. Mason	6 05	41102 1- 1-17	Cornell Bros.	11 95	41150 1- 9-17	E. J. O'Connor	24 45
41155 5-26-16	Patrick Murphy	31 05	41003 1- 1-17	Commissioner of Finance, White Plains, N. Y.	20 47	41151 1- 9-17	D. McCarthy Sons	35 00
41156 12- 1-16	D. J. Deady	12 62	41657 46684	Police Department. Thos. Lenane	307 51	41152 1-23-17	John Niess	15 00
41157 12- 1-16	D. J. Deady	18 41	41659 12-19-16	Jos. A. Graf	79 88	41111 2-10-17	H. W. Koenig	16 95
41158 12-30-16	H. Pfund	231 00	41660 10-23-16	Mack & Mack	37 00	41112 2- 8-17	New Brighton Coal Yard, P. H. Cassidy, proprietor	40 00
41159 12-19-16	Louis Guerr	1 70	41661 2-10-17	Thos. Lenan	380 03	41113 2- 8-17	New Brighton Coal Yard, P. H. Cassidy, proprietor	80 00
41160 12-27-16	A. D. Evertsen Co.	5 28	41662 1-25-17	Climax Stationery Co.	475 00	41114 2- 1-17	Wheeler News Co.	5 85
41161 12-21-16	Fred A. Buser	32 49				41115 2- 1-17	Staten Island Supply Co.	1 75
41162 12-11-16	Francis W. Ford's Sons					41116 1-31-17	Frank Weber	10 10
41163 11- 1-16	J.							

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41117	Geo. Glaab	37 50	41532	The International Seal & Knot Protector Co.	135 00	41535	Hull, Grippen & Co.	4 25
41118	2-12-17 Knight & De Micco, Inc.	21 00	41533	2-17-17 Abraham & Straus	42	41536	8-21-16 Edison Lamp Works of Gen- eral Elec. Co.	756 48
41119	2-1-17 Richmond Hardware Co.	6 80	41534	Hull, Grippen & Co.	18 18	41537	1-10-17 C. Vanderbilt	26 28
41120	2-1-17 J. A. Snyder & Bro.	49 69	41505	11-3-16 Robert Gordon & Son, Inc.	15 50	41538	1-3-17 Eaton, Kelley Co.	48 00
41121	12-30-16 Herman Schlosser	6 00	41506	2-5-17 Jas. MacNamara's Sons	19 75	41539	1-10-17 C. Vanderbilt	12 93
41122	2-1-17 I. C. Blake	3 80	41507	12-30-16 Staten Island Shipbuilding Co.	662 60	41540	1-10-17 C. Vanderbilt	13 02
41123	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison	164 19	41508	2-1-17 Neptune Meter Co.	1 25	41541	1-26-17 Chas. McConnell	1 80
41124	8-2-16 Lansden Co., Inc.	63 10	41509	2-1-17 Imperial Auto Supply Co.	1 85	41542	1-30-17 Castleton Motor Car Co.	55
41125	1-1-17 Lansden Co., Inc.	80 00	41510	1-31-17 Ward & Co.	96 25	41543	1-3-17 A. F. Brombacher & Co.	87
41126	1-3-17 Brady Bros.	42 50	41511	2-1-17 Asbury Elliott	8 32	41544	1-3-17 Jere A. McCue	4 91
41127	1-31-17 New Brighton Coal Yard, P. H. Cassidy, proprietor	80 00	41512	2-10-17 E. Belcher Hyde	14 00	41545	1-19-17 Voorhees Rubber Mfg. Co.	46 00
41128	1-12-17 John Franzreb	20 25	41513	1-29-17 Guarino Cont. Co.	144 26	41546	1-30-17 Castleton Motor Car Co.	32 69
41129	1-23-17 Gregg Bros.	45 00	41514	Bureau of Highways	115 70	41547	1-17-17 Staten Island Shipbuilding Co.	38 63
41130	1-12-17 The Allen Wheeler Co.	80	41515	1-31-17 O. H. Perry & Son, Inc.	237 50	41548	1-17-17 K. Feist & Sons	2 40
41131	1-12-17 Frank Weber	14 70	41516	2-6-17 Library Bureau	51 00	41549	1-3-17 Westchester Lighting Co.	120 55
41132	1-12-17 Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	22 28	41517	2-5-17 Library Bureau	36 80	41550	1-3-17 Westchester Lighting Co.	5 85
41133	1-26-17 William S. Van Clief & Sons	1 00	41518	1-16-17 H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	118 00	41551	1-17-17 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	25 20
41134	12-4-16 D. McCarthy Sons	11 25	41519	1-22-17 G. A. Feld Co.	9 15	41552	1-30-17 Chilton Paint Co.	10 50
41135	11-10-16 John Niess	125 00	41520	2-8-17 P. Trainor Co., Inc.	52 00	41553	9-1-16 Owen E. Kelly	11 57
41136	1-11-17 Frank Bunge	80 00	41521	1-26-17 Oriental Rubber & Supply Co.	4 51	41554	11-10-16 Charles J. Stoll	15 07
Register, Bronx County.			41522	1-22-17 New York Central R. R. Co.	20 00	41555	11-10-16 Ernest L. Hippert	5 22
41338	2-19-17 Roberts Numbering Machine Co.	\$3 70	41523	1-17-17 Gerry & Murray	6 50	41556	11-27-16 A. Schwartz	8 31
41339	2-21-17 P. H. Collins	2 75	41524	Hoffman, Corr Mfg. Co.	46 03	41557	1-15-17 Thomson Meter Co.	15 00
41340	2-6-17 Becker Bros.	4 07	41525	2-3-17 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	21 75	41558	1-19-17 Henry C. Peppers	6 81
Commissioner of Records, New York County.			41526	2-15-17 Cobb, Macey, Dohme, Inc.	38 00	41559	1-13-17 Samuel Levitz	2 05
41368	2-28-17 Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	11 40	41527	1-24-17 Worthington Pump & Ma- chinery Corp.	753 00	41560	12-1-16 Bureau of Highways	224 50
41369	Chas. K. Lexow	9 03	41528	1-23-17 Rudolph Reimer	185 00	41561	1-16-17 Atlantic Basin Iron Works	29 48
Board of Water Supply.			41456	Roamer Supply Co.	3 50	41562	1-16-17 M. R. Smith & Son	4 40
41643	46335 Sprague & Henwood, Inc.	3,073 80	41457	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	33 00	41563	1-16-17 Peter J. Donohue Sons	30 50
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.			41458	Consolidated Gas Co.	10,264 35	41564	1-16-17 The Yonkers Electric Light & Power Co.	15 47
41504	2-28-17 Edmond Beardsley	500 00	41459	Jos. Kaiser	70 00	41565	1-17-17 National Meter Co.	20 50
41529	2-17-17 Abraham & Straus	5 43	41460	Bernard McAneny	60 00	41566	1-15-17 A. J. Storick	19 96
41530	2-9-17 Schaeffer & Budenberg Mfg. Co.	14 00	41461	1-2-17 Wm. M. Sullivan	60 00	41567	1-15-17 Neptune Meter Co.	6 30
41531	2-8-17 The International Seal & Knot Protector Co.	225 00	41462	John F. Bussing	83 40	41568	1-23-17 Brooklyn Electrical Supply Co.	16 00
			41463	H. R. Emerson	182 62		The Columbia Machine Works & Malleable Iron Co.	41 85



Changes in Departments, Etc.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
Wages Increased—Michael Fugazzi, Patrick Doyle, John Dolan, Philip Mordeite, William Grady and James F. Kane, Laborers, from \$2.50 to \$3 a day, Bureau of Sewers, Feb. 14.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.
Appointed—David M. Britton, 456 W. 24th st., Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$780 per annum, for about three months, Feb. 26.
Services Ceased—John F. McKenna, 225 Hale Ave., Brooklyn, Clerk, Feb. 17.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.
Appointed—William J. Fanning, 243 E. 35th st., Stoker at \$3 a day, for two periods of five days each, Feb. 17.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Report for week ended Jan. 20, 1917:
Collections—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$263,254.44.

Appointed—Manhattan Office: Antoinette F. Couchal, 1354 First ave., Stenographer and Typewriter at \$720 per annum; Louis Needle, 102 Orchard st., Junior Draftsman at \$900 per annum; John Toner, 129 E. 123d st., Manhattan, and Morris Goodstein, 101 Madison st., Clerks at \$300 per annum. Queens office: Anna M. Sullivan, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter.

Salaries Increased—Manhattan office: Frank A. Palmer, Foreman, from \$1,440 to \$1,800 per annum. Brooklyn office: Robert K. Martin, Clerk, \$300 to \$540 per annum.

Services Ceased—Brooklyn office: James R. Bruce, Albert E. Baillie, Robert C. Barrett, William J. Condren, T. F. Creilly, Patrick Concagh, Joseph F. Dowling, Morris Goldfinger, Louis F. Seath, Samuel Schwarz, Charles E. Doyle, Harry Davis, Fred L. Field, Samuel E. Gordon, Patrick McMullen and William Smits, Temporary Inspectors of Meters and Water Consumption, Jan. 1. Brooklyn office: John L. Dowling, Telephone Operator.

WM. R. HILLYER, Deputy Commissioner.

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COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th
floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 184
Worth.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond offices, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens offices, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.
Bronx office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.
John J. Murphy, Commissioner.
BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.
Charles Strauss, President.
George Featherstone, Secretary.
DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors. Telephone: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.
Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City, Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d and Tremont ayes. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.
Douglas Mathewson, President.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.
Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.
Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.
Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.
Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.
Telephone, 3960 Main.
Lewis H. Pounds, President.
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Telephone, 4227 Worth.
Marcus M. Marks, President.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
President's office, 68 Hunters Point ave., L. I. City.
Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Maurice E. Connolly, President.
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Calvin D. Van Name, President.
COBONERS.
Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.
Bronx—Arthur and Tremont ayes. Telephone, 1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.
Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.
Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.
Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

Unless otherwise stated, the County offices are open for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Court House, Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.
9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.
Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5:15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.
Edward Swann, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.
Frederick O'Brien, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.
COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.
Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.
REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.
9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.
John J. Hopper, Register.
SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.
New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.
Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.
SUBROGATES.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John F. Cohan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogate.
William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 4930 Main.
William E. Kelly, County Clerk.
COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1. Court House. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main.
John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.
Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main.
Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st. Telephone, 2940 Main.
Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.
COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 6988 Main.
Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.
REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 2830 Main.
Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.
SHERIFF.
50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.
Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.
Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.
John H. McCoey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.
James Vincent Gandy, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE.
Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.
Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.
Francis Martin, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.
John A. Mason, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 Third ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.
Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.
REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.
Edward Polak, Register.
SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.
James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave. George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 2608 Jamaica.
Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.
COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12:30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.
Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
362 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.
Randolph White, Public Administrator.
SHERIFF.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.
Samuel J. Mitchell, Under Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE AND SHERIFF.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October. Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.
Special Terms, without Jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.
Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.
Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
J. Harry Tierman, County Judge and Surrogate.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.
Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Port Richmond, Telephone, 704 West Brighton.
William T. Holt, Public Administrator.
SHERIFF.
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.
Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.
Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.
CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.
William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.
Municipal Term—Room 500, Municipal Building, Manhattan.
First District—Criminal Courts Building.
Second District—125 Sixth ave.
Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.
Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.
Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.
Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.
Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.
Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.
Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Deputy Chief Clerk Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.
First District—318 Adams st.
Second District—Court and Butler sts.
Fifth District—361 Bedford ave.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.
Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt ayes.
Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.
All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerk's offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Board of Justices—Secretary, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.
Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.
Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.
Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.
Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.
Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall 1400 Williamsbridge rd., Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.
Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.
Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.
Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg.
Fourth District—140 Howard ave. Telephone, 4323 Bushwick.
Fifth District—3220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.
Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.
Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.
First District, 115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 400 Hunters Point.
Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.
Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 86 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.
Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, 4232 Main.
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
Part V, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur ayes, Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 6056 Tremont.
Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
Adolphus Ragan, Chief Clerk, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.
Bernard J. Fagan, Chief Probation Officer, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.
Parts I and II (Manhattan), 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.
Part III (Brooklyn), 102 Court st. Telephone, 8611 Main. Wm. C. McKee, Clerk.
Part IV (Bronx), 355 E. 137th st. Court held on Monday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose. Michael Murray, Clerk.
Part V (Queens), 19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk.
Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Wm. J. Browne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10:30 a. m. Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.
Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.
Second Judicial Department.
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 a. m. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Telephone, 1292 Main.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.
503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 7452 Joseph H. De Bragga, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.
William J. Schneider, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.
County Court House. Court open from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.
Joralemon and Fulton sts. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records, Telephone, 5460 Main.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.
County Court House, L. I. City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part 2, February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.
Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 noon from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

Richmond County.
Trial Term held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Term for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall, St. George.
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at 1:30 p. m.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in Room 16, City Hall, Fridays at 10:30 a. m.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in Room 16, City Hall, on Thursdays, at 11 a. m., at Call of the Mayor.
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.
Board of Revision of Assessments.
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in Room 16, City Hall, upon notice of the Secretary.
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.
Board of Appeals.
The Board meets in Room 1124, Municipal Building, every Tuesday at 2 p. m.
RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.
Board of Standards and Appeals.
The Board meets in Room 919, Municipal Building, every Thursday at 2 p. m.
RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.
Board of City Records.
The Board of City Records meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.
DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn, for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, for the following property now in custody without claimants: Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.
THE INTEREST DUE ON MARCH 1, 1917, on registered and coupon bonds and stock of The City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 851) in the Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., in the Borough of Manhattan.
The Coupons that are payable in New York or London for the interest due on March 1, 1917, on Corporate Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day at the option of the holders thereof either at the office of the Comptroller (Room 851) in the Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in United States currency, or at the office of Messrs Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C. England, in sterling.
The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable March 1, 1917, will be closed from Feb. 15 to March 1, 1917.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Jan. 31, 1917. f2,m1

Sureties on Contracts.
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named: Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.
One company on a bond up to \$50,000.
When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.
Construction.
One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc.
When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.
Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavement.
Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Confirmation of Assessments.

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

SECTIONS 1, 2 AND 3.
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS at the following locations: DIVISION ST., No. 223; CHERRY ST., Nos. 32, 38 and 454; CORLEARS ST., No. 21; SHERIFF ST., No. 15; LEWIS ST., Nos. 173-175; 2ND ST., No. 159; LAYAVETTE ST., No. 212; SPRING ST., Nos. 46 and 154; ESSEX ST., No. 170; NEW CHAMBERS ST., Nos. 56 and 58; JAMES SLIP, No. 13; OAK ST., No. 14; BAXTER ST., Nos. 125-127; E. 11TH ST., No. 309; E. 10TH ST., No. 440; E. 24TH ST., No. 17; E. 18TH ST., No. 402; 3RD AVE., No. 422; E. 3RD ST., 357-359; W. 17TH ST., No. 18; 1ST AVE., No. 695; HUDSON ST., Nos. 581-583; and W. 37TH ST., Nos. 514-520. Affecting property in front of which work was done. Confirmed Feb. 20, 1917; entered Feb. 20, 1917. Area of assessment includes—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Feb. 20, 1917, and entered Feb. 20, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 21, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.
The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours

of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Feb. 20, 1917. f28,m10

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for local improvements in the Borough of Brooklyn:

SECTION 10.
JACKSON ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Kingsland ave. to Morgan ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 2876, 2877, 2885 and 2886.

SECTION 12.
HINDS AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between New Lots rd. and Hegeman ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3866 and 3867.

SECTION 16.
ROBINSON ST.—PAVING from Rogers ave. to Nostrand ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5080 and 5087.

SECTION 17.
21TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Ditmas ave. to Newkirk ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5197 and 5198.

SECTION 17.
LAWRENCE ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Gravesend ave. to 47th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 5440 and 5441.

SECTION 17.
20TH AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 60th to 67th sts. Area of assessment affects blocks 5520, 5521, 5527, 5528, 5534, 5535, 5541, 5542, 5548, 5549, 5555, 5556, 5562, 5563.

SECTION 17.
54TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 15th to 16th aves. Area of assessment affects blocks 5477 and 5484.

SECTION 17.
59TH ST.—PAVING from 13th to 14th aves. and 15th to 16th aves. Area of assessment affects blocks 5703, 5704, 5711, 5712, 5502, 5503, 5509 and 5510.

SECTION 19.
76TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 17th to 18th aves. Area of assessment affects blocks 6226 and 6237.

SECTION 20.
E. 17TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING from Avenue O to Avenue P. Area of assessment affects blocks 6754, 6755, 6763 and 6764.

—The above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Feb. 20, 1917, and entered Feb. 20, 1917, in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed against any person or property shall be paid on or before April 21, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of entry of the said assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

Dated, New York, Feb. 20, 1917.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

SECTION 20.
SEWER IN ANTHON AVE., from Catalpa ave. to Silver st., and CORNELIA ST., from Anthon ave. to Forest ave., with basins at the northern, easterly and westerly corners of Anthon ave. and Hughes st. Area of assessment affects blocks 2564, 2565, 2567, 2568, 2572, 2573, 2575 and 2576.

—That the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Feb. 20, 1917, and entered Feb. 20, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 21, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

—The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, Feb. 20, 1917.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named streets in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

SECTION 8.
OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO ISHAM ST., from Seaman ave. to Indian rd.; W. 218TH ST., from Seaman ave. to the bulkhead line of the Harlem River Ship Canal; W. 214TH ST., from Park Terrace East to Seaman ave.; PARK TERRACE EAST, from a point 100 feet south of W. 215th st. to Isham Park, together with the unacquired triangular parcel located on the westerly side and extending from a point 43.36 feet south of W. 218th st. to a point 103.64 feet south of W. 218th st.; the unacquired portions of INDIAN RD., COLD SPRING RD., from Isham st. to W. 218th st.; W. 215TH ST., from Park Terrace West to Indian rd.; PARK TERRACE WEST, from a point 103' 8 3/4" north of W. 215th st. to a line about 385.23 feet south of the southerly line of W. 215th st.; W. 214TH ST., from Indian rd. to Seaman ave., and ISHAM PARK at the intersection of Indian rd. and W. 214th st. Confirmed Feb. 3, 1917. Entered Feb. 19, 1917. 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 southerly bulkhead line of the Harlem River Ship Canal where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between W. 219th st. and W. 220th st., and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between W. 219th st. and W. 220th st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the center lines of Park Terrace East and Park Terrace West as these streets are laid out adjoining W. 217th st.; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between W. 218th st. and W. 219th st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway

between W. 218th st. and W. 219th st. to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Broadway to the intersection with a line midway between Isham st. and Emerson st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Isham st. and Emerson st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Isham street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Indian rd., the said distance being measured at right angles to Isham st.; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Isham street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Isham street and passing through a point on its easterly side distant 100 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line of Kiersen pl.; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Isham st. a distance of 300 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Isham st. as laid out at Indian rd. to the intersection with the southerly bulkhead line of the Harlem River Ship Canal; thence eastwardly along the said bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 20, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

—The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, February 19, 1917. f23,m6

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

SECTION 15.
PIERCE AVE.—OPENING from Bear Swamp rd. to Eastchester rd. and SACKETT AVE., OPENING from Bear Swamp rd. to Williamsbridge rd. Confirmed Jan. 19, 1917. Entered Feb. 20, 1917. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Pierce ave. and Van Nest ave. as these streets are laid out between Bogart ave. and Radcliff ave., distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Bear Swamp rd., the said distance being measured at right angles to Bear Swamp rd., and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pierce ave. and Van Nest ave., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Van Nest ave. and the northerly line of Pierce ave., as these streets are laid out; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Newport ave. and Elberon ave., as these streets are laid out where they meet Van Nest ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Newport ave. and Elberon ave., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line passing through a point on the easterly line of Hering ave. midway between Pierce ave. and Sackett ave., and a point on a westerly line of Yates ave. midway between Pierce ave. and Sackett ave.; thence westwardly along the said line last described to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Williamsbridge rd., as this street is laid out where it meets Sackett ave.; the said distance being measured at right angles to Williamsbridge rd.; thence southeasterly along the said line parallel with Williamsbridge rd. to the intersection with the southeasterly 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 southwardly from the southeasterly line of Bear Swamp rd., the said distance measured at right angles to the said right of way line; thence generally northwardly and always distant 100 feet southwardly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Bear Swamp rd. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 21, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

—The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Bergen Building, 4th floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, Feb. 20, 1917.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
f23,m6

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

SECTION 8.
4TH ST.—OPENING, from Queens Boulevard to Jackson ave., and 5TH ST.—OPENING, from Queens Boulevard to Woodside ave. Confirmed Jan. 11, 1917; entered Feb. 16, 1917. 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 southerly line of Jackson ave., and running thence northwardly, the said line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the center lines of Park Terrace East and Park Terrace West as these streets are laid out adjoining W. 217th st.; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between W. 218th st. and W. 219th st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway

and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Woodside ave. to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the center lines of 5th st. and Wright pl.; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Mansion pl., the said distance being measured at right angles to Mansion pl.; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Mansion pl. to the intersection with a line distant 360 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of 5th st., as this street is laid out between Skillman ave. and Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fifth st.; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with 5th st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Queens boulevard; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Queens boulevard to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between 3rd st. and 4th st., as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Queens boulevard on the north; thence northwardly along a line always distant between 3rd st. and 4th st., and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Jackson ave.; thence northwardly at right angles to Jackson ave. a distance of 200 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Jackson ave. to the intersection with a line at right angles to Jackson ave., and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Jackson ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before April 17, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

—The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, Feb. 16, 1917. f20,m3

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL TO FIREBOATS. The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1918.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (\$30) of the amount of the bid.
No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of one-half per cent. (1 1/2%) of the total amount of the bid.
The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedule of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made, as the bids will be read from the bid and awards, if made, will be to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
f26,m9

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OF UPPER PARTS FOR ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-ONE (161) FIRE ALARM POSTS. The time allowed for complete manufacture and delivery of the posts will be ninety (90) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Twelve Hundred (\$1,200) Dollars.
No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or Corporate Stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposits shall be in the amount of Sixty Dollars (\$60).
Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

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

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

A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5) will be required from all intending bidders for each set of specifications received.
The deposit will be returned in each case on surrender of the specifications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
f24,m7

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED (1,400) TWIN FIRE ALARM POSTS.

The time allowed for complete manufacture and delivery of the posts will be one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive calendar days.
The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York

and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).
Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.
A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5) in cash will be required from all intending bidders for each set of specifications received. The deposit will be returned in each case on surrender of the specifications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
f24,m7

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING SUBSIDIARY PIPES, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING FIRE ALARM POSTS AND CONSTRUCTING MANHOLES FOR ROCKAWAY IMPROVEMENT, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.
The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100).
Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.
A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5) in cash will be required from all intending bidders for each set of specifications received. The deposit will be returned in each case on surrender of the specifications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
f21,m5

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

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

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING UNDERGROUND LEAD-COVERED CABLES AND APPURTENANCES FOR ROCKAWAY IMPROVEMENT, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.
The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250).
Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.
A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5) in cash will be required from all intending bidders for each set of specifications received. The deposit will be returned in each case on surrender of the specifications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.
f21,m5

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.
Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 46, 50 AND 68, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item of each school will be sixty (60) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 46, \$5,000; P. S. 50 (Item 1), \$4,000; P. S. 50 (Item 2) Sanitary Work, \$500; P. S. 68, \$8,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item of each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.
A separate bid must be submitted for each item of each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m12

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.
Borough of The Bronx.

FOR ITEM 1, REMOVAL AND REERECTION, ALSO ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND ORATE OF THE PORTABLE SCHOOL BUILDING NOW LOCATED ON THE PREMISES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 48, SPOFFORD AVE., COTTER AND FAIR STS., HUNT'S POINT, TO A SITE ON SOUND VIEW AND FARMAN AVES., CLASON'S POINT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be forty (40) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, \$1,000; Item 2, \$200.
A separate bid must be submitted for each item and separate awards will be made thereon.
The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.
Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

Borough of Queens.
FOR ADDITIONAL CONSTRUCTION WORK, ETC., AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 41, ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF CROCHERON AND FRANKLIN AVES., BAY-SIDE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty (40) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.
Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

Borough of Queens.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GLASS TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

The bid to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will be made thereon.
The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Manhattan, also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

Borough of Richmond.
FOR REMOVAL AND RE-ERECTION OF THE TWO-UNIT PORTABLE SCHOOL BUILDING KNOWN AS PUBLIC SCHOOL 8, NOW LOCATED ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF SCHOOL ST. AND LINDENWOOD AVE., ABOUT 450 FEET SOUTHERLY FROM THE AMBOY RD., GREAT KILLS, TO A SITE ON GARRETT AVE., DONGAN HILLS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.
Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, also at Branch Office, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Richmond.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.
FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 102, 124, 127 AND 128, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be ninety (90) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.
The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 102, \$2,000; P. S. 124, \$3,000; P. S. 127, \$2,000; P. S. 128, \$300.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.
A separate bid must be submitted for each school, and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f20,m5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Supplies, at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.

Borough of New York.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GENERAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS FOR TEACHERS, OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivering of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before Dec. 31, 1917.
The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, which the bids will be tested.
Award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.
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, Manhattan, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.
Dated, Feb. 16, 1917. f16,m1
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education on Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Borough of Queens.
ITEM 1. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING COMPLETE A PIPE ORGAN AT THE FLUSHING HIGH SCHOOL, BROADWAY, STATE ST. AND WHITESTONE AVE., BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The work shall begin on the day the contract is approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and shall be entirely completed, as provided in the contract, one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).
The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security, to wit: Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250).

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated, Feb. 20, 1917. f20,m5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Public Notice.

Whereas, Hammond & Hinkley, Prudential Building, Buffalo, N. Y., on behalf of William F. Polson, 1750 Main st., Buffalo, N. Y., filed a petition dated Dec. 15, 1916, for variation from the provisions of section 23-a-2, 3 and 6 of the Labor Law, re required number of exits, construction of stairways and enclosure of openings, in the premises 1750-1760 Main st., Buffalo, N. Y., and

Whereas, a public hearing was held on the 12th day of February, 1917, at Buffalo, N. Y., and opportunity for all interested persons to be heard thereon having been given, and

Whereas, an inspection of the said premises was made and a report of such inspection is on file in the office of the Commission, from which inspection it appears that the building was erected since 1913, is of non-fireproof construction, two stories high, and approximately 90' 0" x 100' 0", auto seats and wind shields manufactured, occupancy 35 persons, all employed on the ground floor, second floor used for storage; exits are two interior wooden stairways enclosed in partitions of fireproof material, elevator shaft unenclosed; and there appearing from such inspection and public hearing that there are practical difficulties and unnecessary hardship in carrying out the strict provisions of the law or the rules and regulations of the Industrial Code on the said premises, and that in the granting of the variation on said premises the spirit of the law and rules and regulations will be observed and public safety secured,

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Commission that a variation be, and it hereby is granted to William F. Polson, on the premises 1750-1760 Main st., Buffalo, N. Y., upon the following terms:

That two exits be permitted as the required number of exits, and

That present fireproof enclosed wooden stairways be permitted, provided all exits in enclosure be fitted with self-closing fire doors, and

That unenclosed elevator shaft be permitted during the period that second floor is used for storage only, and in which there is no regular occupancy on this floor.

Be it further resolved that the said variation is granted only during the period that the conditions above set forth are maintained.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, SEEN BY ME, I, CHARLES D. O'CONNELL, Acting Secretary of the State Industrial Commission of the State of New York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original thereof, duly adopted by the State Industrial Commission on the 23rd day of February, 1917, and duly filed in the office of said Commission, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State Industrial Commission this 26th day of February, 1917. C. D. O'CONNELL, Acting Secretary.

(Seal) ml

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.
FOR VARIOUS PAINTING WORK AT THE MUNICIPAL BATH, CONEY ISLAND, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for making and completing entire work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days.
Security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded on a lump or aggregate sum.
Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
Dated, Feb. 19, 1917. f24,m8
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REPAIR SEWER IN 49TH ST., FROM 2ND TO 3RD AVES.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

255 linear feet of 54" brick sewer rebuilt.
35 cubic yards of brick masonry.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days.
The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications, or schedule, herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot or per cubic yard, by which the bids shall be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded on a lump or aggregate sum.
Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
Dated, Feb. 19, 1917. f24,m8
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917.
Borough of Brooklyn.
NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR EXCAVATIONS, FOUNDATIONS AND SUPERSTRUCTURE OF AND IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOUTH OR FLATBUSH AVENUE WING OF THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING OF THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY, LOCATED AT PROSPECT PARK PLAZA, BETWEEN FLATBUSH AVE. AND EASTERN PARKWAY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work shall not exceed two hundred (200) consecutive working days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOUTH OR FLATBUSH AVENUE WING OF THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING OF THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY, LOCATED AT PROSPECT PARK PLAZA, BETWEEN FLATBUSH AVE. AND EASTERN PARKWAY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work shall not exceed one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.
Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
Dated, Feb. 6, 1917. f15,m7
See General Instructions to Bidders on 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, 22nd floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LIQUID CHLORINE FOR USE AT THE KENSICO SCREEN CHAMBER OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT.

Further information is given in the Information for Bidders forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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

Time allowed for the delivery is 6 consecutive months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Five Dollars (\$5) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.
CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.
GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. f14,m6

NOTE—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, for applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING KUMYSS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1917.
The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the schedules.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. f28,m12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor,

Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF FIRE SIGNAL SYSTEMS IN VARIOUS GROUPS OF BUILDINGS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

The security required will be fifty per cent. of the amount of the bid accepted.
Certified check or cash in the sum of not less than two and one-half per cent. of the amount bid must accompany the bid.

The bidder shall state a separate price for each group described and specified, and awards will be made to the lowest bidder for each group.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Porter and Himmelwright, Engineers, Fifth Avenue Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen. JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 26, 1917. f27,m2

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING KHAKI AND CORDUROY.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1917.
The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the schedules.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. f17,m1
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SHOE MANUFACTURING SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before March 31, 1917.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit in cash or certified check. 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 for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

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

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f28,m10
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVEUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees in the office of the General Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st.) until 12 noon, on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEATS AND POULTRY.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1917.
The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

(Bonds not required with bids.)
As a condition precedent to the reception and consideration of a bid, a deposit amounting to not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must be made with the department in accordance with Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bid will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder for the line or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope.
No bids will be accepted unless these provisions are complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVEUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS. BY JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President.
Dated, Feb. 28, 1917. f21,m5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees in the office of the General Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st.) until 12 noon, on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.
FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF LIGHTING FIXTURES FOR THE OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT AT GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL, SITUATED AT FRONT ST. AND GOUVERNEUR SLIP, BOR-

BOURGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is ninety (90) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700). (Bonds not required with bids.) As a condition precedent to the receipt and consideration of a bid, a deposit of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35) must be made with the department, in accordance with Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

Bids must be submitted upon blank forms prepared by the department.

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

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

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

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees in the office of the General Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st.), until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FISH, OYSTERS AND CLAMS AND SUGAR.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1917.

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

(Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the receipt and consideration of a bid, a deposit amounting to not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must be made with the department in accordance with Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bid will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder for the line or class, as stated in the schedules.

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

No bid will be accepted unless these provisions are complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

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

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE FULTON MARKET BUILDING LOCATED AT FULTON FRONT AND SOUTH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF NEW DRAINAGE AND WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM IN THE FULTON MARKET BUILDING, LOCATED AT FULTON FRONT AND SOUTH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of the Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, Tremont ave. and 3rd ave., until 10.30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TOPPING AVE., BETWEEN E. 173D ST. AND E. 174TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

395 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15 inch.

10 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inch to 24 inch.

48 spurs for house connections.

4 manholes.

200 cubic yards of rock excavation.

100 cubic yards of Class C concrete.

1,000 feet B. M. of timber sheeting.

The time allowed for the full completion of

the work herein described will be 60 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN AND BUILDING STEPS AND APPURTENANCES WHERE REQUIRED IN W. 174TH ST., BETWEEN DAVIDSON AVE. AND JEROME AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

360 cubic yards of earth excavation.

220 cubic yards of rock excavation.

110 cubic yards of filling.

30 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

30 linear feet of old bluestone curb.

2,250 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

10 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

95 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

10 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

20 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 8 inches in diameter.

60 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.

280 linear feet of granite coping.

710 linear feet of granite steps.

4,000 square feet of sodding.

2 special inlets.

280 linear feet of iron pipe railing.

1 subway conduit system.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 60 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN ELIS AVE., FROM E. 177TH ST. TO ZEREGA AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

6,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.

700 cubic yards of rock excavation.

17,400 cubic yards of filling.

5,680 linear feet of concrete curb (including maintenance for one year).

28,830 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

280 square feet of new bluestone curb.

800 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

5 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

50 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.

30 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 20 inches in diameter.

3,000 feet B. M. of timber.

1,800 linear feet of new guard rail.

2 receiving basins, Type B.

Sinkage, shrinkage and settlement.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 140 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURB, LAYING AND RELAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 149TH ST., FROM COURTLANDT AVE. TO MORRIS AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

100 cubic yards of earth excavation.

14,000 cubic yards of filling.

1,300 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

450 linear feet of old bluestone curb.

8,700 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

1,000 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

1,000 linear feet of new guard rail.

20 cubic yards of brick masonry.

3,700 square yards of granite block pavement, relaid, on a sand foundation, with sand joints, outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for one year from date of completion.

1,900 square yards of granite block pavement, relaid, on a sand foundation, with sand joints, in railroad area.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 150 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

NO. 5. FOR REREGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN AND PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE SOUTHWAY BOULEVARD TO THE EAST SIDE OF TIMPSON PL., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO (PRELIMINARY PAVEMENT).

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

1,980 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

340 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

400 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.

140 cubic yards of filling.

490 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

100 square feet of new bluestone flagging.

2,250 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 30 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200).

NO. 6. FOR PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ROGERS PL. FROM E. 163D ST. TO A POINT ABOUT 127 FEET SOUTHERLY THEREFROM, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO (PERMANENT PAVEMENT).

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

455 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (medium traffic mixture) and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

93 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

100 linear feet of new curb.

180 linear feet of old curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 20 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$550).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules

herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Blank forms of bids or estimates upon which bids must be made can be obtained upon application therefor, the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, until 12 noon on

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

CONTRACT NO. 1556.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN, QUEENS, THE BRONX AND RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of May 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Class 1—For dredging about 110,000 cubic yards on the North River, Borough of Manhattan, the sum of \$8,000.00.

Class 2—For dredging about 20,000 cubic yards on the East and Harlem Rivers, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and in the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, the sum of \$3,000.00.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for doing all of the work called for in any class on which a bid is submitted, by which price the bids will be tested, and each class of the contract, if awarded, will be awarded as a separate contract to the bidder whose price per cubic yard is the lowest for doing all of the work called for in that class, and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

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

Dated, Feb. 24, 1917.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

CONTRACT NO. 1559.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BOILER TUBES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 consecutive calendar days.

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

The bidder to accompany bid shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder shall state the unit price at which he is prepared to furnish and deliver the tubes called for, and shall extend such totals as may be required on the schedules. In case of discrepancy between the unit and total price the unit price will be considered as the bid.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner directed.

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

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

Dated, Feb. 16, 1917.

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

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

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FLOUR.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1917.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

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

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, Board of Trustees.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMMERSON, Commissioner.

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

except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BUTTER, CHEESE, BREAD AND ROLLS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1917.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

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

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, Board of Trustees.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMMERSON, Commissioner.

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

except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon, on

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Borough of Richmond.

FOR CONSTRUCTING TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWERS, WITH THE NECESSARY APPURTENANCES, IN SECOND PL., FROM CLOVE AVE. TO GRASMERE AVE., IN SHERIDAN AVE., BETWEEN ITS NORTHERLY END AND A POINT ABOUT 150 FEET SOUTH OF 2D PL., AND IN GRASMERE AVE., BETWEEN ITS NORTHERLY END AND A POINT ABOUT 210 FEET SOUTH OF 2D PL., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

364 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer of 8 inches interior diameter, complete.

720 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer of 6 inches interior diameter, complete.

8 vitrified pipe spurs of 6 inches interior diameter on 8 inch pipe sewer, complete.

68 vitrified pipe spurs of 6 inches interior diameter on 6 inch pipe sewer,

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where plans and the contract, including the specifications in the form approved by the Corporation Council, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.
New York, Feb. 16, 1917. f21,m5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Amendments to Rules.

AT A MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE City of New York, held Feb. 1, 1917, it was

Resolved, That paragraph 3 of Rule XIII, of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

3. A person who has been removed or otherwise separated from a permanent competitive position for any cause other than fault or delinquency on his part shall be eligible for reinstatement without examination, at any time within one year from the date of such separation, in a vacant position in the same class and grade, provided that for original entrance to such position there is not required by these rules, in the judgment of the Commission, an examination involving tests or qualifications different from or higher than those involved in the examination for appointment to the position formerly held by such person.

A person who has resigned from a permanent competitive position may be similarly reinstated, provided the head of the department, office or institution from which he resigned shall certify that at the time of resignation his services, conduct and character were satisfactory. But no person shall be so reinstated who at any time within a year prior to the date of his separation from the service had been eligible for reinstatement as a suspended employee.

The Commission may in its discretion extend the period during which reinstatement may be made under this clause, where the person seeking reinstatement resigned his position in order to serve in the Army or Navy of the United States in time of war and has received an honorable discharge therefrom.

HENRY MOSKOWITZ, President.
Attest: ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

New York, Feb. 16, 1917.
I hereby approve the foregoing amendment.
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

OFFICE OF STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
Feb. 21, 1917.

The foregoing resolution amending the civil service rules for the City of New York, having been duly examined, is hereby approved by the State Civil Service Commission.

Attest: JOHN C. BIRDSEYE, Secretary. ml

Notices of Examinations.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1917, TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1917, for the position of

TABULATING MACHINE OPERATOR (POWERS MACHINE).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Practical Test, 5; 70% required. Experience, 2. Arithmetic, 2. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of Tabulating Machine Operators (Powers Machine) are to punch, sort and tabulate cards on the Powers Accounting Machine and to perform checking and clerical work incidental thereto.

The requirement of paragraph 12, Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, is waived for this examination.

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

There are 72 vacancies in the Department of Finance for a period of about six months at \$2 a day.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f28,m14 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1917, TO TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1917, for the position of

PRISON KEEPER (CORRECTION OFFICER).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Physical examination, 3; 70% required. Mental examination, 5; 70% required. Experience, 2. 70% general average required.

The subjects and weights of the mental examination are: Duties, 8; Arithmetic, 1; Handwriting, 1.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—To guard, discipline, care for and instruct inmates of correctional institutions.

Requirements—Candidates should have a common school education or its equivalent. Experience in the handling of men or in skilled trades will receive special consideration. Candidates must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height

and not less than 140 pounds in weight. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications. Candidates will be required to submit with their application a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized, or other satisfactory proof.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$900 to \$1,260 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Department of Correction.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f27,m13 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1917, TO MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917, for the position of

LABORATORY ASSISTANT (PATHOLOGY).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Practical Test, 6; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B, with insert.

Duties—To assist in the routine work of the Pathological Laboratory in one of the large City hospitals. The work includes the preparation of bacteriological media, of tissues for microscopical examination, and the performance of complement fixation and other serological tests.

Requirements—Candidates should have at least six months' experience in a hospital or research laboratory where the work above described is carried on. A practical test will be held in a laboratory. Candidates will be required to demonstrate their practical knowledge of (1) histological technique; or (2) of bacteriological and serological methods. Candidates will be required to indicate in which of these subjects they wish to be examined at the practical test, but they will be allowed to take both of the above practical tests.

The usual salary is \$720 per annum, with maintenance.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

There is one vacancy at present in the Department of Public Health, City Hospital at \$600 per annum, with maintenance.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f26,m12 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1917, TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, for the position of

MATE.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 3; 70% required. Experience, 7; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—To act as Mate on the steamboats used for carrying passengers and freight to the islands in the East River and Long Island Sound, under the jurisdiction of the Departments of Correction and Public Health. The tonnage of the largest boat is about 1,000 tons.

Requirements—Candidates must hold the United States Mate's license for the harbor of New York. Before appointment, candidates holding licenses limited to less than 1,000 tons may be required to secure a license for 1,000 tons.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 45 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$888 to \$984. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Department of Correction and the Department of Public Health.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f21,m8 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1917, TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917, for the position of

ELECTRICIAN.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; 70% required. Technical, 4; 75% required. Practical, 3; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of electricians are to install electric appliances, to set and repair meters, to install and repair motors, dynamos, switchboards, electric fans and other electric fixtures, to assemble and repair electric machines and to perform such other work as may properly be required of electricians.

Requirements—Applicants must present evi-

dence of at least three years of experience as a journeyman, wireman electric worker or as a journeyman on installation or in an electric testing laboratory or equivalent experience.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position is \$5 a day.

There are no vacancies at present.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f20,m7 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

AMENDED NOTICE.

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

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1917, TO FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1917, for the position of

OCULIST, GRADE 2.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 6; 70% required. Technical, 4; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of physicians (Oculist) are to supervise and be responsible for the diagnosis and treatment of diseases, physical abnormalities and other pathological conditions of the eyes in city hospitals, clinics, or other institutions.

Requirements—Applicants must present a license to practice medicine in the State of New York, when filing their applications, and must present evidence of at least one year's internship or three years' service in the Out-patient department of a hospital giving special training in diseases of the eye.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 45 years of age on the date of filing applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,020 to \$1,380. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Oculists are usually required to work 21 hours a week in the Department of Health.

There are no vacancies at present.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

f15,m2 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917, FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS, ALVES AND DOUBLE-NOZZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the material and supplies and the performance of the contract will be seventy-five (75) consecutive calendar days on each section.

The security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500) on Section I, Seventeen Hundred Dollars (\$1,750) on Section II, Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500) on Section III, and Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) on Section IV.

Bids will be received for each section singly or for all sections, but in comparing the bids, the bids for each section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by sections to the lowest formal bidder.

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

Dated, Feb. 27, 1917. f23,m6
WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

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

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1917, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WET CONNECTION SLEEVES AND VALVES.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive calendar days. The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. Award, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder on all items, as stated in the schedules.

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

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

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner. f23,m6
Dated, Feb. 21, 1917.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR, PLANT AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REPAIR INTERIOR WALKS IN PROSPECT PARK AND CARROLL PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH WORK INCIDENTAL THEREON.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

The time allowed to complete the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days. Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hun-

dred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$125) must accompany bid.

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

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f24,m8

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TRAP ROCK, BROKEN STONE SCREENINGS, BROKEN STONE CHIPS AND GRITS TO ARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive calendar days.

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

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

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

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f24,m8

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE POWER SPRAYER TO PROSPECT PARK.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be thirty (30) consecutive calendar days.

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

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

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

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f24,m8

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917, FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND SPREADING 29,950 GALLONS OF REFINED TAR, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, ON PARK ROADS AND PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IN BARRELS 2,500 GALLONS OF REFINED TAR, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, TO THE GRAVEL PIT, OCEAN PARKWAY, T. AVENUE P. BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be Nov. 15, 1917.

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

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

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

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f24,m8

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

Notice of Public Hearing.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

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

State of New York, Public Service Commission for the First District, New York, February 16, 1917.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

Under date of January 25 the Commission addressed a communication to your Honorable Board regarding the situation in respect of certain defects in the Dual System plan as related to part of Brooklyn and the modification of that plan which the Commission believes should be made. Among the matters considered in that communication was the construction of the so-called Ashland Place Connection, which is planned to connect with the present Fulton Street Elevated at a point in Fulton street east of Cumberland street and thence continue by incline to a connection with the Fourth Avenue Subway at a point near Ashland place. The Commission now transmits to your Honorable Board for your consent and approval and the consent and approval of the Mayor of the City as required by law a proposed route and general plan for said Ashland Place Connection (Route No. 63). The proposed connection is to begin at a point in Fulton street at or near Vanderbilt avenue and thence proceed partly as an elevated structure, partly upon embankment and partly in open cut along Fulton street, widened as necessary for that purpose, to a point at or near Cumberland street, where the route will become a subway, and will thence proceed along Fulton street to a point between Fort Greene place and South Elliott place, where the route will diverge, one track continuing along Fulton street to a connection with the Fourth Avenue Subway at a point between St. Felix street and Ashland place, and for tracks continuing along Lafayette avenue to a point where a connection can be made with the proposed future subway along Lafayette avenue and Livingston street, mentioned in the Commission's communication of January 25, and with a track diverging in Lafayette avenue near

St. Felix street and thence curving under private property, Ashland place and private property again to a point under Fulton street between Ashland place and Rockwell place, where a connection can be made with the Fourth Avenue Subway. This route will provide a two-track connection between the Fulton Street Elevated and the Fourth Avenue Subway, and also make provision for the future connection between the Fulton Street Elevated and the Lafayette Avenue-Livingston Street Subway.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

—and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Resolved, That the communication be received, and pursuant to law, this Board hereby fixes Friday, March 2, 1917, at 10.30 a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such plans and conclusions shall be considered, and be it further Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to publish such notice of consideration in the City Record.

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

Dated, New York, February 23, 1917. f26,m2

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 23, 1917 (Cal. No. 2), the Board continued until March 2, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by West 188th street, University avenue, Kingsbridge Road, Davidson avenue, West 190th street and Grand avenue, Borough of The Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated November 24, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 2, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Dated, February 26, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. f26,m2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 16, 1917 (Cal. No. 7), the Board continued until March 2, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Halle avenue, Montgomery avenue, the Montauk Division of the Long Island Railroad and Hobson avenue; and adjusting the dimensions of the southerly side of Laurel Hill Boulevard in the section immediately west of the junction of this street with Halle avenue, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated June 28, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 2, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Dated, February 19, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. f19,m2

FIRE DEPARTMENT, PARK BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Department and the Park Board at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING

GLASS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1917.

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedule.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD, CAROT WARD, President; THOMAS W. WHITNEY, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL and JOHN E. WEIR, Commissioners. f17,m1

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Thursday, March 22, 1917, at 10 a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Manhattan.

A137. 39th st., between Park ave. and Broadway, and between 8th and 11th aves.

A138. 24th st., between 7th and 8th aves.

A139. 39th st., between Park and Lexington aves.

A140. 25th st., between 8th and 9th aves.

A141. 31st st., between Third and Lexington aves.

A142. 37th st., between 7th and 10th aves.

A150. Van Dam st., from Diagonal st. to the summit about 225 feet southwest of Star ave., 1st Ward.

Borough of Queens.

A143. 39th st., between Park and Lexington aves.

A144. Orient ave., from Occident ave. to Sunrise Terrace.

A145. Louis st., from Howard ave. to Orient ave.

A146. Prospect st., from York ave. to 100 feet west of Fairview ave.

A147. Barrett Boulevard, from Duer Lane to the west house line of Havenwood rd.

A148. Freilighuysen rd., from Duer Lane to Havenwood rd.

A149. Havenwood rd., from Barrett Boulevard to Castleton ave.

Borough of Brooklyn.

A143. 30th st., between 2d and 3d aves. WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors. Feb. 24, 1917. f27,m1,6,8,13,15,20,22

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Friday, March 2, 1917, at 10 a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Manhattan.

5483. 7th ave., Nos. 2226 and 2247; E. 100th st., No. 154; Hamilton pl., No. 107; W. 42nd st., No. 603; 2nd ave., No. 1953; 10th ave., Nos. 823-825; W. 49th st., No. 613; 1st ave., Nos. 876-880 and 1140; E. 80th st., No. 443; E. 63rd st., No. 410; Broadway, east side, 309 feet north of Dyckman st. and running north 25 feet; W. 139th st., No. 511; 1st ave., Nos. 2109-2111; E. 122nd st., No. 325; Lexington ave., No. 1190; W. 116th st., Nos. 243-245; W. 11th st., Nos. 367-369; E. 54th st., No. 200; W. 131st st., No. 632; W. 48th st., No. 109; W. 53rd st., No. 107; 3rd ave., No. 1660; E. 93rd st., No. 188; and E. 79th st., Nos. 515-529.

5501. Seaman ave., from Academy st. to W. 207th st.

Borough of The Bronx.

5494. Webster ave., west side, 220 feet south of E. 182nd st.

5495. Bryant ave., from E. 177th st. to E. 179th st.

5496. E. 173rd st., from Boston rd. to Crotona Park East.

5497. St. Mary's (E. 143rd) st., from Jackson ave. to Wales ave., and Wales ave., from St. Mary's st. to E. 142nd st.

Borough of Queens.

5388. Graham ave., from 17th ave. to Jackson ave., 1st ward.

5477. Burnside ave., from 47th st. to 50th st., 2nd ward.

5478. Columbia ave., from Queens Boulevard to Laurel Hill Boulevard, 2nd ward.

5479. Putnam ave., from Woodward ave. to Fairview ave., 2nd ward.

5480. Van Alst ave., from Jackson ave. to Viaduct over the Long Island Railroad, 1st ward.

5485. Madison ave., from Forest ave. to the right of way of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, 2nd ward.

5486. Harvard ave., west side, from Fulton st. to Hillside ave., 4th ward.

5487. South st., from New York ave. to Rockaway Turnpike, 4th ward.

5488. Fourth st., west side, from Jackson ave. to Polk ave., 2nd ward.

5489. 47th st., from Hayes ave. to Astoria ave., 2nd ward.

5490. 2nd ave., from Ditmars ave. to Couch pl.; Bwell pl., from Banks ave. to summit southeasterly therefrom; Butler st., from Banks ave. to summit northwesterly therefrom; and Curtis st., from Banks ave. to summit northwesterly therefrom, 2nd ward.

5491. Lefferts ave., from Liberty ave. to Rockaway Boulevard, 4th ward.

5498. Worthington ave., from Woodside ave. to Roosevelt ave., 2nd ward.

5499. Putnam ave., from the Kings County Line to Wyckoff ave., 2nd ward.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5484. Amboy st., Nos. 42 and 153; Herkimer st., Nos. 412-414; Hopkinson ave., northeast corner of Park pl.; Howard ave., No. 408; Lincoln ave., east side, opposite No. 422; Osborn st., No. 25; Pitkin ave., northwest corner of Saratoga ave.; Rockaway ave., No. 405; Snediker ave., west side, 50 feet south of Blake ave.; St. Marks ave., Nos. 1427 and 1436; Stone ave., Nos. 608-610; Sutter ave., No. 374; and Vermont st., No. 428.

5492. Sackman st., from Newport st. to New Lots ave.

A132. 58th st., from Third ave. to Fourth ave.

A133. Reid ave., from Broadway to Fulton st.

A134. 30th st., from the Bulkhead to Second ave.

A135. Prospect ave., from Hamilton ave. to Fourth ave.

A136. 18th st., from 11th ave. to Vanderbilt st.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors. Feb. 6, 1917. f6,8,13,15,20,23,27,m1

Completion of Assessments.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of The Bronx.

4880. Regulating, Grading, Curbing, Flagging, etc., Crotona pl. from St. Paul's pl. to E. 171st st., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Block 2927.

5182. Regulating, Grading, Curbing, Flagging, etc., Baker ave., from 1st ave. to White Plains ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 4025 and 4026.

5183. Regulating, Grading, Curbing, Flagging, etc., Mead st., from Fairfield st. to Unionport rd., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 4026 and 4027.

5375. Sewer and appurtenances in Bronxdale ave., between West Farms rd. at Castle Hill ave. and Sackett ave., and in Sackett ave., between Bronxdale ave. and Golden ave. Affecting Blocks 4042, 4057 to 4066, 4084, 4086, 4087, 4091 to 4099, 4100 to 4110, 4124 to 4132, 4270 to 4273, 4303 to 4306, 4330 to 4332, and 4334.

5493. Flagging and Reflagging where necessary E. 150th st., south side, west of Mott ave. Affecting Block 2347.

Borough of Queens.

5420. Regulating, Grading, Paving, Curbing and Flagging, etc., Forest ave., between Hallock and Myrtle aves., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2502 to 2505, 2508, 2555, 2556, 2563 and 2564.

5421. Regulating, Grading, Paving, Curbing, etc., Paynter ave., from Sherman st. to Crescent st., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 86 to 89, 101 to 104, and 146.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5289. Regulating, Grading, Paving, Curbing, Flagging, etc., 71st st., from 15th ave. to New Utrecht ave. Affecting Blocks 6168, 6169, 6179 and 6180.

5334. Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging, etc., to Douglass st., between Blake and Dumont aves. Affecting Block 3554 and 3555.

5374. Regulating, Grading, Paving, Curbing and Flagging, etc., Evergreen ave., between Chauncey st. and Pilling st. Affecting Blocks 3451 and 3452.

5469. Sewer in Avenue J, from E. 3rd st. to E. 4th st.; outlet in E. 4th st., from Avenue J to 22nd ave., and Sewers in E. 4th st., from Avenue I to Avenue J, and in Avenue I, from E. 3rd

st. to E. 4th st. Affecting Blocks 6501, 6502, 6506, 6507, 6516, 6517 and 6526.

5472. Sewer in E. 12th st., from Ditmas ave. to Newark ave. Affecting Blocks 5197 and 5198.

5473. Sewer in 63rd st., from 18th ave. to 20th ave., and in 19th ave., from 62nd st. to 63rd st. Affecting Blocks 5533, 5534, 5540 and 5541.

5474. Sewers in 23rd ave., from Bath ave. to Cropsey ave. Affecting Blocks 6450 and 6888.

5475. Sewer in 39th st., from 14th ave. to 16th ave. Affecting Blocks 5346, 5347, 5365 and 5366.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, March 27, 1917, at 10 a. m. at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors. Feb. 24, 1917. f26,m8

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

FOR (1) FURNISHING FORAGE, AND (2) DELIVERING FORAGE AT THE TWENTY-SIX (26) STABLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, BRONX AND BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the contract will be on or before April 15, 1917.

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

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid shall be one and one-half per cent. of the total of the bids for both furnishing and delivering forage.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price on each item, and awards, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

The City reserves the right to accept the bids for furnishing forage and to reject the bids for carting, or to accept both bids; but it does not reserve the right to accept the bid for carting alone.

The bidder shall state separately in his bid, as follows:

(1) Under the heading "Forage, Unit Price," the sale price or prices per 100 lbs. for furnishing each kind of forage, in suitable bags or bales, at the "Contractor's Delivery Point," as elsewhere designated in the proposals;

(2) Under the heading "Carting, Unit Price," the bidder shall state the price or prices per 100 lbs. for delivering each kind of forage from the "Contractor's Delivery Point," as elsewhere designated in the proposal, to the "Department Receiving Points."

(3) On the sheet headed "Schedule of Contractors' Delivery Points," the location of the place or places from which he will deliver forage to vehicles furnished by the department. These points shall be designated in the columns provided for the purpose on the "Schedule of Quantities and Prices," by means of "letters" corresponding with those which appear opposite the described locations as shown on the "Schedule of Contractors' Delivery Points" from which it is intended that the item of forage is to be delivered.

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

The extensions must be made and total prices stated for furnishing each item and for carting each item and a total price for forage and carting combined.

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 Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. Dated, Feb. 27, 1917. m12

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING: CLASS I. ASH AND GARBAGE COMPARTMENTS ON RAILROADS.

CLASS II. COMBINATION RUBBISH TOPS AND COVERS FOR COMPARTMENTS ON RAILROADS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is 150 calendar days after the endorsement of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the schedules, per 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 for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. Dated, Feb. 23, 1917. f26,m8

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with the provisions of Section 241 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Department of Street Cleaning will sell at public auction at Van Tassel and Kearney's, 130 E. 13th st., Manhattan, the following condemned property of the said department, at 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

THIRTY-FIVE (35) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

The horses will be sold separately to the highest bidder and shall be paid for in full at the time of the sale; they shall be removed by the purchasers before 3 p. m. on the day of the sale.

Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the condition and value of each horse before bidding for the same, as in no case will money be refunded or the return of the horses accepted after the sale.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. Dated, Feb. 15, 1917. f19,m2

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. NICHOLAS PARK from its southerly line near West 130th street to a point nearly opposite to the southerly line of West 128th street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term, Part I, thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached, has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 26, 1917. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f26,m8

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BEAR SWAMP ROAD, from West Farms road to White Plains road, subject to the easements of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railroad and of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, in the area within the limits of their right of way, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached, has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 26, 1917. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f26,m8

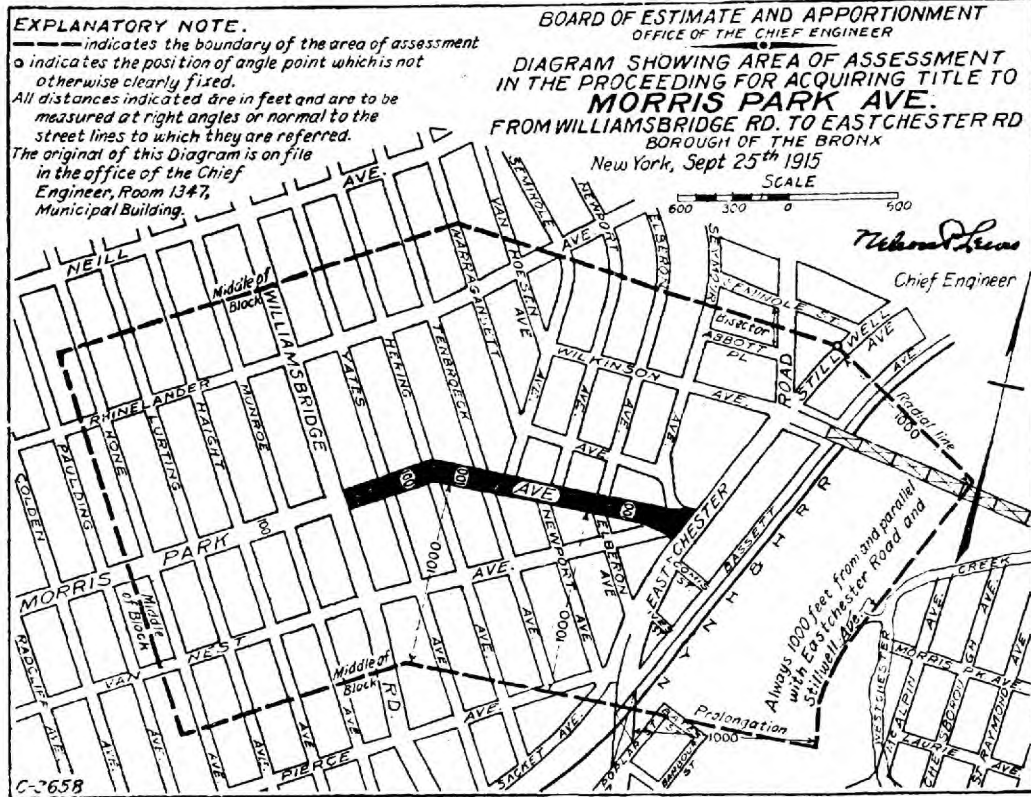
In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST-CHESTER ROAD, from Williamsbridge road to Laconia avenue; SEYMOUR AVENUE, from Eastchester road to Hicks street; and SACKETT AVENUE, from the prolongation of the easterly line of Newport avenue to Eastchester road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1917,

ties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 16th day of March, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of March, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 16th day of March, 1917, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22nd day of October, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, is shown on the following diagram:



Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 16th day of March, 1917.

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

of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, February 16, 1917.
JOHN V. SHERIDAN, Chairman; JOHN J. BRADY, Jr., FELIX A. MULDOON, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN V. SHERIDAN, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f23,m12

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the real property required for the opening and extending of the POST ROAD, from Corlear Avenue to West 253d Street, WEST 246TH STREET, from Cayuga Avenue to Broadway; WEST 250TH STREET, from the Post Road to Tibbett Avenue; WEST 251ST STREET, from Broadway to the Post Road; WEST 252D STREET, from Broadway to Tibbett Avenue; and TIBBETT AVENUE, from West 246th Street to West 252d Street, as this street is laid out east of Tibbett Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, at a Special Term of said court held in and for the County of Bronx, at the County Court House, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in fee, by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to the real property required for the opening and extending of the Post Road, from Corlear Avenue to West 253d Street; West 246th Street, from Cayuga Avenue to Broadway; West 250th Street, from the Post Road to Tibbett Avenue; West 251st Street, from Broadway to the Post Road; West 252d Street, from Broadway to Tibbett Avenue; and Tibbett Avenue, from West 246th Street to West 252d Street, as this street is laid out east of Tibbett Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

WEST 250TH STREET.
Beginning at a point in the western line of the Post Road, as being acquired herewith, distant 2,330.98 feet southerly from the intersection of said line and the southern line of West 254th Street, as legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of the Post Road for 215.53 feet; thence northwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 260.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 381.881 feet; thence still northwesterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 400.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 331.881 feet; thence still northwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 379.756 feet; thence still southeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 320.0 feet radius for 174.032 feet to the point of beginning.

WEST 251ST STREET.
Beginning at a point in the western line of Broadway, distant 1,868.83 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West 254th Street as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of Broadway for 60.0 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 243.316 feet to the eastern line of the Post Road as being acquired herewith; thence northerly along said eastern line of the Post Road for 61.82 feet; thence easterly for 258.220 feet to the point of beginning.

WEST 252D STREET.
Beginning at a point in the western line of Broadway, distant 1,108.83 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern

line of West 254th Street as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of Broadway for 60.0 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 340.05 feet; thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 50.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 68.458 feet to the eastern line of the Post Road, as being acquired herewith; thence northerly along said eastern line of the Post Road for 107.07 feet; thence easterly for 351.954 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at a point in the western line of the Post Road, as being acquired herewith, distant 1,278.81 feet from the intersection of said line and the southern line of West 254th Street as legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of the Post Road for 100.08 feet; thence southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 270.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 19.20' 24.7" northerly with the prolongation of the radius of said preceding course and along said eastern line of Tibbett Avenue as being acquired herewith; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 2,840.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course and along said eastern line of Tibbett Avenue for 6.08 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,620.0 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course and still along said eastern line of Tibbett Avenue for 116.49 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 360.0 feet radius for 188.154 feet. The radius of which curve drawn southeasterly through the northern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 39° 50' 50.3" southerly with the radius of said preceding course drawn easterly through said northern extremity; thence still northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 210.0 feet radius for 132.608 feet to the point of beginning.

TIBBETT AVENUE.
Beginning at the northwest corner of West 252d Street (Parcel "B") as being acquired herewith.

Thence southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,620.0 feet radius along the western line of said West 252d Street for 116.49 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 2,840.0 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course and still along said western line of West 252d Street and its southern prolongation for 692.31 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 220.0 feet radius, tangent to the preceding course for 337.928 feet; thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,640.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 452.902 feet; thence southeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 20.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 32.360 feet; thence westerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 45.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 106.85 feet; thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 40.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 43.781 feet; thence still northeasterly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,700.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 481.546 feet; thence northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 160.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 73.038 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 2,900.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 706.936 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of

a circle of 1,680.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 110.29 feet; thence easterly for 60.88 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "A."
Beginning at a point in the western line of the Post Road, as being acquired herewith, distant 2,970.82 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West 254th Street as legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of the Post Road for 339.26 feet; thence northwesterly, deflecting 123° 54' 31" to the right for 10.0 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 56° 05' 29" to the left for 100.635 feet; thence still westerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 230.039 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 100.88 feet; thence northerly for 80.0 feet, making an angle of 1° 48' 24" to the east with the radius of the preceding course drawn northerly through the western extremity of said preceding course; thence easterly, deflecting 83° 33' 03" to the right for 4.40 feet; thence still easterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 150.039 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 58.878 feet; thence still easterly and tangent to the preceding course for 57.122 feet; thence northeasterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 62.332 feet radius for 73.778 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the preceding course for 80.0 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 132.355 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 74.519 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 126.796 feet radius for 71.389 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at a point in the western line of Broadway, distant 3,244.97 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West 254th Street, as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence southerly along said western line of Broadway for 20.0 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 90° to the right for 150.618 feet to the eastern line of the Post Road, as being acquired herewith; thence northerly along said eastern line of the Post Road for 107.07 feet; thence easterly for 150.043 feet to the point of beginning.

The Post Road.
Beginning at a point in the western line of Newton Avenue, distant 434.61 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West 254th Street as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence southerly along the prolongation of said western line of Newton Avenue for 777.054 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 210.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 67.150 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 390.0 feet radius for 189.23 feet. The prolongation of the radius of which curve drawn westerly through the southern extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 19° 21' 24" southerly with the radius of said preceding course, drawn westerly through said southern extremity; thence still southerly and tangent to the preceding course for 880.77 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,040.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 598.24 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 126.796 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 23.770 feet; thence still southerly and tangent to the preceding course for 481.15 feet; thence still southerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 916.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 233.169 feet; thence still southerly and tangent to the

preceding course for 111.669 feet; thence easterly, deflecting 77° 03' 53" to the left for 61.56 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 102° 56' 07" to the left for 125.449 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 856.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 217.896 feet; thence still northerly and tangent to the preceding course for 481.15 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 186.796 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 35.018 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 1,100.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 632.755 feet; thence still northerly and tangent to the preceding course for 880.77 feet; thence still northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 330.0 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 250.38 feet; thence still northerly for 752.63 feet to the southern line of Newton Avenue as legally acquired, and making an angle of 75° 21' 49" to the north with the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn westerly through the northern extremity of said preceding course; thence westerly along said southern line of Newton Avenue for 60.0 feet to the point of beginning.

West 250th, 251st, 252d streets, Tibbett Avenue, West 246th Street and the Post Road are shown on the following maps:

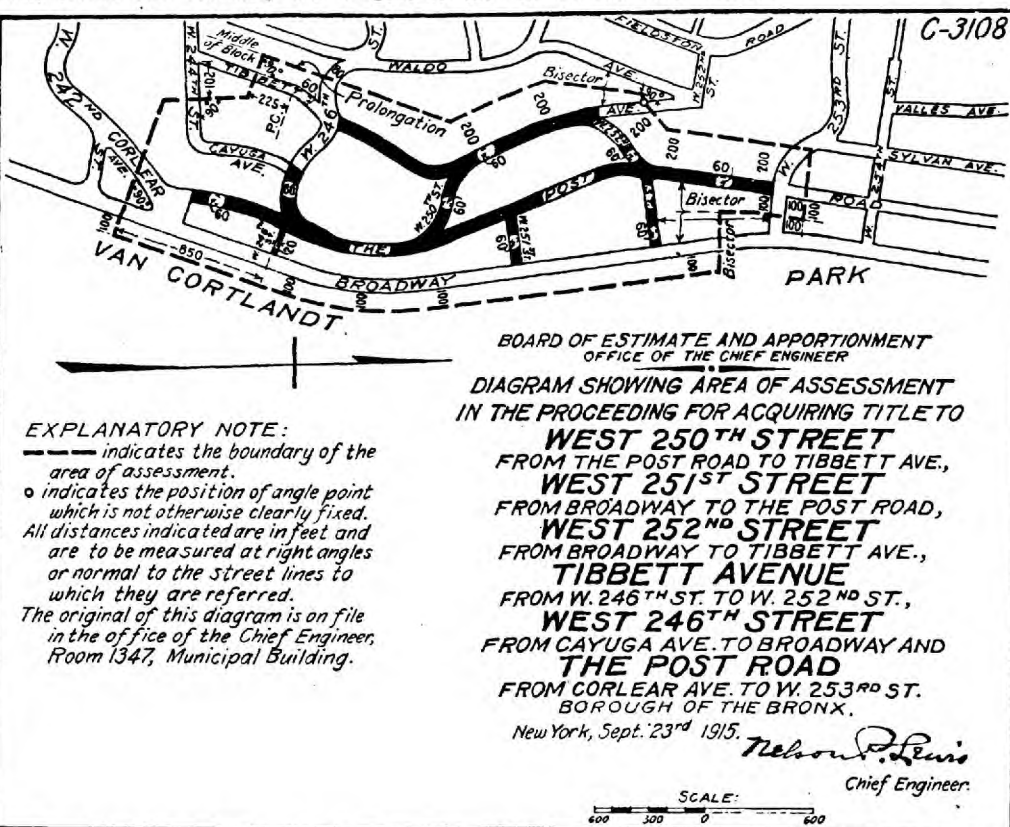
"Map showing a change in the street system heretofore laid out within the territory bounded by West 242d Street, Corlear Avenue, West 246th Street, Cayuga Avenue, West 252d Street, Newton Avenue, West 253d Street and Broadway," filed as follows: In the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on April 8, 1912, in the office of the Register of New York County on April 5, 1912, as Map No. 1608, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on April 6, 1912, in pigeonhole 185.

"Map showing the discontinuing and closing of Cayuga Avenue, from West 246th Street to West 250th Street, and the locating, laying out and the grades of Tibbett Avenue, from West 246th Street to West 252d Street, and the change of lines and grades of West 250th Street, from the Post Road to Tibbett Avenue," filed as follows: In the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on November 7, 1913, in the office of the Register of New York County on November 5, 1913, as Map No. 1810, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on November 5, 1913, in pigeonhole 76.

"Map showing the change of lines and grades of West 242d Street, between Corlear Avenue and Broadway; Corlear Avenue, between West 242d Street and Broadway; the Post Road, between Corlear Avenue and West 246th Street; West 246th Street, between Cayuga Avenue and Broadway, and the discontinuing of three Public Places between Corlear Avenue and Broadway," filed as follows: In the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on March 26, 1915, in the office of the Register of New York County on March 24, 1915, as Map No. 95, in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on March 23, 1915, in pigeonhole 234.

The land required for West 250th, 251st, 252d streets, Tibbett Avenue, West 246th Street and the Post Road is located in Blocks Nos. 3415 and 3421 of Section 13 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 22d day of December, 1916, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as shown on the following diagram:



Dated, New York, February 21, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f21,m5

Application.

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

"In the Matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title whereon the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CRESTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) from Tremont Avenue to Minerva place as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road in the 24th Ward of the City of New York."

—so as to empower the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessments heretofore appointed therein to award compensation for damages caused by the closing and discontinuance of Monroe Avenue, Morris Avenue, Cameron place (Elizabeth Street), Avenue A and Avenue B in said 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, pursuant to Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PURSUANT to Section 14 of Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in behalf of The City of New York, will make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held at the County Court House, of the County of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for an order empowering the Commissioners here-

tofore appointed in the above entitled proceeding to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any (in all cases where such compensation has not been heretofore ascertained and determined), which should justly be made and legally awarded pursuant to the said Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, to all owners, parties and persons interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements, or interests taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by and in consequence of the abandonment, discontinuance and closing of parts of Monroe Avenue, Morris Avenue, Cameron place (Elizabeth Street), Avenue A and Avenue B, more particularly described as follows:

Parcel "A."
Beginning at the point of intersection of the southern line of East 179th Street and the western line of Grand Concourse and Concourse as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence southerly along last mentioned line for 124.84 feet to the western line of Monroe Avenue as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 119.69 feet to said southern line of East 179th Street; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 36.43 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Monroe Avenue as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and the northern line of East 179th Street as legally acquired.

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for

50.0 feet to the western line of said Monroe avenue; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 175.0 feet to the southern line of Bush street as legally acquired; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 50.0 feet to said eastern line of Monroe avenue; thence southerly along last mentioned line for 175.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "C."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Monroe avenue as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and the northern line of Bush street as legally acquired.

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 50.04 feet to the western line of said Monroe avenue; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 92.72 feet; thence still northerly and still along said western line of Monroe avenue for 110.54 feet to the southern line of Burnside avenue as legally acquired; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 51.51 feet to the eastern line of said Monroe avenue; thence southerly along last mentioned line for 111.29 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 74° 36' 20" to the right for 1.36 feet to the first-mentioned eastern line of said Monroe avenue; thence southerly along last mentioned line for 92.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "D."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Monroe avenue as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and the northern line of Burnside avenue as legally acquired.

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 50.4 feet to the western line of said Monroe avenue; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 182.2 feet; thence still northerly and still along said western line of Monroe avenue for 149.0 feet to the eastern line of Creston avenue as legally acquired; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 60.14 feet to the southern line of East 180th street as legally acquired; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 31.43 feet to the eastern line of said Monroe avenue; thence southerly along last mentioned line for 206.35 feet; thence still southerly and still along the eastern line of said Monroe avenue for 185.85 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "E."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northern line of East 180th street and the eastern line of Creston avenue as these streets are legally acquired.

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 37.20 feet to the eastern line of Monroe avenue as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858; thence southerly for 37.33 feet to said northern line of East 180th street; thence westerly along last mentioned line for 11.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "F."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Avenue "A," as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and also shown on "Map of Prospect Hill Estate at Fordham," filed in the Register's office of Westchester County on June 20, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the western line of Creston avenue as legally acquired.

Thence southerly along last mentioned line for 147.29 feet to the western line of Monroe avenue, as laid out by said order of Commissioners of Highways; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 98.21 feet to the western line of Avenue "A," as laid out by the aforesaid order and also shown on "Map of Building Lots at Fordham being part of the Farm of Chas. Berrian," filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office on January 31, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the eastern line of Morris avenue as legally acquired.

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 125.86 feet to the southern line of East 181st street as legally acquired; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 48.43 feet to said eastern line of Avenue "A," as laid out by the aforesaid order and also shown on "Map of Building Lots at Fordham being part of the Farm of Chas. Berrian," filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office on January 31, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the eastern line of Morris avenue as legally acquired.

Parcel "G."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Avenue "A," as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and also shown on "Map of Prospect Hill Estate at Fordham," filed in the Register's office of Westchester County on June 20, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the northern line of East 181st street as legally acquired.

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 49.47 feet to the western line of Avenue "A," as laid out by the aforesaid order and also shown on "Map of Building Lots at Fordham being part of the Farm of Chas. Berrian," filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office on January 31, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the eastern line of Morris avenue as legally acquired.

Parcel "H."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southern line of Elizabeth street as shown on "Map of Building Lots at Fordham, being a part of the Farm of Chas. Berrian," filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office on January 31, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the eastern line of Morris avenue as legally acquired.

Thence northerly along last mentioned line for 50.04 feet to the northern line of said Elizabeth street; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 41.07 feet to the western line of Avenue "A," as laid out by an order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858, and also shown on above mentioned "Map of Building Lots at Fordham," thence southerly along last mentioned line for 51.18 feet to said southern line of Elizabeth street; thence westerly along last mentioned line for 50.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "I."

Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastern line of Avenue "B," as shown on "Map of Prospect Hill Estate at Fordham," filed in the Register's office of Westchester County on June 20, 1853, as Map No. 188, and the northern line of East 181st street as legally acquired.

Thence westerly along last mentioned line for 50.0 feet to the western line of said Avenue "B"; thence northerly along last mentioned line for 430.99 feet to the eastern line of Creston avenue as legally acquired; thence still northerly along last mentioned line for 158.92 feet to the southern line of East 182d street as legally acquired; thence easterly along last mentioned line for 1.76 feet to said eastern line of Avenue B; thence southerly along last mentioned line for 582.69 feet to the point of beginning.

The streets and avenues hereinbefore described are shown or described as follows:
Monroe avenue and Avenue "A" are described in the order of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of West Farms for laying out of a highway through lands of Chas. Berrian,

Samuel D. Archer and others, which order was filed in the office of the Town Clerk on January 9, 1858.

Avenue "A" and Avenue "B" are shown on "Map of Prospect Hill Estate at Fordham, Westchester Co.," filed in the Register's office of Westchester County on June 20, 1853, as Map No. 188.

Avenue "A" and Elizabeth street are shown on "Map of Building Lots at Fordham, Westchester Co., State of New York, being a part of the Farm of Chas. Berrian," filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office on January 31, 1853, as Map No. 188.

Monroe avenue, Avenue "A," Avenue "B" and Elizabeth street are located in the following blocks of Section 11 of the Land Map of the City of New York: 2808, 2812, 2813, 3162, 3169, 3170, 3180 and 3181.

Dated, New York, February 20, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f20,m3

Filing of Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of VICTOR STREET, from Van Nest avenue to Rhinelander avenue; RHINELANDER AVENUE, from Old Unionport road to White Plains road; and CRUGER AVENUE, from White Plains road to Rhinelander avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 12th day of June, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 17th day of June, 1914, so as to relate to VICTOR STREET, from Van Nest avenue to Rhinelander avenue; RHINELANDER AVENUE, from Unionport road to White Plains road; and CRUGER AVENUE, from White Plains road to Rhinelander avenue, as these streets are now mapped; and as further amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 14th day of January, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 14th day of January, 1916, so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 8, 1915, and approved by the Mayor January 15, 1915, in which the westerly line of Unionport road, which is now designated as Amethyst street, was deflected slightly to the east with the result that a small triangular parcel having an area of 7.80 square feet is excluded from the area to be acquired for Rhinelander avenue, in the aforesaid proceeding; the proceeding as now amended providing for the acquisition of title to VICTOR STREET, from Van Nest avenue to Rhinelander avenue; RHINELANDER AVENUE, from Unionport road to White Plains road; and CRUGER AVENUE, from White Plains road to Rhinelander avenue, as these streets are now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, East 161st street and 3rd avenue, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 26, 1917.
DOMINIC L. O'REILLY, ALFRED B. HALL, GEO. R. HOLBERT, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment; DOMINIC L. O'REILLY, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SOWLER, Clerk. f26,m2

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of CALAMUS AVENUE, from Maurice avenue to Grand street; DIVISION AVENUE, from Grand street to Caldwell avenue; LEWIS AVENUE, from Division avenue to Bloomfield street; BLOOMFIELD STREET, from Caldwell avenue to Bowne place; BOWNE PLACE, from Bloomfield street to Sibley street; SIBLEY STREET, from Bowne place to Woodhaven avenue; and PHELPS AVENUE, between the adjoining sections of Sibley street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 20, 1917, John Anderson Leach, James J. Rider and John J. Bliss were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John J. Bliss was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John Anderson Leach, James J. Rider and John J. Bliss, will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, March 1, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the real property required for the opening and extending of MYZEAU STREET, from Falkner street (Whitney street) to Grand street, and from Grand street to Metropolitan avenue, subject to easements of the New York Connecting Railroad Company, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 20, 1917, R. Harold Bagnell, William H. Wade and Robert Wilson were appointed

Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order R. Harold Bagnell was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said R. Harold Bagnell, William H. Wade and Robert Wilson will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, March 1, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of FULTON STREET, from Avenue K to Kolyer street, and to FINCH PLACE, from Kolyer street to Flover place, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 20, 1917, Leonard A. Barthel, Ira L. Terry and James Gordon were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Leonard A. Barthel was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, THAT PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Leonard A. Barthel, Ira L. Terry and James Gordon will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, March 1, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of AMITY STREET, from Wateredge avenue to Main street; and ROOSEVELT AVENUE, from Wateredge avenue to a line passing through the angle points distant respectively 415.96 and 420.50 feet east of Hewitt avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 20, 1917, Herman E. Winne, J. Gordon Noakes and Emil A. Guenther were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Herman E. Winne was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Herman E. Winne, J. Gordon Noakes and Emil A. Guenther will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, March 1st, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the real property required for the opening and extending of EIGHTY-FIFTH ROAD (FERRISS STREET), from 83d street (Forest Parkway) to 91st street (Columbia avenue), in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 31, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 9, 1917, William Rasquin, Jr., Charles A. Wadley and Emil A. Guenther were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William Rasquin, Jr., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said William Rasquin, Jr., Charles A. Wadley and Emil A. Guenther will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, or by any other person having interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, February 21, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f21,m5

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the real property required for the opening and extending of SIXTH STREET, from Stryker avenue to 7th street; SEVENTH STREET, from a point about 150 feet south of Stryker avenue to Jackson avenue; and EIGHTH STREET, from Jackson avenue to Polk avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of

New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 31, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 9, 1917, Robert B. Lawrence, John A. Kapelye and John J. Connolly were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Robert B. Lawrence was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Robert B. Lawrence, John A. Kapelye and John J. Connolly will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, or by any other person having interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, February 21, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f21,m5

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending FLATLANDS AVENUE, from Ralph avenue to East 76th street; PAERDEGAT AVENUE, north from Ralph avenue to Flatlands avenue; RALPH AVENUE, from the junction of Avenue H and Paerdegat Avenue North to Paerdegat Avenue South; PAERDEGAT AVENUE SOUTH, from Glenwood road to Ralph avenue, in the 32d Ward, of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 2d day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 24, 1917.
SIMEON B. CHITTENDEN, P. HOWARD WORTH, Commissioners of Estimate; P. HOWARD WORTH, Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. f24,m1

Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GRAVESEND NECK ROAD, from Van Sickle street to Ocean avenue, excluding the right of way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and of the Long Island Railroad, of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad; SHEEPSHEAD BAY ROAD, from Gravesend Neck road to Emmons avenue, excluding the right of way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and of the Long Island Railroad; AVENUE W, from Ocean Parkway to the junction with Gravesend Neck road and Sheepshead Bay road; EAST 12TH STREET, from Gravesend Neck road to Avenue W; JEROME AVENUE, from East 17th street to Sheepshead Bay road; AVENUE Z, from East 13th street to Sheepshead Bay road; and EAST 18TH STREET, from Jerome avenue to Voorhes avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above-entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, March 1, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. m1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of STILLWELL AVENUE, from Bay Parkway to 80th street, and from 86th street to Surf avenue, in the 30th and 31st Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above-entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 28, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f28,m10

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NICHOLAS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond terrace to Overhead line, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above-entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Richmond, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard

thereon for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, there to

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of Kew Gardens Road from Union Turnpike to Iris place, in the 2nd and 4th Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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

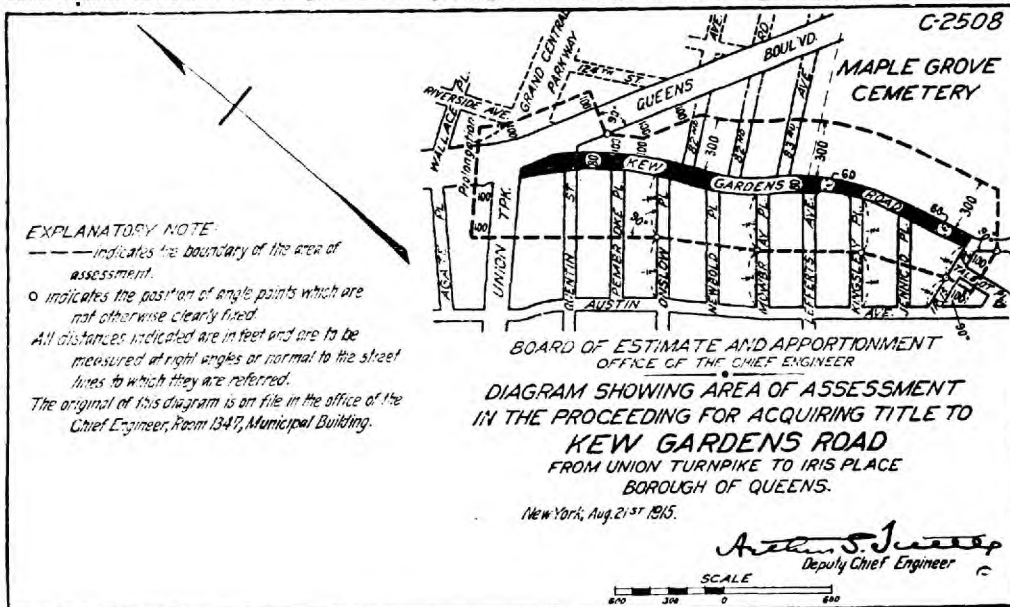
First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, 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 20th day of March, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting,

remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.
Dated, New York, February 21, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f21,m5

and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of March, 1917, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of March, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22nd day of March, 1917, at 3 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 1st day of October, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the 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 21st day of March, 1917.

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 15th day of May, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, February 21, 1917.
THOMAS F. DOYLE, Chairman; GEORGE MANN, HERMAN KNOBLOCH, Commissioners of Estimate; HERMAN KNOBLOCH, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. f28,m16

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 SMITH STREET, from Brinkerhoff avenue to Ulster avenue; BRINKERHOFF AVENUE, from Smith street to Spangler street, and SPANGLER STREET, from Brinkerhoff avenue to Lambertville avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their 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 15th day of March, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 15th day of March, 1917, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 16th day of March, 1917, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of December, 1914, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

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

and parallel with the westerly line of Smith street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Ulster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Smith street, and by the prolongation of the said line.

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 15th day of March, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments 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 26th day of April, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, February 15, 1917.
WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Chairman; WM. RASQUIN, JR., ROBERT LAWRENCE, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. f21,m10

SUPREME COURT—THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

In the Matter of the Application and Petition of the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York for the appointment of a Commission, under Section 42, Chapter 724, of the Laws of 1905, as amended by Section 9, Chapter 314 of the Laws of 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners under Section 42, Chapter 724, of the Laws of 1905, as amended by Section 9, Chapter 314 of the Laws of 1906.

Such application is to be made at a Special Term of the said Court to be held in and for the Third Judicial District at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, on the 7th day of April, 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

The object of this application is to obtain an order of the Court for the appointment of three disinterested and competent freeholders, at least one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the County of Ulster, to ascertain and determine

the damages, if any, for such decrease in value as the owner of any real estate not taken by virtue of chapter seven hundred and twenty-four of the laws of nineteen hundred and five and Chapter seven hundred and twenty-three of the laws of nineteen hundred and five or of any established business on the first day of June, nineteen hundred and five, and situate in the counties of Ulster, Albany or Greene, may be entitled by reason of Section 42, Chapter 724, of the Laws of 1905, as amended by Section 9, Chapter 314, of the Laws of 1906, provided an agreement cannot be had with the Board of Water Supply, and further provided that said claims prior to January 1, 1917, have not been either noticed for trial or partly tried before Damage Commission No. 4.

And for an order directing Damage Commission No. 4 and the further Commission to be known as Damage Commission No. 5, the application for the appointment of which is hereby noticed, to dismiss claims which have been filed with the Board of Water Supply pursuant to Chapter 42, where the same are duly noticed for trial by the City of New York and the claimant or his attorney fail to prosecute and prove the same.

And for an order to have barred and prohibited the making, filing and exhibiting of further claims against the City of New York by reason of the acts of the City of New York in removing the railroad, highways, villages, buildings and inhabitants in and from the Ashokan reservoir and its neighborhood, or for impounding the waters of the Esopus Creek in the Ashokan reservoir, or for the diversion of the waters of the Esopus Creek from their channel below the Ashokan reservoir.

And for an order directing that said Commission, hereinafter applied for shall sit in the City of Kingston for the trial of claims during the weeks beginning with the second and fourth Mondays of each month, and that Damage Commission No. 4 shall sit in the City of Kingston for the trial of claims during the weeks beginning with the first and third Mondays of each month, and that each of said Commissions decide and report promptly upon claims as soon as they are tried, or dismiss the same for failure of the claimant or his attorney to proceed with the trial thereof, and that the said claims filed hereafter be referred to by statute, or that any proceedings already had are a bar in whole or in part to the prosecution of any claim or the taking of testimony thereon.

Dated, Feb. 19, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Chambers and Center streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f23,a7

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold in the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. The amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 will be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the buildings or buildings, or purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach by either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the contract. The placing thereon or permitting the occupancy of any building by any tenant free for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations, and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

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

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

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

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days

from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials or labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards, and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to or on property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

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

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions, shall in any case be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, title thereto shall thereupon become vested in The City of New York and a resale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids, and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any service, work, materials or supplies for the City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or officers, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President of the Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department, and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion, fraud, or that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock, or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate. For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.