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MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON LIBERTY LOAN.

SUBSCRIPTIONS BY CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

STANDING OF THE CITY AND COUNTY DEPARTMENTS.

The figures below are based upon subscriptions received up to 2 o'clock P. M. yesterday at the Comptroller's office, Room 851, Municipal Building, having been in the first instance turned in to the heads of the respective departments and by them transmitted to the Comptroller, as the Chairman of the Mayor's Committee. The Comptroller files a summary statement daily with the Commissioner of Accounts, as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Mayor's Committee, and the latter calculates the departmental percentages upon the basis of one \$50 bond to the total payroll of each department, as provided in the 1917 budget, thereby fixing the base percentage for each department. In the interest of fairness the smaller boards, commissions, etc., have been grouped together for scoring purposes. Similarly certain county offices of each county have likewise been combined.

Department.	Total Subscription.	Base Percentage.	Percentage of Subscriptions to Payroll.
City and Borough Offices.			
Licenses, Department of.....	\$33,300 00	.03243	21.59505
Water Supply, Board of.....	53,100 00	.00605	6.4251
Docks and Ferries, Department of.....	40,600 00	.00750	6.09162
Tenement House Department.....	21,350 00	.01294	5.5241
Taxes and Assessments, Department of.....	31,100 00	.00888	5.52212
City Court.....	13,400 00	.01971	5.28174
Borough President, The Bronx.....	34,500 00	.00693	4.78308
Finance, Department of (\$57,000), City Chamberlain (\$2,650) and Sinking Fund Commission.....	59,650 00	.00379	4.52266
Municipal Civil Service Commission.....	7,650 00	.02889	4.41941
Accounts, Commissioner of.....	8,500 00	.02319	3.94247
Mayoralty (\$1,500), Board of Estimate and Apportionment (\$15,250) and Bureau of Weights and Measures (\$2,600).....	19,350 00	.00880	3.40483
Aldermen, Board of, and City Clerk.....	8,350 00	.01753	2.92784
Public Charities, Department of.....	46,900 00	.00286	2.68456
Lav Department.....	18,650 00	.00633	2.35997
Borough President, Brooklyn.....	29,200 00	.00377	2.20402
Fire Department.....	188,600 00	.00057	2.16513
Plant and Structures, Department of, and Municipal Garage.....	24,750 00	.00426	2.1092
Miscellaneous Boards and Commissions.....	7,400 00	.01167	1.72731
Armory Board (\$650), Art Commission, Board			

Department.	Total Subscription.	Base Percentage.	Percentage of Subscriptions to Payroll.
County Offices.			
of Assessors (\$650), Bronx Parkway Commission, Central Purchase Committee (\$400), Board of Child Welfare (\$650), Board of City Record (\$2,400), Board of Elections (\$1,200), Examining Board of Plumbers, (\$1,200), Board of Inebriety (\$250) and Board of Standards and Appeals.			
Parks, Department of (Brooklyn; \$7,900; Queens, \$700).....	8,600 00	.00920	1.5824
Court of Special Sessions.....	6,700 00	.01133	1.51795
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Department of.....	33,900 00	.00211	1.43126
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and Board of Ambulance Service.....	7,650 00	.00656	1.00322
Health, Department of.....	22,350 00	.00203	.91463
Police Department.....	124,450 00	.00031	.7691
Street Cleaning, Department of.....	36,000 00	.00104	.74664
City Magistrates' Court.....	6,000 00	.00578	.69372
Coroners (Queens, \$850).....	850 00	.03392	.57666
Borough President, Manhattan.....	6,250 00	.00329	.4115
Correction, Department of, and Parole Commission (\$2,950).....	2,950 00	.00582	.34314
Quasi-Public Institutions.....	450 00	.00313	.02819
American Museum of Natural History, Brooklyn Botanic Garden and Arboretum, Brooklyn Public Library, Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Jumel Mansion, Metropolitan Museum of Art, N. Y. Aquarium, N. Y. Botanical Garden, N. Y. Public Library, N. Y. Zoological Garden, Queens Borough Public Library, Staten Island Association of Arts and Sciences, and U. S. Volunteer Life Saving Corps (\$450).			
Borough President, Richmond.....	200 00	.01016	.02033
Education, Department of.....	5,850 00	.00014	.01615
Borough President, Queens.....	.....	.0484	.....
College of the City of New York.....	.....	.0796	.....
Municipal Courts.....	.....	.00538	.....
Hunter College.....	.....	.00976	.....
County Offices.			
Register, N. Y. County.....	\$18,150 00	.03193	11.58986
County Clerk (\$3,750) and Commissioner of Records (\$7,750), N. Y. County.....	11,500 00	.01979	4.55262
County Court (\$3,200) and Surrogate's Court (\$8,750), Kings County.....	11,950 00	.01405	3.35771
Public Administrator, Register and Sheriff, Bronx County.....	3,100 00	.02653	1.64455
District Attorney (\$1,050), Commissioner of Jurors, Public Administrator, Sheriff, Supreme Court (\$1,250), Surrogate's Court and National Guard and Naval Militia, Queens County.....	2,300 00	.02761	1.27001
Supreme Court, N. Y. County.....	12,450 00	.00509	1.26617
County Court, Supreme Court and Surrogate's Court (\$2,100), Bronx County.....	2,100 00	.02621	1.10061
County Clerk and County Court (\$1,000), Queens County.....	1,000 00	.02746	.54914
Public Administrator (\$450), Commissioner of Jurors and National Guard and Naval Militia (\$700), N. Y. County.....	1,150 00	.01536	.35319
Commissioner of Jurors (\$700), Public Administrator (\$300), Sheriff and National Guard and Naval Militia, Kings County.....	1,000 00	.01663	.33236
Richmond County Offices (County Judge and Surrogate).....	350 00	.04440	.31084
Court of General Sessions.....	1,200 00	.01268	.30434
Surrogates' Court and Commissioner of Records (100), N. Y. County.....	100 00	.01974	.03948
District Attorney, N. Y. County.....	100 00	.01131	.02262
Sheriff, N. Y. County.....	.....	.03492	.....
County Clerk, District Attorney, Commissioner of Jurors and National Guard and Naval Militia, Bronx County.....	.....	.02402	.....
County Clerk and District Attorney, Kings County.....	.....	.02241	.....
Register and Commissioner of Records, Kings County.....	.....	.01662	.....
Supreme Court, Kings County.....	.....	.01071	.....

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Hearings by the Committee on Buildings.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917, at 2 p. m., on the following matters:

No. 1260—Ord. No. 225. "An Ordinance to amend article 4 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to classification of buildings." This ordinance may be found in the minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the CITY RECORD of Feb. 8, 1917.

No. 1635—Ord. No. 284. "An Ordinance to amend chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances by inserting therein a new article to be numbered article 26, relating to garages, motor vehicle repair shops and oil selling stations."

No. 1636—Ord. No. 285. "An Ordinance to amend article 11, chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances by repealing sections 152 and 154 and amending section 159 thereof, relating to garages."

These ordinances may be found in the minutes of the Board of Aldermen published in the CITY RECORD of May 24, 1917.

All persons interested are invited to be present.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing June 11, 1917.
Wednesday, June 13, 1917—2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Cases Nos. 577 and 2052—New York Edison Company—"Uniform system of accounts and form of annual report for 1915"—Whole Commission, 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1542—Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn and Kings County Electric Light and Power Company—"Compliance with uniform system of accounts"—Whole Commission, 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2208—The Long Island Railroad Com-

pany and Pennsylvania Tunnel and Terminal Railroad Company—"Application for approval of agreement as to trackage rights and use of Pennsylvania station to July 1, 1918"—Whole Commission.

Friday, June 15, 1917—10:30 a. m.—Room 256—Case No. 1541—Flatbush Gas Company—Samuel Maires et al., Complainants—"Rates for electricity in Brooklyn"—Commissioners Hayward and Hervey.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Tuesday at 10:30 a. m.

Regular Meeting of the Commission held on Wednesday at 11 a. m.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'Clock A. M., on Thursday, May 31, 1917.

Present—Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen; Albert E. Hadlock, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain; Francis P. Kenney, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held May 17, 1917, were approved as printed.

Dock Department—New Plan for the Improvement of the Water Front in the Vicinity of Dyckman St., North River.

The Chair called for a continuation of the public hearing which was adjourned at the last meeting, May 24, 1917, relative to the new plan for the improvement of the water front in the vicinity of Dyckman st., North River, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks, April 10, 1917.

The approval of this plan being contingent upon the approval of the proposed lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company, which was to be laid over owing to the absence of His Honor, the Mayor, no action was taken on the plan.

It being necessary to readvertise the hearing, the following resolution was offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby fix 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, June 28, 1917, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter of the plan for improvement of the water-front in the vicinity of Dyckman Street, North River, Borough of Manhattan, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law April 10, 1917.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Dock Department—Proposed Lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company of Certain Land Under Water South of Dyckman St., North River.

Mr. E. Fellman, of 19 W. 87th st., Manhattan, was heard in regard to the matter.

At meeting held May 17, 1917, the Committee to which this matter was referred presented a form of lease and bond for the consideration of the Board and action thereon was laid over. Owing to the absence of his Honor, the Mayor, action thereon was again laid over.

Dock Department—Proposed Amendment to All Leases or Renewals Thereof of the Franchises to Operate Ferries in Connection with an Interstate Railroad.

The Committee, to which was referred at meeting held January 25, 1917, the request of the Commissioner of Docks for authority to amend all leases or renewals thereof, of the franchise to operate ferries in connection with an Interstate railroad, by striking out the provisions therein contained which have to do with the rates of ferrage to be charged on said ferries, presented a report recommending that the Commissioner of Docks be authorized to amend all such existing leases or renewals thereof by striking therefrom the clause relating to ferrage rates at present incorporated in such leases, such amendments to be made, however, only after each lessee has filed in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries its written consent thereto.

On motion, action thereon was laid over until the next meeting.

Dock Department—Assignment of Lease by Pierre Noel to the Broad Channel Corporation of a Portion of Big Egg Marsh, Jamaica Bay.

The following was received from the Commissioner of Docks:

Pier A, North River, May 8, 1917.

Uon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Sir—Under date of May 4, 1917, an application has been submitted by Pierre Noel to assign to the Broad Channel Corporation the lease of all that portion of Big Egg Marsh, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which is owned by the City of New York, and said structures thereon as are owned by said City, together with all waterfront rights and appurtenances thereto, which lease was approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted December 16, 1914, as amended January 13, 1915.

In this communication Mr. Noel states:

"On my assignment to the Broad Channel Corporation of the leases of Broad Channel, The Rauna and Goose Creek, there was no consideration paid to me whatever. The Broad Channel Corporation is merely a holding corporation. The leases were turned over to that corporation to assist in efficient administration and to enable money to be raised in proper shape for the development of the properties. You probably know that I am president of the corporation."

I beg to recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of said assignment. Yours respectfully,

RICHARD C. HARRISON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks.

In connection therewith the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 29, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from the Commissioner of Docks, in which he states that on May 4, 1917, an application was submitted by Pierre Noel to assign to the Broad Channel Corporation the lease of all that portion of Big Egg Marsh, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Queens, City of New York, which is owned by the City of New York, and such structures thereon as are owned by said City, together with all waterfront rights appurtenant thereto.

This lease was authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted December 16, 1914, as amended January 13, 1915. The lease is for a period of ten years from May 1, 1915, with the privilege of two renewals of ten years each. The rent for the first three years of the term is at the rate of \$15,000 per annum, the next three years \$17,500 per annum, and the next four years \$20,000 per annum. For the second term of ten years the rent is \$22,500 per annum for the first five years thereof and \$25,000 per annum for the next five years. For the third term the rental is \$27,500 per annum for the first five years and \$30,000 per annum for the remainder of the term.

I see no reason why the assignment of this lease should not be approved, provided all the terms and conditions contained therein remain in force.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of the assignment by Pierre Noel to the Broad Channel Corporation of the lease of all that portion of Big Egg Marsh, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Queens, City of New York, authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on December 16, 1914, as amended on January 13, 1915; the assignee to accept the assignment subject to all the terms and conditions contained in the existing lease.

Respectfully, EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and is hereby authorized to consent to the assignment by Pierre Noel to the Broad Channel Corporation of the lease of all that portion of Big Egg Marsh, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which is owned by the City of New York and said structures thereon as are owned by said City, together with all water-front rights and appurtenances thereto, which lease was approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted December 16, 1914, as amended January 13, 1915.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises Nos. 535-537 Fordham Rd., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board under date of March 21, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises 535-537 Fordham Road, Borough of The Bronx, occupied as a section station, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, at an annual rental of \$360.

This is an increase of \$60 a year over the existing lease, but, as no other suitable station can be found in the vicinity at the present rental, and, as the rental now asked is only 4½ per cent. on the appraised value of \$8,000, I am of the opinion that it is for the best interests of the City to renew at the new rate.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just under the circumstances, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the premises Nos. 535-537 Fordham Road, 50 feet east of Bathgate Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, consisting of a two-story frame house, 22 feet by 26 feet, with one-story addition, 13 by 13 feet (six rooms in all), with cellar, 13 by 13 feet, and yard space, 50 by 57 feet, located on a plot, 50 by 83 feet, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, at an annual rental of \$360, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and assessments; the lessee to pay water rates, furnish heat, light and caretaker and make such inside and outside repairs as it may deem necessary; lessor, James J. McCluskey, 2536 Bathgate Avenue, Bronx. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of a renewal of the lease to the City of premises Nos. 535-537 Fordham Road, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and assessments; the lessee to pay water rates, furnish heat, light and caretaker and make such inside and outside repairs as it may deem necessary; lessor, James J. McCluskey; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Street Cleaning Department—Turning Over by, of Property on 19th Ave., Near 55th St., Brooklyn, Being Part of Premises Formerly Occupied by the Brooklyn Disciplinary School for Boys.

The following was received:

May 11, 1917.

Uon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman of the Sinking Fund Commission:

Sir—On May 4, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution assigning for the use of this Department a vacant plot of land 200 by 300 feet, on the westerly side of 19th Avenue, south of 55th Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of 19th Avenue, distant 155 feet 7½ inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of 19th Avenue and the southerly line of 55th Street; running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with and distant 58 feet southerly from the northwesterly boundary line of land belonging to the City of New York and formerly used for the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, 200 feet; running thence southerly on a line drawn parallel with 19th Avenue 300 feet; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel with the first mentioned course 200 feet to the westerly line of 19th Avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly line of 19th Avenue 300 feet to the point or place of beginning."

Thereafter the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution dividing the City into zones and restricting the uses of property located within said zones. The use of the property above described was limited to residential purposes and it was, therefore, impossible to proceed with the erection of the stable building for which purpose this property was assigned to this department. Application was made to the Board of Estimate for an amendment of the zoning resolution excepting the above described property from its operation, but the Board refused to do so. On that account, the department will be unable to make use of this property for stable purposes, and, therefore, wishes to surrender it to the Sinking Fund Commission for such disposition, as it may deem advisable. Yours truly,

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board under date of May 11, 1917, states that the plot of land on 19th Avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn, assigned to his Department by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on May 4, 1916, cannot be used by the Department of Street Cleaning, owing to a resolution adopted thereafter by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dividing the City into zones and restricting the uses of property located within said zones, and he therefore surrenders the following described premises in the Borough of Brooklyn to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required by his Department:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of 19th Avenue, distant 155 feet 7½ inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of 19th Avenue and the southerly line of 55th Street; running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with and distant 58 feet southerly from the northwesterly boundary line of land belonging to the City of New York and formerly used for the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, 200 feet; running thence southerly on a line drawn parallel with 19th Avenue 300 feet; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel with the first mentioned course 200 feet to the westerly line of 19th Avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly line of 19th Avenue 300 feet to the point or place of beginning.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Comptroller be authorized to derive such revenue therefrom as may be had from the temporary leasing thereof until the final disposition of the same shall be determined. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication dated May 11, 1917, having turned over as no longer required plot of land on 19th Avenue and 55th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of 19th Avenue, distant 155 feet 7½ inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of 19th Avenue and the southerly line of 55th Street; running thence westerly on a line drawn parallel with and distant 58 feet southerly from the northwesterly boundary line of land belonging to the City of New York and formerly used for the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, 200 feet; running thence southerly on a line drawn parallel with 19th Avenue 300 feet; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel with the first mentioned course 200 feet to the westerly line of 19th Avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly line of 19th Avenue 300 feet to the point or place of beginning."

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to derive such revenue therefrom as may be had from the temporary leasing thereof, until the final disposition of the same is determined.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 76 Johnson Ave., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of October 24, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied as a Baby Health Station at 76 Johnson Avenue, Borough of

Brooklyn, for a period of one year from January 15, 1917, at the same rental as now paid, and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of December 22, 1916, recommended this lease for a period of one year from January 15, 1916, at a rent of \$324 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held December 29, 1916.

The lease of these premises expired on January 15, 1917, and was not renewed, owing to the fact that the lessors have not given the information requested as to the rights of tenants in the case until now, although request has been made repeatedly.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, and the City being a holdover tenant, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store 17 feet by 24 feet 6 inches, with four rooms and toilet in rear, together with bin in front part of cellar for storage purposes, in the three-story brick and frame tenement building at 76 Johnson Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from January 15, 1917, at an annual rental of \$324, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs, and comply with all orders of municipal departments relative to exterior work; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service. Lessors, Reuben Mirsky and Mrs. Annie Greenstein, individually and as guardian in socage of Louis Greenstein and Aaron Greenstein. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the store with four rear rooms and toilet in rear, together with bin in front part of cellar, for storage purposes, in the building at No. 76 Johnson Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Health Department, for a period of one year from January 15, 1917, at an annual rental of three hundred and twenty-four dollars (\$324), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs and comply with all orders of Municipal Departments relative to exterior work; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service; lessors, Reuben Mirsky and Mrs. Annie Greenstein, individually, and as guardian in socage of Louis Greenstein and Aaron Greenstein; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Lease for, of Premises at 439 E. 57th St., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On April 12, 1917, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a lease from Mrs. John H. Ravekes of the entire premises at 439 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$900, and upon certain other terms and conditions as outlined in said resolution. The name of the lessor should be Mrs. Marietta F. Ravekes.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the above mentioned resolution be amended by causing the name of the lessor to read "Mrs. Marietta E. Ravekes."

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held April 12, 1917, authorizing a lease to the City from Mrs. John H. Ravekes of the entire premises at No. 439 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of nine hundred dollars (\$900), and upon certain other terms as outlined in said resolution, and the same is hereby amended by substituting as the name of the lessor "Mrs. Marietta E. Ravekes" in place of "Mrs. John H. Ravekes."

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Richmond—Renewal of Lease for, of Vacant Ground at S. W. Corner Richmond Terrace and Nicholas Ave., Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Acting President of the Borough of Richmond, in a communication to your Board under date of January 29, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the storeyed premises on the southwest corner of Richmond Terrace and Nicholas Avenue, Borough of Richmond, for a period of one year from June 24, 1917.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of April 7, 1916, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from June 24, 1916, at a rental of \$360 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held April 13, 1916.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the vacant plot of ground on the southwest corner of Richmond Terrace and Nicholas Avenue, Borough of Richmond, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Richmond Terrace with the westerly line of Nicholas Avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly line of Nicholas Avenue 196 feet; thence westerly at right angles to Nicholas Avenue 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with Nicholas Avenue 175 feet, more or less, to the southerly line of Richmond Terrace; thence easterly along the southerly line of Richmond Terrace 132 feet to the point or place of beginning.
—for use of the President of the Borough of Richmond, for a period of one year from June 24, 1917, at a rental of \$360 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates (no heat, light or janitor service required); the lease to contain a clause compelling the City to vacate the premises upon ninety days' notice, should the property be sold and should the new purchaser desire immediate possession; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Elm Park Realty Company, care Charles E. Griffith's Sons, 29 Richmond Avenue, Port Richmond, Richmond. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the vacant plot of ground on the southwest corner of Richmond Terrace and Nicholas Avenue, Borough of Richmond, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Richmond Terrace with the westerly line of Nicholas Avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly line of Nicholas Avenue 196 feet; thence westerly at right angles to Nicholas Avenue 125 feet; thence northerly parallel with Nicholas Avenue 175 feet more or less to the southerly line of Richmond Terrace; thence easterly along the southerly line of Richmond Terrace 132 feet to the point or place of beginning.
—for use of the President of the Borough of Richmond, for a period of one year from June 24, 1917, at a rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates (no heat, light or janitor service required), the lease to contain a clause compelling the City to vacate the premises upon ninety days' notice should the property be sold and should the new purchaser desire immediate possession, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Elm Park Realty Company; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Queens—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 1996 Jamaica Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Acting President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication to your Board under date of March 28, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the westerly store and cellar with rear yard space in the premises No. 1996 Jamaica Avenue, Woodhaven, Borough of Queens, occupied by the Bureau of Sewers, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of April 27, 1916, recommended this lease for a period of one year from June 15, 1916, at an annual rental of \$240, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held May 4, 1916.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the westerly store floor and cellar underneath said store, together with rear yard space, in the premises 1996 Jamaica Avenue, Fourth Ward, Woodhaven, Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of one year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$240, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all necessary repairs; the lessee to furnish heat and light; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Thomas K. Davis, 34 Woodmere Place, Richmond Hill, Queens.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the westerly store floor and cellar underneath said store, together with rear yard space in the premises No. 1996 Jamaica Avenue, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from June 15, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of one year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of two hundred and forty dollars (\$240), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all necessary repairs; the lessee to furnish heat and light, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Thomas K. Davis; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Approval of Action of, in Allowing the Lord Construction Company to Occupy Certain Land for Temporary Tracks.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Brooklyn, stating that on May 12, 1916, permission was granted by his office to the Lord Construction Company to temporarily occupy land for temporary tracks as described on a plan as being located between Coney Island Creek and Neptune Avenue, and north of said Neptune Avenue, east of the B. R. T. right of way, and stating that he has no objection to the renewal of this permit, providing it meets with the approval of this office.

On May 18, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approved of the action of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in allowing the occupation of these premises by the Lord Construction Company, for a period not to exceed one year from May 18, 1916, at a rental of \$100, and the filing of a bond of indemnity in the sum of \$10,000.

I see no reason why this privilege should not be extended for another year under the same terms and conditions.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve the action of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn in allowing occupation by the Lord Construction Company of a certain strip of land owned by the City of New York, located about 170 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of Neptune Avenue and the easterly line of Stillwell Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and running thence northerly to the southerly line of Coney Island Creek, having an average width of 20 feet, for a period not to exceed one year from May 18, 1917; the Lord Construction Company to pay to the City the sum of \$100 for the use and occupation thereof, such use and occupation to be at all times subject to whatever rules and regulations may be imposed by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; the Lord Construction Company to file a bond in the sum of \$10,000, which bond shall be approved by the Comptroller as to sufficiency, indemnifying the City from any loss or damage that may result from the use of the above mentioned premises by the Lord Construction Company.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of the action of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn in allowing occupation by the Lord Construction Company, of a certain strip of land owned by The City of New York, located about 170 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly line of Neptune Avenue, and the easterly line of Stillwell Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and running thence northerly to the southerly line of Coney Island Creek, having an average width of 20 feet, for a period not to exceed one year from May 18, 1917; the Lord Construction Company to pay to the City the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) for the use and occupation thereof, such use and occupation to be at all times subject to whatever rules and regulations may be imposed by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; the Lord Construction Company to file a bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), which bond shall be approved by the Comptroller as to sufficiency, indemnifying the City from any loss or damage that may result from the use of the above mentioned premises by the Lord Construction Company.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Police Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises No. 1830 Brooklyn Ave., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 29, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Police Commissioner, in a communication to your Board under date of January 16, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises No. 1830 Brooklyn Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, occupied by the 174th Precinct, for a period of one year from July 1, 1917, at the same rental as now paid, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of June 11, 1915, recommended this lease for a period of two years from July 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$660, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held June 16, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the premises No. 1830 Brooklyn Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from July 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$660, payable monthly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary during occupancy, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Miss Mary J. McCartie, No. 113 East 31st Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises No. 1830 Brooklyn Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department, for a term of one year from July 1, 1917, at an annual rental of six hundred and sixty dollars (\$660), payable monthly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Miss Mary J. McCartie; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Police Department—Assignment to, of Room in the Jamaica Town Hall, Fulton St. and Flushing Ave., Jamaica, Queens.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Police Commissioner in a communication to your Board under date of May 17, 1917, requests the assignment of a room on the top floor of the Town Hall, Fulton Street and Flushing Avenue, Jamaica, for one night each week (preferably Monday night), for use of the Police Department as a meeting place for the Home Defense League of the 278th Precinct.

This room (room 2, on third floor) was assigned by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on February 15, 1911, to the Civil and Spanish War Veterans (see Sinking Fund Minutes 1911, page 126), and the Police Commissioner states that this room is now used by them about twice a month on Wednesday evenings.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund assign to the Police Department room 2 on the third or top floor of the Jamaica Town Hall, Fulton Street and Flushing Avenue, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, for one (Monday) night each week. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Police Department Room 2, on the third or top floor of the Jamaica Town Hall, Fulton Street and Flushing Avenue, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, for use as a meeting place for the Home Defense League of the 278th Precinct, for one night (Monday) of each week.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Lease for, of Premises at 289 Fourth Ave., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, in a communication to your Board under date of May 4, 1917, requests the execution of a lease of 1,450 square feet of floor space on the second floor of the Kennedy Building, 289 4th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Gramercy District Office of the Bureau of Social Investigations, for a period of three years at an annual rental of \$1,600.

This District office is now located at the end of the pier at the foot of East 26th street, which location, the Commissioner states, is most inaccessible, entailing much hardship and discomfort to applicants seeking institutional relief.

The premises requested to be leased consist of 1,450 square feet at the northwest corner of the second floor, and at the rental of \$1,600, is at the rate of \$1.10 per square foot and is the same rate paid by the present tenants of this space. This rental includes use of toilets, repairs, heat, light and janitor service.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the execution of a lease of 1,450 square feet of floor space, together with use of toilets, at the northwest corner of the second floor in the building known as the Kennedy Building, at 289 4th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a period of three years from July 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$1,600, payable monthly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make inside and outside repairs, and furnish heat, light, elevator and janitor service. Lessor, United Charities, care Edward B. Bruch, 289 4th Avenue, Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from the United Charities, of 1,450 square feet of floor space, together with use of the toilets, at the northwest corner of the second floor in the building known as the Kennedy Building, at No. 289 Fourth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a period of three years from July 1, 1917, at an annual rental of sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600), payable monthly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make inside and outside repairs and furnish heat, light, elevator and janitor service; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Lease for, of Premises Known as the Manor Farm on Martling Ave., Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 24, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held March 29, 1917, adopted a resolution authorizing a lease from Morton W. Smith and Edward Gould Smith, as executors and trustees under the last will and testament of Lucy P. Smith, deceased, of the premises known as the Manor Farm, containing approximately 18 acres, together with the dwelling, stable and hay barn thereon, located on the southerly side of Martling Avenue, 568 feet east of Manor Road, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$1,500, payable quarterly, and upon certain terms and conditions as outlined in said resolution.

The attorney for the owners in a communication to this department states that it is not intended to lease to the City that portion of Manor Farm heretofore rented and now occupied by the New York Veteran Cricketers' Association, and requests that the lease be amended accordingly.

As this was the understanding during negotiations with the owners, I can see no objection to the granting of this request.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 29, 1917, and heretofore referred to be amended by adding the following clause, "except that portion of Manor Farm heretofore rented and now occupied by the New York Veteran Cricketers' Association under said rental." Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held March 29, 1917, authorizing a lease to the City, of premises known as Manor Farm, together with dwelling, stable and hay barn located on the southerly side of Martling Avenue, 568 feet east of Manor Road, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Armory Board for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), payable quarterly, be and the same is hereby amended by adding the following clause, "except that portion of Manor Farm heretofore rented and now occupied by the New York Veteran Cricketers Association under said rental."

The report was accepted and the resolutions adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Plant and Structures Department—Request of, for Authority to Lease at Public Auction the Parcel of Land Under the Manhattan Approach to the Manhattan Bridge, Between East Broadway and Henry St., Manhattan.

Mr. James H. Yerance, treasurer of the New York Presbytery, the Rev. John Ewing Steen, of the Church of Sea and Land, and Mrs. Jacob R. Riis, were heard in opposition to the proposed lease.

After discussion, the matter was referred to a committee consisting of the Chamberlain and the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

Plant and Structures Department—Lease by, at Public Auction or by Sealed Bids of the Plot of Ground on the Northerly Side of Division Street Under the Manhattan Approach to the Manhattan Bridge.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 26, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, City of New York:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from the Commissioner of the Department of Plant and Structures, stating that he has received an offer for the leasing of the irregular plot of ground on the northerly side of Division Street under the Manhattan approach to the Manhattan Bridge, and requesting that a lease of the same be advertised for a term of ten years from November 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$1,800, payable quarterly in advance, with the privilege of renewal for a further period of ten years at increased rental of 10 per cent. per annum over that amount paid for the first ten-year period, each bidder to deposit with his bid \$500 in cash or certified check on any State or National bank of the City of New York. A period of four months is to be allowed from the date of opening of the bids for the construction of the building and no rent is to be charged for this period.

The rental of \$1,800 per annum for these premises for the first ten years and 10 per cent. increase thereon for the renewal period of ten years is to my mind fair and reasonable.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt the attached resolution. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of a sale by sealed bids by the Commissioner of the Department of Plant and Structures, for the highest rental, after public advertisement, of a lease of the following described property belonging to the City of New York situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

The irregular plot or parcel of land lying on the northerly side of Division Street, west of Forsyth Street, with a frontage of 91 feet on Division Street and an area of 1,770 square feet, as shown in detail on drawing No. 38/225 of the Department of Plant and Structures.

The lease to be for a term of ten years from November 1, 1917, with the privilege of a renewal for a further period of ten years at an increased rental of ten per cent. (10%) per annum over that paid for the first ten-year period.

The Commissioner of Plant and Structures will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said premises for the said period at the minimum or upset price of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following

Terms and Conditions.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with his bid the sum of \$500 in cash, or a certified check drawn on a State or National Bank of the City of New York. Such cash or certified check shall not be enclosed in the envelope with the proposed bid, but must be handed to the official who receives the bids, for examination and approval before accepting said bid.

All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned after the award of the lease. The amount deposited by the successful bidder will be retained and credited on account of rent, except that in case the successful bidder does not execute the lease when so directed then such deposit shall be forfeited.

No bid shall be received from any one who is a delinquent on any former lease from the City and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the City upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the City, as provided by law.

The lease to be drawn by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York in the usual form of leases of City property and contain the following terms, covenants and conditions:

1. The lessee will be permitted to erect a fireproof building which shall not exceed in height 20 feet. A metal cover hanging from the bridge structure shall be erected and maintained over the building as a protection to the bridge structure from fire. The plans for the building and the metal cover shall be prepared by the lessee and erected in accordance therewith, subject, however, to the approval of the Commissioner of Plant and Structures.

2. The rental of premises will not commence until four (4) months after the date of the opening of the bids.

3. In case the premises should be required for City purposes, the decision of which shall be made by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at any time after five years from the date of the lease, the same may be cancelled, and the City will pay to the lessee a percentage of the cost of the building erected thereon upon the following basis:

At the end of 5 years.....	75 per cent.
At the end of 6 years.....	70 per cent.
At the end of 7 years.....	65 per cent.
At the end of 8 years.....	60 per cent.
At the end of 9 years.....	55 per cent.
At the end of 10 years.....	50 per cent.
At the end of 11 years.....	45 per cent.
At the end of 12 years.....	40 per cent.
At the end of 13 years.....	35 per cent.
At the end of 14 years.....	30 per cent.
At the end of 15 years.....	25 per cent.
At the end of 16 years.....	20 per cent.
At the end of 17 years.....	15 per cent.
At the end of 18 years.....	10 per cent.
At the end of 19 years.....	5 per cent.

4. It is distinctly understood that no payment or payments shall be made by the City to the lessee for the cost of any building or other improvements erected upon the demised premises in excess of fifteen (15) cents per cubic foot measurement, the volume thereof to be determined from the length and breadth of the actual building and improvement erected at the ground level and the height from the ground level to the top of roof, exclusive of cornices.

5. In the event of the failure of the lessee to conform to all the requirements of the lease, the building and any alterations or improvements on the premises will become the property of the City of New York. Any building erected upon the demised premises, together with the alterations and improvements thereon, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease or any renewal thereof.

6. The lessee to pay the usual rate for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity governing the use of water.

7. The building may be heated by gas, electricity or steam, but if steam is used it must be obtained from a plant located on premises that are not under the jurisdiction of the Department of Plant and Structures.

8. No alterations or improvements shall be made to the premises without the written consent and approval of the Commissioner of Plant and Structures.

9. The lessee shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York and the rules and regulations of State and City departments having jurisdiction over the premises and shall make all inside and outside repairs to the building.

10. The City of New York will pay any taxes or assessments that may be levied against the land or the building erected on the premises during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof.

11. The Commissioner of Plant and Structures reserves the right to reject any and all bids if he deems it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

479 Pearl St., Manhattan—Comptroller Authorized to Repair

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On August 8, 1916, a lease of the premises known as 479 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of two years from August 15, 1916, was sold to Giacomo Bozzo, Frank Fasce and Benedict Repetti, proprietors of the Columbus Candy Company, at an annual rental of \$4,800.

On May 12, 1917, the above premises were damaged by fire to a considerable extent.

An estimate of the cost of repairs necessary to place the building in proper

shape has been secured by the lessees and approved by Mr. Chandler Withington, Chief Engineer, Department of Finance, said estimate amounting to the sum of \$630.

As it is necessary to place this building in proper condition if the lessees are to continue to pay rent therefor I recommend that the said lessees be authorized to expend the said sum of \$630, in placing the building in proper repair, and that the Comptroller be authorized to credit said lessees with that amount in lieu of the payment of rent.

Yours truly, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The premises 479 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan, owned by The City of New York, and leased by it to Giacomo Bozzo, Frank Fasce and Benedict Repetti, proprietors of the Columbus Candy Company, was damaged by fire on May 12, 1917, and

Whereas, An approved estimate shows that it will be necessary to expend the sum of \$630 to place said building in proper condition for business purposes, it is therefore

Resolved, That the said Giacomo Bozzo, Frank Fasce and Benedict Repetti, proprietors of the Columbus Candy Company, be and are hereby authorized to expend the said sum of \$630 in placing said building at 479 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan, in proper repair, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to credit the said sum of \$630 to the account of the said Giacomo Bozzo, Frank Fasce and Benedict Repetti, in lieu of the payment of rent for said building at 479 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Board of Water Supply—Turning Over by, of Land at East View Tunnel, Westchester County.

The following was received:

New York, April 16, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Municipal Building, Manhattan:

Gentlemen—In connection with the construction of the Catskill Aqueduct the Board of Water Supply acquired as parts of section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, real estate parcels Nos. 1016, 1016A, 1016B and 1017. Parcels 1016A and 1016B and the part of parcel 1016 which is outside the 50-foot aqueduct right-of-way were acquired for the disposal of spoil from the construction of shaft at East View tunnel. The perpetual easement in parcel 1017 was acquired as an access to this shaft site. Work has been completed at this point and the shaft sealed.

There are 26,000 cubic yards of spoil (rock excavated from the tunnel) deposited on these parcels, and a great deal of it contain iron pyrites, which, on exposure to the atmosphere, is rapidly disintegrating and causing an acid condition in the ground and the water which comes in contact with it. Some of the seepage into the tunnel at this point shows an acid condition and it has been thought that it may have come from this spoil pile. Prof. Charles P. Berkey, expert geologist to the Board, has reported on this matter and suggested that the spoil should be removed.

Recently the County of Westchester has purchased the remainder of the Cochran farm, of which the above mentioned parcels were a part, and is developing the same with county institutions. It desires to secure this pile of spoil for construction purposes, and has agreed to purchase the land outside of the aqueduct right-of-way for the sum of \$4,000, with the stipulation that it shall also remove all of this spoil.

The Board of Water Supply has no further use for the area within parcels 1016A, 1016B, 1016C and 1016D, colored purple on the attached map, Acc. E-703, and if this land is disposed of the perpetual easement in parcel 1017 will no longer be required.

The Board is desirous that this spoil shall be removed and therefore parcels 1016A, 1016B, 1016C and 1016D and the perpetual easement in 1017 are herewith turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for disposal, with the stipulation that all of the spoil on these parcels and on the aqueduct right-of-way shall be removed at the earliest date and not later than April 1, 1919.

At the time parcel 1016 was acquired six permanent rights-of-way, crossing this parcel, as shown dotted on the attached map, were granted to the abutting owner; in exchange for these rights-of-way the County of Westchester desires to be granted five permanent rights-of-way, as shown in solid lines on the attached map. The Board of Water Supply respectfully recommends that this request be granted and that the rights-of-way asked for by the County be made permanent and the original rights-of-way discontinued. Respectfully,

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary.

Filed. See disposition of following.

Sale at Public Auction of Land at East View Tunnel, Westchester County.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 24, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Water Supply, in a communication to you Board under date of April 16, 1917, states that the Board of Water Supply has no further use for certain land at East View Tunnel, Westchester County, known as Parcels 1016A, 1016B, 1016C and 1016D, and a perpetual easement in Parcel 1017, as shown on Map Acc. E-703 of the Board of Water Supply, and the above premises are surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

There is on these parcels 26,000 cubic yards of tunnel spoil, containing a large amount of iron pyrites, which is rapidly disintegrating, thereby causing an acid condition in the ground and water coming into contact with it. To avoid danger from seepage of the above into the adjacent tunnel, the Geologist of the Board of Water Supply recommends the removal of all this spoil.

The County of Westchester owns the adjoining property and desires to purchase this land, together with this spoil, with the stipulation that it shall remove all the spoil, and for which it makes an offer to purchase at \$4,000, which, in my opinion, is the fair and reasonable value thereof, considering the fact that the removal of all the spoil on these parcels and on the aqueduct right-of-way is to be done by the purchaser at the earliest date and not later than April 1, 1919.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt the attached resolution. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and order a sale at public auction of the following described property:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate, situated in the Town of Mt. Pleasant, County of Westchester and State of New York, designated on Map Acc. E-703 of the Board of Water Supply as fee in Parcels Nos. 1016A, 1016B, 1016C, 1016D, and a perpetual easement in Parcel No. 1017, bounded and described as follows:

1016A Fee.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel is a sub-division of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 1,747.9 feet northeasterly from the southwest corner of said parcel No. 1016E, measured along the westerly line of same and running from thence N. 58 degrees 21 minutes W. 250.0 feet, N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 150.0 feet and S. 58 degrees 21 minutes E. 250.0 feet to another point in the before mentioned westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E; thence along said westerly line S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 150.0 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.09 acre.

1016B and 1016C Fee.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel is a subdivision of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 1,737.0 feet northeasterly from the southeast corner of said Parcel No. 1016E, measured along said easterly line, and thence continuing along said easterly line N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 650.9 feet to a point in the easterly side of an access road; thence along the easterly side of said road S. 41 degrees 12 minutes E. 90.8 feet, S. 34 degrees 58 minutes E. 94.9 feet and S. 30 degrees 34 minutes E. 283.8 feet; thence S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 286.6 feet; thence N. 79 degrees 53 minutes W. 456.9 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 4.66 acres.

1016D Fee.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel

is a subdivision of Parcel 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 285.3 feet northeasterly from the most westerly corner of Parcel No. 1016A (which parcel is also shown on map Acc. E-335, which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, N. Y., on April 9, 1910, as Map No. 1901), and running from thence N. 13 degrees 56 minutes W. 70 feet and N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 190.0 feet to the easterly side of a road; thence along the easterly side of said road S. 45 degrees 56 minutes E. 51.2 feet to a point in the before mentioned westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E; thence along said westerly line S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 228.0 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.240 acre.

1017 Perpetual Easement.

Beginning at the most easterly corner of Parcel No. 1016C (which parcel is a sub-division of Parcel 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683) and running thence along the easterly side of a road S. 30 degrees 34 minutes E. 190.0 feet, S. 36 degrees 04 minutes E. 201.8 feet and S. 39 degrees 17 minutes E. 92.0 feet to a point in the westerly side of a road from White Plains to Hawthorne; thence along the westerly side of said road S. 16 degrees 44 minutes W. 30.1 feet; thence N. 39 degrees 17 minutes W. 109.5 feet, N. 36 degrees 04 minutes W. 203.7 feet and N. 30 degrees 34 minutes W. 178.0 feet to a point in the before mentioned easterly line of Parcel No. 1016C; thence along said easterly line N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 28.3 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.28 acre.

the minimum or upset price of which said property shall be sold be, and is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), and the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps for conducting such sale, upon the following terms and conditions:

The successful bidder shall remove at their own expense all spoil on these parcels and the adjoining aqueduct right-of-way at the earliest date, and not later than April 1, 1919, to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Water Supply.

The City reserves the right to remove the existing fences on these parcels or its right-of-way.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of sale, and ninety (90) per cent. upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be within sixty (60) days from the date of sale.

The deed so delivered shall be in the form of a bargain and sale deed, without covenants.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person so failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Hahnemann Hospital—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Settlement with, of the Litigation to Compel the City to Deliver a Deed to Certain Lands Between 67th and 68th Sts., Lexington and Park Aves., Manhattan (See Page 516).

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On May 17, 1917, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a release to Hahnemann Hospital of the City's interest in certain premises more particularly described therein. In this resolution a certain lease of the premises is described as dated February 14, 1871, instead of January 14, 1871, and as recorded in Liber 1158 of Conveyances at page 586, instead of 566. One of the courses in the description is described as the southerly line of 67th Street. It should be the northerly line of 67th Street.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the attached resolution, amending the resolution of May 17, 1917, be adopted. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held May 17, 1917, authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute and deliver on behalf of The City of New York its deed of release conveying in fee simple absolute to the Hahnemann Hospital, the interest of the City of New York in ten certain lots, between 67th and 68th Street, Park and Lexington Avenues, Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Whereas, By chapter 345 of the Laws of 1905, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are authorized and empowered to change, modify or alter a grant in fee simple absolute a certain lease of the premises hereafter described, which lease is dated January 14, 1871, and recorded in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 14th day of March, 1871, in Liber 1158 of Conveyances at page 566; and

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the exercise of the discretion vested in them by the provisions of said act have fixed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) less fifty-two thousand and forty dollars and sixteen cents (\$52,040.16) already paid by the Hahnemann Hospital to the City of New York with interest at 4 per cent. from December 19, 1913, as a fair pecuniary consideration for a grant in fee simple absolute of the premises above described; now therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the payment to the Comptroller of the City of New York of said price of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) less the sum of fifty-two thousand and forty dollars and sixteen cents (\$52,040.16), already paid by the Hahnemann Hospital of the City of New York with interest at 4 per cent. from December 19, 1913, to the date of such payment, the Mayor and the City Clerk be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver on behalf of The City of New York, its deed of release conveying in fee simple absolute to the Hahnemann Hospital of The City of New York, all those ten certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line or side of 67th Street with the easterly line or side of 4th Avenue and running thence northerly along said easterly line or side of 4th Avenue 200 feet and 10 inches to the southerly line or side of 68th Street; thence easterly along the southerly line or side of 68th Street 125 feet; thence southerly and parallel to 4th Avenue 200 feet and 10 inches to the northerly line or side of 67th Street 125 feet to the point or place of beginning, being the premises described in a certain indenture of lease executed by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York on or about the 14th day of January, 1871, to the Hahnemann Hospital of The City of New York.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Exchange of Nine Parcels of Land Owned by the City for Property Known as the Rigg's Property on Inwood Hill, Manhattan.

The following was received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

May 23d, 1917.

Mr. JOHN KORB, JR., *Secretary, Sinking Fund Commission, Municipal Building:*

Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 18, 1917, approving of the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on April 19, 1917, authorizing the exchange of land owned by the City located in the Borough of Manhattan, viz., Fulton Market, 103 Park Row, 19-21 Leonard Street, 180 Clinton Street, 20 Eldridge Street, 105-107 Eldridge Street, 185 Lafayette Street, 180-184 Wooster Street and 66 Third Avenue, for property known as Rigg's property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, to be used for park purposes. Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Commissioner of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held on April 19, 1917, adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, At a meeting held December 7, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted the following:

"Whereas, Messrs. Miller & Bretzfelder, attorneys for Mr. F. B. Rigg's, have

offered to exchange the property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, known as the Riggs' tract, which is to be included as part of Inwood Park, for real estate now owned by the City of New York of equal value: Therefore, be it

"Resolved, That to determine the value of the land of the City of New York and the value of the lands of private owners to be exchanged therefor, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Joseph P. Day, Henry Brady and W. H. Archibald, three discreet and disinterested appraisers residing in the Borough of Manhattan, to appraise the value of the lands known as the Riggs' property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, more particularly shown on the map attached hereto, and the value of certain parcels to be hereafter determined by the Comptroller, owned by the City of New York, to be used in exchange therefor, it being distinctly understood that the City will be reimbursed for whatever expense it is put to for the cost of such appraisal;"

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"Whereas, The appraisers above mentioned did appraise the following parcels of land owned by the City of New York and located in the Borough of Manhattan: Fulton Market, 19-21 Leonard Street, 103 Park Row, 20 Eldridge Street, 180 Clinton Street, 105-107 Eldridge Street, 180-184 Wooster Street, 66 Third Avenue and 185 Lafayette Street; and

"Whereas, The appraisers appointed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have submitted the following appraisals:

Joseph P. Day—

Property owned by the City..... \$544,500 00

Property in private ownership 612,000 00

Henry Brady—

Property owned by the City..... 577,000 00

Property in private ownership 582,500 00

W. H. Archibald—

Property owned by the City..... 570,000 00

Property in private ownership 588,500 00

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, subject, however, to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby authorize a conveyance to George P. Sanborn, No. 38 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn, and Frederick H. Sanborn, of No. 64 Macon Street, Borough of Brooklyn, of the following premises located in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, known as Fulton Market, 19-21 Leonard Street, 103 Park Row, 20 Eldridge Street, 180 Clinton Street, 105-107 Eldridge Street, 180-184 Wooster Street, 66 Third Avenue and 185 Lafayette Street, in consideration of a conveyance to the City of New York from George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn, subject to a mortgage for a period of one year in the sum of \$30,500, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and the privilege of discharging this mortgage at any time upon thirty (30) days' notice in writing to the City of New York, of the lands known as the Riggs property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

"All that certain tract of land on the northerly end of Inwood Hill at Spuyten Duyvil, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the mean high water line of the Hudson River, distant six feet northerly of the centre line of 218th street, as shown on Randel's Map, and adjoining lands formerly of James McCreary:

"Running thence easterly, or nearly so, on a line parallel to the centre line of said 218th street and distant six feet northerly therefrom, five hundred and ten and 65-100 feet (510.65 feet) to the centre line of Fourteenth avenue, as shown on Randel's Map:

"Thence in a general southerly direction along the centre line of said avenue, four hundred and ninety-three and 83-100 feet (493.83 feet) to a point distant thirty-one and 10-100 feet (31.10 feet) north of the centre line of West 216th street as shown on Randel's Map:

"Thence easterly, or nearly so, on a line parallel to the centre line of said 216th street and distant thirty-one and 10-100 (31.10 feet) feet northerly therefrom, six hundred and eighty-three and 14-100 feet (683.14 feet):

"Thence north, thirty-two degrees fifteen minutes east, twenty-one and 6-100 feet (21.06 feet):

"Thence easterly, or nearly so, along the northerly line of lot No. 119, of the Dyckman Homestead Property, as shown on Map filed in the New York County Register's Office, as No. 725, ninety-four and 49-100 feet (94.49 feet) to the westerly side of Prescott avenue, as laid out and monumented:

"Thence northerly along the westerly side of said Prescott avenue, forty-seven and 8-100 feet (47.08 feet):

"Thence easterly, at right angles to the preceding course, forty-five feet (45 feet) or thereabouts to the mean high water line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek;

"Thence northerly, westerly and southwesterly, following the said high water line, of said creek and of said Hudson River, and of the Harlem Ship Canal, to the point or place of beginning:

"Said several distances and dimensions being more or less.

"Containing about twenty and 65-100 acres, be the same more or less. "Together with the appurtenances and all riparian rights, lands under water, pier rights and rights of wharfage appurtenant to said described lands or owned by the parties of the first part hereto.

"Being the premises shown on a Map or Survey of 'Property of Francis B. Riggs, at the northerly end of Inwood Hill,' made by Albert E. Wheeler and dated January, 1913:

"And being the same premises conveyed to Elisha Riggs, late of the City of New York, deceased, by Leonard W. Jerome and wife, by deed dated March 26, 1866, and recorded November 18, 1870, in the Office of the Register of the City of New York, in Liber 1158 of Conveyances, page 342:

"And also the premises conveyed to Francis B. Riggs by Andrew J. Connick and wife, by deed dated November 14, 1901, and recorded in the said Register's Office, November 15, 1901, in Block Series (Conveyances), Section 8, Liber 17, page 124, and indexed under Lot Nos. 2252 and 2255 on the Land Map of the County of New York.

"Subject, however, to the rights of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and to a mortgage of \$30,500 now a lien on said premises.

"—and be it further

"Resolved, That when these resolutions and actions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare the necessary legal instruments on the part of the City of New York to effect such exchange, and upon said instruments having been prepared and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to execute, the City Clerk to attest and the Comptroller to deliver to George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn deeds of the properties owned by the City of New York, upon receiving at the same time the deed of the property owned by George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn under the terms and conditions above mentioned."

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in accordance with the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the above resolutions and the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and consents to the exchange of the above described property.

Which was ordered printed in the minutes and filed.

Exchange of Two Parcels of Land Owned by the City for Property Belonging to the Salem Land Company on Inwood Hill, Manhattan.

The following was received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

May 23d, 1917.

Mr. JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary, Sinking Fund Commission, Municipal Building:

Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 18, 1917, approving of the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on May 3, 1917, authorizing the exchange of property owned by the City of New York, located at the northwest corner of Delancey and Attorney Streets and at 293 Pearl Street, Manhattan, for parcel of

land belonging to the Salem Land Company on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, to be used for park purposes. Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on May 3, 1917, adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, At meeting held May 3, 1917, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That to determine the value of the land of the City of New York and the value of the lands of private owners to be exchanged therefor, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Joseph P. Day, Henry Brady and W. H. Archibald, three discreet and disinterested appraisers residing in the Borough of Manhattan, to appraise the value of the lands known as the Riggs' property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, more particularly shown on the map attached hereto, and the value of certain parcels to be hereafter determined by the Comptroller, owned by the City of New York, to be used in exchange therefor, it being distinctly understood that the City will be reimbursed for whatever expense it is put to for the cost of such appraisal."

"Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deem it for the interest of the City to authorize an exchange of the following property owned by the City of New York for the land owned by private owners; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the land owned by The City of New York, described as follows, is not required for departmental or public purposes:

"Parcel 1.

"Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of Pearl Street, distant 75 feet northeasterly from the point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Pearl Street and the northeasterly line of Beekman Street; running thence in a northwesterly direction and along the northeasterly boundary line of Lot 48 in Block 98 of Section 1, as shown on the present Tax Maps of the City of New York for the Borough of Manhattan, 100 feet to the southeasterly line of Lot 52 in said block; running thence northwesterly and along said southeasterly line of Lot 52, 25 feet 10 inches to the southwesterly line of Lot 46 in said block; running thence southeasterly and along the said southwesterly line of Lot 46, 99 feet 9 inches to the northwesterly line of Pearl Street; running thence southwesterly and along the said northwesterly line of Pearl Street 25 feet 10 inches to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps of the City of New York for the Borough of Manhattan as Lot No. 47, Block 98, Section 1.

"Parcel 2.

"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, described as follows:

"Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Delancey Street and the westerly line of Attorney Street, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Delancey Street 25 feet; running thence northerly on a line drawn parallel with the westerly line of Attorney Street 100 feet; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel with the northerly line of Delancey Street 25 feet to the westerly line of Attorney Street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present tax maps of The City of New York as Lot 70 in Block 348, Section 2, of the Borough of Manhattan;

"—they further determine that the lands of the private owners hereinafter described are needed for public purposes:

"Parcel 3.

"All that certain tract, plot or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly bounded and described, as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Lot No. 1143 of Block 2255 of Section 8, as shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York, said point being distant 123.61 feet westerly from the point of intersection of the northerly line of said Lot No. 1143 with the easterly boundary line of a proposed park, shown on a map made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and adopted by said Board on March 17, 1916, and approved by the Mayor March 22, 1916, which map is entitled "Laying Out a Public Park north of Dyckman Street and along the Hudson River and the Harlem River Ship Canal"; running thence northerly and along the easterly line of Lot No. 1163 of said Block 2255, above mentioned, 389.75 feet; running thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of Lot No. 1143, first above mentioned, 405.94 feet to the easterly boundary line of the right-of-way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; running thence northerly and along the said boundary line of the New York Central Railroad 262.12 feet to the prolongation of the center line of 212th Street; running thence easterly and along the said center line of 212th Street 428.04 feet to the easterly boundary line of the proposed park, above mentioned; running thence southerly and along said easterly line of proposed park 368.25 feet to a point of curve in said easterly line of park; running thence still southerly and continuing along the said easterly line of the proposed park 290.49 feet to the northerly line of Lot 1143, above mentioned; running thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 1143 123.61 feet to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York as that portion of Lot 1195 of Block 2255, Section 8, Borough of Manhattan, which lies between the easterly boundary line of the proposed park above described and the easterly boundary line of the right-of-way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

"Together with the land under water and the riparian rights and privileges appurtenant to the premises above described.

"—and be it further

"Resolved, That, to determine the value of the lands of The City of New York and the value of the lands of private owners to be exchanged therefor, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Joseph P. Day, Henry Brady and W. H. Archibald, three discreet and disinterested appraisers, residing in the Borough of Manhattan, who are hereby authorized and directed to appraise the value of the lands owned by The City of New York and the lands owned by private owners which it is proposed to exchange, and are both hereinabove described;

"—and

"Whereas, The appraisers appointed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have submitted the following appraisals:

Joseph P. Day—

Property owned by the City \$47,500 00

Property owned by Salem Land Company 142,000 00

Henry Brady—

Property owned by the City 50,500 00

Property owned by Salem Land Company 140,000 00

W. H. Archibald—

Property owned by the City 49,000 00

Property owned by Salem Land Company 139,000 00

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, subject, however, to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby authorize a conveyance to the Salem Land Company of

"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of Pearl Street, distant 75 feet northeasterly from the point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Pearl Street and the northeasterly line of Beekman Street; running thence in a northwesterly direction and along the northeasterly boundary line of Lot 48, in Block 98 of Section 1, as shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York for the Borough of Manhattan 100 feet to the southeasterly line of Lot 52 in said block; running thence northeasterly and along said southeasterly line of Lot 52, 25 feet 10 inches to the southwesterly line of Lot 46 in said block; running thence southeasterly and along the said southwesterly line of Lot 46, 99 feet 9 inches to the northwesterly line of Pearl Street; running thence southwesterly and along the said northwesterly line of Pearl Street 25 feet 10 inches to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York for the Borough of Manhattan as Lot No. 47, Block 98, Section 1.

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"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, described as follows:

"Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Delancey Street and the westerly line of Attorney Street, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Delancey Street 25 feet; running thence northerly on a line drawn parallel with the westerly line of Attorney Street 100 feet; running thence easterly on a line drawn parallel with the northerly line of Delancey Street 25 feet to the westerly line of Attorney Street; running thence southerly along the westerly line of Attorney Street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York as Lot 70 in Block 348, Section 2, of the Borough of Manhattan.

"--in consideration of a conveyance to The City of New York from Salem Land Company, subject to a mortgage or mortgages in the aggregate sum of \$88,500, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and the privilege of discharging these mortgages at any time upon thirty (30) days' notice in writing by The City of New York, of

"All that certain tract, plot or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Lot No. 1143 of Block 2255 of Section 8, as shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York, said point being distant 123.61 feet westerly from the point of intersection of the northerly line of said Lot No. 1143 with the easterly boundary line of a proposed park, shown on a map made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and adopted by said Board on March 17, 1916, and approved by the Mayor March 22, 1916, which map is entitled 'Laying Out a Public Park north of Dyckman Street and along the Hudson River and the Harlem River Ship Canal'; running thence northerly and along the easterly line of Lot No. 1163 of said Block 2255, above-mentioned, 389.75 feet; running thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of Lot No. 1143, first above mentioned, 405.94 feet to the easterly boundary line of the right-of-way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; running thence northerly and along the said boundary line of the New York Central Railroad 262.12 feet to the prolongation of the center line of 212th Street; running thence easterly and along the said center line of 212th Street 428.04 feet to the easterly boundary line of the proposed park, above mentioned; running thence southerly and along said easterly line of proposed park 368.25 feet to a point of curve in said easterly line of park; running thence still southerly and continuing along the said easterly line of the proposed park 290.49 feet to the northerly line of Lot 1143, above mentioned; running thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 1143 123.61 feet to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps of The City of New York as that portion of Lot 1195 of Block 2255, Section 8, Borough of Manhattan, which lies between the easterly boundary line of the proposed park, above described, and the easterly boundary line of the right-of-way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

"Together with the land under water and the riparian rights and privileges appurtenant to the premises above described.

"--and be it further

"Resolved, That, when these resolutions and actions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare the necessary legal instruments on the part of the City of New York to effect such exchange, and, upon said instruments having been prepared and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to execute, the City Clerk to attest and the Comptroller to deliver to Salem Land Company, deeds of the properties owned by the City of New York, upon receiving at the same time the deed of the property owned by Salem Land Company under the terms and conditions above mentioned."

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the above resolutions and the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and consents to the exchange of the above described property.

Which was ordered printed in the minutes and filed.

Redemption of \$699,000 of Consolidated Stock Which Will Become Due July 1, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 21, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On July 1, 1917, there will become due six hundred and ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$699,000) of bonds of the County of New York, said bonds are held by the public, and are payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.

And I recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The following described bonds issued by the County of New York, become due July 1, 1917, and are payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1, viz.:

Title.	Total Amount Held by the Public
3 3-10% Consolidated Stock of the County of New York Extended Under the Authority of Chapter 630 of the Laws of 1900.....	\$699,000 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to pay from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1, upon the maturity of said bonds, the sum of six hundred and ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$699,000) for their redemption.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Sale and Removal of Encroachment Lying Within the Lines of the Blackrock Ave. Proceeding, Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the sale and removal of an encroachment located on Damage Parcel No. 123 of the Blackrock Avenue proceeding, in the Borough of The Bronx, to permit the improvement of the street.

This encroachment consists of part of a two-story frame building, the estimated removal value of which is \$50, which amount should be realized by its sale.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by sections 205 and 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing and ordering that the said encroachment be offered for sale at the upset or minimum price named above, and also authorizing and ordering the President of the Borough of The Bronx to demolish and remove this encroachment if it is not sold at the said upset price as an encumbrance upon a public street, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx has requested the removal of an encroachment lying within the lines of the Blackrock Avenue proceeding, in the Borough of The Bronx, and

Whereas, If this improvement is offered for sale at an upset price it would probably realize a fair return in proportion to the award given; it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, Damage Parcel No. 123, consisting of part of a two-story frame building lying within the lines of the Blackrock Avenue proceeding, in the Borough of The Bronx,

Bronx, at the upset or minimum price of \$50, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held October 4, 1910, and January 18, 1916, and the President of the Borough of The Bronx is hereby authorized and ordered to demolish and remove this encroachment, if it does not realize the said upset price, as an encumbrance upon a public highway, in the manner provided by section 205 of the Revised Charter, as amended by chapter 398 of the Laws of 1909.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Assignment to, of Three Horses Turned Over by the President, Borough of Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The President of the Borough of Richmond on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated May 14, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the President of the Borough of Richmond as no longer required:

Three horses. Nos. 55, 76, 125.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Assignment to, of One White Enamel Table, Etc., Turned Over by Health Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Health on May 9, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities in a communication dated May 4, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Department of Health as no longer required:

One (1) white enamel steel table; one (1) operating table; one (1) holder for two solution basins; one (1) lamp bracket; one (1) lamp reflector; one (1) white enamel table; one (1) revolving chair; one (1) sterilizer.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Assignment to, of 2,500 Lbs. of Old Rope Turned Over by Health Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Health, on May 15, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated May 1, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Department of Health as no longer required:

Twenty-five hundred (2,500) pounds of old rope.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of 18 Dozen Dinner Plates Turned Over by Department of Correction.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Correction on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health, in a communication dated April 20, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Correction as no longer required:

Eighteen (18) dozen 9-inch dinner plates.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of One Double Top Flat Desk, Etc., Turned over by Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health in a communication dated May 14, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required.

One (1) double flat top desk; one (1) double sanitary base desk; one (1) high desk, 3 sections; one (1) library table; one (1) 5 by 8 filing card cabinet, 2 sections; three (3) drawing boards.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Park Department, Manhattan—Assignment to, of 100 Galvanized Iron Sprinkling Cans Turned Over by Department of Street Cleaning.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Street Cleaning on May 11, 1917, surrendered

to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in a communication dated May 11, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, the following property turned over by the Department of Street Cleaning as no longer required:

One hundred (100) 14-qt. galvanized iron sprinkling cans.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Assignment to, of Two Roll Top Desks, Etc., Turned Over by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 22, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Municipal Civil Service Commission on March 3, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Armory Board in a communication dated April 20, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Armory Board the following property turned over by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as no longer required:

Two (2) rolltop desks; two (2) filing cabinets.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of One Bay Horse Turned Over by the Police Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Police Department on April 29, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health in a communication dated May 18, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Police Department as no longer required:

One (1) bay horse No. 214.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Assignment to, of One Oak Table Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in a communication dated May 4, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Bureau of Contract Supervision of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

One (1) light oak table with inset top, 8 feet.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Assignment to, of Ten Flat Files, Etc., Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on November 29, 1916, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated May 21, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

10 flat files, 14 inch; 10 coils, rim, $3\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, 3 by 3; 20 nipples, iron XH, 3 by $5\frac{1}{2}$; 10 nipples, iron XH, $2\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 10 nipples, iron XH, $3\frac{1}{2}$ by $5\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, 3 by $4\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, $2\frac{1}{2}$ by $3\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, $1\frac{1}{2}$ close; 15 nipples, iron XH, 1 by $4\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, 2 by 5; 20 nipples, iron XH, $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 20 nipples, iron XH, $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 16 nipples, iron XH, 2 by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, $1\frac{1}{2}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron XH, 2 by $5\frac{1}{2}$; 10 nipples, iron XH, 2 by $3\frac{1}{2}$; 36 nipples, galv., 2 by 6; 1 tee, galv., 4 by 2; 24 elbows, galv., strat., $\frac{1}{2}$; 24 elbows, galv., strat., $\frac{1}{2}$; 24 elbows, galv., strat., 1; 24 plugs, iron, $1\frac{1}{2}$; 24 plugs, iron, 1 inch; 6 elbows, galv., 2 inch by 45 degrees; 12 hooks and staples, 3 inch; 12 hooks and staples, 5 inch; 72 tees, galv., $\frac{1}{2}$; 72 tees, galv., $\frac{1}{2}$; 72 tees, galv., 1; 12 tees, galv., $\frac{1}{2}$; 12 tees, galv., 2; 1 machine bolt, $\frac{1}{4}$ by 6; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by 5; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by 6; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ close; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 2; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 4; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ close; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 2; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 4; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ close; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 2; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 35 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 4; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 36 nipples, galv., $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 36 nipples, galv., 1 inch close; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by 2; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by 3; 36 nipples, galv., 1 by 4; 10 dies, pipe, $3\frac{1}{2}$ R No. 2; 10 dies, pipe, Wells Bros., $3\frac{1}{2}$ R No. 2; 3 dies, pipe, $3\frac{1}{2}$ R; 10 dies, pipe, $3\frac{1}{2}$ R; 10 dies, pipe, 3-8R; 2 dies, machine, 5-8 by 11; 10 chisels, Cape, 5-8 by 20; 20 chisels, round nose, $7\frac{1}{2}$ inch; 20 chisels, round nose, 6 inch; 5 dies, adjustable, $1\frac{1}{2}$; 10 taps, pipe, 1 inch R; 20 wrenches, screw, 18 inch; 1 wrench, screw, 15 inch; 2 hatches, machinist's, new, 14 inch; 4 drills, small twist, S. taper, 19-32; 5 drills, old style twist, rd. st., 12-16; 2 drills, twist, taper, rd. st., 29-32; 4 drills, twist, taper,

sq., lge., $\frac{3}{4}$; 3 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., 9-16; 4 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., $\frac{3}{8}$; 10 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., 13-32; 10 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., $7\frac{1}{2}$; 5 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., $1\frac{1}{8}$; 6 twist, taper, sq., lge., 11-14; 2 drills, twist, taper, sq., lge., 25-32; 66 bolts, tap, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 1 $\frac{1}{2}$; 100 bolts, tap, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 2; 1 die, pipe, 1 inch R No. 2; 1 die, pipe, 1 inch R No. 2; 5 dies, pipe, $1\frac{1}{4}$ inch R No. 2; 3 dies, 2 small, 1 inch R; 100 bolts, machine, $\frac{3}{8}$ by 4; 100 bolts, machine, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 100 bolts, machine, 1-16 by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 10 nuts, Stillson wrench, 18 inch; 10 nuts, Stillson wrench, 14 inch; 10 nuts, Stillson wrench, 10 inch; 4 drills, TS twist, 21-32; 4 drills, small, sq. taper, 22-32; 2 drills, small, sq. taper, 31-32; 1 drill, small, sq. taper, 17-32; 4 drills, small, sq. taper, 25-32; 3 drills, small, sq. taper, 21-32; 4 drills, small, sq. taper, $\frac{3}{4}$; 3 drills, small, sq. taper, 12-16; 3 drills, small, sq. taper, 15-32; 4 drills, 15-16; 1 drill, small, $\frac{1}{2}$; 4 drills, small, 21-32; 10 screws, FH wood, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -14; 4-3 $\frac{1}{2}$ screws, brass, FH wood, $\frac{1}{2}$ -6; 10 screws, brass, FH wood, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -12; 1 screw, brass, FH wood, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -10; 2 screws, brass, FH wood, 1-10; 5 screws, brass, FH wood, $\frac{3}{4}$ -5; 2 screws, brass, FH wood, 3-10; 2 screws, brass, FH wood, 2-10.

5 screws, brass, FH wood, 2-12; 2 screws, brass, FH wood, 2-11; 1 screw, brass, FH wood, $\frac{1}{2}$ -3; 2 screws, brass, RH wood, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -9; 5 screws, brass, RH wood, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -8; 3 screws, brass, RH wood, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -12; 1 screw, brass, 4-12; 3 screws, 10-24; 5 screws, iron, 12-24; 2 screws, iron, 12-20; 5 gross screws, FH wood, $2\frac{1}{2}$ -14; 20 screws, FH wood, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -12; 5-5-16 screws, FH wood, $2\frac{1}{2}$ -10; 10 screws, FH wood, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -12; 10 screws, FH wood, $2\frac{1}{2}$ -10; 2 screws, FH wood, 2-15; 9-12 screws, FH wood, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -6; 10 screws, FH wood, 2-12; 10 screws, FH wood, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -5; 2 screws, FH wood, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -18; 10 screws, FH wood, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -10; 10 screws, FH wood, $\frac{1}{2}$ -6; 10 screws, FH wood, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -14; 10 screws, FH wood, 1-12; 10 screws, FH wood, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -7; 3-12 screws, FH wood, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -14; 10 screws, FH wood, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -6; 4 screws, FH wood, 3-12; 3 ratchets, machinist's, 15 inch; 8 jaws, Stillson, 18 inch; 20 jaws, Stillson, 14 inch; 10 jaws, Stillson, 10 inch; 10 jaws, Stillson, 6 inch; 20 frames, Stillson, 18; 20 frames, Stillson, 14; 20 frames, Stillson, 10; 20 frames, Stillson, 8; 20 frames, Stillson, 6; 20 wheels, pipe cutter, large; 100 wheels, pipe cutter, medium; 100 wheels, pipe cutter, small; 10 files, half round, 14 inch; 10 files, square, 5 inch; 20 files, flat, 10 inch; 20 files, flat, 10 inch; 20 files, flat, 12 inch; 20 nipples, galvanized, 1 by 4; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{3}{4}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{3}{4}$ by 5; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 20 nipples, galvanized, 1 by 5; 20 nipples, galvanized, 1 by 3; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{4}$ by $2\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{4}$ by 6; 20 nipples, galvanized, 3 by 5; 20 nipples, galvanized, 2 by 6; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 20 nipples, galvanized, 4 by 4; 20 nipples, galvanized, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, galvanized, 1 by 4; 20 nipples, galvanized, 3 by 6; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $1\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{3}{8}$ by 6; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 3; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 2; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 4; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 5; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 6; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 7; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 8; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 9; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 10; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 11; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 12; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 13; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 14; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 15; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 16; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 17; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 18; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 19; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 20; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 21; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 22; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 23; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by 24; 20 nipples, iron, XH, $\frac{1}{2}$ by $1\frac{1}{2}$;

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Charities Department—Assignment to, of One Oak Roll Top Desk Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Board of Water Supply, on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated May 21, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Board of Water Supply as no longer required:

One (1) oak roll top desk.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of Nine Horses, Etc., Turned Over by the Police Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Police Department on April 27, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated May 5, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Police Department as no longer required:

Nine (9) horses; four (4) patrol wagons; two (2) sets double harness; two (2) sets single harness; eight (8) halters; one (1) neck strap; four (4) collars.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of Three Horses Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on May 18, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication dated May 16, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

Three (3) horses.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Bill of the New York Railways Company for Amount Due for Exchange of Transfers Issued by the Municipal Ferry and the Company for the Month of April, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The New York Railways Company has submitted the following bill for amount due it for exchange of transfers issued by the Municipal Ferry and its company, viz:

For Municipal Ferry transfers collected by the New York Railways Company during the month of April, 1917, 169,587, at 3 cents..... \$5,087.61
New York Railways Company transfers collected by the Municipal Ferry for the same period, 159,937, at 2 cents..... 3,178.74

Balance due New York Railways Company \$1,908.87
Attached to the above bill is a recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Docks that the amount due be paid to the New York Railways Company.

The bill is rendered in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated October 16, 1913, said resolution being approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 29, 1913.

The amounts so collected by the Municipal Ferry have been deposited in the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 29, 1913.

The amounts so collected by the Municipal Ferry have been deposited in the Sinking Fund for the payment of the interest on the City debt.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Date.	Municipal Ferry	N. Y. Railways Co.	Transfers Collected By	Transfers Collected By	Daily Amounts Due N. Y. Railways Co.
			N. Y. Railways Co.	Municipal Ferry	
April 1, 1917.....	6,898	6,844	\$70.06		
April 2, 1917.....	5,817	5,422	66.07		
April 3, 1917.....	5,617	5,106	66.39		
April 4, 1917.....	5,688	5,192	66.80		
April 5, 1917.....	5,645	5,203	65.29		
April 6, 1917.....	5,150	4,901	56.48		
April 7, 1917.....	5,859	5,730	61.17		
April 8, 1917.....	4,274	3,580	56.62		
April 9, 1917.....	4,873	4,770	50.79		
April 10, 1917.....	5,246	4,804	61.30		
April 11, 1917.....	5,509	4,963	66.01		
April 12, 1917.....	5,299	5,000	58.97		
April 13, 1917.....	5,147	4,812	58.17		
April 14, 1917.....	6,044	5,655	68.22		
April 15, 1917.....	4,957	4,285	63.01		
April 16, 1917.....	5,839	5,255	70.07		
April 17, 1917.....	5,323	5,102	57.65		
April 18, 1917.....	5,739	5,452	63.13		
April 19, 1917.....	5,503	4,928	66.53		
April 20, 1917.....	5,552	5,031	65.94		
April 21, 1917.....	5,345	5,756	45.23		
April 22, 1917.....	7,873	7,414	87.91		
April 23, 1917.....	5,783	5,710	59.29		
April 24, 1917.....	5,302	5,071	57.64		
April 25, 1917.....	5,699	5,266	65.65		
April 26, 1917.....	5,540	4,984	66.52		

Date.	Municipal Ferry	N. Y. Railways Co.	Transfers Collected By	Transfers Collected By	Daily Amounts Due N. Y. Railways Co.
April 27, 1917.....			5,336	5,048	59.12
April 28, 1917.....			6,053	5,997	61.65
April 29, 1917.....			6,981	6,476	79.91
April 30, 1917.....			5,696	5,180	67.28
			169,587	158,937	\$1,908.87

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the New York Railways Company, as follows:

\$1,908.87, in payment of bill rendered by the New York Railways Company for 169,587 Municipal Ferry transfers at 3 cents, lifted by it during the month of April, 1917 (\$5,087.61) less 158,937 New York Railways transfers lifted on Municipal Ferry for same period at 2 cents (\$3,178.74), leaving balance due to New York Railways Company \$1,908.87.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund of Amount Paid for a License to the Automobile Mechanics' Corporation.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Application has been made by the Automobile Mechanics' Corporation for the refund of \$15, amount paid for Secondhand Dealers' License No. 4158, Document No. M5117, issued on April 17, 1917, to Automobile Mechanics' Corporation.

It appears that the license permits dealers to trade in secondhand automobiles and the Automobile Mechanics' Corporation operates only a repair shop. The license required by it is a regular driver's license issued by the Secretary of State.

As the license was issued under a mistake of fact it is recommended by the Deputy Commissioner of Licenses and approved by the Deputy and Acting Comptroller that the amount paid for license No. 4158, Document No. M5117, be refunded to the permittee.

The amount paid for license was deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1, be drawn in favor of the Automobile Mechanics' Corporation in the sum of \$15, refunding it that amount paid on Second Hand Dealers License No. 4158, Document No. M5117, issued April 17, 1917.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Release to Frederick Gaensse and Evelyn Gaensse of the City's Interest in a Portion of Old East Broadway, Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 25, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 7, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized a release to William Oetjen and Henry Oetjen, Jr., of the City's interest in a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of Old East Broadway, near Church Avenue and Utica Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

In accordance therewith a release was delivered on March 29, 1917. This release contained a condition "that the grantee is the owner of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed."

Subsequent to the filing of their petition and before the delivery of the deed the Oetjens conveyed their interest to Frederick Gaensse and Evelyn Gaensse. I am in receipt of a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund requesting that a release be authorized to the said Gaenses.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to Frederick Gaensse and Evelyn Gaensse, his wife, of No. 4919 Church Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, of the City's interest in a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of Old East Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Church Avenue, as now laid out on "Map showing a change in the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Brooklyn Avenue, Linden Avenue, East 58th Street and Snyder Avenue," which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings February 3rd, 1910, as Map 1341A, with the westerly side of Utica Avenue, as shown on said map; running thence westerly along said northerly side of Church Avenue 80.02 feet to land of other owners; thence northerly parallel with Utica Avenue .16 of a foot to land of the grantees hereunder; thence easterly along said land of the grantees hereunder 80.02 feet to the corner, the point or place of beginning,

—in consideration of the sum of \$1.00, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the land described as follows, is not needed for any public use:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Church Avenue, as now laid out on "Map showing a change in the

The following matters on the calendar, requiring a unanimous vote, were laid over:

Petition of Theobald Engelhard for a release of the City's interest in property at the foot of Bayside pl., Queens.
 Petition of William W. Howe, on behalf of himself and others, for a release of the City's interest in property located on the northerly side of Broadway, near Sherman st., Queens.
 Petition of the Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the Church of St. Angela Merici for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the Apostleship of Prayer for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the German Evangelical Protestant Peoples Church for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the East Side House for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the New York City Baptist Mission Society for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the Church of St. Anthony for the cancellation of certain assessments.
 Petition of the Bedford Park Congregational Church for the cancellation of certain assessments.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, June 7, 1917.**

Present—Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen; Albert E. Hadlock, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Edward F. Barrett, Deputy and Acting Chamberlain; Francis P. Kenney, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held May 24, 1917, were approved as printed.

Appraisals to Be Made by the Department of Taxes and Assessments of All City Owned Real Estate, Except Parks, Playgrounds and Piers.

Not on the Calendar. Brought up by unanimous consent.

The President of the Board of Aldermen offered the following:

Whereas, In recent negotiations for the exchange or sale of City-owned properties under the control or jurisdiction of the Sinking Fund Commission the official valuations by the Department of Taxes and Assessments for such properties have been greatly at variance with the actual valuations of such properties as reported by experts engaged by the City for the appraisal of such properties, in some instances the official valuations placed upon the records of the Department of Taxes and Assessments being greatly in excess of the reported actual valuations of such properties.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund request the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to have an appraisal made of City-owned improved and unimproved real estate, except parks, playgrounds and piers, that will be representative of actual existing values of such properties for listing in the tax records of the City.

Which was laid over for one week.

Dock Department—Proposed Lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company of Certain Land Under Water South of Dyckman St., North River.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller brought up the matter of the proposed lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company, which was laid over at the last meeting. Owing to the absence of his Honor the Mayor the matter was again laid over.

The committee appointed to report what land east of the railroad tracks near the land of the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company, south of Dyckman St., North River, is owned by the City of New York, presented the following report:

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Sir—The Committee appointed by a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted February 15, 1917, to report what land east of the railroad tracks near the land of the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company, south of Dyckman Street, North River, is owned by the City of New York, with a map showing dimensions, submit the following report:

In front of the upland owned by the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company the City has made no grants of land formerly under water, and therefore the title to such lands between the former mean high-water mark and the easterly line of the right-of-way of the New York Central Railroad Company is vested in the City of New York.

The only documentary evidence the City has of the location of the mean high-water mark prior to the building of the roadbed of the Railroad Company, between the years 1847 and 1851, is the Randel Map of 1820.

Attached hereto is a map prepared by the Department of Docks and Ferries, showing the following particulars:

1. The Randel high-water line.
2. The lines of the proposed right-of-way on the 1916 plan of the New York Central Railroad Company.
3. The area turned over by the Department of Docks and Ferries to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund January, 1893.
4. The area offshore of the Randel high-water line not turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by the Department of Docks and Ferries.
5. The area proposed to be leased to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company.

By reason of the irregular shape of the parcel under consideration it is impossible to give dimensions, especially along the high-water mark, but the area, approximately calculated by the engineering force of the Department of Docks and Ferries, is 27,370 square feet.

Dated, New York, May 29, 17.

Respectfully submitted, LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel; R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Which was ordered filed.

Dock Department—Proposed Amendment of All Leases of Ferry Franchises Operated in Connection with an Interstate Railroad.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller brought up the matter of the request of the Commissioner of Docks for authority to amend all leases or renewals thereof of the franchises to operate ferries in connection with an interstate railroad, which was on the calendar of the last meeting and laid over.

Which was again laid over.

Dock Department—New Plan for the Improvement of the Water Front Between Canal St. and Harrison St., Stapleton, Richmond.

(Not on the calendar—Brought up by unanimous consent.)

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks transmitting for approval proposed new plan for the improvement of the water front and harbor of the City of New York, between Canal st. and Harrison st., Staple, Richmond, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law June 6, 1917.

A public hearing being necessary, the following resolution was offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby fix 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, June 28, 1917, in room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter of the proposed new plan for the improvement of the water-front and harbor of the City of New York, between Canal Street and Harrison Street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law, June 6, 1917.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Lease for, of Premises at 306 S. 5th St., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 4, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 21, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 306 South 5th Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of three years from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$600.

The attorney for the lessors has informed me that they will not renew the lease for a period of more than one year.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution above mentioned be amended so as to make it read "one year from January 1, 1917."

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held December 21, 1916, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of premises at No. 306 South Fifth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of three years from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600), be and the same is hereby amended by substituting as the term of the lease one year from January 1, 1917, in place of three years from January 1, 1917.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Children's Court—Proposed Assignment to, of Premises in the Borough Hall, Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending the assignment to the Children's Court of room 203, Borough Hall, Richmond.

Which was laid over.

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of the Plot of Ground North of 58th St., Between 18th and 19th Aves., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 4, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Parks for the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board under date of May 17, 1917, requests the assignment to the Department of Parks of the land in the Borough of Brooklyn, between 18th and 19th Avenues, and 55th and 58th Streets, and formerly occupied by the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.

This property is known and designated on the present tax maps of the City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, as Lot 8, Block 5494, Section 17.

I am of the opinion that the request of the Commissioner of Parks should be granted and the land used for park purposes.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution assigning to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the plot of ground in the Borough of Brooklyn north of 58th Street, between 18th and 19th Avenues, known and designated on the present tax maps of the City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, as Lot 8, Block 5494, Section 17.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to law, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the plot of land in the Borough of Brooklyn north of 58th Street between 18th and 19th Avenues, known and designated on the present tax maps of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, as lot 8, block 5494, section 17.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Sale at Public Auction of the Lease of Premises Known as Old P. S. 144 at Hester and Allen Sts., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending a sale of the lease of premises at Hester and Allen Sts., Manhattan.

Which was laid over.

Refunding of Croton Water Rents Overpaid in Error.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 1, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Applications have been made, as per statement herewith, for refund of Croton Water Rents paid in error.

The applications are severally approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Collector of Assessments and Arrears or the Receiver of Taxes, and the amount so paid, \$687.95, has been deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the account "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for amount to be refunded. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

The W. S. A. Building Construction Co., Inc., \$820; Lena Raebel, \$13; Caroline Neat, \$22; Katherine M. Miller, \$9; John H. Winters, \$6.67; Grace D. Thorne, \$14; David R. Gimbel, \$3; Levinson & Shapiro, \$16.50; Emanuel S. Ulman, \$6; Mansche Jamm, \$370.30; Receiver of Taxes, \$189.28; total, \$687.85.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain in the sum of \$687.95 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for refunding of erroneous and overpayments of Croton Water Rents, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refunding of Jury Fees Paid in Cases Settled Before Trial.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 1, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On various dates the attorneys mentioned in the schedule attached paid as jury fees to the clerks of the several District Municipal Courts of the City of New York the sums stated in said schedule.

Pursuant to section 118 of the Municipal Court Code and in accordance with the directions of the Bureau of Law and Adjustment of the Department of Finance, approved by the Deputy Comptroller, these sums are to be returned to the payors, the actions having been settled or discontinued and not brought to trial.

Said amounts were deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, and the refunds will be made from that fund through an account known and designated as Code T 52, Jury Fees Refunding Account.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the said account for the amount to be paid. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Nathan G. Goldberger, \$4.50; Max Shliver, \$3; Herman Hoffman, \$3; total, \$10.50.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the City Chamberlain in the sum of \$10.50 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of Jury Fees Refunding Account for refunding of jury fees, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Exchange of Real Estate—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing an Exchange of Nine Parcels of Land Owned by the City for Property on Inwood Hill, Manhattan, Known as the Rigg's Tract.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending an amendment to the resolution adopted April 19, 1917, authorizing an exchange of nine parcels of land owned by the City for certain property on Inwood Hill, Manhattan, known as the Rigg's Tract.

Which was laid over.

Petition of Otto and Frances Wagner for a Release of the City's Interest in a Strip of Land Formerly Contained Within the Lines of Debevoise Ave., Queens.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 4, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a petition to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from Otto Wagner and Frances Wagner, in which they state that they are the owners of certain property located on the easterly side of Second Avenue, near Woolsey Avenue, Borough of Queens.

On a certain map known as the Commissioner's Map of Long Island City, Queens County and State of New York, dated April 25, 1873, and filed in the City Clerk's office of Long Island City on the 25th day of April, 1873, DeBevoise Avenue (now Second Avenue) was laid out with a width of 150 feet. Subsequently, and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 644 of the Laws of 1893, the General Improvement Commission of Long Island City reduced the width of DeBevoise (now Second) Avenue from 150 feet to 100 feet, thus leaving a strip of land 25 feet in width on the east and west sides of DeBevoise Avenue (now Second Avenue) a distance of 1,500 feet, a part of which strip lies adjacent to and abutting the property of the petitioners and which they wish to have released to them.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to Otto Wagner and Frances Wagner, of No. 828 Second Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, of the interest of the City in and to the following described premises:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Second Avenue as the same is laid down on the assessment map of the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, reduced to 100 feet in width, distant one hundred and fifty feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Woolsey Avenue with the said easterly side of Second Avenue; running thence easterly at right angles to Second Avenue and parallel with Woolsey Avenue twenty-five feet; thence northerly and parallel with Second Avenue fifty feet; thence westerly and parallel with Woolsey Avenue twenty-five feet to the easterly side of Second Avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly side of Second Avenue fifty feet to the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of \$1.00, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, Otto Wagner and Frances Wagner, in a petition addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, request a release of the City's interest in a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of DeBevoise Avenue (now Second Avenue) in the Borough of Queens, and more particularly hereinafter described;

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the land described as follows is not needed for any public use.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Second Avenue as the same is laid down on the assessment map of the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, reduced to one hundred feet in width, distant one hundred and fifty feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Woolsey Avenue with the said easterly side of Second Avenue; running thence easterly at right angles to Second Avenue and parallel with Woolsey Avenue twenty-five feet; thence northerly and parallel with Second Avenue fifty feet; thence westerly and parallel with Woolsey Avenue twenty-five feet to the easterly side of Second Avenue, and thence southerly along the easterly side of Second Avenue fifty feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to Otto Wagner and Frances Wagner of 828 Second Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, of the interest of the City of New York in and to the property hereinabove in this resolution bounded and described, in consideration of the sum of \$1, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Petition of Jeremiah McSweeney for a Correction Deed of Premises at the N. W. Corner of 180th St. and Bathgate Ave., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 4, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 21, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized a release to Jeremiah McSweeney of the City's interest in a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of Old Bathgate Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, in consideration of the sum of \$3,629, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers.

In accordance with this resolution a deed was duly executed and delivered. The attorney for Jeremiah McSweeney states that one of the courses contained in the description in said deed as running northerly along the westerly side of Madison Avenue 62.34 feet, should be 63.34 feet, and he requests that this change be made.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a conveyance to Jeremiah McSweeney correcting the description contained in the conveyance dated January 11, 1917, delivered in accordance with the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted on December 21, 1916, so as to make the description contained therein read as follows:

All that certain certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 180th Street, where the same is intersected by the westerly line of Madison Avenue, as the same was opened by the Town of West Farms April 20th, 1870; running thence northerly, along said westerly side of Madison Avenue 63.34 feet; thence easterly parallel with 180th Street to the westerly side of Bathgate Avenue, as legally opened; thence southerly, along said westerly side of Bathgate Avenue to the northerly side of 180th Street; thence westerly, along said northerly side of 180th Street, 32.18 feet to the westerly side of Madison Avenue aforesaid, at the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of \$1, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, on December 21, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized a release to Jeremiah McSweeney of the City's interest in a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of old Bathgate Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, in consideration of the sum of \$3,629, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers, which release was executed and delivered January 11, 1917, and

Whereas, the attorney for the petitioner now states that one of the courses

contained in the description in said deed, as running northerly along the westerly side of Madison avenue 62.34 feet should be 63.34 feet, and he requests that this change be made.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a conveyance to Jeremiah McSweeney, correcting the description contained in the conveyance dated January 11, 1917, delivered in accordance with the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted on December 21, 1916, so as to make the description contained therein read as follows:

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in the City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of 180th Street, where the same is intersected by the westerly line of Madison Avenue, as the same was opened by the Town of West Farms, April 20th, 1870; running thence northerly along said westerly side of Madison Avenue 63.34 feet; thence easterly parallel with 180th Street to the westerly side of Bathgate Avenue, as legally opened; thence southerly along said westerly side of Bathgate Avenue to the northerly side of 180th Street; thence westerly along said northerly side of 180th Street, 32.18 feet to the westerly side of Madison Avenue aforesaid, at the point or place of beginning;

—in consideration of the sum of \$1.00, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers; the release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantee waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantee is the owner of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantee has paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

The following matters on the calendar, requiring an unanimous vote, were laid over:

Petition of Theobald Engelhardt for a release.

Petition of William W. Howe on behalf of himself and others for a release.

Petitions from the following churches for the cancellation of certain assessments.

The Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter.

Church of St. Angela Merici.

Apostleship of prayer.

The German Evangelical Protestant Peoples Church.

The East Side House.

New York City Baptist Mission Society.

Church of St. Anthony.

Bedford Park Congregational Church.

Public Service Commission—In the Matter of the Request of, for the Turning Over of Certain Premises at Jerome Avenue and Mosholu Parkway, Bronx, for a Storage Yard.

(Not on the calendar. Brought up by unanimous consent.)

The Committee to which this matter was referred presented the following report:

June 2, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

The Committee, to whom was referred the communication from the Public Service Commission relative to a location for a storage yard near Mosholu Parkway, beg to submit the following report:

We have examined the plans and location submitted by the Public Service Commission and the objections that have been urged. Other sites have been visited, and after conference with the various City departments affected, we recommend a change in the location of the yard.

The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has a pumping station along Jerome Avenue, immediately south of Mosholu Parkway. This structure must remain there permanently. It also has considerable ground which is now being used as a storage yard. It will surrender part of this ground, if necessary, and utilize space elsewhere for storage purposes. The Street Cleaning Department is desirous of securing a location for a yard somewhere in this part of the Bronx.

We are of the opinion that if the railway storage yard, the street cleaning yard and the pumping station could be brought together the City would gain and they would interfere less with the development of the large tract of land owned by the City south of Mosholu Parkway than would be the case if the three things were situated in different localities.

Further, the proposed location of the railway yard near the reservoir and in such close proximity to Sedgwick Avenue and Mosholu Parkway would interfere with the best development of the City's land in this district. The best sites for building purposes are along Mosholu Parkway, Sedgwick Avenue and the reservoir. Obviously, a storage yard then will reduce the value of these sites. As proposed, the tracks connecting the storage yard with the elevated road would also reduce the value of the land between the yard and Jerome Avenue.

Taking all of these factors into consideration your Committee recommend that the storage yard be located immediately back of the pumping station and as far from Mosholu Parkway as conditions will permit. We also recommend a readjustment of the service street along Mosholu Parkway, between Jerome and Sedgwick Avenues, so that it may articulate properly with the service streets southeast of Jerome Avenue and north of Sedgwick Avenue. This plan will permit the construction of high-class apartment houses or dwellings along Mosholu Parkway and the screening of the yard by the construction of a brick wall and the erection of apartment houses upon three sides of the yard. In our opinion the plan provides for the location of a yard convenient to the elevated structure and with least damage to the abutting property. The street cleaning yard can be located to the west of the pumping station and south of the approach tracks and the railway storage yard.

In view of the various questions involved your Committee recommend that if this general plan meets with your approval it be referred to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion upon any legal points that may be involved, and to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Department of Street Cleaning, Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Public Service Commission for the preparation of detailed plans. We also suggest that the Comptroller be requested to appraise the land to be assigned to the Public Service Commission for rapid transit purposes.

The essential features of the plan are as follows:

(1) The easterly boundary of the storage yard is to be approximately 160 feet west of Jerome Avenue.

(2) The northerly boundary of the yard is to be as far south of Mosholu Parkway as possible, but not less than 290 feet south of the southerly line of the service streets as relocated.

(3) The service street on Mosholu Parkway South is to be relocated so as to be in line with the service streets east of Jerome Avenue and west of Sedgwick Avenue, and to be 60 feet in width. A slight adjustment may be necessary near Jerome Avenue, because of the location of the columns of the elevated railroad.

(4) The yard is to be bounded by a brick wall of a satisfactory design, extending in height above all structures, cars and other apparatus used in the yard. This wall is to be constructed as part of the yard and to be maintained by the operating company.

(5) The City is to reserve the right to utilize the space under the elevated approach tracks and to remove the structures now within the storage yard area.

Respectfully submitted, MILO R. MALTBIE, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee.

The report was accepted and the Secretary directed to transmit a copy to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion upon the legal points that may be involved, and to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Department of Street Cleaning, Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and to the Public Service Commission, for the preparation of detailed plans. Also to the Comptroller, to appraise the land to be assigned to the Public Service Commission for rapid transit purposes.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
MONDAY, JUNE 11, 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.

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83368	5- 1-17	6- 7-17	Charles Kremer	32 00	
83366	4-30-17	6- 7-17	James B. Reid	43 20	
82629	11- 6-16	6- 5-17	C. M. O'Connor	90 00	
83132	12-23-16	6- 7-17	Weissberger Moving & Storage Co., Inc.	15 00	
83131	3-21-17	6- 7-17	Favor, Ruhl & Co.	18 00	
83130	12-30-16. 2-20-17	6- 7-17	Scientific Equipment Company	46 97	
83133	1-12-17	6- 7-17	F. N. Dubois & Co.	50 50	
83134	7- 7-16	6- 7-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	65	
82638	4-20-17	6- 5-17	John Brook	61 00	
83136	3-20-17	6- 7-17	Colonial Steel Company	2 76	
83140	11-10-16	6- 7-17	Soapitor Co.	14 00	
83143	2-28-17	6- 7-17	Lorenzo & Byrns	14 12	
83144	3- 2-17	6- 7-17	Lorenzo & Byrns	19 58	
83146	2-21-17	6- 7-17	J. F. Koop	22 53	
83228	4-10-17. 5- 2-17	6- 7-17	George W. Goeller, Jr.	87 15	
82441	3-20-17	6- 5-17	J. S. Woodhouse Co., Inc.	93 50	
83125	4-14-17	6- 7-17	Underwood Typewriter Co.	9 00	
83351	2-16-17	6- 7-17	Paul G. Melbin & Sons	2 00	
82675	3- 3-17. 3-31-17	6- 5-17	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	73 97	
83118	3- 2-17	6- 7-17	Bloomingdale Bros.	3 50	
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83149	1-30-17	6- 7-17	J. Buchanan	13 23	
86237	12- 1-16. 12-30-16	6- 5-17	Godfrey Keeler Co.	59 00	
83195	2-15-17. 2-24-17	6- 7-17	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	29 36	
83198	3-13-17	6- 7-17	Lignum Carpenter Works	3 15	
83336	2- 8-17	6- 7-17	International Chemical Company	6 75	
83337	2- 8-17	6- 7-17	The Cutler & Hammer Mfg. Co.	11 77	
83156	3-22-17	6- 7-17	Keuffel & Esser Co.	2 40	
82695	5-26-16	6- 7-17	C. L. Morgan	43 00	
83326	3-31-17	6- 7-17	William Beverly Harrison	1 20	
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82600	3-19-17	6- 5-17	W. H. Temple	38 00	
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83137	83137	83210	3-20-17	Kate Dickerman	5 25
83138	83138	83211	3-21-17	Ida Teed	35
83224	83224	83210	3-20-17	I. Brenner	11 33
82455	82455	83209	3-30-17	The Kenney Specialty Co.	6 45
82456	82456	83213	3-14-17	Herman Auskulat	29 65
82457	82457	83213	3-14-17	John J. Kenney Co.	4 63
82458	82458	82674	3-20-17	Reid, King & Co., Inc.	18 75
82459	82459	82674	3-16-17. 4- 4-17	American Rattan & Reed Mfg. Co.	80 20
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82461	82461	82675	4-18-17	Henry Moss & Co.	4 25
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82474	82474	82722	4- 5-17	Hygeia Distilled Water Co.	1 50
82490	82490	82709	4- 2-17	The Simplex Rubber Company of America, Inc.	73 06
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82644	82644	82712	1-30-17	Weston Electrical Instrument Company	45 40
82645	82645	82712	12-12-16. 3-21-17	Geo. T. Montgomery	37 63
82646	82646	82645	1- 1-17	Austin Organ Company	75 00
82647	82647	82651	7- 5-16	Charles W. Daly	5 70
82648	82648	82649	7-22-16	T. C. Moore & Co.	2 00
82649	82649	79950	46304	Commercial Trust Co. of N. Y., as- signee of James I. Newman	585 00
82650	82650	78799	46409	Schoverling, Daly & Gales.	675 00
82651	82651	79947	45578	Otto Metz	650 00
82652	82652	83387	5-24-17	Annie T. Sullivan	5 85
82653	82653	83386	5-28-17	Beatrice S. Thorne	5 00
82654	82654	83386	5-28-17	Florence G. Duane	2 65
82655	82655	83386	5-28-17	Florence M. Prince	1 40
82656	82656	83386	5-28-17	Emma L. Warner	3 55
82657	82657	83385	5-28-17	Charlotte E. Barnum	6 65
82658	82658	83385	5-28-17	Fanny E. Roberts	5 85
82659	82659	82718	4-17-17	Rebecca Palmland	4 36
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82661	82661	82713	4-21-17	Simplex Time Recorder Co.	5 18
82662	82662	82705	4- 5-17	Oxford University Press	1 13
82663	82663	82745	4-30-17	American District Telegraph Co.	9 70
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82665	82665	82706	4-18-17	A. G. Richter	2 50
82666	82666	82747	4-24-17. 5- 2-17	United Electric Service Company	60
82667	82667	82628	2-19-17. 3-19-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	4 84
82668	82668	82735	3-31-17	G. W. Hart	7 00
82669	82669	82751	4-24-17	Abraham & Straus	17 28
82670	82670	82751	4-24-17	Atlas Stationery Co.	1 20
82671	82671	82751	4-24-17	Fannie B. Iremonger	3 45
82672	82672	82004	47230	D. C. Heath & Co.	72 00
82673	82673	82825	42826	The H. M. Rowe Co.	31 68
82674	82674	82609	41723	G. P. Putnam's Sons.	11 16
82675	82675	81278	41699	J. B. Lippincott Co.	1 50
82676	82676	82611	46493	Bloomingdale Bros.	51 48
82677	82677	82604	41669	J. B. Lippincott Co.	6 20
82678	82678	82605	41663	Longmans, Green & Co.	42 88
82679	82679	82828	41656	Syndicate Trading Co.	5 25
82680	82680	82839	46557	Kruse Printing Ink Co.	52 25
82681	82681	82824	46577	The J. Willer Chemical Co.	71 70
82682	82682	82809	41756	Brooklyn Daily Eagle	75
82683	82683	82532	47052	Gold Rose Printing Co.	11 25
82684	82684	81993	46511	Liberty Ink Corporation	6 06
82685	82685	82504	46513	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	1 50
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82139	46790	6- 4-17	John J. Skelly	80 00	83393	6- 7-17	Eagan & Leake	50 00	
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82521	47011	6- 5-17	Henrietta Wood	70 40	83411	6- 7-17	John Joseph Kindred	100 00	
82514	46783	6- 5-17	Harris Neisloss	51 20	83405	6- 7-17	F. L. Wachenheim	100 00	
82510	46773	6- 5-17	Arthur H. Etsch.....	63 84	83415	6- 7-17	New York Fire Department Relief Fund, Robert Adamson, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee.....	972 00	
82505	47007	6- 5-17	Edie Dayvie	60 00	83414	6- 7-17	Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	25 00	
82508	47005	6- 5-17	John B. Campbell.....	63 84	83434	6- 7-17	Margareth Hoffmann, as Executrix of Katharina Strenglein, deceased	425 80	
82518	47010	6- 5-17	Harry E. Josiah.....	62 08	83436	6- 7-17	William Heimann	5,892 52	
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82506	46776	6- 5-17	Jacob Griffin	64 80	83401	6- 7-17	Ellen Fahey	10 20	
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82717	5- 3-17	6- 6-17	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	1 34	83399	6- 7-17	J. M. Doherty	1 00	
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82743	2-27-17	6- 6-17	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	4 60	83422	6- 7-17	Emil Mayer	51 58	
82140	46772	6- 4-17	The Commercial Trust Co. of New York, Assignee of John I. Diehl.....	62 40	83420	6- 7-17	Frank Rediger	69 65	
82698	5- 1-17	6- 6-17	Elsie Gardner	4 50	83421	6- 7-17	Realty Trust	41 98	
82168	3- 6-17	6- 4-17	Borne, Scrymser Company.....	17 50	83423	6- 7-17	Municipal Liens Co.	564 10	
82716	5- 1-17	6- 6-17	Library Bureau	26 57	83433	6- 7-17	Matthew J. Colbert	8 70	
82724	4-13-17	6- 6-17	Henry Moss & Co.....	50	83404	6- 7-17	S. Calderone	5 76	
82725	4-17-17	6- 6-17	Henry Moss & Co.....	1 00	83403	6- 7-17	Max Schueyman	16 00	
82726	1-20-17	6- 6-17	Krengel Mfg. Co.	60	83405	6- 8-17	The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York.....	2,383 92	
82727	5- 3-17	6- 6-17	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	4 69	83404	6- 8-17	St. Germain's Home for Juvenile Delinquents, Branch House of the Good Shepherd		
80457	46016	5-29-17	New York Construction Co.	450 00	83405	6- 8-17	Sanitarium for Hebrew Children.....	2,007 26	
80454	45519	5-29-17	John J. Kenney Co.	817 50	83403	6- 8-17	St. Catherine's Hospital	1,707 33	
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80654	4-24-17	5-29-17	T. J. Cummins Plumbing Co.	225 00	84053	6- 8-17	St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies..	1,969 17	
80463	4-26-17.	5- 2-17	William H. Strang.....	150 00	84053	6- 8-17	New York Eye and Ear Infirmary....	383 40	
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80446	46082	5-29-17	Fitzgibbons Boiler Co.	844 97	84050	6- 8-17	Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary	1,221 00	
80447	45284	5-29-17	Philp & Paul.....	310 00	84049	6- 8-17	Catholic Guardian Society	12,365 28	
80449	45285	5-29-17	Philp & Paul.....	359 00	84045	6- 8-17	Catholic Home Bureau	685 00	
80443	45285	5-29-17	Philp & Paul.....	489 00	84044	6- 8-17	Henry McCaddin	1,792 50	
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80659	1-27-17	5-29-17	H. Pfund	131 00	83410	6- 7-17	Lamar Hardy, as Corporation Counsel.	670 50	
80462	3-19-17.	4-17-17	William H. Strang	240 00	83416	6- 7-17	Lamar Hardy, as Corporation Counsel.	500 00	
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80467	3-22-17	5-29-17	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	497 20	83417	6- 7-17	Board of Parole.	250 00	
80458	46006	5-29-17	Joseph A. Graf.....	217 00	82796	5-14-17	T. V. Kraft & Co.	1 70	
80450	40851	5-29-17	Johnson Service Company.....	585 60	82797	5-23-17	Blue Print Co.	9 24	
80453	45934	5-29-17	Milliken Bros., Inc.	17,827 20	83279	6- 7-17	Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.....	60 91	
80452	46821	5-29-17	The Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	1,260 00	83280	6- 7-17	Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.....	105 08	
80461	46812	5-29-17	A. W. King.....	1,336 50	83416	6- 7-17	Bronx Parkway Commission.	704 83	
80459	46214	5-29-17	John J. Kenney Co.	1,908 00	83418	6- 7-17	William Howden	20 00	
80464	3-19-17	5-29-17	William H. Strang.....	200 00	83417	6- 7-17	Westchester Lighting Company	18 00	
80460	45728	5-29-17	F. W. Morgenthaler & Max Greenberg, as Trustees, Assignees of the Alpha Painting Corp.	82796	5-14-17	Mount Vernon Hardware & Supply Co.	207 46		
80664	2-27-17	5-29-17	S. & P. Krajci.....	1,647 00	82797	5-23-17	J. S. Woodhouse Co.	409 70	
80663	3-21-17	5-29-17	S. & P. Krajci.....	245 00	83279	6- 7-17	Edward C. Striffler	78 67	
80655	2- 7-17	5-29-17	C. M. O'Connor	267 00	83280	6- 7-17	Oscar Schlegel Mfg. Co.	53 00	
		Fire Department.		190 00	83565	5-31-17	F. W. Kelsey Nursery Company.....	40 19	
82954	5-19-17	6- 6-17	Clarence H. Fay	\$8 00	81266	4- 2-17	5-31-17	The Barrett Company	28 30
82593	5-19-17	6- 5-17	O. H. Perry & Son, Inc.	43 50	82783	4-30-17	5-31-17	A. P. W. Paper Company.....	1 70
82384	46978	6- 5-17	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	28 32	74102	4-17-17	5-31-17	Town of Greenburgh, Wm. A. Buckley, Receiver of Taxes	9 24
82382	46641	6- 5-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	27 79	74101	3-22-17.	4-13-17	5-31-17	704 83
82955		6- 6-17	Fifty-ninth Street-Madison Avenue Co., a domestic corporation, or Kendall & Herzog, attorneys	42 00	81271	4-28-17	5-31-17	5-31-17	20 00
80908	5- 1-17	5-29-17	Wagner-Hoyt Electric Co.	311 20	81265	4-16-17	5-31-17	5-31-17	18 00
80904	5- 1-17	5-29-17	S. F. Hayward & Co.	450 00	82781	6- 7-17	5-31-17	5-31-17	3 55
80900	5- 4-17	5-29-17	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison...	277 50	82781	6- 7-17	5-31-17	5-31-17	3 55
80902	3-16-17.	5-16-17	A. W. Wheaton Brass Works.....	476 25	80339	5-28-17	5-28-17	5-28-17	2 20
		Department of Health.		80304	5-28-17	Oscar Daniels Company.....	12,000 60		
83242		6- 7-17	Robert J. Wilson, Director.....	\$2 25	82037	5-14-17	5-28-17	5-28-17	385 67
83255		6- 7-17	Robert J. Wilson, Director.....	22 25	82037	5-14-17	5-28-17	5-28-17	90 00
83256		6- 7-17	Robert J. Wilson, Director.....	1 95					
83252		6- 7-17	Chas. A. Bolduan, Director.....	15 85					
79240	46989	5-25-17	Conron Bros. Co.	266 49	83022	5-24-17	5-10-17	Jackson Bros.	203 00
79247	46989	5-25-17	Conron Bros. Co.	116 64	83027	5-26-17	5-10-17	General Speedometer Repair Co.	18 50
82357	5-11-17	6- 4-17	Hayes Defender Co., Inc.	30 00	83302	5-15-17	5-10-17	Grand Wood Turning Co.	92 50
82341	3-30-17	6- 4-17	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	47 50	83299	5-15-17	5-10-17	George F. McCann	18 50
80507	4- 8-16	5-29-17	Gimbels Brothers	225 00	83300	5-25-17	5-10-17	James McGuinness	3 55
80792	47298	5-29-17	Arm						

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF
FINANCE, MONDAY, JUNE 11, 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.

Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- er No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.		
84739	46464 Mutual, McDermott Dairy Corp.	\$671 60
84740	46580 John Bellmann	77 15
84741	47318 Richman & Samuels	177 11
84742	45636 Meeker & Co.	3,913 46
84743	46928 Swan & Finch	32 25
84744	47520 Wm. Zinsser & Co., Inc. ..	55 50
Court of General Sessions.		
84736	Edw. R. Carroll	\$35 77
84737	5-24-17 Holtz & Freystedt	18 00
84738	The Antlers Restaurant ...	17 90
Surrogates' Court, New York County.		
85088	4-16-17 New York Tel. Co.	\$16 12
85085	5-16-17 Arthur Mountain & Co. ...	46 45
85086	The Lily Cup Co.	3 50
85087	Wilson Stamp Co.	9 25
Department of Correction.		
84953	47316 Samuel E. Hunter	\$1,726 30
84954	46586 Francis H. Leggett & Co. ..	518 36
84955	47309 Mutual-McDermott Co.	2,941 10
84956	47318 Richman & Samuels	575 82
84957	46590 Jos. Seeman	1,912 10
84958	45411 Penn Fuel Co.	2,270 96
84959	47345 John F. Schmadeke, Inc. ...	483 80
84960	47425 Standard Oil Co.	136 97
84961	46903 Saverno Products Co., Inc.	15 84
84962	47215 Pfister & Vogel	121 00
85109	6- 5-17 The Kenney Mfg. Co.	75 60
District Attorney, Richmond County.		
85103	6- 5-17 Romolo Pagano	\$54 53
85104	6- 5-17 James W. McKittrick	87 08
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.		
85159	5-21-17 R. J. Waddell & Co.	\$9 73
85160	5-21-17 Eimer & Amend	1 83
85161	5-21-17 Charles Von Oehsen	6 50
85162	5-21-17 James A. Webb & Son	15 13
85163	5-21-17 Eimer & Amend	9 95
85164	2-19-17 Eimer & Amend	25 05

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85165	3- 9-17	Eimer & Amend	17 30	84938	46520	Saverno Products Co.....	1 52
85166	3- 9-17	W. H. Neveu	90 00	84939	46510	Kalt Lumber Co.....	81 16
85167	5- 7-17	Emerson Apparatus Co. ...	4 50	84940	41629	American Book Co.....	48 00
85168	5- 7-17	The Thermal Syndicate, Ltd. ...	6 85	84941	41635	The Macmillan Co.....	155 70
85169	5-21-17	Davenport, Forst & Maze ..	3 78	84942	46561	James A. Miller	80 00
85170	5-21-17	The Diamond Drill Carbon Co.	65 25	84943	47012	Annin & Co.....	407 90
				84944	46537	The Atlantic Coast Sand Co.	147 00
85171	5-21-17	W. Harold Tomlinson	22 18	84945	46538	F. S. Banks & Co.....	186 00
85172	5-21-17	Clapp-Eastham Co.	3 00	84946	46574	Swan & Finch Co.....	26 90
85173	5- 3-17	Paul Girrbach	48 00	84947	47070	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y....	249 09
85174	5- 3-17	Henry C. Griffon & Co. ...	65 00	84948	47070	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y....	49 68
85175	5-10-17	Chas. B. Alford	8 90	84764	46816	M. D. Lundin	3,312 00
85176	5-21-17	Emerson Apparatus Co. ...	6 00	84779	46931	W. Norman Frenkel	42 15
85177	5-24-17	Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of Standards	40 00	84780	41657	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co....	60
				84781	47232	Longmans, Green & Co....	728 78
85178	5-21-17	Educational Exhibition Co. *	9 00			Longmans, Green & Co....	793 27
85179	5-21-17	John C. Eberle & Son	14 80			Longmans, Green & Co....	14 80
85180	5-21-17	George Murphy	3 37	84782	47028	Underwood Typewriter Co.	17 50
85147	5-21-17	Independent Towel Supply.	5 00	84783	47065	New York Calcium Light Co.	809 70
85148	5-21-17	M. Schlesinger	2 70				
85149	4-16-17	Patterson, Gottfried & Hun- ter	15 86	84765	41658	The A. S. Barnes Co.....	6 55
				84766	47402	Newson & Co.....	71 28
85150	5- 3-17	Eimer & Amend	5 10	84767	44500	Finn & Co.	8 97
85151	5- 7-17	Richardson & Duff	17 00	84768	46567	Rauh Cutlery Co.	5 40
85152	5-10-17	Mallinckrodt Chemical Wks.	9 25	84769	41700	Lyons & Carnihan	92 31
85153	5-10-17	James A. Webb & Son	14 63	84770	46564	Peerless Manifold Book Co.	317 80
85154	5-10-17	Palo Co.	15 00	84771	44511	Newson & Co.	4 05
85155	5-14-17	Eimer & Amend	2 45	84772	41659	Milton, Bradley Co.	6 66
85156	5-14-17	Merck & Co.	6 25	84773	44540	Milton, Bradley Co.	5 22
85157	5-21-17	Independent Towel Supply.	2 50	84774	44506	J. B. Lippincott Co.	1 06
85158	5-21-17	Merck & Co.	25 90	84775	44508	Lyons & Carnahan	10 05
85146		Chas. P. Berkey	25 71	84776	44510	Chas. E. Merrill Co.	14 40
85144	46919	New York Tel. Co.	181 68	84777	44493	The A. S. Barnes Co.	182 00
85145	46919	New York Tel. Co.	23 44	84778	41648	Allyn & Bacon	35 10
				84910	45458	Bacon Coal Co.	4,021 41
				84911	44130	E. Steiger & Co.	27 92
84784	44516	Scott, Foresman & Co.	\$5 74			E. Steiger & Co.	27 44
84785	47060	Paul Baron	54 98	84912	46268	Schoverling, Daly & Gales.	748 00
84786	47060	Paul Baron	6 28	84913	44170	Kalt Lumber Co.	14 19
84787	41640	Scott, Foresman & Co.	1 88	84914	44170	Kalt Lumber Co.	1 01
84788	46501	Esterbrook Steel Pen Mfg. Co.	530 00	84915	41665	Newson & Co.	2,992 97
				84916	41631	Alber S. Smith	67 56
84789	46524	E. Steiger & Co.	906 88	84917	44540	Milton, Bradley Co.	33 31
84790	47028	Underwood Typewriter Co.	437 50	84918	41714	Educational Magazine Pub. Co.	8 16
84791	46570	A. G. Spalding & Bros.	6 00				
84792	46526	M. J. Tobin	11 00	84931	41635	The Macmillan Co.	125 50
84793	47060	Paul Baron	38 70	84932	41663	Longmans, Green & Co....	5 60
84763	12-13-16	National Window Shade Co.	40 00	84933	44117	Constant A. Benoit.....	32
84949	47235	Scott, Foresman & Co.	1,227 15	84934	44708	New York Tel. Co.	668 45
84950	47236	Charles Scribner's Sons....	1,189 94	84935	44019	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	40 18
84951	46521	W. H. Sidway	66 51	84936	44132	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	1 04
84952	46523	Snelling & Son.....	4 80	84919	41644	D. C. Heath & Co.	1 05
84937	46526	M. J. Tobin	7 90				

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84920 44114	Metropolitan Supply Co.	.86	84814	Geo. Eckstein	.40	85072 4-13-17	Buick Motor Co.	.842
84921 41637	Henry Holt & Co.	18.66	84815	Jas. A. Blanchfield	.90	85073 4-12-17	The Draper Mfg. Co.	1.26
84922 39349	The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	46.24	84878	Nellie Costello	.96	85074 5-31-17	Arnold Levine Iron Works.	8.80
84923 41636	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	.60	84879	Andrew Calanretti	9.12	85075 4-27-17	Wm. Zinsser & Co.	22.50
84924 44114	Metropolitan Supply Co.	2.61	84880	Andrew Jackson	.33	85076 4-27-17	C. D. Durkee & Co.	3.00
84925 44130	E. Steiger & Co.	3.95	84881	James Lynch	.11	85077 3-31-17	Lambert Bros.	4.50
84926 41635	The Macmillan Co.	108.24	84882	John H. Bradley	.475	85038 4-19-17	J. E. Pittinger	132.53
84927 44130	E. Steiger & Co.	1.43	84883	Frederick Fox	.96	85039 4-30-17	The Atlantic Hotel Supply Co.	732.11
84928 44114	Metropolitan Supply Co.	44.70	84884	Pascasio Tozzi	.30	85040 4-10-17	Frank J. Lennon Co.	243.15
84929 44042	A. E. Moeller	25.00	84885	Michael Barone	101.50	85041 4-13-17	C. W. Jean Co.	3.60
84930 44130	E. Steiger & Co.	.25	84886	Emilio de Nova	1.60	85042 4-13-17	A. P. W. Paper Co.	9.00
	Fire Department.		84887	Philip Martin	.505	85043 4- 1-17	John Butera	9.07
84758 45308	The Okonite Co.	\$15,951.38	84888	Peter Langone	.38	85044 5-17-17	A. H. Hews & Co., Inc.	118.42
84759 45307	The Okonite Co.	12,864.22	84889	John F. McMorriw	.74	85045 3-10-17	Vreeland Chemical Mfg. Co.	250.00
84760 45609	The Okonite Co.	10,880.54	84890	Anthony Vetter	.21	85046 5- 1-17	Bloodgood Nurseries	891.43
84761 47421	Jas. I. Kelly	1,040.00	84891	John J. McGlynn	.18	85047 4-28-17	Bobbink & Atkins	25.00
	Department of Health.		84892	Patrick J. Farrell	.62	85048 4- 5-17	The Wm. H. Moon Co.	262.00
85121 5-14-17	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	\$11.40	84893	Michael Farrell	.19	85049 3-12-17	Stump & Walter Co.	38.50
85122 5-16-17	Whitall-Tatum Co.	.630	84894	Edw. Conlon	.75	85050 5- 1-17	Elmsford Nurseries	10.75
85123 5-10-17	N. J. Frame & Picture Co.	2.50	84895	John J. Washington	.11			
85124 4- 1-17	The Orange County Tele- phone Co.	30.10	84896	Thomas Cox	.26			
85125	The National Assn. for the Study and Prev. of Tuber- culosis	7.50	84897	Michael Esposito	.22			
85126 5-25-17	M. Weiss & Co.	14.50	84898	Chas. Baker	.95			
85127 11-28-16	Crown Stamp Works	.90	84899	Pellegrino de Marzo	.30			
85128 5-20-17	Hannacher, Schlemmer & Co.	1.50	84900	Roy F. Little	.90			
85129	Flower Hospital	1,197.50	84901	Menno Kueper et al.	1,028.67			
85130	The Saint Mary Hospital	262.50	84902	Michael Hummel	.34			
85110 5-25-17	Crown Stamp Works	2.00	84903	Katherine Kirn	.68			
85111 3-19-17	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	17.62	84904	Margaretha Vogler	.154			
85112 5-21-17	Wm. H. Thompson	.240	84905	Margaretha Scherer	1,028.67			
85113 5-22-17	Bogert & Hopper	445.00	84906	Emil Burklin et al.	.2057			
85114 5-19-17	James A. Miller	31.35	84907	Mary Kamper	.308			
85115 5-8-17	L. R. Wallace	24.00	84908	William Kraemer et al.	.154			
85116 5-14-17	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	46.30	84909	Leonardo de Maria	.154			
85117 5- 8-17	Crane Glass & Mfg. Co.	9.25	84910	William Fredk. Brummer	1,028.67			
85118 5-24-17	Crown Stamp Works	1.20	84911	Emil Poth et al.	.154			
85119 5- 9-17	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	14.40	84912	George A. Bayer	.102			
85120 3-14-17	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	30.69	84913	Henry Newman et al.	.514			
	Commissioner of Juries, Queens County.		84914	Anton Fluh et al.	.102			
85105	The Peerless Towel Sup. Co.	\$3.40	84915	Edward Jentz	.309			
85106	Eagle Spring Water Co.	.60	84916	Amie Bauernfeind et al.	.103			
	Department of Licenses.		84917	Katharina Reinhard	.128			
84799 6- 5-17	George H. Bell	\$117.47	84918	Geo. N. Schwalbach	.154			
84800 6- 6-17	George H. Bell	.5800	84919	Annie Early	.309			
	Law Department.		84920	Peter A. Roedler et al.	.103			
84874 5-17-17	American Law Book Co.	\$7.50	84921	Louise Blacs	.103			
84875 5-21-17	Callaghan & Co.	.7800	84922	Lizzie Sendelbach	.103			
84876	American Dist. Tel. Co.	.30	84923	John Hahn	.309			
84877 5- 9-17	United Electric Service Co.	7.05	84924	Karl Bosse et al.	.257			
84878 5-29-17	B. Sterling Bottome	23.00	84925	Frank Hetzel	.309			
84879	James A. Russell	47.00	84926	John J. Connolly	.103			
84880 5-28-17	Reuben Cantor	.3550	84927	Katharina Dettling	.309			
84881 5-28-17	Nathan Behrin	.3070	84928	U. S. Trust Co. of N. Y.	.23			
84882 6- 2-17	Ernest B. Elson	17.10	84929	Bulkley & Horton	.25			
84883 5-31-17	Eugene J. Curtis	12.00	84930	Bulkley & Horton	.137			
84884 5-28-17	John L. Webb	.2900	84931	John Mario	.60			
84885 5-17-17	Reuben Cantor	.5050	84932	Wm. J. Jung	.100			
84886 5-22-17	George Kemp	.4300	84933	John J. Kenney	.100			
84887 5-18-17	M. D. Coleman	.4200	84934	Ignatz Barth	.27			
84888 5-21-17	Chas. Christman	1.10	84935	Vincent J. Duffy	.55			
85000	Lamar Hardy	573.31	84936	Harry W. Simpson	.189			
85001 5-31-17	Kate Devlin	7.50	84937	Rosen M. Monowitz	.126			
85002	The New York Law Jour- nal	4.67	84938	Daniel Rosenblath	.50			
85003 5-26-17	Independent Towel Supply	4.50	84939	Ernest E. Okerlind	.20			
85004 5-15-17	Peerless Towel Sup. Co.	.585	84940	William Karp	.26			
85005 5-14-17	John Wanamaker, N. Y.	15.00	84941	William Gleischmann	.11			
85006 5-12-17	Tower Mfg. and Nov. Co.	.3718	84942	Gaetano Maresco	.38			
85007 5-31-17	Jos. Spengler	15.40	84943	Catherine O'Brien	.70			
85008 5-23-17	E. Belcher Hyde	12.50	84944	Edw. C. Sheehy	1,000.00			
85009 6- 1-17	William J. Mullen	.9600	84945	Louis Geissler	.150			
85010 5-22-17	Robert A. Cowan	8.00	84946	John McCauley	.135			
	Miscellaneous.		84947	Jas. J. McClusky	.75			
84753	Hahnemann Hospital of the City of N. Y.	\$6,444.84	84948	Amelia Schuler	.50			
84754	The Presbyterian Hospital in the City of N. Y.	6,444.83	84949	Thos. K. Davis	.60			
84755	Sichel-Meyrson Stenographic Corp.	13.25	84950	Weimbros Real Estate Co., Inc.	.249			
84756	Martin J. Keogh	104.92	84951	Henry Mertling	.75			
84757	Saul J. Baron	150.00	84952	Abraham Rosenberg	.475			
84901	Augusta Glanz	.5060	84953	Public Administrator, Bronx County.	\$0.75			
84902	Daniel J. Boylan	100.00	84954	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	.60			
84903	Daniel J. Boylan	1,048.03	84955	Travers Twine & Cordage Co.	.33			
84904	Mary Donnelly, as assignee of Louis Fick	14.42	84956	Jas. McLaughlin Co.	.13			
84905	Annie E. Schoelles	1,000.00	84957	W. & J. Sloane	.596			
84906	Jas. Beaver	199.99	84958	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	.17			
84907	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	31.10	84959	Geo. A. Steele	.30			
84908	Wm. Bucknor, as assignee of Catherine Schaefer	209.15	84960	Schleifer & Co.	.30		</	

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85194	L. Crocco & Sons	166 26	84976	5-19-17 William Farrell & Son	17 20	85131	The East River Gas Co. of				
85195	4-16-17 John Bellmann	110 10	84977	2-28-17 Fred W. Beatty	5 88	85132	L. I. City	388 80			
85196	4-28-17 B. Ackermann Co.	30 00	84978	Tower Mfg. and Nov. Co.	2 04		New York and Queens Gas				
85197	5-16-17 J. & J. W. Elsworth Co. ..	1 34	84979	5-23-17 Compressed Air Grease Cup Corp.	26 25	85133	Co.	135 60			
85198	5-4-17 Richman & Samuels	115 31	84980	5-18-17 Welzbach Gas Lamp Co.	173 00	85134	E. Beardsley	19 75			
Department of Street Cleaning.											
84983	5-21-17 Oxweld Acetylene Co.	\$3 05	84981	4-7-17 Chas. Beseler Co.	65	85135	Bernard J. Looram	53 31			
84984	3-12-17 Chadick de Lamater Co. ..	7 27	84982	5-18-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.	1 20	85136	Wm. A. Shaw	3 80			
84985	5-22-17 Columbia Iron Works	300 00	84972	Hugh J. Duane	1 50	85137	Wm. W. Brush	10 38			
84986	2-1-17 General Elec. Co.	382 32	84965	38794 Brooklyn Ash Removal Co., Inc., assignee of Jas. H. Ward	44,566 07	85138	John E. McGeehan	4 30			
84987	5-21-17 The E. R. Merrill Spring Co.	5 10	84966	17422 Edward Holland & Co.	880 00	85089	Michael Tallent	53 13			
84988	5-19-17 Chas. E. Miller	6 00	Board of Water Supply.								
84989	5-25-17 N. Y. Belting and Packing Co.	14 94	84762	46335 Sprague & Henwood, Inc.	\$2,498 34	85093	4-2-17 Oriental Rubber Supply Co.	6 00			
84990	5-24-17 John Simmons Co.	7 50	84752	Edmond Beardsley	\$500 00	85094	4-2-17 Topping Brothers	20 06			
84991	2-28-17 A. F. Brombacher & Co. ..	80	84860	City of Yonkers	6,858 84	85095	4-2-17 Patterson Brothers	6 42			
84992	5-24-17 Bernard H. Eidel	142 79	84861	City of Yonkers	7,479 95	85096	4-2-17 The Universal Car Co.	9 70			
84993	5-14-17 John Lucas	114 40	84862	City of Yonkers	295 74	85097	5-28-17 Mailometer Sales Co.	1 00			
84994	3-30-17 Stanley & Patterson	7 99	84998	Briarcliffe Realty Co.	36 50	85098	4-2-17 Welzbach Street Lighting Co. of America	195 00			
84995	5-26-17 M. Baxt	7 00	85139	Frank E. Hale	38 81	85099	5-14-17 John F. Schmadeke	93 70			
84996	2-10-17 Propeller "Golden Rod" ..	20 00	85140	Wm. Flannery	19 93	85100	4-2-17 Oriental Rubber and Supply Co.	22 25			
84997	2-1-17 The Tabulating Mach. Co.	41 50	85141	Geo. J. Zegers	22 10	85101	4-2-17 Autocar Sales Co.	27 87			
84973	10-25-16 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	65 72	85142	Jos. Dougherty	65 57	85102	5-22-17 A. F. Brombacher & Co.	12 00			
84974	8-16-16 Ford Motor Co.	7 68		Walter Lethbridge	65 30						
84975	12-28-16 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	178 86	85143								

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.**Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 10.30 A. M.**

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz, President, and Alexander Keogh, Commissioner. The President presided.

The public hearing on the proposed amendment of clause 1 of Rule XII was postponed and the Secretary was instructed to readvertise the same to show the proposed amendment to be as follows:

By adding to clause 1 of Rule XII, after the word "months," the following:

"Except in case of a vacancy caused by enlistment for or a call to military or naval service in time of war or national emergency requiring the use of the armed forces of the United States."

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meetings held March 26, 28 and 29 were approved.

The following resolutions were adopted after a hearing of each of the candidates named therein:

Resolved, that the name of Michael Caulfield, 408 E. 135th st., Bronx, be marked "qualified" on the eligible list of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct, Preferred, for certification as Prison Keeper.

Resolved, that the following names be and the same hereby are removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service: August Blum, 205 Meserole st., Brooklyn; Paul Albans, 2270 Pacific st., Brooklyn.

Resolved, that the name of George H. Evans, 152 Seventh ave., Manhattan, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, that the disqualification appearing against the name of Frank Gerardi, 163 W. Houston st., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Elevatorman, be and the same hereby is removed.

Michael F. Maroney, 1899 Bathgate ave., Bronx, appeared as directed to show cause why his services as Inspector of Elevators in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII, should not be terminated. In connection with his case the Commission considered a report of the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated April 17. On motion, it was

Resolved, that Michael F. Maroney, 1899 Bathgate ave., Bronx, be and he hereby is marked "Qualified" for employment as Inspector of Elevators in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII.

Curt Eichler, 726 E. 166th st., Bronx, a candidate on the eligible list of Health Inspector (Food), appeared as directed. In connection with his case the Commission considered a report dated April 17 from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to the candidate and nine other candidates on said eligible list. The Secretary was instructed to mark the nine candidates referred to "Qualified" as recommended in the report, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that Curt Eichler, 726 E. 166th st., Bronx, be and he hereby is marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Health Inspector (Food).

Michael F. Kelly, Andrew J. Beirne, Louis Oliver, John C. Brennan, Robert H. Smallman, John L. Weiss and John N. Hessman, candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman, appeared as directed. In this connection the Commission considered a report dated April 20 from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to the candidates above named and seven other candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman. The Secretary was instructed to mark Charles Abrahams and Philip J. Murphy "Not Qualified" on the eligible list, they having stated that they did not desire the position, and to mark "Qualified" Alexander C. Russell, Edward A. Smith, Francis A. Fitzpatrick, Patrick Fahey and Martin J. Palmer. The case of Louis Oliver was referred back to the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation and that of John L. Weiss was laid over, and the Secretary was instructed to summon the said John L. Weiss to appear on May 2, 1917, and to mark both candidates "Not Qualified," pending final decision in their cases, and, on motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, that the following names be and the same hereby are marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Patrolman: Michael F. Kelly, Jr., 552 62nd st., Brooklyn; Andrew J. Beirne, 516 Wales ave., Bronx; Robert H. Smallman, Fort Kimball road, Brooklyn.

Resolved, that the following names be and the same hereby are removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service: John C. Brennan, 242 E. 37th st., Manhattan; John N. Hessman, Jr., 2248 E. 17th st., Brooklyn.

Emanuel Frank, George F. Quigley, Carmine Bracco, Henry A. Milne, Walter A. Kelly and Edward J. Noonan, candidates on the eligible list of Fireman, appeared as directed. In this connection the Commission considered a report from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to the candidates named and eighteen other candidates on said list. Of the eighteen candidates referred to the Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of the names of Martin A. Rowan, Charles E. Kerrigan, William T. Hayes, James C. Fleming, Frank Rega and John Schauer, and to mark the other twelve candidates "Qualified." The cases of Emanuel Frank and Walter A. Kelly were laid over and the Secretary was instructed to mark them "Not Qualified," pending final decision in their cases, and, on motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, that the name of George F. Quigley, 283 Tenth st., Brooklyn, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Fireman, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, that the following named candidates be and they hereby are marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Fireman: Carmine Bracco, 5 St. Marks pl., Manhattan; Henry A. Milne, 202 Bay Eighth st., Brooklyn; Edward J. Noonan, 353 Sixty-first st., Brooklyn.

Charles B. King, 1094 Sutter ave., Brooklyn, failed to appear as directed to show cause why his services as Trained Nurse in the Department of Health, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII, should not be terminated. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said employee to appear at the next regular meeting of the Commission and in the meantime to withhold certification of his payroll.

John Rush, 316 E. 89th st., Manhattan, who had been appointed in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan from the eligible list of Asphalt Worker, failed to appear before the Commission as directed and the Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of his payroll.

Herbert P. Harrigan, a candidate on the eligible list of Prison Keeper, and John R. Hebe, a candidate on the eligible list of Fireman, failed to appear as directed and the Secretary was instructed to summon them to appear at the next regular meeting of the Commission.

Peter E. Roth, 535 Greenwich st., Manhattan, failed to appear as directed to show cause why his services as Caretaker in the Department of Education, under the provisions of clause 11 of Rule XVIII, should not be terminated, and the Secretary was instructed to summon the said Peter E. Roth to appear at the next regular meeting of the Commission and in the meantime to withhold certification of his payroll.

The Commission then took up the case of Smiley Blanton, a candidate on the eligible list of Physician for the Examination of Mentally Defective Children (Psychiatrist), Grade 4, which had been considered at a previous meeting of the Commission. After consideration of a communication dated April 21 from the candidate relative to his experience statements, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the disqualification appearing against the name of Smiley Blanton, of Madison, Wisconsin, on the eligible list of Physician for the Examination of Mentally Defective Children (Psychiatrist), Grade 4, be and the same hereby is removed.

The Commission then took up the case of Joseph H. Carroll, 1711 Second ave., Manhattan, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman, which had been considered at a previous meeting. On motion, it was

Resolved, that the disqualification appearing against the name of Joseph H. Carroll, 1711 Second ave., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Patrolman, be and the same hereby is removed.

The Secretary stated that James J. Martin, of Monsey, N. Y., a Laborer in the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, who had been summoned to appear at a previous meeting to explain a difference between the handwriting in his declaration sheet for the position of Laborer and that in his application for that position and who had failed to appear at that time, had appeared before Commissioner Keogh on Monday, April 23, and had satisfactorily explained the difference in handwriting. The Secretary was instructed to certify the payrolls of the said employee.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

Julius Crump from Climber and Pruner to Laborer, Department of Parks, Brooklyn. George Cox, Climber and Pruner, from Department of Parks, Brooklyn, to Department of Parks, Queens. Mary E. Peacock from Probation Officer, at \$1,200 per annum in City Magistrates' Courts, to Parole Officer, at \$1,200 per annum, in Parole Commission. William E. Decker, Laborer, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to Office of the President, Borough of Richmond. Charles G. Kehoe from Transitman, at \$1,500 per annum, in the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, to Engineer Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum, in Department of Street Cleaning. Agnes M. Mulry from Senior Social Investigator, at \$1,800 per annum, to Chief Social Investigator, at \$2,280 per annum, in Department of Public Charities (clause 3 of Rule XIV). James P. Sweeney from Coal Sampler to Laborer in Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. Felix Connolly from Sweeper in the Office of President, Borough of Queens. Joseph Toye, Court Attendant, from the Court of Special Sessions, at \$1,200 per annum, to City Court, at \$1,260 per annum. Louis Gans, Elevatorman, from office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, to Department of Plant and Structures. Johanna Bergen, Cleaner, from Department of Education to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, effective April 3. James F. Byrne, Clerk, from Department of Finance, at \$600 per annum, to Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, at \$720 per annum. Edward F. Cunningham, Clerk, at \$300 per annum, from Department of Education to Fire Department. Luigi Marturella from Sweeper to Driver in Department of Street Cleaning.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were disapproved: John H. Gardiner from Water Tender to Oiler, in the Department of Docks and Ferries, a preferred list existing for the latter position. Lawrence O'Connor, Cleaner, from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, a preferred list existing for that position containing the name of a person suspended from the latter department.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved: Pietro Carulli as Sweeper in Department of Street Cleaning. Fillip Panzarelli as Sweeper in Department of Street Cleaning.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, the following appointments were approved in accordance with the requests of the several departments, on the dates specified:

CLAUSE 1, RULE XII.

April 17, Charles Wortsman, Electrician, Department of Plant and Structures, at \$4.80 a day, for an additional period of three months from April 23.

April 19, Martin Cody, Jr., Inspector of Light and Power, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for an additional period of thirty days.

CLAUSE 12, RULE XVIII.

April 23, E. V. Dye, Monitor, Municipal Civil Service Commission, on Jan. 25.

April 16, Hugo Shine, Martin Slattery, Caretakers, Board of Education, for thirty days each. Trained Nurses, Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, for thirty days each: Frances T. Breen, Ella M. Travis, Johnsie L. Fischer, Lillian M. Begley, Lena M. Small, Frances M. Carroll, Anna M. Kraus, Edna M. DeShong, Christian L. Ruhl; Dorothy C. Schaffer, for a period of five days. Department of Health, for thirty days each: Robert Jansen, Interne, at \$120 per annum, April 3; Morris Jacoboff, Arthur G. Cooke, Hospital Physicians, at \$1,200 per annum, from May 1, 1917; John J. Montanus, Helper, at \$630 per annum, April 16; Mildred Raymond, Helper, at \$360 per annum, April 1. Trained Nurses, Department of Public Charities, for thirty days each: Marietta A. Crane, Nan G. Sweeney, Anna M. Keating, Laura M. E. Griffin, Sarah H. Lefferts, Emma L. Phillips, Helen S. Bronson, Margaret E. Hammond, at \$600 per annum; Marjorie E. Simpson, at \$900 per annum (Bureau of Social Investigations). Department of Public Charities, for thirty days each: Alice F. McManus, Dietitian, at \$720 per annum, Hubert K. Turley, Assistant Physician, at \$600 per annum, John E. Bradley, Auto Engineman (Ambulance), in the meantime to withhold certification of his payroll.

at \$960 per annum, Jacob Hulnick, Auto Engineman (Ambulance), at \$1,020 per annum, from Feb. 10.

CLAUSE 4, RULE XII.

April 19, Temporary Clerks, Department of Finance, at \$3 a day, for a second period of fifteen days each: Francis J. Conroy, Samuel S. Klauber, Joseph A. Kehoe, George L. P. Arras, Walter I. Rigney, James J. Norris.

April 20, Tabulating Machine Operators (Powers), Department of Finance, at \$2 a day for thirty days each: Sarah E. Austin, Mildred B. Carpenter, Gertrude M. Keenan, Irene M. Indermukle, Elizabeth M. Burns, Viola M. Kuhne, Helen H. DeKruif, John A. Kivinen, Isabelle O'Neill, Adeline H. Pfuerstinger, Vera S. Conney, Charlotte L. Franck, Henrietta E. Fox, Henriette D. Meyer, Agnes R. Rooney, Ruth M. Barry, Gladys M. Barry, Elizabeth Sheridan, Rose L. McLean, Margaret Scardino, Stenographer and Typewriter, Department of Finance, at \$70 per month, for thirty days from April 20.

April 19, Title Examiners, Department of Finance, at \$4 a day, for fifteen days each from April 23: Joseph Berg, Fred W. Fuhrman, Henry L. Salpeter, Samuel Stark.

April 20, Prison Keepers, Department of Correction, at \$900 per annum, for thirty days each: Christopher J. Casserly, John D. Sullivan, Thomas Young, Department of Correction, for thirty days each from April 1: August Goldner, Purchasing Agent, at \$1,800 per annum, John Glutsch, Storekeeper, at \$1,320 per annum, Joseph Lester Lamb, Clerk, at \$840 per annum.

March 14, Mary M. Cronin, Clerk, Board of Child Welfare, at \$540 per annum, from March 12 to 15, inclusive.

April 16, William J. Donaldson, Locomobile Engineman, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$1,200 per annum, for fifteen days from April 17.

April 19, Jacob Hess, Clerk, Tenement House Department, at \$300 per annum, for thirty days.

April 17, Mary E. Peacock, Parole Officer, Parole Commission, from April 16 to 19.

April 23, Commissioner of Accounts, for thirty days each: C. Lauritano, Special Investigator, at \$4 a day, from April 23; Ellsworth M. Bayer, Clerk, at \$300, from April 13.

April 18, Clerks, Department of Health, at \$300 per annum, for thirty days each: Harry Sherman, Nathan Miller, Theodore Fiala.

April 13, Department of Public Charities, Helen Barry, Clerk, at \$300, for fifteen days from April 16; Helen G. Dixon, Social Investigator, \$1,080 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days from April 16.

April 18, Anna Martin, Typewriting Copyist, Department of Public Charities, at \$600 per annum, for thirty days from April 16. Hugh J. Fay, Clerk, President of the Borough of Richmond, at \$1,500 per annum, from April 1 to 18.

CLAUSE 11, RULE XIX.

April 13, Climbers and Pruners, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$2.50 a day, pending list: John F. Reardon, John T. Phair, Chas. F. Tarzian, Wm. J. Kenny, Frank Lennon, Maurice A. Kane, John J. Allen, Edw. P. Keegan, Wm. F. Kenny, Michael Williams, Jacob Lickdyke, Jared White, William J. Kelly, Patrick J. Gray, Robert Scarpa, John Brennan, James McCool, Chris. McGovern, Gustave Berendt, Michael Dugan, Joseph Kingdon.

April 19, John Christ, Patrick Brennan, Board of City Record, for five days each.

April 23, Bert J. White, Asphalt Worker, President of the Borough of The Bronx, at \$2.50 a day, pending list, from April 23.

April 18, Martin Herbert, Water Tender, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$95 per month, for fifteen days from April 18. John H. Gardiner, Oilier, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$95 per month, for fifteen days from April 19, pending appointment from preferred list. Stokers, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$90 per month, for five days each from April 18: George Rennert, Joseph Waldier, Patrick Conroy, John Keaney, Thomas King, James Walsh, David Quinn, for five days from April 19.

April 20, Ray Reagan, Driver, President of the Borough of Richmond, at \$840 per annum, for five days during week ending April 14.

April 16, William R. Banks, Automobile Machinist, Department of Public Charities, at \$4.50 a day, pending eligible list. Licensed Firemen, Department of Public Charities, at \$3 day, for ten days each: Frank Duffy, April 11; Henry Kooi, April 12; Patrick Mullin, April 11. Thomas Murphy, Laborer, The College of the City of New York, on April 2.

April 17, Patrick Shea, Licensed Fireman, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$3 a day, for fifteen days from April 9.

The Commission approved the action of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments in directing that the following-named persons be marked "Qualified" for employment under clause 11 of Rule XVIII, in the capacities specified:

Trained Nurse, Department of Public Charities: Report R-3, Mary J. MacDonald; report L-231B, Kathleen M. Gleeson.

Trained Nurse, Department of Health—Report R-6, Hilda Ashton; Report L-247, Matilda J. Moritz, Margaret N. Toman, Sarah K. MacIntosh; Report L-242B, Julia E. Young.

Trained Nurse in the Board of Inebriety—Report L-224, Llewellyn MacNeil.

Trained Nurse in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Report L-241A, Matthew C. Scott; Report L-241B, Ellen Smith; Report L-234B, Sarah J. Brethman.

Cook, Department of Correction: Report R-1, John Gallagher; Report L-251A, John J. Robinson, Edward J. Berry.

Interne, Department of Health—Report L-217, John F. Bourke.

The Commission approved the action of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments in directing that the following-named persons be marked "Qualified" for employment under clause 3 of Rule XII, in the capacities specified:

Clerk, First Grade, Tenement House Department—Report C-208a, Alphonse Constant; Report C-211, Joseph Rosenblum; Report C-208B, Joseph A. May.

Clerk, First Grade, Department of Health—Report C-201, John W. Hogan, Arthur J. Law; Report C-206, Harry Brambier, Report C-198, Harold Pedersen.

Clerk, First Grade, Law Department—C-210B, Sidney Strahl; Report C-210A, Saul Calewsky.

Clerk, Grade 1, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond—Report C-199, George Overhulse, Gerald Geary.

Clerk, Grade 1, Fire Department—Report C-200, Charles A. Klatt.

Junior Topographical Draftsman, Department of Education—Report C-204, Albert W. Bitterman.

Institutional Inspector, Department of Public Charities—Report Q-26, Mary V. Bolton; Report C-202, Hazel K. Weston.

Tabulating Machine Operator (Powers), Department of Finance—Report Q-29, Viola M. Kuhne; Report C-191B, Mary E. Rose, Winifred L. McGrath; Report C-205B, Florence L. King.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following-named candidates for re-ratings of certain of their papers in the examinations specified were denied: Jerome Loewy, Assistant Engineer, Grade C; William Domidion, Arthur B. Daub, Isidore Merlis, Harry J. Gerken and Bartholomew A. Phillips, Health Inspector (Food); Joseph Isler, Electrician.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following-named persons for special examinations for the positions specified were granted, their failure to appear for the regular examinations having been due to compulsory military service: Stephen P. Walsh, Storekeeper; William J. J. Monday, James J. McCleary, Michael C. Rea and Samuel J. Thompson, promotion to Assistant Dump Inspector, Department of Street Cleaning; James L. Boyle, Frank J. Canlon, Carl A. Cedarberg, Walter D. Foley, Thomas Maher, Edward G. Mason, Jr., Thomas P. Morgan and Andrew Murray, Patrolmen; Clarence K. Michaels, promotion to Engineer Inspector, Grade D, Fire Department.

A memorandum dated April 20 was presented from the Committee on Appeals relative to the appeal of Moses J. Zetlin, a candidate in the examination for Interpreter (Yiddish). It appearing that there was a manifest error on the part of one Examiner in rating the candidate's written translation from Polish into English, the appeal was granted.

The Secretary submitted the report of work performed during the quarter ending March 31, 1917.

The Secretary was instructed to forward a copy of the report to his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter.

A report dated April 23 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner relative to the protest of Thomas W. Rochester, an Assistant Electrical Engineer, Grade D,

in the Bureau of Gas and Electricity, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, against the action of the Commission in admitting certain Inspectors to the examination for promotion to Assistant Electrical Engineer, Grade E, in that department and his contention that he was the only person to whom the examination should be open. The Commission ruled that there was no merit in Mr. Rochester's contention.

A report dated April 20 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner relative to the initial salaries offered candidates on the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, Male, Second Grade. The Secretary was instructed to take the matter up with the Bureau of Standards.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports (3) dated April 20, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated:

Coroner's Physician, Grade 3, Coroner's Office, Borough of Richmond. Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 3, Board of Standards and Appeals. Watchman, Grade 1, Department of Docks and Ferries.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports (4) dated April 24, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated: Clerk, Fourth Grade, Law Department; Watershed Inspector, Board of Water Supply; Messenger, Grade 1, Bureau of Highways, Brooklyn; Gate Tender, Board of Water Supply.

The following reports were presented from the Acting Chief Examiner:

Report dated April 20 recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Commissioner of Public Charities that an examination be held for promotion to the position of Senior Social Investigator at \$1,740 per annum and that certification be made from the existing promotion list of Supervising Social Investigator if the department desired to fill the vacancy in the former position.

Report dated April 21 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Foreman of Pavers, Grade 2, in the Bureau of Highways, Brooklyn, to be open to all Foremen of Laborers, Grade 2, serving not less than one year.

Report dated April 19 recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Franchises, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, that an examination be ordered to qualify John F. Conway, a Clerk, for promotion to the position of Law Clerk, Third Grade, the latter position not having been established for the Bureau of Franchises.

Report dated April 23 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Purchasing Agent in the Department of Correction, to be open to all Storekeepers and Clerks, Third Grade, serving not less than one year as such.

Report dated April 20 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Clerk, Grade 4, in the Auditing Bureau, General Administration Division, Department of Finance, to be open to all Clerks, Third Grade, in the bureau, serving not less than three years as such, and that, pending the result of the promotion examination, the assignment of Edward J. Smith, a Third Grade Clerk, to the higher position be authorized, under clause 3 of Rule XII.

Report dated April 23 recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Health that an examination for promotion from the position of Medical Clerk to that of Medical Inspector be held for his department, the positions being dissimilar in character.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated April 18 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner with reference to a conference with representatives of the Law Department in the matter of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel dated May 12, 1915, concerning the status of Medical Inspectors in the Department of Health who had been transferred from part time to full time service; also a report dated April 18, transmitting a communication dated April 11 from H. T. Peck, Medical Examiner in the Department of Health, regarding his eligibility for promotion to the position of Director, Bureau of Preventable Diseases. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Corporation Counsel and to state that, under the Commission's interpretation of the opinion, abuses might arise which the Commission would find it difficult to prevent, and, in view of such conditions, to request an opinion as to whether the Commission's interpretation was correct, and, if not, in what way that interpretation should be modified; also to request that the opinion be rendered at the earliest possible moment, so that the promotion examination for Director, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, might be held at once.

A report dated April 21 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner relative to the appeal of Charles H. Nammack, 42 E. 29th st., Manhattan, a candidate in the examination for Police Surgeon and Medical Officer, Fire Department, that he be given the percentage rating to which the results of the physical, mental and oral examinations (to which he had been admitted despite the fact that he had not had the six years' experience required by the terms of the advertisement of the examination) entitled him. The matter was laid over pending the promulgation of the eligible list of Police Surgeon and Medical Officer, Fire Department.

A report dated April 18 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to Edward F. Ward, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman, whose case had been considered at a previous meeting of the Commission. The matter was laid over.

A report (L-235c) dated April 23 was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, forwarding the application of Pauline B. Gassen for employment as Trained Nurse in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII, stating that the candidate had not received a regular diploma from a nurses' training school, and requesting a ruling as to whether two years' experience, which the candidate had had with tubercular patients in the Henry Phipps Institute, would be accepted by the Commission as qualifying her for the position. The application was rejected and the Secretary was instructed to direct the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to terminate the services of the candidate forthwith.

A report (R-48) dated April 24 was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, forwarding the application of Genaro Ianelli, a non-citizen, for employment as Domestic in the Department of Health, and requesting to be informed whether the Commission desired to waive the requirement of citizenship in his case. The application was rejected.

A report (A-507K) dated April 20 was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, stating that in the examination for Clerk, First Grade, he had disqualified Henry Spinner, 100 Avenue D, Manhattan, for consulting a dictionary during the examination and requesting approval of his action in so doing. The action of the Assistant Chief Examiner was approved.

A report dated April 24 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to ten candidates in the examination for Janitor. The Secretary was instructed to summon Thomas H. Murphy, Edward J. McInerny, Philip F. Zimmerman and Michael J. Flynn before the Commission and to mark "Qualified" the other candidates named in the report, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Janitor be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report dated April 21 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to three candidates in the examination for Stenotypist, Grade 2, Female. The Secretary was instructed to mark the candidates "Qualified," and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Stenotypist, Grade 2, Female, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

Upon the recommendation of the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation in a report dated April 21, the Secretary was instructed to mark Robert E. Degan, a candidate in the examination for Cable Tester, "Qualified," and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Cable Tester be and the same hereby is promulgated.

The following reports were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation:

Report dated April 18 recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Louis F. Roeser on the eligible list of Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention, be removed.

Report dated April 18 recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Ida M. Gaskell on the eligible list of Probation Officer be continued, pending her appearance at the Bureau of Investigation.

Report dated April 18 recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Milly J. Trumpi on the eligible list of Probation Officer be removed.

Report dated April 18 recommending that Samuel Friedman be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Deputy Tax Commissioner.

Report dated April 20 recommending that the name of Raymond J. Currie be removed from the eligible list of Elevatorman, he having stated that he did not desire the position.

Report dated April 19 recommending that Anna F. Cronin be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Probation Officer.

Report dated April 20 recommending that the disqualification appearing against Svea Anna C. Nelson on the eligible list of Social Investigator be removed.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated April 19 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to twenty-two candidates on the eligible list of Prison Keeper. The Secretary was instructed to summon Daniel J. Finnegan, Michael Kenny, Edward F. Short, Michael McKenna and Lester J. W. McKenna before the Commission; to withhold certification of the names of Lazzaro J. Ferrari; to note on the eligible list that Michael Brady, Maurice Hartnett and Harry J. Mallon did not desire the position; to remove the name of Frederick Herrmann from the eligible list, notice of his death having been received, and to mark "Qualified" the other candidates named in the report.

Reports dated April 18 (2), April 20, April 23 and April 24 were presented from the Certification Clerk, requesting approval of his action in certifying from the eligible lists of Stenographer and Typewriter, Male, Second Grade; Clerk, First Grade, Male; Nurse, Female; Clerk, First Grade, Female; Stenographer and Typewriter, Female, Second Grade; Bookkeeper, Third Grade, Male; Typewriting Copyist, Second Grade, Male; Court Attendant (General List), and Mechanic (Elevator), the names of persons not reported upon by the Bureau of Investigation. The action of the Certification Clerk was approved.

Upon the recommendation of the Certification Clerk in a report dated April 20, it was

Resolved, that the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with examinations for the following positions in the Labor Class:

Part I—Cleaner (Men), Education, Bronx; Cleaner (Men), Brooklyn; Cleaner (Men), Manhattan; Cleaner (Men), Queens; Cleaner (Women), Education, Bronx; Cleaner (Women), Education, Brooklyn; Cleaner (Women), Education, Manhattan; Cleaner (Women), Education, Queens; Cleaner (Women), Bronx; Cleaner (Women), Manhattan; Cleaner (Women), Richmond; Climber and Pruner, Bronx; Climber and Pruner, Brooklyn; Climber and Pruner, Richmond; Dump Boardman, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Richmond; Dump Boardman, Brooklyn; Hostler, The Bronx; Hostler, Richmond; Laborer, Manhattan; Laborer, Queens; Laborer, Orange County; Paver, Brooklyn; Paver, Richmond; Rammer, Brooklyn; Rammer, Manhattan; Rammer, Richmond; Stableman, Brooklyn; Stableman, Queens.

Part II—Batterymen, Fire Department; Batterymen's Assistant, Fire Department; Elevatorman, Hose Repairer, Fire Department; Machine Wood Worker; Mason's Helper, Rubber Tire Repairer, Fire Department; Ship Caulker, Stone Cutter, Thermostat Repairer, Well Driver, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Part III—Blacksmith's Helper, Flagger, Brass Finisher, Fire Department.

Part IV—Deckhand, Licensed Fireman.

Upon the recommendation of the Certification Clerk in a report dated April 20, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with physical re-examinations of candidates on the following eligible lists for the Labor Class, in order that their eligibility may be extended for a period of one year:

Part II. Carriage Trimmer, Wireman.

Part III. Blacksmith, Bricklayer, Grainer, Housesmith, Letterer, Pipe Caulker, Plumber, Plumber's Helper, Steamfitter, Steamfitter's Helper, Striper, Tapper, Varisher.

A report dated April 24 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records recommending that the Service ratings of the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the quarters ending March 31, June 30 and Sept. 30, 1916, be accepted. The recommendation was adopted.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reassessments to duty, in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned, under the dates specified: Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—April 19, Frederick Weckerle, Laborer, Department of Parks, Bronx—April 17, Sebastiano Nardiello, Laborer, Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx—April 13, George Herd, Laborer; April 10, Charles A. O'Neill, Laborer, Department of Street Cleaning—April 10 (2), Martin Karter, Sweeper, and Giuseppe Gaglione, Section Sweeper; April 17 (3), John Laffan, Carpenter, and Antonio Bruno and Charles A. Johnson, Sweepers, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan—April 10, Andrew A. Lanahan, Clerk; April 18, John Murray, Licensed Fireman, and Thomas F. Vaughan and Charles V. Fay, Laborers, Department of Correction—April 20, Otto Cook, Keeper, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond—April 16 (2), Michael Hafey, Sweeper, and Matthew D. Taylor, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, Department of Docks and Ferries—April 13, William E. Hanna, Laborer; April 10, Terence Flynn, Storekeeper's Helper; April 19, Francis P. Keegan, Rammer, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens—April 9 (8), Antonio Di Camille, Henry Wrage, William C. Sossei, Francesco Di Benedetto, James A. Quinn and George Ullrich, Laborers, and Jacob Pauly, Asphalt Worker, and William Ruder, Sweeper; April 10 (2), Joseph Tym, Sweeper, and Rudolph Smutney, Laborer; April 11, Gaetano Pandolfi, Laborer; April 12 (2), Horace Hewlett and Dominick Spinelli, Laborers; April 13, Reuben J. Munson, District Superintendent; April 14, Thomas Castiglione, Asphalt Worker; April 16 (3), Abram Montrose and Jacob Schmidt Laborers, and Donato Fazioli, Sweeper.

The Secretary was instructed to amend the records in accordance with the facts set forth in the following communications:

Communication dated April 17, from the Department of Health, modifying the Commission of the change of name, through marriage, of a Nurse from Eliza E. Lane to Eliza E. Childs.

Communication dated April 21, from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, notifying the Commission of the change of name, through marriage, of an Adding and Billing Machine Operator from Katherine McBarron to Katherine Cowden.

Communication dated April 17, from the Department of Public Charities, stating that request for approval of the employment of Peter Judge as Stoker for a period of ten days from April 1st, under clause 11 of Rule XIX, should have been for a period of ten days from April 7.

Communication dated April 13, from the Department of Public Works, Manhattan, stating that the leave of absence, effective March 26, 1917, granted Bernard Leavy, an elevatorman, had been canceled.

A communication dated April 20, was presented from the Commissioner of Correction, renewing his request of Nov. 20, 1916, for permission to change the title "Butcher" to "Inspector of Supplies." This request was denied.

A communication dated April 21, was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, requesting certification of the promotion list of Topographical Draftsman from which to promote Harry W. Decker, Jr., a Topographical Draftsman, to a salary of \$1,200 per annum. The request was denied, there being an employee on the preferred list of Topographical Draftsman, Grade C, suspended from the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond and eligible for appointment at \$1,200 per annum.

A communication dated April 19 was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, requesting approval of the payroll of William Taylor for service rendered as Storekeeper at Neponset Beach Hospital for six months in 1915, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum, which payroll the Commission had refused to approve at that time for the reason that three persons on the eligible list of Hospital Clerk had signified their willingness to accept appointment at Neponset Beach Hospital, at \$720 per annum. The request was denied.

A communication dated April 13, was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health relative to the employment of Martha L. Monte as Nurse. The Secretary was instructed to note the appointment of Miss Monte as Nurse, under the provisions of clause 11, of Rule XVIII, effective March 14, 1917, and to certify her payroll for services rendered when presented.

A communication dated April 17, was presented from the Board of Water Supply, requesting that the compensation fixed in the case of Arthur H. Blanchard serving as Expert Consulting Highway Engineer under the provisions of clause 6a of Rule XII, be increased to \$1,200. On motion, it was

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the limitation of compensation (\$750), fixed by clause 6a, of Rule XII, of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be and the same is hereby waived in so far as it applies to the employment of Arthur E. Blanchard, 411 W. 114th st., Manhattan, as Consulting Highway Engineer in the Board of Water Supply, and his total compensation for the year beginning June 6, 1916, is hereby fixed at an amount not to exceed \$1,200.

A communication dated April 18, was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Children's Court, requesting approval of the employment of J. L. Boyd as Furnace man in the Children's Court, Queens, from Jan. 1, 1917, to June 1, 1917, inclusive, at \$4 per week. The appointment was approved under clause 8 of Rule XII.

A communication dated April 14, was presented from the Chief Medical Officer of the Fire Department, stating that Michael Donohue, a candidate on the eligible list of Fireman, had been rejected for physical disability. The Secretary was instructed to arrange a medical re-examination of the candidate by the Commission's physicians.

A report, dated April 25, was presented from the Certification Clerk, submitting a statement of certifications of names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules. The certifications were approved, the additional names having been certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.

The declinations of appointment of the following named candidates from the eligible lists specified on account of illness, impracticability of leaving other employment, etc., were approved: Inspector of Public Works: Emil O. Kiessling, William Brewster, Felix E. Tallon, John B. Wild, Stenographer and Typewriter, Third Grade, preferred, George Smith, Marine Stoker, James G. Meers, Typewriting Copyist, Grade 2, Solomon Berl, Stenographer and Typewriter, Emetine Mills, Attendant, Morris Silverstein, Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, John Bailey, Institutional Inspector, Samuel J. Ortman, Playground and Gymnasium Attendant, Elizabeth Towns, H. Feldman, Flora I. Sheen, Laborer, Manhattan, William Ferber, Laborer, Brooklyn, George Brennan, Jr., Laboratory Assistant, Samuel W. Vernick, Mechanical Engineer, Grade E, William H. Doran, P. E. Reynolds, Clerk, Second Grade, Sara Wachman, Clerk, Second Grade (Temporary Preferred List), Edward F. McGuire, Laborer, Preferred, Manhattan, Richard Johnston.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified for the reasons previously set forth were also approved and the Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of their names until further notice: Marine Engineer, Lewis A. Vollert, Fireman, Uniformed Force, Michael Towey, Philip Barman, Arthur G. Whelan, Attendance Officer, Anna C. Murphy, Marine Stoker, James H. Dwyer, Inspector of Public Works, Grade 2, Preferred, John B. Wild, Laboratory Assistant, Chemical, Nathaniel H. Feldman, School Farm Attendant, Dorothy A. Murphy.

The requests of the following named candidates for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted, their failure to reply to notices regarding appointment, declinations of appointment, etc., having been satisfactorily explained to the Commission: Irene Turk, Laboratory Assistant Bacteriological Laboratory, Katherine E. Manning, Attendance Officer, William F. Reizi, Oiler, Preferred, William J. Doran, Laborer, Preferred, Brooklyn, Hyman Levine and Harry Ziegler, Bookkeeper, Third Grade, Robert C. Hatch, School Farm Attendant, Preferred, Herbert T. Lehmut, Playground and Gymnasium Attendant, William F. Seery, Asphalt Worker, Margaret McGill, Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade, for temporary appointment in Brooklyn, Frank France, Laborer, Brooklyn, Edward J. Murray, Fireman, Uniformed Force, William Farrell, Licensed Fireman, Preferred, Manhattan, Ernest Massa, Carpenter, Preferred, Hannah F. McGloin, Nurse, for temporary work, Reba Corsun, School Farm Attendant, Hyman Bard, Attendant, John J. Scanlon, Patrolman.

The request of F. M. Lins, 202 Prospect ave., New Brighton, S. I., that his name be restored to the preferred list of School Farm Attendant (Temporary), was denied, the period of her eligibility for certification from said list having terminated.

The declinations of appointment of the following named candidates from the eligible lists specified were disapproved and the Secretary was instructed to record them as ineligible for further certification therefrom:

Abraham Wolf, Typewriting Copyist, Second Grade, Nellie Kane, Cleaner, Manhattan, Benson Leister, Laboratory Assistant, Chemical, Anna L. Morris, Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the death of Alexander McIntyre, 30 Sixth ave., New Brighton, S. I., whose name appeared upon the eligible list of Carpenter, Part 4.

The appointment of Gustave A. Shoeman and John Finnegan in the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, from the preferred list of Carpenter on March 28, 1917, was approved under clause 4 of Rule XII, they having accepted appointment in the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, on March 31, 1917.

The Secretary was instructed to summon Thomas Curcio, 345 E. 105th st., Manhattan, before the Commission to show cause why his services as Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning should not be terminated, it appearing that he was under the minimum age prescribed at the time of filing his application for that position.

The following reports of departmental boards of examiners for positions in the non-competitive class were approved upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner: Department of Health, April 16, March 21, April 13 and April 14, Department of Public Charities, April 13, 14, 16 (2), 20 (2), 21 (3) and 24, Department of Education, April 21.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports (7) dated April 25, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated:

Clerk, Second Grade, Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Clerk, Third Grade, Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade, Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Engineer Inspector (Civil), Grade 4, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Assistant Clerk, Grade 3, office of the Coroners, Borough of Queens.

Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Engineer Inspector (Architectural), Grade C, Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

The following reports were presented from the Acting Chief Examiner:

Report dated April 24, recommending that the order for the examination for promotion to Stationary Engineer, Department of Docks and Ferries, be canceled, there being a large preferred list for the position.

Report dated April 25, recommending that the promotion list of Automobile Engineman, Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, be made a general list for the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx as requested by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Report dated April 24, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Inspector, Board of Water Supply, Grade 2, for all subdivisions of the Board of Water Supply, except the Reservoir Department, to be open to all Inspectors of Masonry, Grade 2, Rodmen and Transmitten serving not less than one year.

Report dated April 25, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Assistant Foreman, Grade 1, Department of Parks, Bronx, to be open to all Park Laborers, Climbers and Pruners and Drivers serving not less than three years and to all Gardeners serving not less than one year.

Report dated April 25, recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Bureau of Personal Service of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that an examination be ordered for promotion to Clerk, Second Grade, therein for the reasons stated in the report.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated April 18 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, relative to the proposed examination for the position of Lieutenant, Police Department. On motion an examination was ordered for promotion to the position of Lieutenant, Police Department, to be open to all Sergeants serving not less than two years as such on the date of the mental examination in accordance with section 288 of the Greater New York Charter, and the following subjects and weights recommended by the Acting Chief Examiner for use in the examination were adopted:

Subjects and Weights of Examination: Record and seniority, 50 per cent.; mental examination, 50 per cent.

Subjects and Weights of Mental Examination: 1. Administration, weight, 3; 2. Rules and regulations, 2; 3. Laws and Ordinances, 3; 4. Report, 2; total, 10.

Method of rating record and seniority: Beginning with date of appointment as Sergeant, 80 per cent. For each quarter of the first five years immediately preceding the date of the mental examination, add $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent., making for the five years previous to the examination, 90 per cent. For each quarter immediately preceding five years' service, add $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent., making at the end of ten years a total of 95 per cent.

Added points: Department medal of honor or honorable mention and medal, add 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.; honorable mention or exceptional merit, add 1 per cent.; commendation or commendable merit, add $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent.; excellent police duty or meritorious police service, add $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent.

Marksmanship—Candidates who qualify on the test in pistol shooting will receive additional points as follows: 96 to 120 points, add $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent.; 72 to but not including 96 points, add $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent.

Deducted points: For each day's fine after May 1, 1914, deduct $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent.; reprimands to count $\frac{1}{4}$ of one day's fine; fines previous to May 1, 1914, not to be considered.

Reports (A-528a and A-529-a), dated April 25, were presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, requesting permission to remain in the examination room of the Commission from the beginning to the close of the examinations for the positions of Electrician and Prison Keeper. On motion, it was

Resolved, That, under clause 4 of Regulation 3 of the regulations of the Commission, Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, be and he hereby is designated to be in charge of the examinations for Electrician and Prison Keeper, from the beginning to the close of said examinations, under the direction of the Acting Chief Examiner.

A report (R-49) dated April 24 was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, forwarding the application of Marjorie W. Eldridge for employment as Trained Nurse in the Department of Health, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII, stating that the candidate was not a graduate of a nurses' training school and submitting a statement of her experience. The application was rejected and the Secretary was instructed to direct the Commissioner of Health to terminate forthwith the services of Miss Eldridge.

A report (R-65) dated April 25, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, recommending that the Commission rescind its action on March 21, in directing the Commissioner of Health to terminate the services of Cecelia Foy as Trained Nurse in his department, she having been marked "Qualified" for such employment. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (Q-25) dated April 25, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, forwarding the application of Frank J. Kopf, 605 St. Johns pl., Brooklyn, for employment as Clerk, First Grade, in the Tenement House Department under clause 3 of Rule XII, and stating that the candidate was unable to obtain any employment certificate. The application was rejected and the Secretary was instructed to direct the Tenement House Commissioner to terminate forthwith the services of the said Frank J. Kopf.

A report (Q-38) dated April 24, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, forwarding the application of Harry Sherman, 167 E. 108th st., Manhattan, for employment as Clerk, First Grade, in the Department of Health, under the provision of clause 3, of Rule XII, and stating that the candidate was not a citizen of the United States. The application was rejected and the Secretary was instructed to direct the Commissioner of Health to terminate forthwith the services of the said Harry Sherman.

The following reports were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation:

Report dated April 24, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Caspian Hale, Jr., on the eligible list of Prison Keeper, be removed.

Report dated April 24, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Mathew J. Whelehan on the eligible list of Title Examiner, be removed.

The recommendations were adopted.

The following reports were presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records:

Reports (2) dated April 25, recommending that the service ratings of the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the periods ending Sept. 30 and Dec. 31, 1916, be accepted.

Report dated April 25, recommending that the service ratings of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Queens, for the periods ending Sept. 30 and Dec. 31, 1916, be accepted.

Report dated April 24, recommending that the service ratings submitted by the Commissioner of Accounts for the quarters ending June 30, Sept. 30 and Dec. 31, 1916, be accepted.

A communication dated April 19, was presented from the Department of Public Works, Manhattan, stating that the suspension of Nazareth Haronun, a Topographical Draftsman, was effective as of April 30, 1917, instead of April 15, 1917, as the Commission had been previously notified. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication dated April 12, was presented from the Department of Health, notifying the Commission of the restoration to a salary of \$1,800 per annum of Emanuel Goldstein, a Hospital Physician (Non-Competitive Class). The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

A communication dated March 26, was presented from Reuben Abrahamson, 507 Hopkinson ave., Brooklyn, requesting that his name be restored to the eligible list of P. Trohman. The request was denied.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, May 2, 1917, at 10.30 a. m.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for week ended June 2, 1917.

Plans Filed: For new buildings, 1; estimated cost, \$7,000. For alterations, 8; estimated cost, \$7,000. Unsafe cases filed, 5; violation cases filed, 45; unsafe notices issued, 18; violation notices issued, 60; complaints lodged with the bureau, 27; pieces of iron and steel inspected, 89.

ROBERT MOOREHEAD, Superintendent.

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Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.

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

Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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

P. J. Scully, Clerk.

President of the Board of Aldermen.

City Hall. Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt.

Frank L. Dowling, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.

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

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ART COMMISSION.

City Hall. Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.

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Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.

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Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.

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Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.

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368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 356 Melrose.

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Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

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Fisher, Albert E. Hadlock, Shepard A. Morgan,

Hubert L. Smith.

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Manhattan—Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140 Tremont.

Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.

Queens—5 Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 3386 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.

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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.

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Criminal Court Building. 9 a. m. to 5:15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin. Edward Swann, District Attorney.

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180 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth. Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.

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Hall of Records. Telephone, 3406 Worth. William M. Hees, Public Administrator.

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REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August. John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.

1 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth. New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st. Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. John P. Cohalan, 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, Room 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.

16 Court st. 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

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81 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main. Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main.

Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 2830 Main.

Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.

50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

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Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m.

Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

Civil Records—161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.

Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave.

James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.

Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.

Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.

Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBORS.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.

John A. Mason, Commissioner.

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1808 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.

SURROGATE.

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.; Saturday to 12:30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

County Judge's office always open at 335 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 JUBORS.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thorndike C. McKenney, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

162 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.

SURROGATE.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October.

Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.

Special Terms, without Jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

Surrogate's Court.

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

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.

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THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

City Hall Park. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term, Part I, opens at 9:45 a. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

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

Frank J. Goodwin, 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. 18th st. Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—1 E. 57th st.

Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.

Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 18th 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 st., Flatbush.

Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item per snow plow, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total, and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated, June 7, 1917. 1920

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, PARK BOARD, AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION AND HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Park Board and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2:30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1917. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEATS AND POULTRY.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1917, as stated in the schedule.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Sale of Tax Liens of the City of New York, for Unpaid Taxes, Water Rents and Assessments for Local Improvements upon Lands and Tenements Within That Part of the City of New York Now Known and Described as the Borough of Brooklyn, Affecting Property in Sections 14 to 25, Inclusive, as Shown on the Tax Map of Said City for Said Borough of Brooklyn, and Also for Unpaid Taxes on the Real Estate of Corporations and Taxes on the Special Franchises of Corporations Affecting Property of Certain Corporations and Individuals Within the Entire Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, as said lands and tenements are shown within Sections fourteen to twenty-five, inclusive, upon the Tax Map of said City for said Borough, on which any taxes or any assessment for local improvements have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, or on which any water rent has been imposed and become a lien and has remained due and unpaid for four years since the same was due and payable, and also corporations and individuals as owners of certain lands or certain special franchises within the entire Borough of Brooklyn, on which taxes on the real estate of corporations, or taxes on the special franchises of corporations have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, are required to pay the amount of said taxes, assessments and water rents, together with all unpaid taxes, water rents and assessments affecting such lands and tenements which became a lien and were due and payable prior to March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen (the taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements required to be paid, thus comprising all unpaid taxes and water rents affecting said properties contained in assessment rolls down to and including the assessment roll of the City of New York for the year nineteen hundred and fifteen and all assessments for local improvements affecting said properties confirmed and entered up to March fourth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, inclusive), with all penalties thereon remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate provided by law from the time the same became liens so as to be due and payable to the date of payment and the charges of this notice and advertisement to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Offerman Building, Nos. 503 and 505 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that if default be made in such payment the lien of the City of New York upon any of said lands and tenements for any tax, assessment or water rent which became a lien so as to be due and payable before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, will be sold at Public Auction in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Offerman Building, Nos. 503 and 505 Fulton st., Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1917.

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

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

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

Dated, New York, April 10, 1917.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

This notice applies to arrears as of March 15, 1916. a10,17,24,m1,8,15,22,29,j5,12,19,26,jy3,10,17,24

Notice of Continuation of Queens Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS FOR THE 5TH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, AS TO LIENS REMAINING UNPAID AT THE TERMINATION OF THE SALE OF AUG. 22, OCT. 10, DEC. 5, 1916, JAN. 23, 1917 AND MAY 15, 1917, HAS BEEN CONFINED TO

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1917.

at 10 a. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 3d floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. m31,j3,12,19,26,jy3,10,17,24

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS FOR THE 4TH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, AS TO LIENS REMAINING UNPAID AT THE TERMINATION OF THE SALES OF JUNE 27, AUG. 15, OCT. 10, DEC. 5, 1916, JAN. 23, MARCH 27 AND MAY 15, 1917, HAS BEEN CONTINUED TO

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1917.

at 10 a. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 3d floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. m31,j3,12,19,26,jy3,10,17,24

Corporation Sale of Structures and Appurtenances Thereto on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain structures standing upon property owned by the City of New York, formerly used for dock purposes, in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the platforms on piles, houses and houseboats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach, at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office

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 (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, Board of Trustees.

PARK BOARD, CABOT WARD, President; THOS. W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, and JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

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will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for Armory purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the building on the southerly side of Calyer st., 50 feet westerly from Cliford pl., in the Borough of Brooklyn, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held May 17, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1917,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—Two-story frame building, 116 Calyer st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 21st day of June, 1917, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or irregularities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened June 21, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 230 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 18, 1917. j2,21

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.

Jan. 1, 1914.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER TO THE MUNICIPAL SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The time for the performance of the contract is to-ty-five (45) 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 total amount of the bid.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SPURLEY, M. D., Secretary.

Dated, June 4, 1917. j4,15

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, Bronxville, and 3rd ave., until 10:30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1917.

NO. 1 FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS,

APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN E. 128TH ST., FROM BRONX PARK AVE. TO MORRIS PARK AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

130 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.

3,900 cubic yards of filling.

650 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

3,320 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

370 cubic yards dry rubble masonry.

1,000 feet B. M. timber.

700 linear feet new guard rail.

7 cubic yards of brick masonry.

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 Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

NO. 2, FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN GREYSTONE AVE., FROM W. 236TH ST. TO A POINT ABOUT 375 FEET NORTH OF W. 238TH ST.; WALDO AVE., FROM W. 236TH ST. TO W. 242ND ST. AND SPUTYEN DUVIL PARKWAY; W. 236TH ST., FROM WALDO AVE., TO RIVERDALE AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

3,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.

2,350 cubic yards of rock excavation.

31,400 cubic yards of filling.

5,200 linear feet new bluestone curb.

26,100 square feet two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

1,400 square feet of new bridgestone.

600 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

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

2,000 feet B. M. timber.

3,150 linear feet of new guard rail.

5 cubic yards of brick masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 200 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

NO. 3, FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN VAN CORTLANDT PARK SOUTH, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND THE EAST ABUTMENT OF THE PROPOSED BRIDGE OVER THE N. Y. & PUTNAM R. R., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

32 linear feet of triple sewer (9 feet 0 inches by 1 foot 6 inches, 7 feet 0 inches by 1 foot 6 inches, 18 inches diameter) through abutments.

51 linear feet of triple sewer (9 feet 0 inches by 1 foot 6 inches, 7 feet 0 inches by 1 foot 6 inches, 18 inches diameter) between abutments.

716 linear feet of single sewer (5 feet 6 inches by 5 feet 9 inches).

57 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15-inch.

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

50 spurs for house connections.

160 linear feet of risers.

7 manholes.

350 cubic yards of earth excavation for bridge abutments.

25 cubic yards of rock excavation.

5 cubic yards of Class A concrete.

525 cubic yards of Class B concrete for sewer.

225 cubic yards of Class B concrete for bridge abutments.

5 cubic yards of Class C concrete.

110,000 pounds of structural steel (furnished by New York Central Railroad Company) to be placed in bridge abutments.

20,000 pounds of new structural steel to be furnished by contractor and placed in bridge abutments.

8,500 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.

10,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber sheeting.

7,000 linear feet of piles for sewer.

4,500 linear feet of piles for bridge abutments.

1 west chamber.

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The estimate of quantities in the structures shown on the plan as "Proposed Bridge Abutments" is as follows:

350 cubic yards of earth excavation for bridge abutments.

225 cubic yards of Class B concrete for bridge abutments.

110,000 pounds of structural steel (furnished by New York Central Railroad Company) to be placed in bridge abutments.

20,000 pounds of new structural steel to be furnished by contractor and placed in bridge abutments.

3,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.

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

4,500 linear feet of piles for bridge abutments.

These quantities are included in the Engineer's estimate above. The City reserves the right to omit all or part of these items from this contract.

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 Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

NO. 4, FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN HARLEM RIVER TERRACE, FROM WEST FORDHAM RD. TO A POINT ABOUT 735 FEET SOUTH OF WEST FORDHAM RD.; CEDAR AVE., FROM A POINT ABOUT 150 FEET NORTH OF WEST FORDHAM RD. TO A POINT ABOUT 735 FEET SOUTH OF WEST FORDHAM RD., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

269 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 18-inch.

1,050 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15-inch.

517 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.

50 linear feet of basin connections.

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

191 spurs for house connections.

20 manholes.

2 receiving basins, Type B.

400 cubic yards of rock excavation.

115 cubic yards of Class C concrete.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber sheeting.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 100 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Fifty-five Hundred Dollars (\$5,500).

NO. 5, FOR PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF VAN NEST AVE., FROM HUNT AVE. (CRUGER AVE.) TO BRONXDALE AVE., ADJUSTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO (PRELIMINARY PAVING).

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

5,950 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

800 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

3,300 linear feet of curbstone, adjusted.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Technical, 5; 75 per cent. required. Experience, 3; 70 per cent. required. Mathematics, 2; 70 per cent. general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties—To perform engineering work in connection with power or heating plants, the mechanical equipment of buildings or the design of machinery.

Requirements—Candidates must have had not less than two years' experience in the design, construction and operation of power plants; or in the design, installation or supervision of the mechanical equipment of public buildings or in mechanical engineering as applied to factory operation or management; or in machine design or similar experience. Suitable credit will be given to graduates of technical schools of recognized standing.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

Salary from \$1,800 to, but not including, \$2,400 per annum.

There is one vacancy in the Office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$1,800 per annum.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m29,113 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

ARMORY BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Mayor, City Hall, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917,

FOR THE FOLLOWING FOR THE NEW 8TH COAST DEFENSE COMMAND ARMORY, JEROME AVE. AND KINGSBRIDGE RD., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Item 1-C. Standard furniture. Time allowed for completing the work, 90 consecutive working days. Security, \$10,000. Deposit to accompany bid, \$500.

Item 1-B. Wood desks, cases, shelves, etc. Time allowed for completing the work, 90 consecutive working days. Security, \$5,000. Deposit to accompany bid, \$250.

Item No. 4. Kitchen and Mess Hall equipment. Time allowed for completing the work, 90 consecutive working days. Security, \$3,000. Deposit to accompany bid, \$150.

Item No. 8. Lighting fixtures. Time allowed for completing the work, 60 consecutive working days. Security, \$8,000. Deposit to accompany bid, \$400.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Armory Board, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD: JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, the Board of Aldermen; WILLIAM A. FRENDERCAST, Comptroller; JOHN H. FOOTE, Brigadier-General, 2nd Brigade; E. F. AUSTIN, Colonel, C. A. C.; TWO SENIOR RANKING OFFICERS, or below the Grade of Brigadier-General; R. P. FORSHAW, Commodore, Commanding N. M., N. Y.; LAWSON, Purvey, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Dated, May 25, 1917. m28,j12

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at Queens Subway Building, Hunterspoint and Van Alst Aves., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1917,

NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HANCOCK ST., FROM NOITT AVE. TO 14TH ST., AND IN 13TH ST. AND 14TH ST., FROM HANCOCK ST. TO THE BOULEVARD, FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

304 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
915 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
10 manholes, complete.
1 basin manhole, complete.
2 inlets, complete.

30 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe basin connection.

30 linear feet 10-inch vitrified pipe basin connection.

15 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

56 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

336 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

10 cubic yards rock excavation.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required will be Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,900).

NO. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CHAUNCY ST., FROM WOOLSEY AVE. TO POTTER AVE., FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

446 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
450 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

6 manholes, complete.

67 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

16 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100).

NO. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN REVIEW AVE., FROM GREENPOINT AVE. TO HOWARD ST., AND IN HOWARD ST. FROM REVIEW AVE. TO STARR AVE., FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

235 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
398 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
6 manholes, complete.

15 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

13 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

169 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$950).

NO. 4. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN PACKARD ST. FROM GREENPOINT AVE. TO QUEENS BOULEVARD, FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

353 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
3 manholes, complete.

30 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
16 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

NO. 5. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN PROSPECT AVE. FROM WOODBINE ST. TO LINDEN ST., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

262 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
479 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
6 manholes, complete.

2 basins manholes, complete.

4 inlets, complete.

70 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe basin connections.

60 linear feet 10-inch vitrified pipe basin connections.

17 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

32 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

224 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

NO. 6. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN HAYES AVE. FROM 51ST ST. TO 40TH ST., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

Type "A," or Sewer Department Standard.

457 linear feet 4-foot reinforced concrete sewer.

782 linear feet 3-foot 9-inch plain concrete sewer.

250 linear feet 3-foot 3-inch plain concrete sewer.

250 linear feet 2-foot 6-inch plain concrete sewer.

286 linear feet 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

285 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

442 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

20 manholes, complete.

13 basin manholes, complete.

23 inlets, complete.

580 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe basin connection.

345 linear feet 10-inch vitrified pipe basin connection.

129 six-inch spurs, 24 inches long, on concrete sewers.

21 six-inch spurs on 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

9 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

31 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

1,978 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe house connection drains.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 51st st., complete.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 49th st., complete.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 47th st., complete.

Type "B,"

457 linear feet 4-foot 0-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer (Precast Type B).

782 linear feet 3-foot 9-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer (Precast Type B).

250 linear feet 3-foot 3-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer (Precast Type B).

250 linear feet 2-foot 6-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer (Precast Type B).

286 linear feet 24-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

285 linear feet 18-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

442 linear feet 12-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

20 manholes, complete.

13 basin manholes, complete.

23 inlets, complete.

580 linear feet 12-inch reinforced concrete pipe basin connection.

345 linear feet 10-inch reinforced concrete pipe basin connection.

129 six-inch spurs, 24 inches long, on concrete sewers.

21 six-inch spurs on 24-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

9 six-inch spurs on 18-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

31 six-inch spurs on 12-inch reinforced concrete pipe sewer.

1,978 linear feet 6-inch reinforced concrete pipe house connection drains.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 51st st., complete.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 49th st., complete.

1 chamber at Hayes ave. and 47th st., complete.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

NO. 7. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN 50TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO THE CROWN ABOUT 460 FEET NORTH OF JACKSON AVE.; 49TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 48TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 47TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 46TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 45TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 44TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 43RD ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 42ND ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 41ST ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 40TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 39TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 38TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 37TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 36TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 35TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 34TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 33RD ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 32ND ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 31ST ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 30TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 29TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 28TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 27TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 26TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 25TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 24TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 23RD ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 22ND ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 21ST ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 20TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 19TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 18TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 17TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 16TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 15TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 14TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 13TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 12TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 11TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 10TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 9TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 8TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 7TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 6TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 5TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 4TH ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 3RD ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 2ND ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.; 1ST ST. FROM HAYES AVE. TO BURNSIDE AVE.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350).

NO. 8. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN FERRIS ST. FROM FERRY ST. TO YARMOUTH ST., FOURTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN PURVES ST., FROM JACKSON AVE. TO THOMSON AVE., FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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

1,300 cubic yards earth excavation.

40 linear feet old curb redressed and reset in sand (not to be bid for).

1,000 linear feet of cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

100 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

450 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retrimmed and relaid.

4,500 square feet of cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

5 cubic yards of concrete.

1 curved chamber rebuilt.

2 sewer manholes adjusted (not to be bid for).

6 square yards asphalt block pavement (under maintenance) to be relaid (not to be bid for), including concrete foundation and mortar bed.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 12TH AVE. FROM WILSON AVE. TO VANDIVER AVE., FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

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

3,000 cubic yards earth excavation.

20 cubic yards rock excavation.

10 linear feet old cement curb reset.

2,000 linear feet of cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

11,700 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

5 cubic yards concrete.

Incidental Work to Be Bid For.

50 linear feet bluestone curb to be reset in sand.

50 linear feet concrete curb to be reset.

30 square feet bluestone flag to be relayed.

8 sewer manholes to be adjusted.

5 square yards asphalt block pavement, including 6-inch concrete foundation, mortar bed and sand joints to relay.

2 trees to be removed and replaced by 1 Norway maple.

NO. 3. FOR RECURBING FROM HALSEY ST. TO A LINE ABOUT 157.75 FEET SOUTH-EAST OF CODY ST., FOR CURBING FROM ABOVE LINE TO COOPER AVE., AND FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FROM HALSEY ST. TO COOPER AVE., IN WYCKOFF AVE. ALSO FOR REGULATING AND CURVING THE SIDEWALK SPACES, RELAYING FLAG AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE NORTHEASTERLY SIDE, FROM NORMAN ST. TO A LINE ABOUT 157.75 FEET SOUTHEAST OF CODY ST., IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, ALSO FOR REGULATING AND RELAVING ON THE SOUTHWESTERLY SIDE, FROM COVERT ST. TO COOPER AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER, ALL IN THE SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

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

400 cubic yards earth excavation.

550 cubic yards embankment in excess of excavation.

800 linear feet cement curb reset.

1,500 linear feet cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

2,150 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

6,450 square feet old flagstone sidewalk retrimmed and relaid.

2,750 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

1,010 cubic yards concrete in place.

6,100 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) years' maintenance.

200 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe in place.

2 catch basins adjusted.

6 new catch basins (Bureau of Highways).

1 sewer manhole rebuilt.

15 square yards stone block pavement to be laid, including sand bed and cement grouted joints.

20 square yards stone block pavement relaid, including sand bed and cement grouted joints.

3,300 square yards of old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

12 manholes to be raised to grade (not to be bid for).

10 trees to be removed and replaced with 6 Norway Maples (not to be bid for).

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING FOR A WIDTH OF 60 FEET CENTRALLY LOCATED, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN KINGSLAND AVE. FROM LUVDIG (IRVING) PL. TO 51ST ST. (CENTRAL AVE.), SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

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

4,500 cubic yards earth excavation.

5 cubic yards rock excavation.

50 linear feet old bluestone curb reset in sand.

50 linear feet old granite curb, redressed and reset in sand.

4,900 linear feet cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

27,103 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

1,000 square feet new crosswalks.

50 square yards stone block gutters relaid.

150 linear feet 12-inch cast iron pipe relaid.

3 catch basins to be rebuilt (Standard, Bureau of Sewers).

6 basins and drains to be adjusted (not to be bid for).

500 square yards stone block pavement relaid.

81 trees to be removed and replaced with 81 Norway Maple trees (not to be bid for).

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FAIRVIEW AVE. FROM STANHOPE ST. TO GREENE AVE., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing

the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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

450 cubic yards earth excavation.

1,250 linear feet new bluestone curb set in sand.

200 linear feet old curb redressed and rejointed and reset in sand.

30 linear feet cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

200 square feet old flagstone sidewalk retrimmed and relaid.

7,200 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

15 square yards vitrified block pavement to be relaid (not to be bid for).

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING (WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN MCPHERSON ST. FROM CORNELIA ST. TO CATALPA (ELM) AVE., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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

1,550 cubic yards earth excavation.

1,390 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

3,500 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

5 cubic yards concrete.

13 trees to be removed and replaced with 11 new Norway Maple trees (not to be bid for).

NO. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK AND GUTTER SPACES WITHIN THE LINES TO WHICH DEDICATION HAS BEEN SHOWN, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 40TH (CLINTON) ST. FROM COE PL. (FOREST ST.) TO A PROPERTY LINE ABOUT 303 FEET SOUTHEASTERLY THEREFROM, SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

150 cubic yards earth excavation.

650 linear feet cement curb with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

3,150 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

7 trees to be removed and replaced by 6 Norway Maple trees (not to be bid for).

3 trees to be replanted (not to be bid for).

NO. 8. FOR REGULATING, CURBING WHERE NECESSARY, AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN VAN CORTLANDT AVE. FROM MYRTLE AVE. TO ANTHONY AVE., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

30 linear feet new bluestone curb set in concrete.

10 linear feet old curb redressed and reset in concrete.

300 linear feet cement curb, and one (1) year's maintenance.

100 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

225 cubic yards concrete in place.

1,100 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course and five (5) years' maintenance.

100 square yards granite block pavement furnished and laid, including sand bed and cement grouted joints.

25 square yards granite block pavement relaid, including sand bed and cement grouted joints.

1 basin remodeled into standard basin man-hole.

2 basin inlets complete.

100 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified pipe in place.

2 sewer manholes to be adjusted (not to be bid for).

1 basin inlet adjusted.

NO. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK AND GUTTER SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NECESSARY), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 78TH ST. (SNEDEKER AVE.) ON THE EAST SIDE, FROM JAMAICA AVE. TO ROCKAWAY BOULEVARD, AND ON THE WEST SIDE, FROM 88TH AVE. (SYOSSET ST.) TO ROCKAWAY BOULEVARD, FOURTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

1,250 cubic yards earth excavation.

14,250 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

1,150 square feet new crosswalks.

5 cubic yards concrete.

3 trees to be replanted.

37 trees to be removed and replaced with 33 Norway Maple trees.

250 linear feet bluestone curb to be reset.

25 linear feet concrete curb to be reset.

4 street sign posts to be reset.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. The blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Room 120, Broadway, Bureau of Highways, Room 59, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

18,20 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FROM MAY 16 TO OCT. 15, 1917, INCLUSIVE, AND FURNISHING AND OPERATING THE NECESSARY DUMPS, SCOWS, TUGS, TOOLS, APPLIANCES AND LABOR THEREFOR.

The amount of security required will be Forty-five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

Bidder will state a lump sum for the above contract, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, June 9, 1917.

19,20 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

Room 4—One 17 feet 8 inches in length and 3 feet in height.
 Room 5—One 11 feet 10 inches in length and 3 feet in height.
 Room 6—One 17 feet in length and 3 feet in height.
 Room 7—One 12 feet 8 inches in length and 3 feet in height.
 Room 8—One 18 feet 3 inches in length and 3 feet in height.

Lots 1 and 2 will be sold separately to the highest bidder for each lot.

The removals of articles included in the above mentioned lots, viz., Nos. 1 and 2, shall be made at such time within ten (10) days from the date of sale, as shall be directed by this department. A representative of the Department of Education must be present to witness said removals.

Cash payment must be made at the time and place of sale by the successful bidder for each lot, in addition to submitting a cash deposit of Ten (\$10) Dollars on each lot to secure the prompt removal within the time specified. Said deposit to be returned to the purchaser upon the satisfactory completion of the work.

No dismantling of materials will be allowed in building; articles are to be removed in their present condition.

Parties purchasing the above mentioned furniture will obtain from the representative of the Department of Education at the time of purchase, removal blanks, which are to be presented to the janitor of the building as his authority to allow removals to be made.

The City will not be responsible for loss or damage of said materials between time of sale and time of removal.

All property will be sold "as is," and if the purchaser at said sale shall fail to remove the same within ten (10) days from the date of sale, the said purchaser will be deemed to have abandoned the property and to have forfeited all claims to ownership thereof, and the above deposit of \$10 a lot, together with the purchase money paid at the sale, shall become the property of The City of New York by way of liquidated damages, and the Department of Education shall have the right to resell the property for the benefit of the City and to retain the proceeds of such resale.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject bids on any or all lots and return to such bidders, within five (5) days from date of sale, the money paid on such bids if the Board should deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 12, 1917.

AND E. 22ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and ninety (190) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Borough of Queens.

FOR IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITION, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 59, UNIVERSITY PL. AND ROCKAWAY RD., WOODHAVEN, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 62, PORTLAND AVE., NEAR JEROME AVE., WOODHAVEN, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 500; P. S. 62, \$1,000.

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, and also at 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 6, 1917.

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

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS; ITEM 2, INSTALLING TEMPERATURE REGULATION; AND ITEM 3, INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATOR EQUIPMENT, IN THE MANHATTAN TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, ON THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LEXINGTON AVE. AND E. 22ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the work of each item will be one hundred and forty (140) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, \$30,000; Item 2, \$2,000; Item 3, \$8,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each item, and award will be made thereon.

Note—The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to the printed addenda that has been inserted in the specifications, which calls for Alternate Bids "A" and "B" on Item 1.

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, June 6, 1917.

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MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1917,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS; AND ITEM 2, INSTALLING TEMPERATURE REGULATION, IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 66, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF WILSON ST., 80 FEET EAST OF BEDFORD AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be one hundred and forty (140) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, \$8,000; Item 2, \$800.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each item 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, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 6, 1917.

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, JUNE 18, 1917,

Various Boroughs.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR USE OF MECHANICS (HEATING DIVISION—BUILDING BUREAU) IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of December, 1917.

The amount of security required will be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of award.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) per cent. of the amount of the total aggregate cost of all items bid upon.

In case the aggregate cost of all items awarded to any one contractor is less than One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, no bond or contract will be necessary for such contractor.

Only one bid will be received from a bidder for each item.

The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to pages 1, 2 and 3 of the printed proposal for bids.

Award of contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of bids.

Bidders must be prepared to submit duplicate samples upon demand.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item or class of items where indicated, whose sample is equal to the sample of the Board of Education, or referred to by catalog number.

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

Blank forms, specifications and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, 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, June 6, 1917.

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, JUNE 18, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN THE MANHATTAN TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, ON THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LEXINGTON AVE.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated, June 12, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

j12,22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE

meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 4),

the Board continued to June 22, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by closing and discontinuing Exterior street between East 11th street and East 119th street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated January 16, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place to be published in the *City Record* for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 22nd day of June, 1917.

Dated, June 9, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

j19,20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by East 174th street, Vyse avenue, Boston road, East 179th street and its prolongation, Bronx River, East 177th street, West Farms road, East 176th street and Longfellow avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

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

j11,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE

meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 2),

the Board continued to June 15, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grades of Chambers street from Broadway to Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated November 29, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 15, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated, New York, June 11, 1917.

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

j12,22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by East 174th street, Vyse avenue, Boston road, East 179th street and its prolongation, Bronx River, East 177th street, West Farms road, East 176th street and Longfellow avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 23, 1917 (Cal. No. 116), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by East 174th street, Vyse avenue, Boston road, East 179th street and its prolongation, Bronx River, East 177th street, West Farms road, East 176th street and Longfellow 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 October 31, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place to be published in the *City Record* for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 22nd day of June, 1917.

Dated, June 9, 1917.

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

j19,20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades for Union Hall street from South street to Brinckerhoff avenue, and to change the lines of South street from Union Hall street to New York avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 25, 1917 (Cal. No. 117), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for Union Hall street from South street to Brinckerhoff avenue; and by changing the lines of South street from Union Hall street to New York 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 September 27, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 22, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

ured at right angles; thence southerly on said line parallel to Columbus avenue to the northwesterly side of West 60th street; thence westerly on the northerly side of West 60th street to its intersection with a line parallel to Columbus avenue and 100 feet westerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence northerly on said line parallel to Columbus avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to West 63rd street and 100 feet southerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence westerly on said line parallel to West 63rd street to the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly on said easterly side of Amsterdam avenue to the point of beginning; except such areas within the above described area as are governed by the use district designation in Broadway according to use district designation rule "i," and including such additional areas as are governed by the use district designation as now determined in those parts of Columbus avenue and West 63rd street within the above described area according to said rule "i," as shown upon a map bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Committee on City Plan, and dated April 18, 1917.

Dated, June 9, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j9,20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on May 25, 1917 (Cal. No. 145) the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby fixes Friday, June 22, 1917 at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as the time and place for a public hearing on a proposed amendment to Use District Map, Section No. 8, so as to include within a business district the areas on both sides of Park avenue with 100 feet thereof, between a line parallel to East 60th street and 100 feet southerly therefrom, measured at right angles, and a line parallel to East 58th street and 100 feet northerly therefrom, measured at right angles to said street, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated, June 9, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j9,20

Public Hearing.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following resolution was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting of said Board held on Friday, May 25, 1917 (Cal. No. 148):

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby fixes Friday, June 15, 1917 at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place for a public hearing on a proposed amendment to Area District Map Section No. 21 so as to include in an A district the area bounded as follows: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Wright street and Van Duzer street; thence northerly on the easterly line of Van Duzer street to the easterly side of Bay street; thence southerly on the easterly side of Bay street to the northerly line of Broad street; thence westerly on the northerly line of Broad street to the easterly side of Brook street; thence northerly on the easterly line of Brook street to the northerly line of Wright street; thence westerly on the northerly line of Wright street to the point of beginning, Borough of Richmond.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 1356, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j1,12

Notices of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held April 20, 1917, the following petition was received:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment: Gentlemen—The Seaboard Refrigeration Company hereby makes application for a modification of its franchise, dated June 22, 1906, as heretofore modified, by extending the time for the completion of the conduit line authorized by said contract from May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1920.

SEABOARD REFRIGERATION CO., by CHAS. E. BOOTH, President, City and County of New York, ss:

Charles E. Booth, being duly sworn, says that he is President of the Seaboard Refrigeration Company, the petitioner above named, and that he has read and knows the contents of the foregoing petition, and that the same is true to his own knowledge.

CHAS. E. BOOTH, Notary Public, New York County, (Seal).

— and at the meeting of May 18, 1917, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the Seaboard Refrigeration Company was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held April 20, 1917.

Resolved, That in pursuance of law this Board sets Friday, the fifteenth day of June, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and it is further

Resolved, That the petition and these resolutions be published for at least twice in daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

(The Brooklyn Daily Eagle and the Brooklyn Times designated.)

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

New York, May 18, 1917. j4,15

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting resolutions adopted by said Commission as to the route and general plan of construction for an additional rapid transit railway in the Borough of Brooklyn, known as "Astoria Place Connection" and requesting the approval and consent of this Board thereto, which consideration was by resolution adopted February 23, 1917, fixed for March 2, 1917, and then continued until March 23, 1917, and then continued until April 20, 1917, and then continued until May 18, 1917, was continued until Friday, June 15, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all those interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

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

Dated, New York, May 18, 1917. m21,j15

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

Notice.

PUESSANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1573 of the Greater New York Charter, the following rules adopted by the Examining Board of Plumbers at a meeting held the 18th

day of May, 1917, are hereby published in the CITY RECORD:

The Board will be glad to receive from persons interested any suggestions as to changes in these rules. JOSEPH H. JASPER, Chairman.

I.

Persons applying for examination for certificates to engage in the business of master or employing plumber shall, before being examined, file with the Board an application on such forms as may be prescribed by the Board, and shall furnish to the Board such information as it may require concerning the applicant's fitness and qualifications to receive a certificate as aforesaid. All applications must be under oath.

Each applicant shall be required to furnish two or more vouchers who shall appear before the Board and sign under oath on forms prescribed by the Board certifying to the time the applicant has been employed by them as journeyman plumber.

The names of all applicants and their vouchers shall be published in the CITY RECORD for four successive Mondays prior to an applicant's examination.

The Board may refuse to admit to examinations persons who do not show that they are qualified to engage in or to conduct the business of master or employing plumber.

II.

No person shall be examined unless he shall have had an experience of at least three years as a journeyman plumber, and is able to furnish satisfactory evidence of such fact.

No person shall be examined who is at the time of taking such examination not a citizen of the United States.

III.

All applicants shall be required to submit to a practical test of their skill as a journeyman, and no person shall be given a certificate unless by such test he shows proper skill as a journeyman, except that where the applicant, by reason of physical disability or infirmity, is not able to perform such test the Board may waive such test and shall enter a record of such waiver upon its minutes.

IV.

Persons who possess the preliminary requisites and shall have passed the tests as prescribed by the Board as to their skill and fitness shall be eligible to receive a certificate of competency as master or employing plumber.

V.

The examinations as to fitness and qualifications of the applicant to engage in the business or calling of master or employing plumber shall be conducted in English and shall be in writing, and shall include the drawing of plans of plumbing work.

VI.

The time and place of holding examinations shall be left to the discretion of the Board. Adequate notice shall be given to applicants.

VII.

All examination papers and all records relating to the examination of applicants shall be open to public inspection under such office restrictions as the Board may from time to time establish.

VIII.

All examinations or tests conducted by the Board shall at all times be public under such reasonable restrictions as the Board may from time to time establish.

IX.

An applicant who fails in either test will not be eligible for re-examination until the expiration of six months.

X.

Before issuing a certificate to engage in the business of master or employing plumber the Board shall inquire into the applicant's fitness and qualifications for conducting such business, and may require the applicant to submit under oath such evidence, in addition to the examinations and tests hereinbefore provided, as will satisfy the Board that he is a person of good repute, character and responsibility, and otherwise qualified to engage in business as a master or employing plumber.

The Board may accept as evidence of the applicant's business responsibility a bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, which bond shall run to the City of New York, to the Examining Board of Plumbers and to any resident for whom plumbing work is done by the applicant in case a certificate is issued to him, and shall be conditioned upon the observance of the lawful rules and regulations regarding plumbing and drainage in the City of New York and compliance with the rules of the Board. Where such bond is accepted the Board may issue a certificate noting thereon that the person granted the certificate has filed such bond.

XI.

Each applicant for examination shall pay the sum of Five Dollars, and the further sum of Five Dollars plus the amount for revenue, stamp tax, or both, upon the issuance of a certificate to engage in the business of master or employing plumber.

Where an applicant has paid the first Five Dollars for examination, and failed, for each subsequent examination he shall pay an amount to be fixed by the Board, not to exceed Five Dollars.

XII.

In case a certificate of competency is lost by the holder thereof, the Board may issue a duplicate where such original certificate was issued during the term of office of all the members of the Board in office when such duplicate certificate is requested. In other cases the Board shall issue a certificate of record stating that the records of this office show that a certificate was issued to a specific person.

The charge for such duplicate certificate or for a certificate of record shall be Two Dollars. m22,29,j5,12

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Notice of Public Hearing.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 372 of the Laws of 1907 will hold a public hearing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, June 28, 1917, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, relative to the proposed new plan for the improvement of the water front and harbor of the City of New York between Canal street and Harrison street, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law June 6, 1917, and transmitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for approval.

The proposed New Plan consists in:

First—The establishing of a bulkhead line described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of the pier at the foot of Canal st., Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, distant five hundred (500) feet east of the easterly side of Front st., said point being the point of intersection of the bulkhead line adopted by the Commissioner of Docks Jan. 21, 1916, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund March 16, 1916, with the southerly side of said pier; thence southerly and in prolongation of the aforesaid bulkhead line to a point in same where the same is intersected by the easterly prolongation of the southerly side of Canal st.; thence westerly and along the easterly prolongation of the southerly

side of Canal st. to a point in same where the same is intersected by a line drawn parallel with the easterly side of Front st. and distant 150 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly and along a line parallel with and distant 150 feet east of the easterly side of Front st. and the southerly prolongation thereof to a point in same where the same is intersected by the easterly prolongation of the northerly side of Harrison st.

Second—The establishing of a marginal street, wharf or place 150 feet in width, inshore of the bulkhead line, described above and extending from the easterly prolongation of the northerly side of Harrison st. northerly to the southerly side of Canal st.

Third—The establishing of one pier 125 feet in width, the northerly side of which is distant 220 feet, measured along the established pierhead line, south of the pier at the foot of Canal st., as shown on the New Plan for improving the waterfront, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks Jan. 21, 1916, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund March 16, 1916, and 370 feet measured along the proposed bulkhead line described above, south of the southerly side of Canal st.

Dated, New York, June 7, 1917.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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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

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1917.

FOR ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING TWENTY-SIX (26) FLAG POLES UPON VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified.

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.

Dated, June 8, 1917.

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**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

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917.

NO. 1. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE PINE ST. FROM BROADWAY TO NASSAU ST. WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 4—1 new water manhole head and cover, complete.

Item 5—150 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 6—10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 7—30 linear feet temporary header.

Item 8—2 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 9—530 cubic yards concrete.

Item 10—2,670 square yards sheet asphalt pavement and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 11—20 square yards asphalt pavement in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE THE ROADWAY OF MACDOUGAL ST. FROM WAVERLY PL. TO 8TH ST. WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT, WITHOUT BINDER, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1—2 new manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2

Item 1-10 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole rings.

Item 4-3 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-590 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 6-2,270 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 7-80 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8-900 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-400 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 10-530 linear feet platform flag cut to line.

Item 12-60 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-1,350 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17-6,940 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, without binder, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid, shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 8. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE THE ROADWAY OF 48TH ST., FROM MADISON AVE. TO 7TH AVE., WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-10 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4-3 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-590 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 6-2,270 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 7-80 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8-900 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-400 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 10-530 linear feet platform flag cut to line.

Item 12-60 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-1,350 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17-6,940 square yards sheet asphalt pavement and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid, shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 9. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE 57TH ST., FROM 3RD AVE. TO PARK AVE., WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-4 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4-4 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-50 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 6-1,600 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 8-10 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-100 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12-10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-700 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17-3,670 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-20 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid, shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 10. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE THE ROADWAY OF LENOX AVE., FROM 135TH ST. TO 145TH ST., FROM CURB TO RAIL, WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-16 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-6 new sewer manhole covers.

Item 3-6 new sewer manhole rings.

Item 4-16 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-1,700 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 7-520 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8-3,170 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-840 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12-10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-3,620 cubic yards concrete.

Item 16-200 cubic yards concrete in railroad area.

Item 17-16,070 square yards sheet asphalt pavement outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-260 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

Item 19-980 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, without binder, outside of railroad area.

Item 20-4,000 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, without binder, outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 21-250 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, without binder, in railroad area.

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

The amount of security required will be \$15,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 11. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE MONROE ST., FROM MARKET ST. TO CATHERINE ST., WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-3 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4-1 new water manhole head and cover, complete.

Item 5-1,070 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 7-20 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8-200 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12-50 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-370 cubic yards concrete.

Item 20-1,860 square yards wood block pavement and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 12. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE THE ROADWAY OF MACDOUGAL ST., FROM WAVERLY PL. TO 8TH ST., WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-2 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4-3 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-50 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 6-2,270 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 7-80 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8-900 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-400 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 10-530 linear feet platform flag cut to line.

Item 12-60 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-1,350 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17-6,940 square yards sheet asphalt pavement and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 13. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE 57TH ST., FROM 3RD AVE. TO PARK AVE., WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-4 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3-1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4-4 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5-50 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 6-1,600 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 8-10 linear feet old curb.

Item 9-100 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12-10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13-10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15-700 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17-3,670 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18-20 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 14. TO REGULATE AND REPAVE THE ROADWAY OF LEXON AVE., FROM 135TH ST. TO 145TH ST., FROM CURB TO RAIL, WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND DO ALL NECESSARY WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1-16 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2-6 new sewer manhole covers.

Item 3-6 new sewer manhole rings.

Hazen street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right $121^{\circ} 01' 04''$, for 2,262.96 feet along the westerly line of Hazen street to the southerly line of Winthrop avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 54.00 feet along the southerly line of Winthrop avenue to the easterly boundary line of Winthrop avenue, as acquired by the City of New York; thence northerly, deflecting to the left $100^{\circ} 02' 52''$, for 23.98 feet along the easterly boundary line of Winthrop avenue, as acquired by the City of New York; thence northerly, deflecting to the right $3^{\circ} 25' 30''$ for 56.78 feet along the easterly boundary line of Winthrop avenue, as acquired by the City of New York, to the northerly line of Winthrop avenue; thence westerly, deflecting to the left $83^{\circ} 22' 38''$, for 43.27 feet along the northerly line of Winthrop avenue to the westerly line of Hazen street; thence northerly for 1,775.15 feet along the westerly line of Hazen street to the southerly line of Berrian avenue—the point or place of beginning.

The property affected by the above proceeding is located in Blocks No. 1134 to 1139, inclusive; 1150 to 1156, inclusive; 1160, 1161, 1164, 1165, of the Land Map of the City of New York, Borough of Queens.

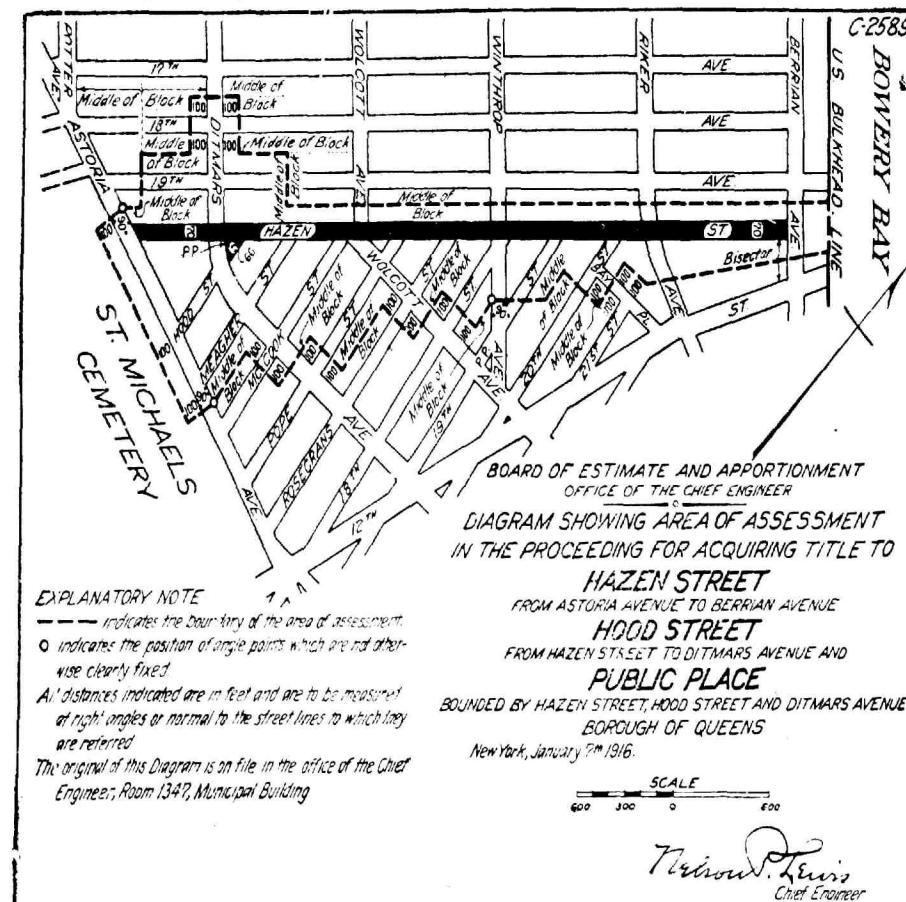
Hazen street, extending from Astoria avenue to

Berrian avenue; Hood street, extending from Hazen street to Ditmars avenue, and the Public Park bounded by Hazen street, Hood street and Ditmars avenue, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York, is laid down upon the following Sections of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens:

Section No. 5—Approved by the Board of Estimate and apportionment, Oct. 31, 1912; approved by Mayor, Nov. 11, 1912; filed at Queens Borough President's Office, May 3, 1913; filed at Queens County Clerk's Office, May 1, 1913; filed at Corporation Counsel's Office, April 30, 1913.

Section No. 6—Approved by Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 27, 1912; approved by Mayor, July 8, 1912; filed at Queens Borough President's Office, May 3, 1913; filed at Queens County Clerk's Office, May 1, 1913; filed at Corporation Counsel's Office, April 30, 1913.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 18th day of February, 1916, determined that 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, June 4, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Mu-

nicipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, j4,14

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 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 THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State

of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, 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 21st day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, May 15, 1917.

THOMAS F. DOYLE, HERMAN KNOBLOCH, GEORGE MANN, Commissioners of Estimate; HERMAN KNOBLOCH, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk, j8,19

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

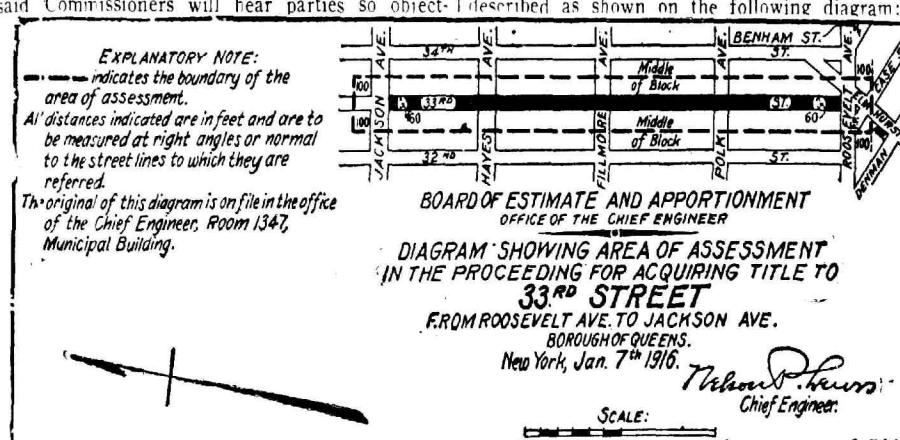
In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THIRTY-THIRD STREET from Jackson avenue to Roosevelt avenue, in the 2nd 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 of 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 no 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 22nd day of June, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will bear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their office on the 26th day of June, 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 22nd day of June, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his office on the 26th day of June, 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 18th day of February, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described 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 25th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, May 28, 1917.

WM. A. DEGROOT Chairman; LEONARD A. BARTHEL, DAVID O'GIGGINS, Commissioners of Estimate; WM. A. DEGROOT, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk, j2,19

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

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to con-

firm the same 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 10th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of September, 1917.

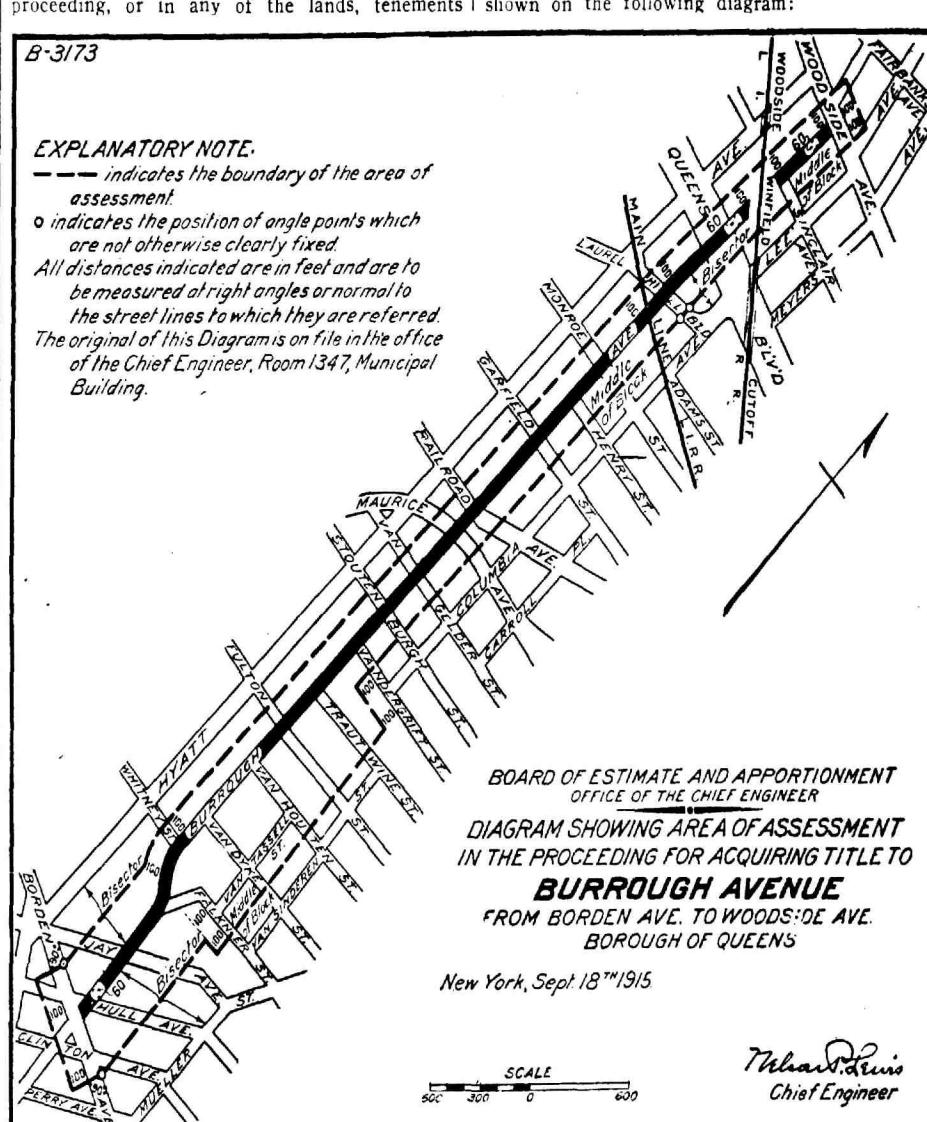
The security required will be fifty per cent. of the amount of the bid accepted.

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.

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 21st day of June, 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 26th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 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 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 25th day of June, 1917.

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 same will stand adjourned to the date to be hereinafter 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, May 22, 1917.

EDGAR F. HAZLETON, Chairman; WILLIAM D. LLEWELLYN, CHAS. B. BRETFELDER, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM D. LLEWELLYN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk, j1,18

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AFRICAN BAST FOR BROOM MANUFACTURING.

The time for the delivery of the African Bast or the performance of the contract is or before Sept. 30, 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 (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price for the African Bast contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a.m., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE 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, May 28, 1917.

EDGAR F. HAZLETON, Chairman; WILLIAM D. LLEWELLYN, CHAS. B. BRETFELDER, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM D. LLEWELLYN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk, j1,18

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION AND 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 2:30 p.m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS, BREAD AND ROLLS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1917, as stated in the schedule.

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 (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANAN, M. D., President, Board of Trustees.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HENRY E. EMERSON, M. D., 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

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917.

Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12:30 p. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
BUTTER.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before July 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 schedules.

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, New York City.

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BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS,
JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BUR-
DETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMER-
SON, M. D., Commissioner.

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ceiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the De-
partments of Public Charities, Correction and
Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Com-
mittee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhat-
tan, until 12:30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1917,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
STOCK, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1917, and as stated in the schedules.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accom-
panied 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.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BUR-
DETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMER-
SON, M. D., Commissioner.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS,
JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, Board of
Trustees.

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ceiving and opening bids.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor,
Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m.,
on

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND
INSTALLING STORAGE BATTERIES IN
MANHATTAN CENTRAL OFFICE, ON
TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 2, CENTRAL
PARK, (CITY OF NEW YORK).

The time allowed for doing and completing the
entire work will be ninety (90) consecutive cal-
endar days.

The amount of security required for the per-
formance of the contract is Thirty-five Hundred
Dollars (\$3,500).

No bid will be considered unless it is accom-
panied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of
money or a certified check upon one of the
State or National banks or trust companies in
the City of New York, or a check of such bank
or trust company signed by a duly authorized
officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller,
or corporate stock or other certificates of
indebtedness of any nature issued by The City
of New York and approved by the Comptroller
as of equal value with the security required.
Such deposit shall be in the amount of One
Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars (\$175).

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 set
off from each case on surrender of the speci-
fications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

¹⁸⁻¹⁹See 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

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND
MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED
FOR REPAIRS TO THE QUARTERS OF
ENGINE COMPANIES NOS. 41, 44, 46, 59, 79,
264; HOOK AND LADDER COMPANIES NOS.
8, 130, 134, AND HOSE COMPANY NO. 8.

The time allowed for the completion of the
work and the full performance of the contract
is forty (40) consecutive working days for each
item.

The amount of security required for the per-
formance of the contract is fifty per cent. (50%)
of the total amount of the bid.

No bid will be considered unless it is accom-
panied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of
money or a certified check upon one of the
State or National banks or trust companies in
the City of New York, or a check of such bank

or trust company signed by a duly authorized
officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller,
or corporate stock or other certificates of
indebtedness of any nature issued by The City
of New York and approved by the Comptroller
as of equal value with the security required.
Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than
two and one-half per cent. (2½%) of
the total amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and awards, if made,
will be to the lowest bidder on each item. Con-
tracts will be prepared where the items awarded
to any bidder amount to Five Hundred Dollars
(\$500) or more. Open market orders will be
issued where the items awarded to any bidder
amount to less than Five Hundred Dollars
(\$500).

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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, JUNE 19, 1917,
for
CONTRACT 180.

FOR ERECTING 7 DWELLING HOUSES
AND VARIOUS OUTHOUSES, REMODEL-
ING 5 HOUSES, AND REMOVING 4 BUILD-
INGS ALONG THE LINE OF THE CATSKILL
AQUEDUCT BETWEEN THE ASHKOKAN
AND HILL VIEW RESERVOIRS, AND THE
LAYING OF ABOUT 1,200 FEET OF 4-INCH
CAST IRON WATER MAIN. THE WORK
HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO 5 GROUPS, AR-
RANGED GEOGRAPHICALLY, AND THE
BIDDER MAY BID FOR ONE OR MORE OF
THESE GROUPS SEPARATELY AND ALSO
FOR THE WORK AS A WHOLE.

A statement of the quantities of the various
items of work and further information are 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 or contracts, 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, varying in amount from Two Thou-
sand Dollars (\$2,000) to Twenty-two Thousand
Dollars (\$22,000), depending on the award, 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
required for the groups bid upon.

The amounts for the several groups vary from Five Hundred
Dollars (\$500) to Twelve Hundred Dollars
(\$1,200).

Time allowed for the completion of the several
groups varies from 3 to 7 consecutive calendar
months from the service of notice by the Board
to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders,
forms of bid, contract, specifications, contract
drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above ad-
dress, at the office of the Secretary, upon applica-
tion in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent
for each pamphlet. This deposit will be
refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in
acceptable condition within thirty days from the
date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of
the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above
address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES
N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissi-
oners, Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary.

¹⁸⁻¹⁹See General Instructions to Bidders on
last page, last column, of the "City Record,"
so far as applicable hereto and not
otherwise provided for.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH
BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR
REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES
thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who
must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the
order of the Comptroller of The City of New
York, and must also give a certified check or
cash in half the amount of the purchase price
as security for the faithful performance of the
terms and conditions of the sale. Where the
amount of the purchase price does not equal or
exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 will be
the amount of the security to be deposited. This
security may at any time after the expiration of
the contract period be applied by the City to the
cost of completing any of the work required
under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration
of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause
or permit the building or buildings, etc., pur-
chased by him to be used or occupied for any
purpose other than that of their speedy removal
nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue
for the use of either the land or the buildings,
etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or
other of these conditions shall forthwith void the
sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the pur-
chase money and the security deposited for the
faithful performance of the conditions of the
sale. The placing therein or permitting the occu-
pancy of any such building by any tenant free,
for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary
watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual
demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of
the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the
property on date of delivery thereof to the pur-
chaser. The City of New York will not be re-
sponsible for any change or loss which may
occur in the condition of the buildings, or their
appurtenances, between the time of the sale there-
of 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, appur-
tenances and foundations of all kinds, except
the exterior walls of the buildings and their foun-
dations, 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 re-
sulting from demolition shall be allowed to re-
main 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
the point. The exterior walls and their foun-
dations 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 ele-
vation of the surrounding ground shall be con-
sidered, 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 regu-
lations 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 sewer connections to the main sewer in
the street and the openings of the main sewer
in street shall be properly closed in compliance
with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in
the Borough in which the buildings are situated,
and furnish the Department of Finance with a
certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the
work has been properly performed.

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

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

of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances
or portions as shall then be left standing, to-
gether with all moneys paid by said purchaser on
account thereof at the time of the sale, and the
bidders assent to the above conditions being
understood to be implied by the act of bidding,
and The City of New York will, without notice
to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed
and the cost and expense thereof charged against
the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in
every respect in a thorough and workmanlike
manner, and must be completed within thirty
days from the date of possession, and the suc-
cessful bidder will provide and furnish all ma-
terials or labor and machinery necessary thereto,
and will place proper and sufficient guards and
fences and warning signs by day and night for
the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify
and save harmless The City of New York, its
officers, agents and servants, and each of them,
against any and all suits and actions, claims and
demands of every name and description brought
against it, them or any of them, and against
and from all damage and costs to which it, they
or any of them be put by reason of injury to
the person or property of another, resulting from
negligence or carelessness in the performance
of the work, or in guarding the same, or from
any improper or defective materials or machinery,
implements or appliances used in the removal of
said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between
buildings purchased by different bidders, the ma-
terials of said party walls shall be understood
to be equally divided between the separate pur-
chasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against
adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken
down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, project-
ing 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 machin-
ery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within
the lines of any proposed street or other public
improvement, title thereto shall thereupon be-
come vested in The City of New York and a re-
sale 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 re-
serves the right on the day of sale to withdraw
from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings
and machinery included therein, or to reject any
and all bids, and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held
under the supervision of the Commissioners of
the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized
to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct
the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

The person or persons making a bid for any
service, work, materials or supplies for The City
of New York, or for any of its departments,
bureaus or officers, shall furnish the same in a
sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the
supplies, materials, work or services for which
the bid is made, with his or their name or names
and the date of presentation to the President or
Board or to the head of the Department at his
or its office, on or before the date and hour
named in the advertisement for the same, at
which time and place the bids will be publicly
opened by the President or Board or head of said
Department and read, and the award of the contract
made according to law as soon thereafter as
practicable.

Each bid shall contain the name and place of
residence of the person making the same, and the
names of all persons interested with him therein,
and, if no other person be so interested, it shall
distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made
without