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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1918.

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

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

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

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

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Armory Board.				
137098	10-14-17	11-13-17	William J. Olvany	\$52 50
152534	44704	12-27-17	New York Telephone Co.....	46 59
Art Commission.				
153139		12-28-17	New York Telephone Co.....	7 22
Municipal Civil Service Commission.				
153553		12-29-17	Robt. W. Belcher, Secretary.....	33 43
Board of Coroners.				
153271		12-29-17	Philip J. Coffey	\$10 10
153272		12-29-17	Charles Wuest	27 70
153273		12-29-17	G. W. Tong	19 00
18689		12-27-17	Ignatius Canale	45 00
18483		12-22-17	Frank Bombara	20 00
18484		12-22-17	Edward Krantz	10 00
County Court, Kings County.				
145564	10-19-17	12- 7-17	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.....	\$259 33
Supreme Courts.				
153621		12-29-17	James F. McGee	\$40 83
153274		1- 2-18	Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.....	50 00
152466	10-31-17, 11-30-17	12-20-17	I. & S. Glick	38 75
County Clerk, Queens County.				
149920	10-31-17, 11-30-17	12-20-17	Brooklyn Union Towel Supply Co....	\$6 50
College of the City of New York.				
149730	40361	12-19-17	P. J. Duffy	\$400 00
Department of Correction.				
150580	8-31-17	12-21-17	J. P. Duffy Co.	\$712 00
146032	1-20-17, 7-28-17	12-10-17	Peter J. Constant	878 10
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
136560	10-19-17	11-13-17	Bramhall-Deane Co.	\$55 00
151565	11- 3-17	12-27-17	National Thermometer Co.....	54 00
18821		12-31-17	Jane Stenhouse	75 00
18822		12-31-17	Annie D. Higgins	75 00
18823		12-31-17	Katrinka De Winje	75 00
18824		12-31-17	Marie S. Barr	75 00
18825		1- 2-18	Vera Solitare	75 00
18820		12-31-17	Carrie J. Brink	552 00
16964		11-28-17	Mary Dixon	9 00
16965		11-28-17	Marguerite McLucas	39 00
16966		11-28-17	Margaret Malone	27 00
16967		11-28-17	Anna Lind	12 00
16968		11-28-17	Tessie Dea	9 00

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150750		12-22-17	Morris & Co.....	4,129 06
150751	48509	12-22-17	Morris & Co.....	3,372 26
Department of Plant and Structures.				
148874		12-18-17	Vulcan Rail & Construction Co.....	\$126 00
151008	12- 7-17	12-22-17	Rockport Granite Co.....	744 00
151007	12- 5-17	12-22-17	Emil Diebitsch	124 00
151004	12- 8-17, 12-11-17	12-22-17	Bramhall-Deane Co.	301 25
151003	12- 4-17	12-22-17	Philip Strohl & Sons, Inc.....	982 50
151006	12-20-17	12-22-17	Albert E. Castle, Inc.....	493 35
151002	10-17-17	12-22-17	The Aluminum Cooking Utensil Co..	190 91
District Attorney, Richmond County.				
18690		12-27-17	Ivan Filipac	\$5 00
18691		12-27-17	J. A. Lukasik	20 00
District Attorney, Kings County.				
18029	12-11-17	12-18-17	Fred C. Dennington	\$51 21
District Attorney, Bronx County.				
151504	12-20-17	12-28-17	Andrew O'Rourke	\$3 40
153022	12-11-17, 12-27-17	12-28-17	James E. Torrains	9 70
151505	12-17-17	12-26-17	James Graham	8 70
153573		12-29-17	Francis Martin, District Attorney....	65 00
District Attorney, New York County.				
149344	12- 8-17	12-18-17	Amos G. Russell	\$252 60
152676	12-14-17, 12-17-17	12-28-17	Bartholomew Moynahan	29 50
152672		12-28-17	Charles B. Steiner	25 00
Board of Elections.				
143007	11- 7-17, 11-20-17	11-30-17	I. Weissberger Moving and Trucking Co.	2,184 50
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.				
150877	11-16-17	12-22-17	J. P. Devine Co.....	510 00
150882	11-23-17	12-22-17	The Tabulating Machine Company...	100 00
18538		12-26-17	Charles P. Berkey	25 00
Department of Education.				
26309		1- 2-18	James F. McManus, Chief Attendance Officer	256 15
20310		1- 2-18	James F. McManus, Chief Attendance Officer	120 40
108772	3-20-17	8-16-17	Joseph Kuhl, assignee of G. A. Wagner	136 00
153001	11- 1-17	12-28-17	Krengel Mfg. Co.....	52
152623	10-18-17	12-28-17	S. H. Hughes	10 00
152311	10- 2-17	12-27-17	L. P. Gfroerer Co.....	49 88
151872	4-10-17	12-27-17	J. Kurzbach	73 00
152648	10-22-17	12-28-17	E. Crutchley Co.....	15 70
151816	10-26-17	12-26-17	Alex. Burgess	54 00
152243	9-21-17	12-27-17	Chas. P. Rogers & Co.....	75 00
153083		12-28-17	M. J. Tobin	41 92
153078		12-28-17	M. J. Tobin	87 48
153077		12-28-17	Neostyle Envelope Co.....	46 53
153081	10- 1-17	12-28-17	The Refess-Sandson Co.	10 50
153087		12-29-17	The A. S. Barnes Co.....	13 96
153277		12-29-17	D. Appleton & Co.....	11 20
153358		12-29-17	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co.....	70 42
153353		12-29-17	Educational Publishing Co.....	2 40
153335		12-29-17	Little, Brown & Co., Inc.....	54 51
153344		12-29-17	Abraham & Straus	4 30
153346		12-29-17	Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	30 00
152283	9-10-17	12-28-17	Jacob D. Auserberg	8 00
152995	10-15-17, 10-22-17	12-27-17	M. Kalmus	9 50
152121	10-30-17	12-28-17	M. Kalmus	9 00
152987	10- 5-17	12-27-17	Louis Imersheim	10 85
152226	10-23-17	12-28-17	Louis Imersheim	8 75
152431	9-27-17	12-27-17	Henry Saal	32 65
152434	9- 6-17, 9-22-17	12-27-17	The Royal Co. of N. Y., assignee of Louis Messer	50 65
152622	10- 9-17	12-27-17	H. Fortenbach	6 00
150889	10-16-17	12-22-17	Lignum Carpenter Works	21 00
150901	11- 2-17	12-22-17	E. Brandt	175 00
150888	10-13-17	12-22-17	New York Prism Co.....	35 00
153276		12-29-17	William L. Ettinger	16 00
151827	9-20-17	12-26-17	E. Crutchley Co.....	75 00
152256	10-27-17	12-27-17	Fr. Jos. Unger	23 00
152259	8-23-17	12-27-17	Max Albrecht	78 00
151160	10- 2-17	12-24-17	The Royal Co. of New York, assignee of Herman Sacks Roofing and Contracting Co., Inc.....	38 30
152208	10-27-17	12-27-17	F. J. McCaragher	37 75
152238	10-30-17	12-27-17	S. Zacharkow	64 00
153345		12-29-17	Parex Mfg. Co.....	75
151189	10-19-17	12-24-17	Henry G. Opdycke	50 00
149800	5- 5-17	12-20-17	Educational Equipment Co.....	143 25
140527		11-22-17	John D. Gordon	1,167 40
149466		12-19-17	Joseph A. Graf	522 00
152361		12-27-17	Harry E. Josiah	85 36
152984	10- 3-17	12-28-17	Albert J. Kelting	18 00
152290	12-24-17	12-27-17	U. W. Osborn & Son.....	10 89
152291	10-12-17	12-27-17	T. C. Moore & Co.....	2 50
152114	10-21-17	12-27-17	B. F. Donohoe	62 00
152113	11- 5-17	12-27-17	Christopher Nally	45 00
152093		12-27-17	John Smith	64 00
152991	10- 5-17	12-28-17	J. Friedman	9 65
152990	9-27-17	12-28-17	Philip Simberg	2 75
152989	10- 9-17, 12-24-17	12-28-17	Arnold, Constable & Co., Inc.....	26 75
152212	8-22-17	12-17-17	James E. Delaney	20 00
150920	10- 3-17, 10-15-17	12-22-17	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.....	140 74
150916	10-12-17, 12-16-17	12-22-17	Reid, King & Co.....	120 63
150898	7-20-17	12-22-17	Rabinowitz Painting Co., Inc.....	135 00
152161	10- 8-17	12-27-17	Albert J. Kelting	48 00
150680		12-22-17	Joseph J. Bible	205 20
150844	9- 7-17	12-22-17	General Naval Stores Co.....	130 00
150845		12-22-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	126 21
Department of Finance.				
20889		1- 3-18	Valentine F. Keller, Chief Clerk.....	\$85 35
20888		1- 3-18	Mary E. Brennan, Clerk.....	6 00
20890		1- 3-18	Wm. M. Darcy, Clerk.....	14 10
20468		1- 2-18	Duncan MacInnes, Chief Accountant..	35 00
Fire Department.				
149557	11-26-17	12-19-17	Charles Williams Co., Inc.....	\$123 00
Department of Health.				
152963	12- 4-17	12-28-17	The Vienna Window Cleaning Co....	\$3 00
152956	11-19-17	12-28-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	7 58
152958	11-30-17	12-28-17	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	3 78

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152957	11-30-17	12-28-17	Richmond Ice Co.	2 59	150127	2-17-17	12-20-17	President of the Borough of Queens.	
151914	6-21-17	12-28-17	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons	97 50	152609	10-31-17	12-27-17	Bloomington Bros.	4 20
152961	12-1-17	12-26-17	Samuel Hurvin	5 42				The New York Multi-Color Copying Company	34 22
152947	11-1-17, 12-1-17	12-28-17	Jamaica Window Cleaning Co.	7 00	152608	11-1-17	12-27-17	A. Rudolph	38 40
152970	6-14-16	12-28-17	Crown Stamp Works	75	152594	12-6-17	12-27-17	A. J. Van Sien & Son	87 50
152966	11-30-17	12-28-17	The Home Scale Co. of N. Y.	1 60	148121		12-14-17	Peace Bros.	70 31
152965	11-1-17	12-28-17	Joseph Miller	11 00	148124		12-14-17	Peace Brothers	24 62
152964	11-16-17	12-28-17	J. H. Spanjer & Co.	12 00	143005		11-30-17	Peace Brothers	3,103 39
150740	11-16-17	12-22-17	Louis Ruhe	160 00	144738		12-5-17	Peace Brothers	3,973 01
152942		12-28-17	W. L. Somerset, Chief	102 18	143006		11-30-17	Edward W. Fitzpatrick	2,401 91
152948	11-3-17	12-28-17	The Vienna Window Cleaning Co.	45 00	144210		12-4-17	H. J. Mullen Contr. Co., Inc.	1,684 50
152959	12-3-17	12-28-17	John D. Killian Auto Co., Inc.	5 36	152602	12-13-17	12-27-17	The Union Stove Works	3 60
151884	11-26-17	12-26-17	Julius Haas & Sons, Inc.	9 52	152600	12-1-17	12-27-17	Stehlin, Miller, Henes Co.	8 52
150737	11-19-17	12-22-17	Cape May Glass Co.	153 27	152598	11-30-17	12-27-17	Strang Auto Garage Co., Inc.	50
150739	9-19-17	12-22-17	E. Michaels	107 40	152599	9-14-17	12-27-17	Exide Battery Depots, Inc.	23 57
150727	10-30-17	12-22-17	F. S. Banks & Co.	208 00				President of the Borough of Richmond.	
			Law Department.		152878	12-12-17	12-28-17	The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Co.	34 00
20461		1-2-18	William P. Burr, Corporation Counsel	\$200 00	152877	12-10-17	12-28-17	Staten Island Garage, Inc.	7 50
148366	11-30-17	12-17-17	C. N. Cronyn Co.	47 04	152876	11-26-17	12-28-17	J. M. Flossmann	5 00
148660	11-28-17	12-17-17	P. B. Sheridan	16 50	152875	12-2-17	12-28-17	Gregg Brothers	9 00
			Miscellaneous.		152873	11-30-17	12-28-17	James Gould	3 25
20862		1-3-18	The Societe Francaise De Bienfaisance	\$25 60	152872	12-1-17	12-28-17	J. C. Muller	2 25
20861		1-3-18	St. John's Long Island City Hospital	1,332 80	152871	12-1-17	12-28-17	Storberg's Public Market	34 80
20860		1-3-18	St. Mark's Hospital of New York City	16 25	152868	12-10-17	12-28-17	The Hugh McRoberts Coal Co.	26 70
20859		1-3-18	Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases	359 39	152863	12-1-17	12-26-17	Edward P. MacDonald	6 11
20858		1-3-18	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	14,049 87	152860	11-30-17	12-28-17	Richmond Ice Co.	17 23
20857		1-3-18	Children's Aid Society	185 00	152862	11-2-17	12-28-17	Brady Brothers	19 00
20312		1-2-18	Beth Israel Hospital	1,420 24	152861	11-2-17	12-28-17	Brady Brothers	90 00
20313		1-2-18	Blythedale Home for Tubercular Children	431 98				Public Service Commission.	
			Children	431 98	150931	46986	12-22-17	William G. Cooper, Inc., Assignee of William G. Cooper	2,082 50
20314		1-2-18	Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum	8,829 63	150944	46258	12-22-17	John B. Roberts, Assignee of Louis Wechsler	10,789 12
20315		1-2-18	Five Points House of Industry	2,743 93	150936	43974	12-22-17	A. L. Guidone & Son, Inc.	2,592 90
20316		1-2-18	House of Mercy	806 85	150932	46074	12-22-17	Serber-Stander Co., Inc.	6,652 32
20317		1-2-18	Hope Farm	2,136 06	150957	43354	12-22-17	Bethlehem Steel Products Co.	52,979 25
20318		1-2-18	Mission of the Immaculate Virgin for the Protection of Homeless and Destitute Children	15,843 14	150943	46661	12-22-17	H. C. Stone Construction Company	3,887 79
20319		1-2-18	Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital	592 15	150952	40976	12-22-17	Smith, Hauser & MacIsaac, Inc.	4,786 38
20320		1-2-18	St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies	304 43	150945	40608	12-22-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd., Assignee of Flinn O'Rourke Co., Inc.	35,483 15
20321		1-2-18	St. Mary's General Hospital of the City of Brooklyn	1,953 75	150950	43842	12-22-17	Newman & Carey Subway Construction Co., Inc., Assignee of Newman & Carey	1,682 90
20322		1-2-18	St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of New York	3,240 37	150951	43683	12-22-17	Dock Contractor Company	701 94
20323		1-2-18	Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum	2,732 15	150938	40885	12-22-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	12,911 53
20324		1-2-18	St. Agatha Home for Children	966 07	150935	40105	12-22-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	589 93
20325		1-2-18	Home for Hebrew Infants of The City of New York	4,590 27	150960	39001	12-22-17	The Degnon Contracting Company	721 12
153493		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	1,252 19	150942	38945	12-22-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	289 04
153494		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	2,767 63	150959	40322	12-22-17	Flinn, O'Rourke Company, Inc., Assignee of Booth & Flinn, Ltd.	18,925 87
153495		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	2,087 20	150961	44891	12-22-17	Serber-Stander Company, Inc., Assignee of D. C. Serber	2,628 40
153496		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	6,081 60	150949	45638	12-22-17	Patrick McGovern & Co.	246,079 80
153499		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	14,266 21	150933	45638	12-22-17	Patrick McGovern & Co.	27,000 00
153498		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	2,892 81	150940	45725	12-22-17	Thomas J. Buckley Construction Company, Inc.	5,826 83
153497		12-29-17	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	133 46	150958	32175	12-22-17	Degnon Contracting Company	679 00
148220	10-6-17	12-15-17	The Staten Island World	194 95	150974		12-22-17	Edward De Voe Tompkins	2,159 06
148222	10-30-17	12-15-17	The Daily Star	199 50	150975		12-22-17	William C. Arnold	1,555 00
20488		1-2-18	Frank D. Creamer, as Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Frank D. Creamer	1,562 50	150976		12-22-17	American Shorthand Company	1,041 25
20489		1-2-18	George Dressler	362 50	150981		12-22-17	Charles A. Berrian	18,500 00
20490		1-2-18	Regina A. F. Cahill	180 00	150964	34744	12-22-17	Richard Carvel Company, Inc., Assignee of Lytleton Fox, as Trustee in Bankruptcy of John F. Stevens Construction Co.	1,042 90
20491		1-2-18	Thomas A. Clarke	2,125 00	150947	40384	12-22-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd., Assignee of Flinn O'Rourke Co., Inc., Assignee of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., and O'Rourke Engineering Construction Co.	1,868 68
20492		1-2-18	Jamaica Savings Bank	96 00	150962	42200	12-22-17	Inter-Continental Construction Corporation	2,938 49
20493		1-2-18	The Chauncey Real Estate Company, Limited, as agents for the Brooklyn Daily Eagle	195 00	150955	43508	12-22-17	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.	674 17
20494		1-2-18	Bertha Goodman	195 00	150954	43508	12-22-17	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.	58,067 11
20495		1-2-18	William C. Bergen	1,406 25	150965	40383	12-22-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	1,661 78
20496		1-2-18	William C. Bergen	130 32	150941	38427	12-22-17	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.	2,370 51
20497		1-2-18	United Charities of New York	133 34		38425	12-22-17	United States Realty and Improvement Company, Assignee of Canavan Brothers Company	596 61
20498		1-2-18	St. Andrews Realty Company	23 00	150966	39323	12-22-17	United States Realty and Imp. Co.	99 81
150691		12-28-17	Francis J. Oppenheimer	334 25	150934	46132	12-22-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd., Assignee of Engel & Hevenor	6,784 92
152689	12-12-17	12-28-17	Paramount Contracting Co., Inc.	65 59	150948	44459	12-22-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd.	102,058 25
			Brooklyn Public Library.		150946	40317	12-22-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd., Assignee of Flinn O'Rourke Co., Inc., Assignee of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., and O'Rourke Engineering Construction Co.	11,853 33
152687		12-17-17	Brooklyn Public Library	363 22	150937	43696	12-22-17	Harris H. Uris, Abraham Sommerfeld, Frank J. Scanlon, Edward J. Dowling and John G. Hemerick, as Trustees and Assignees of the Altoria Company, Inc.	9,765 23
			Public Administrator, Bronx County.					Bryan L. Kennelly, Inc.	3,500 00
153454		12-29-17	Ernest E. L. Hammer	2 05				Thomas W. Churchill	1,370 00
153453		12-29-17	Ernest E. L. Hammer	5 00				Charles E. Heydt	1,390 00
			Department of Parks.					Henry A. Gildersleeve	1,350 00
153552		12-29-17	New York Zoological Society	60 00				Underwood Typewriter Company, Inc.	370 16
153549		12-29-17	Owen Dooley	5 72				Equitable Blue Print Company	1,499 99
153548		12-29-17	Thomas J. Van Wagner	2 40	150820	10-1-17, 11-1-17	12-22-17	The Lufkin Rule Co.	120 65
153550		12-29-17	New York Zoological Society	11,923 96	150822	10-18-17, 11-21-17	12-22-17	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	291 00
153551		12-29-17	New York Zoological Society	5,269 50	153235	7-3-17	12-28-17	H. A. D. Hollmann, Auditor	114 36
153381	7-21-17	12-29-17	Chas. A. Schieren Company	72 30	153239		12-28-17	W. C. Whiston, Electrical Engineer	298 62
153547		12-29-17	John J. Kain	1 60	137835	1-12-17, 10-4-17	11-15-17	L. C. Smith & Brothers Typewriter Company	4 95
151365		12-24-17	National Equipment Co.	20 00	150773	10-31-17	12-22-17	Powers Accounting Machine Co.	108 60
150622	8-25-17	12-21-17	Eastern Gas Appliance Co.	440 00	150829	11-1-17	12-22-17	Joseph H. Jaekel, Inc.	855 00
			Police Department.		150818	9-27-17, 11-7-17	12-22-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	193 75
122898	9-11-17	10-2-17	Joseph D. Duffy, Inc.	64 15	150817	11-16-17	12-22-17	Buff & Buff Manufacturing Company	107 35
152389	12-6-17	12-27-17	John Davis' Sons	72 67	150823	4-20-17, 7-9-17	12-22-17	Baron Printing Company	452 86
151485	7-12-17	12-24-17	Arnold Levien Iron Works	95 24	150816	10-20-17, 11-20-17	12-22-17	Equitable Office Building Corporation	431 01
152388	12-1-17	12-27-17	Morris & Smith Auto Co., Inc.	69 32	150821	9-29-17, 11-1-17	12-22-17	Lithoprint Co., Inc.	132 40
152782	12-12-17	12-28-17	The Star Auto Lamp Works	11 00				Department of Public Charities.	
152780	12-17-17	12-28-17	Edward Smith & Co.	65 00	153534		12-29-17	William B. Buck	22 34
152778	12-13-17	12-28-17	Edward C. Striffler	88 68	153529		12-29-17	Dr. F. H. Platt	14 30
151468	11-22-17, 11-26-17	12-24-17	The A-Z Company	68 59	153335		12-29-17	E. J. Cronin, Chief Nurse	26 41
			President of the Borough of Manhattan.		153525		12-29-17	Walter H. Conley, Med. Supt.	37 26
148914		12-18-17	Anthony Ferris	1,478 34	153526		12-29-17	Stuart A. Rise	9 73
150052		12-20-17	Franklin Contracting Co.	17,957 43					
152847	12-31-17	12-28-17	Real Estate Directory Co., Inc.	25 00					
152843	12-4-17	12-28-17	The East River Mill and Lumber Co.	47 00					
152841	11-23-17	12-28-17	Johnson Service Co.	63 72					
152839	12-6-17	12-28-17	The Frank, Richard & Gardner Co.	16 50					
152838	11-30-17	12-28-17	Patterson Brothers	39 34					
152837	12-6-17	12-28-17	Gleason, Tiebout Glass Co.	1 72					
152836	12-5-17	12-28-17	F. C. Stechert Co., Inc.	2 40					
152835	11-27-17	12-28-17	Vacuum Oil Co.	24 72					
152834	11-20-17	12-28-17	Samuel Lewis	29 60					
152833	12-6-17	12-28-17	The Will & Baumer Co.	22 75					
			President of the Borough of The Bronx.						
140588		11-22-17	D. Salvato	54 00					
			President of the Borough of Brooklyn.						
152617		12-28-17	Frank A. Kellogg, Inspector	170 95					
149760		12-19-17	United Auto Dealers Mfg. Co., Inc.	567 58					
146461		12-11-17	Joseph Jennings	241 50					
148757		12-29-17	Frank A. Kellogg, Inspector	180 20					
145957		12-8-17	E. Ghelardi Contr. Co., Inc.	1,766 70					

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153532	11-28-17	12-29-17	Children's Aid Society.....	134 06	153480			United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps.	
130361	9-19-17	10-24-17	Joseph D. Duffy, Inc.....	12 45	153481			12-29-17 Joseph G. Merz	3 60
153524		12-29-17	Victor S. Dodworth, Director.....	848 00				12-28-17 Robert Blogg	31 14
153523		12-29-17	Victor S. Dodworth, Director.....	893 00				Board of Water Supply.	
			Commissioner of Records, New York County.		152402	12- 1-17		12-27-17 Fulton Furniture Co., Inc.....	65 20
152611	12-21-17	12-27-17	Patterson Brothers	7 49	151011	45964		12-22-17 Charles Meads & Co.....	785 60
			Register, Bronx County.					Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
153583		12-29-17	John J. Hopper, Register of the County of New York.....	40 00	153153			12-28-17 L. S. Winne & Co.....	9 93
			Register, New York County.		153302	11- 8-17		12-29-17 John J. Maher	7 15
153582		12-29-17	New York Telephone Company.....	3 40	153303	9-12-17		12-29-17 Thomson Meter Co.....	5 45
			Sheriff, Richmond County.		153308	12- 1-17		12-29-17 Charles Baeszler & Sons.....	1 00
153558		12-29-17	Julius Dobler	42 75	153299	12- 1-17		12-29-17 The New Rochelle Water Company..	4 90
			Sheriff, Bronx County.		153320	11-30-17		12-29-17 Welsbach Street Lighting Co. of America	42 00
153032		12-28-17	A. W. Glatzmayer, Secretary.....	22 58	153170	9-27-17		12-28-17 Willys Overland, Inc.....	10 35
153012	12- 1-17	12-28-17	Chas. Sowa	18 85	153306	11- 9-17		12-29-17 The Union Stove Works.....	5 15
			Department of Street Cleaning.		153168	11-30-17		12-28-17 Fulton Blue Print Company.....	14 36
149570	11-20-17	12-19-17	J. W. Gasteiger & Son.....	1,420 68	153297	11-30-17		12-29-17 J. C. Muller	45
			Department of Taxes and Assessments.		153167	12-13-17		12-28-17 Evans Products Corporation	25 20
153267		12-29-17	Wm. J. King	3 89	152890	11-15-17		12-28-17 Hetzer Bros.	34 85
153263		12-29-17	Frank A. Uihlein	3 40	146087			12-10-17 Great Bear Spring Company.....	12 90
153266		12-29-17	R. A. Brunneke	12 80	153616			12-29-17 Charles E. Keefe, Inspector	19 85
			Tenement House Department.		153617			12-29-17 George H. Williams, Supervising Engineer	130 29
153408	46579	12-29-17	New York Telephone Company.....	42 49				12-26-17 The New York Edison Company.....	90 26
153407		12-29-17	New York Telephone Company.....	20 80	151610	12- 5-17			

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1918.

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

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		City Magistrates' Courts.		21444	12- 7-17	Bligh & Engel	4 70
21354	47110	New York Tel. Co.....	\$305 62	21445	12-14-17	The Standard Utility Co. ..	7 25
		Department of Correction.		21446	11-19-17	R. & H. Strachan	2 10
21517		New York Tel. Co.	\$61 96	21447	12-10-17	Pierre M. Foltz	9 45
21529	12- 7-17	The Fireproofing Products Co.	44 00	21448	12- 4-17	T. H. Hogeman	3 00
21530	11- 7-17	Sargent & Co.	3 00	21449	4-16-17	Clover Electric Co.	14 60
21517	12-21-17	L. Crocco & Sons	108 00	21450	11-26-17	Jawitz Electric Motor Co....	9 83
21518	1-12-17	American Pastry & Mfg. Co.	480 00	21451	12- 4-17	Henry Allen	96 00
21519	10-29-17	A. & W., Clinton Prison....	9 00	21452	12- 3-17	Lehn & Fink	48 00
21520	12- 6-17	A. & W., Auburn Prison....	9 00	21453	12- 5-17	Merck & Co.	1 70
21521	4-25-17	Mfgs. Industry & Dept. of Correction	420 00	21454	11- 5-17	Theodore W. Morris & Co.	18 50
21522	10- 3-17	Mfgs. Industry & Dept. of Correction	7 00	21455	12- 5-17	Eimer & Amend	6 90
21523	1-23-17	Mfgs. Industry & Dept. of Correction	4 75	21456	11-30-17	Dickerson Van Dusen & Co.	11 60
21524	9-20-17	F. N. Du Bois & Co.....	87 00			Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.	
21525	5-23-17	Pratt & Cady Co.....	28 00	21283	1- 2-18	Michael J. Mullen	\$1 20
21526	11-16-17	The Smith-Worthington Co.	1 50	21284	12-31-17	Bertram E. Reed	4 32
21527	10-30-17	N. Y. Central Railroad Co.	90			Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County.	
21528	11-22-17	George Murphy	3 20	21282	1- 2-18	John R. Carroll	\$1 50
		Board of Elections.				Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County.	
21337	11-30-17	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	\$16 31	21254	1- 3-18	John A. Pachler	\$50 00
21338	11-30-17	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	20 90			John A. Pachler	4 00
21339	12-31-17	Frank Dobson	525 00			John A. Pachler	5 85
21340	12-31-17	L. McCordell	17 50			Miscellaneous.	
21341	12-31-17	Katherine Fink	12 50	21256		Nancy Watkins	\$6 00
21342	12-31-17	Harry E. Sprague	10 00	21257		John Jos. Kindred	50 00
21343	12-31-17	Richmond Co. Republic Club	15 00	21258		Geo. W. Collins	50 00
21344	12-31-17	Manhattan Storage & Warehouse Co.	56 00	21259		Jennie B. Meyer	43 00
21345	12-15-17	William Richenstein	290 00	21260		Collector of Assessments & Arrears	171 20
21346	12-13-17	John J. Donovan	10 00	21261		Receiver of Taxes	6 98
21331	12- 1-17	Private Auto Rental Service	12 00	21203		The Comptroller of the City of N. Y. and Chamberlain of the City of N. Y.....	750,000 00
21332	11-30-17	North Side Storage Warehouse Co.	48 00	21204		The Comptroller of the City of N. Y. and Chamberlain of the City of N. Y.....	20,252 55
21333	11-23-17	Clifton Auto & Storage Co.	10 00	21205	12-22-17	Eugene P. Doane	395 00
21334	11-23-17	Antonio Joseph	4 00	21206		Paul Bonyng	415 00
21335	12- 6-17	Castleton Motor Car Co....	24 90	21207		Hiram Hiram Thomas	375 00
21336	11-14-17	Charles H. Aitken	337 74	21140		Harry Morganstern	63 56
21319	11- 1-17	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	60	21141		Frank J. Hardecker	455 15
21320	11-30-17	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	6 00	21142	12-20-17	Paul Chapman	227 05
21321	12- 1-17	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	60	21255	12-28-17	James O'Malley et al.....	501 90
21322	11-26-17	P. J. Collison & Co.....	54 00	21274		Mary G. Mulligan	12 31
21323	12-13-17	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co.	18 75	21275		Wm. Young	101 00
21324	11-14-17	E. Faulkner	83 12	21276		Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	134 93
21325	11-14-17	Chas. H. Aitken	136 12	21277		Kate A. Cullen	16 21
21326	12-14-17	L. Nathan	42 50	21262		Jennie Paulson	19 77
21327	11-15-17	E. Faulkner	333 52	21263		Giacomo Commarata	9 31
21328	12- 5-17	Weissberger Moving & Storage Co.	16 25	21264		Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	90 56
21329	11-19-17	P. Belford & Son	203 75	21265		Realty Associates	14 11
21330	11-30-17	W. L. Scott	5 00	21266		Overmeyer & Liebmann	119 02
		Fire Department.		21267		Gold Mill Realty Corp.....	157 12
21143	47583	The Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	\$1,080 90	21268		Estate of Harrison B. Moore ..	18 11
21144	47582	The Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	1,080 90	21269		Matteo Merola	1 37
21291		Thos. J. Drennan	300 00	21270		John May	20 20
21157	12- 5-17	Julius King Optical Co.....	2 25	21271		Chas. De Rham	838 30
21158	11-24-17	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	11 85	21272		James Humes Building Co., Inc.	1,535 20
21159	12- 2-17	Home Laundry Co.	8 79	21273		Frank Sedlecky	14 84
21160	12- 5-17	John Boyle & Co., Inc.....	84 00	21278	12-17-17	Elizabeth Schrott	538 32
21161	10-30-17	John Simmons	450	21279	12-29-17	Arabella D. Huntington	598 48
21162	12- 5-17	H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	2 25	21280	12-22-17	Mary C. Breen	148 61
21163	12-10-17	Frank Richard-Gardner Co.	20 00	21281	12-24-17	Arabella D. Huntington	314 81
21164	11-20-17	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	19 10	21347		Abraham L. Johnson	19 85
21165	12- 7-17	The Lunkenheimer Co.	28 05	21497		The Crimmins Operating Co., Inc., as assignee of of John D. Crimmins.....	2,650 00
21166	12- 7-17	Clarence L. Smith Co.....	35 00	21348		Arabella D. Huntington	139 46
21167	11- 9-17	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	1 75	21349		Arabella D. Huntington	1,387 17
21169	11- 2-17	Stern Picard Co.	96 85	21350		A. W. J. Pohl et al., trustees and creditors, stockholders or members of the Vernewel Realty & Const. Corp.	162 99
						Christine Johanson	126 24
						Louisa Clarke Jayne.....	255 25
						Frank Davy et al.....	51 05
						Department of Public Markets.	
						Henrietta Reid	\$51 55
						Board of Parole.	
						Thomas R. Minnick	\$121 23
						Thomas R. Minnick	117 35
						Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.	
						48035 E. F. Monahan	\$4,010 89
						Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.	
						47434 The Barrett Co.	\$2,176 61
						Police Department.	
						Chas. J. Maresco	\$8 05

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21209	John J. Murphy	10 50	21470	Louis Emmerich	2 75	21407	5-1-17 Patterson Bros.	2 15
21210	Wm. Mussmecher	4 80	21471	Harry A. Dattlebaum	5 65	21408	12-10-17 Sibley Pitman Elec. Corp.	23 52
21211	Constantine Naimoli	4 00	21472	E. J. Healey	1 45	21409	12-7-17 Union Carbide Sales Co.	4 75
21212	John O'Connor	5 15	21473	The United Electric Light and Power Co.	19 95	21410	12-5-17 The Will & Baumer Co.	662 50
21213	Michael Palladino	6 80	21474	The Edison Electric Ill. Co.	24 66	21411	11-30-17 Westchester Ice Co.	2 00
21214	Jas. J. Quinlivan	7 85	21475	The Queens County Water Co.	2 20	21412	8-13-17 Atlas Stationery Corp.	9 85
21215	Frederick J. Miller	3 60				21413	12-10-17 Keller & Smith Co.	5 00
21216	Geo. J. Merz	13 00				21414	12-8-17 The K. & L. Bindery	12 75
21217	Geo. L. McGovern	9 15				21415	12-21-17 Library Bureau	14 40
21218	Edward J. Meagher	22 50				21416	1-1-18 Patterson Bros.	6 76
21219	Jas. McGannon	6 00				21417	10-25-17 Powers Photo Engraving Co.	13 30
21220	Thos. McDonald	301 20				21418	2-13-17 Sibley, Pitman Elec. Corp.	84 24
21221	Jas. F. McCoy	5 00				21419	7-3-17 Tower Bros. Stationery Co.	82 24
21222	Jos. McCormack	3 10				21420	12-20-17 Union Carbide Sales Co.	4 75
21223	Frederick Maser	22 30				21421	12-11-17 Whittall, Tatum Co.	5 43
21227	Philip Marx	43 30				21476	40885 Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co.	2,500 00
21225	Thos. J. Martin	28 00				21477	38945 Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co.	100 00
21226	Geo. Leavitt	7 00				21478	40383 Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co.	1,000 00
21227	Frank C. Lemmon	7 35				21479	45813 T. H. Reynolds Construction Co., Inc.	5,274 71
21228	Francis Kelleher	4 00				21480	47859 Snare & Triest Co.	4,765 95
21229	Harvey J. Kiefer	6 55				21481	42706 Snare & Triest Co.	6,498 00
21230	Frederick C. Kiebler	19 90				21482	44764 Litchfield Construction Co.	100,000 00
21231	Thos. F. Jenkins	25 60				21483	46941 Empire Construction Co.	1,750 64
21232	Patrick J. Hunt	6 25				21367	10-2-17 Seventh Avenue Construction Co., Inc.	18,007 38
21233	Alfred L. Hughes	17 30				21368	H. A. D. Hollmann	466 44
21234	Vincent A. Hastings	22 80				21369	Lewis & Gendar	448 00
21235	Wm. J. Harvey	5 00				21370	11-30-17 H. A. Howarth	960 00
21236	Frank Fritinsky	23 85				21371	The Edison Elec. Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	29 44
21237	Morris Friedlander	9 65				21372	Flatbush Gas. Co.	7 32
21238	Thos. J. Ford	29 85				21373	N. Y. Telephone Co.	1,080 32
21239	Jos. F. Fennelly	25 45				21374	N. Y. Telephone Co.	247 53
21240	Thos. J. Downes	22 40				21375	10-31-17 N. Y. Telephone Co.	460 97
21241	Thos. E. Dowling	1 00				21376	7-31-17 Postal Telegraph Cable Co.	1 25
21242	Edward J. Donohue	9 50				21377	11-23-17 William C. Bergen	41 66
21243	Walter Culhane	23 40				21378	11-24-17 William C. Bergen	105 00
21244	Arthur Cruice	8 85				21355	Title Guarantee & Trust Co. of Brooklyn	20 00
21245	Harry Connell	15 80				21356	Mary J. Odell	35 00
21246	Jas. T. Collins	7 05				21357	Park Row Realty Co.	54 17
21247	Daniel J. F. Collins	22 45				21358	Plaza Improvement Co.	65 00
21248	Harold J. Carmody	74 90				21359	A. R. Phillips	52 50
21249	Wm. A. Carey	6 45				21360	Powell Building	150 00
21250	Sylvester Brierton	12 00				21361	F. W. Seybel et al., executors of the estate of D. E. Seybel, deceased	83 33
21251	John D. Breen	8 30				21362	The Schaefer Co.	83 33
21252	Thos. J. Brady	12 80				21363	Thos. Scott	55 00
21253	Bernard M. Boylan	5 95				21364	H. U. Singhi	60 00
21292	12-8-17 P. Morris Borkin	13 65				21365	United States Trust Co. of New York, trustees for estate of E. J. Donnell, deceased	45 00
21293	12-14-17 Thos. B. Blyth	32 40				21366	Weinbros Real Estate Co.	266 66
21294	12-22-17 Francis E. Beston	13 10					Law Department of the City of New York	1,919 41
21295	12-20-17 Lazarus Benjamin	13 00						
21296	12-8-17 John H. Bearans	12 00						
21297	12-24-17 Henry L. Barth	25 25						
21298	12-16-17 Peter J. Barmonde	6 65						
21299	12-19-17 Frank J. Allen	3 00						
21300	12-16-17 Henry J. Addy	10 00						
21301	12-10-17 Wm. Young	6 60						
21302	12-17-17 Andrew J. Tully	12 00						
21303	12-11-17 Joseph Toner	2 00						
20304	12-12-17 Martin E. Rathamel	7 00						
21305	12-4-17 Lewis F. Ross	2 00						
21306	12-15-17 Frank Rockelein	7 30						
21307	12-15-17 Joseph Mason	24 80						
21308	12-6-17 Albert Ehrlich	9 65						
21309	John F. Dwyer	23 50						
21310	Frank A. Campbell	7 00						
21311	12-4-17 Patrick G. Fitzgibbons	83 10						
21312	12-14-17 Donald J. Slattery	3 60						
21313	12-16-17 Morris A. Haring	10 30						
21314	12-24-17 Thomas M. Goss	22 05						
21315	12-14-17 Jos. E. Gordon	13 55						
21316	12-16-17 Emmett Ghiggeri	12 80						
21466	Jas. F. Healey	1 58						
21467	Chas. B. McNally	4 25						
21468	John A. Hafgren	6 65						
21469	Jos. J. O'Leary	13 60						

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York Held Wednesday, Nov. 7, 1917, at 10:30 A. M.

Present—Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh, Commissioners. Commissioner James presided.

A public hearing was held on the adoption of the proposed resolution, waiving the provisions of Clause 18 of Rule XV, as follows:

Whereas, In order to correct the inappropriate assignment of certain butchers in the Department of Correction to perform the work of Inspectors of Foods (Meats), provision has been made in the budget of the Department of Correction for the year 1918, for the employment of Inspectors of Foods (Meats), at a salary of \$1,200 per annum, which positions are in the competitive class; and

Whereas, Because of long continued service of such butchers in the performance of inspection work, it is in the interests of best administration and the spirit and intent of the civil service law that all butchers who have served with fidelity for at least three years be allowed to enter a promotion examination for the position of Inspector of Foods (Meats), Grade 2, in the competitive class, in order to meet the conditions of the budget of the Department of Correction for the year 1918; therefore be it

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the provisions of Clause 18 of Rule XV, of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be waived, and the Municipal Civil Service Commission be empowered to hold a competitive promotion examination for the position of Inspector of Foods (Meats), Grade 2, Department of Correction, in the competitive class, which shall be open to all butchers in the non-competitive class who have served with fidelity for not less than three years.

Burdete G. Lewis, Commissioner of Correction, appeared in favor of the proposed resolution. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and on motion, the foregoing resolution failed of adoption.

William J. Doherty, Second Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, appeared and requested that an open competitive examination be held to fill vacancies in the position of Senior Social Investigator in the Children's Home Bureau. The matter was referred to the Acting Chief Examiner for a report.

Joseph T. Sebukaty, care of Tekutis, 176 Thirty-fourth st., Brooklyn, appeared as directed in connection with the removal of his name from the eligible list of Patrolman. The Secretary was instructed to subpoena one John Miller, Sullivan st. near Richard st., Brooklyn, to appear before the Commission on November 14.

Thomas Gleason appeared as directed to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman. Katie Gleason and Mrs. Delia Farley,

sisters of the candidate, also appeared with reference to the candidate's statements as to the date of his birth. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Thomas Gleason, 1511 Lexington 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 on the list of persons disqualified for employment in the city service.

Albert Robinson appeared as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Stationary Engineer (preferred), for physical disability; John M. Quilty and Thomas J. Burns, Jr. failed to appear as directed, to show cause why their names should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman for physical disability. In this connection the Commission considered reports (2) dated Nov. 1 and 7 from the Application Clerk, relative to a medical re-examination of certain candidates, stating that Joseph L. Conlan, a candidate for Patrolman, and Albert Robinson had been passed; that Thomas J. Burns, Jr. had been rejected; and that John M. Quilty had failed to appear. The Secretary was instructed to recertify the name of Joseph L. Conlan, 65 E. 8th st., Whitestone, L. I., to the Police Department for appointment; to recertify the name of Albert Robinson, 329 Lincoln ave., Brooklyn, to the Department of Education for appointment; to summon Thomas J. Burns, Jr. before the Commission at its next regular meeting; and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of John M. Quilty, 164 E. 103rd st., Manhattan, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolmen, under the provisions of Clause 14 of Rule VII. for physical disability.

Patrick Quaney, 349 E. 135th st., Bronx, appeared as directed in connection with a request from the Department of Street Cleaning that his name be changed on the records from Patrick Quinn, to Patrick Quaney, the latter being his correct name. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

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

Resolved, That the name of Angelo Benedetto, 938 Fourth ave., Brooklyn, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, under the provisions of Clause 14 of Rule VII., and placed on the list of persons disqualified for employment in the city service.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Abraham Solomon, 86-88 S. 10th st., Brooklyn, on the eligible list of Patrolman be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Charles K. Koch, 453 Pulaski st., Brooklyn, on the eligible list of Probation Officer be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Abraham Victor, 622 Schenck ave., Brooklyn, on the eligible list of Prison Keeper be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Jeremiah Riordan, 211 E. 96th st., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Prison Keeper be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Daniel Curtin, 511 W. 131st st., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Prison Keeper be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Michael McKenna, 1476 Madison ave., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Prison Keeper be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Julius Goldsmith, 354 E. 83rd st., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter (Male), Grade 2, be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Max Israel Rosenfeld, 103 Columbia st., Manhattan, on the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter (Male), grade 2, be and the same hereby is removed.

The following named candidates failed to appear as directed to show cause why their names should not be removed from the eligible lists specified: Walter E. Byrnes, 517 W. 129th st., Typewriting Copyist, Grade 2. Larry Harris, 2304 Amsterdam ave., Prison Keeper. The Secretary was instructed to summon the above named candidates for the next regular meeting of the Commission.

Patrick J. Dugan, 2840 Eighth ave., Manhattan, appeared as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Prison Keeper, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII. The Secretary was instructed to provide certification of the candidate's name to the Department of Correction, and to mark him not qualified on the eligible list of Prison Keeper, pending production of further proof as to the date of his birth.

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

William F. Mercer, Inspector of Public Works, at \$1,650 per annum, to Assistant Engineer at \$1,650, Bureau of Sewers, Department of Public Works, Manhattan. Eugene F. Clayton, Inspector of Public Works at \$1,200 per annum, to Assistant Engineer at \$1,620 per annum, Bureau of Sewers, Department of Public Works, Manhattan. Vincenzo Reino and Nicola Zeolli, Drivers, at \$960 per annum, to Hostler at \$912 per annum, Department of Street Cleaning. Cyril E. Larkin, Clerk, at \$300, from Department of Health to Department of Correction. Thomas M. Hallam, Inspector at \$1,350, Tenement House Department, to Engineer Inspector (Architectural), at \$1,500, in Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan. John E. Reilly, Housesmith at \$5 a day, from Department of Street Cleaning to Department of Docks and Ferries.

J. Raymond Pennafather, Inspector of Public Works at \$1,260 per annum, from Department of Public Works, Manhattan, to Engineer Inspector at \$1,200 in the Department of Street Cleaning. Daniel J. Traynor, Clerk at \$840, from Department of Public Charities to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. James Caggiano, Hostler at \$960 per annum, to Driver at \$996 per annum in Department of Street Cleaning. Philip Calzeretta, Sweeper at \$888 per annum, to Driver at \$996 per annum, in Department of Street Cleaning. Otto Reinhard, Hostler at \$960 per annum, to Driver at \$996 per annum, in Department of Street Cleaning. Dominick Gambino, Bernardo Dalmaz and William Barger, Laborers, from the Board of Water Supply to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. Margaret C. Vaughan, Attendant at \$660 per annum, from office of the President of Borough of Manhattan to Department of Parks, Brooklyn. Frank Ettinger, Ignatz Friedman and Max Rothenberg, Laborers, to Cleaner in Department of Public Works, Manhattan. John J. Fitzpatrick, Laborer, from Department of Public Works, Manhattan, to Department of Docks and Ferries. Helen G. Murray, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 in the Law Department, to Department of Public Markets, at \$960 per annum.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements the following reinstatements were approved:

Nicola Luciano as Extra Driver, at \$3 a day in Department of Street Cleaning. Isidore Kurtzweg, as Clerk at \$540 per annum in Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan. Victor Schiller as Clerk at \$720 per annum, Department of Finance. Thomas F. Connery as Clerk at \$840 per annum in Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. Edgar Going as Extra Driver at \$3 a day in Department of Street Cleaning. Louis Sanders as Title Examiner at \$1,500 per annum in Law Department. Morris Fuchs as Clerk at \$540 per annum in Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan. Pauline Akabas as Clerk at \$540 per annum in Bureau of Social Investigations, Department of Public Charities.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements the reinstatement of John F. Grennan as Laborer at \$3 a day in the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, was disapproved, there being a preferred list for Laborer in existence for that Borough.

On the recommendations 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:

SPECIAL CERTIFICATE.

Nov. 5—William E. Kinney, Stenographer and Typewriter, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, \$960, for ten days from October 31, date of list. Marguerite A. Cullen, Typewriting Copyist, Department of Public Charities, \$600, for ten days from Oct. 31, date of list.

Oct. 31—Thomas Smith, Marine Stoker, Department of Public Charities, continued for sixteen days from Oct. 16, in absence of list.

CLAUSES 3 AND 4, RULE XII.

Oct. 18—Cecelia A. Bergen, Tabulating Machine Operator (Powers), Department of Finance, \$2 a day, for thirty days, pending new list. Former non-competitive examination construed to qualify.

CLAUSE 4, RULE XII.

Oct. 30—Clerks, Department of Finance, \$600 per annum, for thirty days each; Marjorie Bowen, Zella Jacobs, Antoinette Aitken, Oct. 25; Ruth V. Meyers, Oct. 29. Oct. 30—Jerome Kahn, Robert Robinson, Clerks, Department of Finance, \$540, from Oct. 8 to Nov. 5, inclusive.

Oct. 26—Medical Inspectors, Department of Health, \$1,020, for thirty days each: Sophie Rabinoff, Oct. 18; Henry E. Brown, Oct. 19; Joseph A. Devlin, Oct. 22; Ferdinand F. Siegel, Oct. 24.

Oct. 31—Department of Health: Loretta Fiernan, Clerk, \$840; Oct. 26, 1917, thirty days. Sabina F. Capper, Clerk, \$1,200; Oct. 8, 1917, thirty days; Adelaide Collmer, Trained Nurse, \$900, for fifteen days only from Oct. 22. Department of Public Charities: Thomas Barry, Stationary Engineer, \$4.50 a day, for six days from Oct. 29; Otto Milatz, Clerk, \$840, for fifteen days from Oct. 25; Rosetta Frederick, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$720, for thirty days from Oct. 10; Russel F. Maddern, Pathological Chemist, \$1,500 for thirty days from Oct. 23; Ernestine Doychert, Physician, \$1,800, for thirty days from Sept. 12; Typewriting Copyists, \$600: Emma M. Callanan, Claire A. Galligan, for thirty days each. Mae Lennon, for a second fifteen days from Oct. 24.

Oct. 29—Emanuel Rosenberg, Clerk, Tenement House Department, \$300, for thirty days from Oct. 29.

Nov. 1—Philip Barun, Stenographer and Typewriter, Department of Docks and Ferries, \$900 per annum, for thirty days from November 1.

Nov. 2—Frank Layden, Typewriting Copyist (Dictaphone Operator), Board of Estimate and Apportionment, \$3.50 a day, for a second fifteen days from Oct. 16.

Nov. 3—Jacob Goldberg, Clerk, Law Department, \$25 a month, for thirty days from Oct. 29.

Nov. 1—Charles F. Millsbaugh, Automobile Engineman, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, \$4 a day, for a second fifteen days from Nov. 1.

Oct. 21—Interpreters, City Magistrates' Court, \$5 a day: Guy Maine, Chinese, Oct. 23; Wilho Hedman, Finnish, Oct. 22.

Oct. 29—Joseph E. Farrington, Court Attendant, Municipal Court, \$1,500, for fifteen days from Oct. 29.

Oct. 27—Clerks, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, \$840, for thirty days each; William Pasternack, Edward Harvey, Thomas L. McManus.

Oct. 30—Dr. E. B. Ackerman, Veterinarian, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, \$20, Sept. 20 and 28.

Oct. 31—Helen Cashman, Clerk, Board of Education, \$3 a day, for ten days.

CLAUSE 12, RULE XVIII.

Oct. 29—Trained Nurses, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, \$600, for thirty days each: Olive Nole, Marie Glynn, Sophie Kean. Department of Public Charities, for thirty days each: Stephen J. Finn, Auto Engineman (Ambulance), \$1,200; Margaret J. Sullivan, Chief Nurse, \$720; Laura J. Walden, Trained Nurse, \$600; John Grace, Deckhand, \$720; Joseph Soffier, Harry F. Ark, Physicians, \$1,140.

CLAUSE 11, RULE XIX.

Oct. 31—Licensed Firemen, Department of Public Charities, \$3 day: Edward Madden, three days from Oct. 29; Wm. McClosky, ten days from Oct. 23; George Gallagher, ten days from Oct. 20.

Oct. 30—Department of Public Charities: Frank T. Duffy Painter, \$5 a day, on Oct. 31; Luke Doucette, Marine Stoker, for 6 days from Oct. 5, 6 days from Oct. 17, and 6 days from Oct. 24. Department of Docks and Ferries: Patrick J. Mahoney, Boilermaker, \$4.50 a day, for five days from Oct. 30; John J. Driscoll, Peter Becker, Laborers, \$2.50 a day, on Oct. 28.

Oct. 29—Marine Stokers, Department of Docks and Ferries: James J. Gallagher, Oct. 25 to Nov. 1, inclusive; William J. Allen, Oct. 27 to Nov. 1, inclusive; William Huston, Oct. 26 to Nov. 6, inclusive. For five days each from Nov. 2: William J. Allen, William Day, Robt. McAuliffe, James J. Gallagher, John White, Edwin Howard, Alber Joran, Emery Fohner, Peter Matthews, Maurice Barrat, James Flannery, Peter McMahon, Absalom Gifford. Maurice Barrat, five days from Oct. 23.

Oct. 27—Alber Joran, three days from Oct. 25; Absalom Gifford, two days from Oct. 26, 1917. For five days each from Oct. 28: Maurice Barrat, Robert McAuliffe, Emory Fohner, Timothy O'Leary, Alber Joran, James Flannery, Patrick Matthews, Edwin Howard, William Day, Peter McMahon, Absalom Gifford, John White.

Oct. 30—Thomas F. Moran, Laborer, office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, \$2.50 a day, for fifteen days from Oct. 22; James Scanlon and five others as Laborers, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, during week ending Oct. 27.

Oct. 29—J. Screenan and thirty-one others as Laborers, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, during week ending Oct. 27.

Oct. 27—Ashalt Works, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, \$2.50 a day, pending list: Edward Morris, Lawrence F. Burke, Samuel Jackson, James Esposito, Ciro Favia.

Oct. 30—Edward Pfeifer, Lawrence Bayer, Wm. C. Mudge, Laborers, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, \$2.50 a day, for ten days each, pending appointment from list. Climbers and Pruners, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, \$2.50 a day, for five days each from Oct. 27: Martin Brown, V. Sandillo, Patrick Ruane, Timothy Rooney, Robert Morris, John Fleming, John Horan, George Keller, John Quinn, Robert Hurton, William J. Kehoe, Charles Schoene, Adolph Citron, Patrick Powers, Henry Drush. Pipefitters, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, \$5.50 a day each: August Schelp, Oct. 30 to Nov. 5; William Naughton, ten days from Oct. 31.

The Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments denied for lack of power the request of the Municipal Court of the City of New York under date of Nov. 2, 1917, for authority to continue A. W. Hornung as Stenographer at \$2,100, under the provisions of clause 4 of Rule XII., to Nov. 12, 1917, he having already served the period allowed under that rule.

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 in the capacities specified, under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII, upon the recommendation of Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, in reports set forth below:

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity: Q-434, Ethel G. Gerety, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum. Department of Education, Q-435, Mary B. Ball, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum. Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, Q-445, Viola M. Keeler, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum. Department of Health, Q-415, Q-416, Q-417, Q-418, Henry A. Bartels, Frances M. Reilly, Margaret P. Simmons, Dorothy Lintz, Laboratory Assistants (Bacteriological Laboratory), at \$600 per annum; Q-436, Florence R. Newman, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum; Q-441, Edna M. Franklin, Typewriting Copyist, at \$600 per annum. Board of Standards and Appeals, Q-439, Q-440, Sophia Elfenbein, Marie E. Smith, Typewriting Copyists, at \$600 per annum. President of the Borough of Queens, Q-454, 447, James J. Judge, George J. Young, Inspectors of Sewer Construction, at \$4 a day. Department of Docks and Ferries, Q-338, Samuel E. Kamerman, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum. Department of Public Charities, Q-437, Mercedes H. Bloom, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum; Q-446, William C. Rogers, Lay Superintendent, Sea View Farms, at \$2,100 per annum.

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 in the capacities specified, under the provisions of clause 11 of Rule XVIII, upon the recommendation of Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, in reports set forth below:

Department of Public Charities: Y-41, Catherine A. Tansey, Chief Nurse, at \$780 per annum; Z-1, Z-2, Z-3, George E. Cruse, Charles F. Mercier, Stephen J. Finn, Automobile Enginemen (Ambulance), at \$960 per annum; Y-39, John J. Grace, Deckhand, at \$720 per annum; X-14, James F. Vavasour, Physician, at \$1,500 per annum; T-257, T-258, T-259, Nellie G. Rives, Maidie E. Hayden, Phoebe L. Goerke, Trained Nurses, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals: T-260, T-261, T-262, T-263, T-264, T-265, T-266, T-267, T-268, T-269, Elsa D. Herold, Ethel J. Church, Olive V. Johnson, Helena Morrissey, Carolyn M. Ledford, Mary J. Weldner, Portia E. Rowley, Olive A. Eroh, Cynthia McDonnell, Theresa M. Wagner, Trained Nurses.

The Commission then took up the matter of the proposed amendment of the classification of positions in the Exempt Class under the heading "Court of Special Sessions," which had been laid over at a previous meeting. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same is hereby amended by striking from the exempt class, under the heading "Court of Special Sessions," the following:

Clerk of the Children's Court, Manhattan.
Deputy Clerk of the Children's Court, Manhattan.
Clerk of the Children's Court, Bronx.
Deputy Clerk of the Children's Court, Bronx.
Clerk of the Children's Court, Brooklyn.
Deputy Clerk of the Children's Court, Brooklyn.
Clerk of the Children's Court, Queens.
Clerk of the Children's Court, Richmond.

The Commission again considered the request of Martin J. Moore, 1109 Hoe ave., Bronx, that his name be removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City service, which had been laid over at a previous meeting. The request was denied.

The Commission approved the action of Commissioner Keogh on Nov. 1 in directing that the payrolls of all employees of the City who are not citizens be certified, pending an amendment of the Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with an opinion of the Corporation Counsel dated Oct. 31, 1917.

The Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification appearing against the following names on the eligible list of Patrolman: Henry J. Feibel, Joseph C. Hill, Michael Finnegan, J. Dugan, Edward A. Magnuson.

The Commission considered a report dated Oct. 29 from Examiner Hildreth relative to the experience statements of Francis T. Moore in the examination for Engineer Inspector Architectural, grade C. In connection with this matter the Commission also considered reports dated Oct. 22 from Assistant Chief Examiner Fuld and Henry P. de Forest, Medical Examiner, relative to the candidate's physical condition. On Motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Francis T. Moore, 434 Hopkins ave., Queens, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Engineer Inspector, Architectural, grade C, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed on the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City service.

The following reports were presented from the Acting Chief Examiner:

Report dated Nov. 5 recommending that the following promotion examinations be ordered for the Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond: Clerk, second grade, to be open to all Telephone Operators, grade 1, and to all Clerks, first grade, in the General Administration Offices eligible; Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Clerks and to all second grade Stenographers and Typewriters in the General Administration Offices eligible; Clerk, fourth grade, to be open to all third grade Clerks and to all third grade Stenographers and Typewriters in the General Administration Offices eligible; Accountant, fourth grade, to be open to all third grade Clerks and third grade Accountants and fourth grade Clerks eligible; Assistant Engineer, grade D, to be open to all Transmitters and Computers, grade C, in the Bureau of Street Cleaning eligible; Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Clerks and second grade Stenographers and Typewriters in the Bureau of Highways eligible.

Report dated Oct. 31 recommending that the following promotion examinations be ordered for the Board of City Record: Clerk, second grade, to be open to all first grade Clerks eligible; Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Clerks eligible; Clerk, fourth grade, to be open to all third grade Clerks eligible.

Report dated Nov. 5 recommending that the following promotion examination be ordered for Bellevue and Allied Hospitals: Bookkeeper, fourth grade, to be open to all

third grade Bookkeepers eligible; Hospital Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Hospital Clerks eligible; Hospital Clerk, second grade (competitive class), to be open to all Hospital Clerks, at \$480 per annum (non-competitive class) eligible. And recommending that the request for an examination for promotion to Clerk, third grade, be denied.

Report dated Oct. 31 recommending that the following promotion examinations be ordered for the Department of Parks, Brooklyn: Bookkeeper, fourth grade, to be open to all third grade bookkeepers eligible; Clerk, second grade, to be open to all first grade Clerks and to all Telephone Operators, grade 1, eligible; Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Clerks eligible.

Report dated October 31 recommending that the following promotion examinations be ordered for the Department of Public Works, Bronx: Clerk, fifth grade, to be open to all fourth grade Clerks in the General Administration Offices and in the Bureau of Buildings eligible; Clerk, fourth grade, to be open to all third grade Clerks in the General Administration Offices, Sewers and Highways-Maintenance and in Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of The Bronx, eligible; Clerk, third grade, to be open to all second grade Clerks in the General Administration Offices eligible; Clerk, second grade, to be open to all first grade Clerks in the Bureau of Design eligible; Assistant Engineer, grade E, to be open to all Assistant Engineers, grade D, in the Bureau of Construction, General Administration Offices, and in the Topographical Bureau eligible; Assistant Engineer, grade D, to be open to all Transmitters, grade C, Topographical Draftsmen, grade C, and Transmitters and Computers, grade C, in the Bureau of Construction eligible; Topographical Draftsmen, grade D, and Structural Steel Draftsmen, grades C and D, in the Bureau of Design eligible; Topographical Draftsmen, grade C, in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways-Maintenance eligible; Assistant Engineers, grade C, Topographical Draftsmen, grades C and D, Transmitters and Computers, grade C, in the Topographical Bureau eligible; Transmitter, grade D, to be open to all Transmitters, grade C, and Levelers, grade C, in the Bureau of Construction eligible; Transmitters, grade C, in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways-Maintenance eligible; Levelers, grade C, in the Topographical Bureau eligible; Transmitter, grade C, to be open to all Rodmen, grade C, and to all Chainmen and Rodmen, grade C, in the Bureau of Construction eligible; Topographical Draftsmen, grade D, to be open to all Topographical Draftsmen, grade C, in the Bureaus of Design, Sewers and Highways-Maintenance and Topographical Bureau eligible; Rodman, grade C, to be open to all Axemen, grade B, in the Bureau of Construction eligible; Foreman, grade 3, to be open to all Foremen, grade 2, in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways-Maintenance eligible; General Inspector, grade 3, to be open to all Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Paving, grade 2, in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways-Maintenance eligible; Foreman, grade 2, to be open to all Assistant Foremen, grade 1, in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways-Maintenance and in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices eligible.

Report dated Oct. 31 recommending that an examination for promotion from Engineer Inspector, grade D, to Assistant Engineer, grade E, be ordered for the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, to be open to all Engineer Inspectors, grade D, eligible.

Report dated Nov. 1 recommending that the request of the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, for an examination for change of title of certain Auto Enginemen and Auto Truck Drivers to Automobile Machinist be denied in so far as it related to Auto Enginemen, persons serving in the competitive class being ineligible for examination for change of title to positions appearing in the labor class; and that its request for an examination for change of title of Charles Brady and John F. Blaney, Laborers, and Edward Galvin, Driver, to Auto Truck Driver be granted. The recommendations were adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in reports (3) dated Nov. 3, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with open competitive examinations for the following positions: Pharmacist (Assistant Pharmacist); Inspector, Board of Water Supply, Grade 2; Bacteriologist (Assistant Bacteriologist).

After consideration of the above reports the following forms of advertisements for the examinations referred to therein were approved:

Pharmacist (Assistant Pharmacist).

"Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4, 70 per cent. required; technical, 6, 75 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties: The duties of incumbents of these positions are to compound, preserve and dispense drugs and medicines, to manufacture standard preparation, to keep records of prescriptions filled and to perform such services in the investigation, reporting, prevention and correction of conditions involved in the manufacture, handling and sale of drugs and other medicines as may properly be performed by pharmacists.

Requirements: Candidates must present for inspection at the time of filing application their license from the New York State Board of Pharmacy.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for Assistant Pharmacists are from \$600 to \$840 per annum with maintenance. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917 appointments will as a rule be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

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."

Inspector, Board of Water Supply, Grade 2.

"Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4, 70 per cent. required; technical, 6, 75 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties: Inspectors of the Board of Water Supply are required to inspect materials, supervise construction and exercise control over contractors' work in order to insure compliance with contracts and specifications. The Board of Water Supply is about to begin work on a water supply development in Delaware, Greene, Schoharie and Ulster Counties, where a long tunnel, dams, highways and appurtenant works are to be constructed. Assignments will be made for these contracts and appointees will be required to live near the work.

Requirements: Candidates should have had at least three years' experience as Inspector or Engineer or in a capacity such as to fit them for work of this character. They should be familiar with the materials of construction, with contracts and specifications and with the methods and appliances for prosecuting public works. Credit will be given to graduates of technical schools of recognized standing or to those having acquired sufficient training to fit them for construction work.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

Salary, \$120 per month when working on surface, and \$130 a month when working in shafts or tunnel.

Certification may be made at a salary greater than above to but not including \$1,800 annually.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 50 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

There will be several vacancies in the near future.

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.

Bacteriologist (Assistant Bacteriologist).

"Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; technical, 6, 75 per cent. required; 70 per cent. required on entire examination.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B. Duties: The duties of incumbents of this position are to exercise independent judgment in and to be responsible for bacteriological examinations and to perform research work under supervision.

Requirements: 1. A medical degree granted on the completion of a standard course in instruction in a medical school of recognized standing, or 2. Evidence of the completion of a standard course in bacteriology, not less than two years in length, in a college, university or other laboratory of recognized standing, or 3. Experience as either interne or assistant in a bacteriological or biological laboratory of recognized standing.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The Compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are: For full-time service, \$1,500 to \$2,100, inclusive. For part-time service averaging not less than 28 hours a week, \$1,200 to \$1,800, inclusive.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years."

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in a communication dated Nov. 3, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Physician, grade 3, male and female.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in a report dated Nov. 3, the following form of advertisement for the examination of Actuarial Clerk, grade 2, was approved:

"Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; Duties, 5; Mathematics, 3; 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: The duties of incumbents of these positions are to assist in the adjustment of crude mortality rates prepared from tabulations, the construction of mortality and active service tables, the preparation of commutation columns and in the development of monetary values based thereon.

Requirements: Candidates must possess a working knowledge of actuarial terms, symbols and formulae and with mathematics as applied to actuarial work.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary rate of grade 2 is from \$600 up to but not including \$1,200 per annum.

There are three vacancies in the Committee on Pensions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and three vacancies in the office of Teachers' Retirement System of the City of New York at a salary of \$1,080 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.

Upon the recommendation of Miss M. B. Upshaw, Assistant Chief Examiner, in a report dated Nov. 7, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to cancel the order for the examination for the position of Lay Superintendent (Sea View Farms).

A communication dated Nov. 3 was presented from the Advisory Board transmitting report under date of Nov. 2 from the Acting Chief Examiner recommending that the classification of positions in the Labor Class, Part II, be amended by eliminating the title Nickel Plater, Fire Department, and substituting therefor that of Electro-Plater and Polisher. The matter was laid over, pending provision for the position of Electro-Plater and Polisher in the budget.

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

Report dated Nov. 3 recommending that Louis Grumet be marked qualified on the eligible list of Bookkeeper, grade 2.

Report dated Nov. 3 recommending that Roy O'Sullivan be marked qualified on the eligible list of Prison Keeper.

Report dated Nov. 3 recommending that Louis Spector, a candidate on the eligible list of Probation Officer, be summoned before the Commission.

The recommendations were approved.

After consideration of a report dated Nov. 1 from Business Examiner Merrill, the action of the Secretary in certifying the appropriate eligible list of Accountant, 4th Grade, in response to a requisition from the Teachers' Retirement Board for an eligible list from which to appoint two Municipal Examiners of Pensions at \$165 a month, for a temporary period of from three to six months, was approved.

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

Report dated Nov. 7 recommending that the service ratings submitted by the Board of Standards and Appeals for the periods ending April 30 and Aug. 31, 1917, be accepted.

Report dated Nov. 7 recommending that the service ratings submitted by the Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the periods ending Sept. 30 and Dec. 31, 1916, and April 30 and Aug. 31, 1917, be accepted.

Report dated Nov. 7 recommending that the service ratings submitted by Hunter College for the period ending Aug. 31, 1917, be accepted.

The recommendations were adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Certification Clerk in a report dated Nov. 3, it was

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

Part I—Cleaner (Men), Manhattan; Cleaner (Men), Richmond; Cleaner (Men), Queens; Coal Passer, Bronx; Coal Passer, Brooklyn; Coal Passer, Queens; Coal Passer, Richmond; Driver, Bronx; Driver, Queens; Driver, Richmond; Dumpboardman, Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan; Dumpboardman, Department of Street Cleaning, Richmond; Hostler, Bronx; Hostler, Richmond; Laborer, Delaware County; Laborer, Greene County; Laborer, Nassau County; Laborer, Putnam County; Laborer, Schoharie County; Laborer, Ulster County; Paver, Richmond; Rammer, Richmond; Sewer Cleaner, Richmond; Licensed Fireman, Manhattan.

Part II—Automobile Engineman (with knowledge of hoisting apparatus), Hose Repairer (Fire Department), Rubber Tire Repairer (Fire Department), Water Tender (Department of Docks and Ferries), Cabinet Maker, Electrician's Helper, Glazier, Lineman, Scowman, Window Cleaner.

Part III—Saw Filer, Sheet Metal Worker.

Part IV—Elevatorman, Fireman (Licensed).

A report dated Nov. 3 was presented from the Certification Clerk recommending that, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XIX., the persons whose names appear on the eligible lists for the following positions be re-examined physically in order to extend their eligibility for a further period of one year:

Part II—Cement Mason.

Part III—Bridge Painter (Bridge Department), Core Maker (Fire Department), Dock Builder, Horseshoer (Floorman), Marine Sounder (Department of Docks and Ferries), Plasterer, Boilermaker's Helper, Carpenter, Decorator, Horseshoer (Fireman), House Painter, Mechanic (Elevator), Ship Carpenter.

Part IV—Carpenter.

The recommendation was adopted.

A communication dated Oct. 31 was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities requesting approval of the services of Robert B. Brown as Deputy Superintendent of the Municipal Lodging House from Dec. 15 to Dec. 31, 1916, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to certify the payroll in the amount of \$51.62, when presented, in accordance with an opinion from the Corporation Counsel under date of Sept. 27, 1917.

The following communications were presented:

From the Acting Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated Oct. 31, stating that the name of a Marine Stoker appointed under the emergency rule on Oct. 22 and 27 should have been given as Peter Matthews instead of Patrick Matthews.

From the Acting Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated ,

Nov. 1, stating that Patrick Boyle, appointed to the position of Marine Stoker, desired to be carried on the payrolls under the name of Patrick Joseph Boyle.

From the Deputy Commissioner of Correction, dated Oct. 24, stating that the appointment of David J. Sullivan as Temporary Instructor of Industry (Plumbing), effective as of Oct. 8, 1917, had been rescinded from that date because he declined to accept employment on account of the maintenance furnished by the department.

From the Secretary of the Department of Public Works, Manhattan, dated Oct. 18, stating that the resignation of Martin Tahaney, Laborer, had been canceled, he having returned to duty.

From the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, dated Nov. 2, stating that since notification of Oct. 23 of the lay-off of James M. Carroll, Laborer, for lack of funds, he had been drafted into the military service, for which reason the lay-off had been rescinded and his name restored to the payroll.

The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication dated Nov. 5 was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Correction requesting that a special certificate be attached to the payroll of August Goldner, Purchasing Agent, for the period from Sept. 1 to and including Oct. 31, 1917. The request was denied for lack of power, Mr. Goldner having exceeded the time allowed by Rule XII, clause 3.

The Commission approved the action of the Secretary in certifying as appropriate, on the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner, the preferred eligible list of Deputy Medical Superintendent, grade 3, and the competitive eligible list of Medical Inspector, grade 2, in response to a requisition under date of Oct. 18 from the Department of Public Charities for an eligible list from which to appoint one Physician in the Borough of Brooklyn at \$1,200 per annum for probable permanent employment.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reassignments to duty in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified: Department of Plant and Structures, Oct. 30, Martin F. Farrell, Housesmith. Department of Public Charities, Oct. 26, Owen F. Quinn, Deckhand. Department of Street Cleaning, Oct. 31, Domenico Simone, Sweeper. Department of Health, Nov. 2, Ida M. McGowan, Nurse. Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Nov. 1, Cono Ancono, Laborer. Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Oct. 27, Elizabeth Aldrich, Attendant, and John W. Duncan, Laborer.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner the following reports of the Departmental Boards of Examiners for positions in the Non-Competitive Class were approved: Department of Public Charities dated Oct. 29, 30; Department of Health dated Oct. 26; Board of Inebriety dated Oct. 1.

A report dated November 7 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 persons from the eligible lists specified on account of temporary inability, illness, impracticability of leaving other employment, etc., were approved: Benjamin Kamrass, Junior Chemist, Asphalt; Edward H. McCann, Bookkeeper, 3d Grade; Benjamin Heyman, Clerk, 2d Grade; Frank C. Litkenhouse, Laborer, Richmond; William S. Murray, Laborer, Richmond; August Gondeck, Clerk, 1st Grade; H. W. Hoyer, Preferred list of Structural Steel Draughtsman; James J. Stack, Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, Grade 2; Thomas J. Burns, Laborer, Richmond.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified for the reasons set forth above were also approved and it was ordered that certification of their names be withheld until further notice: John De Prospe, Clerk, 1st Grade; A. J. Hurwitz, Inspector of Light and Power, Grade 2; Edward Bernzott, Craneman (Electric); Joseph Rothowitz, Hospital Clerk, 2d Grade; N. E. Kornig, Health Inspector (Food); Peter J. Lambe and Jacob J. Reich, Temporary Preferred List of Gymnasium Attendant; Louis Fuchs, Health Inspector (Foods); Martin Borck, Fireman, Uniformed Force; Reuben Branson, Temporary Preferred List of Playground Attendant; Daniel E. Marshall, Temporary Preferred List of Playground and Gymnasium Attendant; George C. Bressert, Fireman, Uniformed Force; Anna J. Reynolds, Nurse, Temporary Work; Emily Carnegie, Nurse, Temporary Work; Max J. Bauersfeld, Patrolman; Beatrice M. A. Flinn, Nurse, Temporary Work; Bessie E. Smith, Nurse, Temporary Work; Francis Curran, Patrolman; Edward G. Neubeck, Clerk, 2d Grade; Edward F. Lowery, Temporary Preferred List of Typewriter Accountant (Remington Machine); Kathleen M. Kavanagh, Temporary Preferred List of Playground and Gymnasium Attendant; Lynette Goldberg, Temporary Preferred List of Playground Attendant; Augusta V. Goldberg, Lily Bayern, Winifred Salom, Mollie Koenig, Marion L. Fogerty, Elizabeth C. Walsh, Jessie Feinberg and Alice M. Chambers, Temporary Preferred List of Playground Attendant; John J. O'Brien and Albert J. Ewell, Laborers, Richmond; Herbert F. Liftchild, Temporary Preferred List of Typewriter Accountant, Elliott Fisher Machine; Jacob J. Ulman, Temporary Preferred List of Typewriter Accountant, Remington; Emma L. Spencer, Temporary Preferred List of Typewriter Accountant; William J. Faist, Temporary Preferred List of Typewriter Accountant; Marjorie Wrynn, Louise L. Wardell, Ella Rosenblum, Margaret M. Heagney, Miriam Faikoff, Frances Devany, Theresa Koopersmith, Anna C. Moran, Mary de S. Meade, Carrie F. Ahern, Lillian E. Glickner, May U. Lantry, Anna H. Price, Dorothy E. Wells, Anna B. Reisman, Etta Leopold, Lillian Fromenson, Jacob Cohen and Daniel J. R. Hogan, Temporary Preferred List of Playground Attendant; Joseph A. Davey, Prison Keeper; Charles J. Kraft, Jr., Dorothy H. Koerber and Rose Salwen, Temporary Preferred List of Playground Attendant; William J. Daly and William E. Golding, Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry, Grade 2; Fred T. Parrish, David H. McMillan, Charles E. Carroll, J. J. Gibbons and Alexander Loewy, Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry; C. C. Arthur, Preferred List of Inspector, Board of Water Supply; John Bailey, Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction.

The requests of the following named persons 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: Edward Black, Janitor Engineer; Jacob Aronson, Bookkeeper, 3d Grade, for temporary work; Sidney Hurwitz, Clerk, 1st Grade, for appointment at \$360 per annum, or over; John Z. Derby, Clerk, 1st Grade; George Corker, Temporary Preferred List of Attendant; J. J. Barther, Preferred List of Stationary Engineer, for appointment in Richmond; Flora Biddlecum, Social Investigator.

The request of Henry Kammerer that his name be restored to the list of Fireman, Uniformed Force, was disapproved, he having completed his probationary period at the time of his resignation from that position in the Fire Department.

The declination of appointment of Florence Mayr from the eligible list of Clerk, 1st Grade, Female, was disapproved and the Secretary was instructed to record her as ineligible for further certification therefrom.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records—

That Mrs. Valentine P. Flinn had notified the Commission under date of October 31 of the death of Valentine P. Flinn, whose name appeared on the eligible list of Janitor Engineer.

That Helen Markowitz desired certification from the eligible list of Clerk, First Grade, at \$500 per annum, or over.

That Abraham Jacobs desired certification from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, 2d Grade, at \$900 per annum, or over.

That the following named persons had left the service of the Department of Health, wherein they had been employed in the capacity specified under Rule XVIII, clause 11: Ernest Hellman, Orderly; D. Vincent Catalano, Interne; Richard R. Roman, Interne; Edna M. Boyd, Helper.

The requests of the following named persons for permission to correct their statements as to date of birth where in error in their papers in the examinations specified to conform to the proof submitted were granted: Joseph P. Ryan, 321 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan, Typewriting Copyist, Grade 2; Bertha A. Felix, 118 West 103d Street, Manhattan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, November 14, 1917, at 10:30 a. m.

JOHN F. SKELLY, Assistant Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York Held Monday, Nov. 12, 1917, at 12.30 P. M.

Present—Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh, Commissioners. Commissioner James presided.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in a report dated November 12, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Court Attendant (Male) be and the same hereby is promulgated, subject to future investigation of the candidates thereon.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, November 14, 1917, at 10:30 a. m.

JOHN F. SKELLY, Assistant Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of York Held Tuesday, Nov. 13, 1917, at 11.30 A. M.

Present—Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh, Commissioners. Commissioner James presided.

A report dated November 12 was presented from F. E. Kavanagh, Examiner, recommending that the appeal of Charles N. Stilson for a rerating on Record in the examination for promotion to Lieutenant, Police Department, be granted, an error having been made in rating the candidate's pistol firing test. The recommendation was adopted.

The Commission then took up the request of the Department of Health under date of October 4 for authority to employ Ernest C. Levy as a special investigator in connection with the work of the Mayor's Committee on Milk, at a salary of \$500 per month, which matter had been laid over at a previous meeting. On motion, it was

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Ernest C. Levy, 141 East 44th Street, Manhattan, be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6b of Rule XII of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, to be employed by the Department of Health as a special investigator in connection with the work of the Mayor's Committee on Milk for a period of six months from October 4, 1917, at a salary of \$500 a month.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, November 14, 1917, at 10:30 a. m.

JOHN F. SKELLY, Assistant Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 1917.

Division of Audit and Accounts.

Vouchers Drawn Against Funds.

Appropriations.	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Prior Years	\$7,174 04	\$1,070 59	\$680 50	\$8,925 13
Current Years	193,207 39	236,256 80	211,935 16	641,399 35
Revenue Bonds	1,842 94	1,555 11	3,952 50	7,350 55
Corporate Stock	75,284 72	194,692 16	236,851 24	506,829 12
Special and Trust Funds..	36,925 88	50,519 90	41,872 23	129,318 01
Total	\$314,434 97	\$484,095 56	\$495,291 63	\$1,293,822 16

Moneys Received.

Special Fund—Restoring and repaving, \$104,405.63. Sinking Fund—Vaults, \$47,024.41. General Fund—Sewers, \$1,160; sheds, \$1,008; redemptions, \$60; subpoena fees, \$38.50; prints, \$94.73; miscellaneous accounts receivable, \$1,126; lost cart signs, \$6; Durham report D. P. W., \$3; paper sales, \$1,109.59; auction sales, \$1,146.05; public comfort stations, \$156.33; rebate, express charges, \$3.79. C. P. M. 37, \$3,021.94. S 564, \$4,702. Special security deposits, \$5,900. Total, \$170,965.97.

Division of Permits.

Character of Permits Issued: Deposit, corporation, emergency and sidewalk. Deposit Permits—Double Deposit, Street Openings: Water, 539; sewer, 83; vault, 12; reset curb, 22; miscellaneous, 168; cancelled, 31; total, 824; payment, \$49,666.74. Single deposit, street openings: Water, 14; vault, 5; reset curb, 4; miscellaneous, 269; total, 292; payment, \$12,837. Single deposit, inspections: Water, 221; sewer, 53; vault, 60; reset curb, 5; miscellaneous, 240; cancelled, 21; total, 579; payment, \$998.50. Drop curbs, 59; payment, \$298.75. Cut curb 45; payment, \$656. Destroyed curb, 44; payment, \$971.50. Vaults, 69; payment, \$48,097.27. Corporation permits, 2; payment, \$2,351. Incumbrances: Building material, 360; payment, \$26,885. Roofs and sheds, 154; payment, \$1,008. Grand totals, \$2,428; payments, \$143,769.76.

Corporation Permits.

	New	Mains.	Overhaul.	Services.	Repairs.	Total.
Consolidated Telegraph & Electrical Subway Co.	314	..	646	276	1,236	
Empire City Subway Co.	184	..	153	278	615	
Consolidated Gas Co.	14	79	116	891	1,100	
Fire Department .....	..	..	851	..	851	
New York Steam Co. ....	..	..	9	51	60	
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	25	..	..	1	26	
Kingsbridge R. R. Co. ....	..	..	..	1	1	
Third Avenue R. R. Co. ....	..	..	..	17	17	
New York Railways Co. ....	..	..	..	26	26	
Belt Line R. R. Co. ....	..	..	..	5	5	
Second Avenue R. R. Co. ....	..	..	..	1	1	
N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Co. ....	..	..	..	1	1	
Devaney Asphalt Co. ....	..	..	..	1	1	

	Erect.	Reset.	Remove.	Total.
New York Edison Co.	14	100	15	129
United Electric Light & Power Co.	9	4	..	13
Beaver Engineering & Contracting Co. ....	..	..	19	19

Emergency Permits—Repairs made under Police permits on account of the inadvisability of waiting until an ordinary permit could be obtained. Issued to: N. Y. Mail & Newspaper Transportation Co., 5; Consolidated Gas Co., 14; Empire City Subway Co., 9; total, 28.

Sidewalk repair permits, 332.

Length of new mains and services of 75 feet or more installed during this quarter: Consolidated Telegraph & Electrical Subway Company, 26,983 feet; Empire City Subway Company, 83,139 feet; Consolidated Gas Company, 2,897 feet; New York Steam Company, 405 feet; total, 113,424 feet.

Amount of deposits liquidated, \$98,447.45; permits liquidated, 2,261; refunds liquidated, 1,968; amount of refunds granted, \$80,600.25; profits on permits liquidated, \$6,250.40.

Maintenance Division.

Repairs to Pavement, Square Yards.

Kind of Pavement.	Wear and Tear.	Burner.	Pay Cuts.	D.W.S. Cuts.	Sewer Cuts.	Total.
Asphalt	149,670	3,021	4,859	1,995	580	160,125
Wood Block	1,877	..	247	159	10	2,293
Stone Block	*59,339	..	13,668	1,163	338	74,508
Total	210,886	3,021	18,774	3,317	928	236,926

*Includes 4,174 square yards retarring.

Concrete foundation laid, 9,563 square yards; macadam roadway repaired, 5,436 square yards; macadam roadway cleaned, 55,508 square yards; macadam roadway gutters cleaned, 65,673 linear feet; earth roadway re-regulated and regraded, 48,797 square yards; earth roadway oiled, 44,000 square yards; earth roadway gutters cleaned, 26,778 linear feet; flagging reset, 512 square feet; crosswalk, 18 linear feet;

weeds cut, 1,900 linear feet; washouts filled (20), 109 cubic yards; guard-rail repaired, 243 linear feet; guard-rail whitewashed, 7,208 linear feet; road boxes cleaned, 84 linear feet; refuse removed, 374 cubic yards; stairs at 215th st. and Broadway kept clean and grass plots trimmed; cleaning Tunnel st., between Broadway and Subway Station, 191st st.

Materials Used—Asphalt road oil No. 6, 956 gallons; asphalt road oil No. 4 (dust layer), 11,000 gallons; Tarvia B, 112 gallons; Tarvia X, 2,837 gallons; broken stone (trap), 33 cubic yards; screenings, Trap, 4 cubic yards; grits, 63 cubic yards; sand, 7 cubic yards; stone (native), 11 cubic yards; earth filling, 195 cubic yards; ash filling, 156 cubic yards; wood, 85 pieces; lumber (assorted), 448 feet B. M.

Division of Sidewalks.

Inspections and reinspections, 10,162; notice to owners, including final notices, 4,628; locations visited by encumbrance trucks, 640; seizures made, 141; defective sidewalks referred to Local Boards for action, 173; Local Board letter sent to owners relative to defective sidewalks, 468; locations of premises not properly numbered referred to Corporation Counsel for action, 53; seizures redeemed, 21.

Street signs erected, 1,771; miscellaneous signs cleaned, repaired, removed, etc., 7,097.

CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO.

Repaving.

	Estimated Cost.
Clark st., from Dominick to Spring st.	\$3,533 43
15th st., from 10th ave. to Marginal st.	3,775 43
19th st., from 4th to 5th aves.	15,970 33
22nd st., from Broadway to 5th ave.	1,847 73
49th st., from 8th ave. to Broadway.	8,173 50
Clark st., from Broome to Dominick sts.	3,771 00
Sixth ave., from 35th to 42nd sts.	45,927 03
125th st., from Broadway to Claremont ave.	4,150 00
Fifth ave., from 135th to 137th sts.	15,003 43
31st st., from Lexington to 4th aves.	5,689 00
125th st., from Lexington to 3rd aves.	8,559 50
138th st., from 5th to Edgecombe aves.	34,610 75
Avenue D, from 5th to Houston sts.	12,366 93
126th st., from East and West of Lexington ave.	2,586 25
Broadway, from Vesey to Bleecker sts.	100,532 75
13th st., from 200 feet East of 28nd ave. to 2nd ave.	3,820 42
13th st., from 200 feet East of 2nd ave. to 1st ave.	9,003 82
Centre st., from Park Row to Chambers st.	8,065 63
79th st., from West End ave. to Riverside Drive.	6,569 50
54th st., from 6th to 7th aves.	9,422 30
Broadway, from Bleecker to 14th sts.	24,599 00
Scammel st., from Cherry to Henry sts.	5,574 00
3rd ave., from 60th to 79th sts., and Transverse Roads Nos. 1 and 2.	241,837 49
Madison ave., from 135th to 136th sts.	6,347 23
5th ave., from 124th to 135th sts.	55,282 90
Madison ave., from 125th to 135th sts.	37,293 00
47th st., from Broadway to 8th ave.	8,450 00
86th st., from First to Park aves.	35,681 08
Broome st., from Willett st. to Bowery.	52,203 90
Transverse Road No. 4, Central Park.	33,874 00
Jefferson st., from Cherry to Henry sts.	14,160 23
48th st., from Madison to 7th aves.	27,222 50
Lenox ave., from 135th to 145th sts.	69,132 80
36th st., from Broadway to 8th ave.	26,361 43
Total	\$941,398 29

Paving.

209th st., from 9th to 10th aves.	\$6,024 00
200th st., from Harlem River to 9th ave.	3,771 60
190th st., from St. Nicholas to Wadsworth aves.	4,742 50
Cooper st., from Academy to 204th sts.	5,982 50
215th st., from Park Terrace East to Park Terrace W.	3,244 00
215th st., from Indian rd. to Park Terrace W.	6,070 50
217th st., from Park Terrace East to Park Terrace W.	3,365 00
Park Terrace W., from 217th to 218th sts.	2,484 50
Academy st., from Harlem River to Nagle ave.	34,649 00
Park Terrace W., from 215th to 217th sts.	4,861 50
Total	\$75,195 10

Sewers and Receiving Basins.

1st ave., from 95th to 106th sts., etc. Sewer.	\$177,364 30
12th st., from Ave. B to 2nd ave., Sewer Alteration and Improvement.	35,225 02
53rd st., from 3rd ave., Sewer Alteration and Improvement.	5,876 20
Madison st., from Oliver to Market, Sewer Alteration and Improvement.	20,492 08
46th st., from 7th ave. to Hudson River, Tunnel Sewer No. 2.	83,629 80
Broadway, from 14th to White sts., receiving basins, alterations.	9,948 81
Broadway, from Vesey st. and 40 other points, receiving basins.	11,883 02
5th ave., from 124th to 137th sts., receiving basins, alterations.	8,227 49
19th st., from 5th to 4th aves., receiving basins, alterations.	1,372 00
Madison ave., from 127th st. and 3 other points, receiving basins, alterations.	1,091 62
Madison ave., from 128th to 136th sts., receiving basins, alterations.	4,938 00
13th st., from cors. 1st and 2nd aves., receiving basins, alterations.	1,747 80
Scammel st., from Madison to Cherry sts., receiving basins, alterations.	1,452 43
Prince st., from Wooster st. to Broadway, receiving basins, alterations.	1,495 64
Catharine st., from Cherry to Division sts., receiving basins, alterations.	1,398 80
Macdougall st., from Waverly pl. to 8th st., receiving basins, alterations.	923 77
Ave. D., from 2nd to 11th sts., receiving basins, alterations.	2,769 80
3rd ave., from 61st to 79th sts., receiving basins, alterations.	10,517 47
6th ave., from 19th to 23rd sts., receiving basins, alterations.	1,719 50
86th st., from cors. 1st and 2nd aves., receiving basins, alterations.	1,755 09
117th st., from 7th ave and 5 other points, receiving basins, alterations.	1,683 77
Transverse Road No. 4, Central Park, receiving basins, alterations.	4,410 12
Total	\$389,922 53

Miscellaneous.

Constructing iron railing, Children's Court.	\$1,390 00
Furnishing about 7,000 cubic yards sand.	6,762 00
General repairs to floating baths Nos. 1, 2, 10, 11, 14 and 15.	2,738 00
General repairs to floating bath No. 12.	4,658 00
General repairs to floating bath No. 13.	3,146 00
Furnishing about 200,000 wood paving blocks.	7,350 00
Furnishing about 3,000 cubic yards coarse aggregate.	4,536 00
Furnishing about 1,400 tons asphalt paving cement.	29,940 60
Alterations in Hall of Records building.	7,744 00
Furnishing about 52,000 feet, B. M. spruce timber.	2,352 50
Preparation of plans, etc., construction of Court House and Prison, 3rd Dist. Magistrate's Court.	5,642 86
Hot water piping system in Washington Market building.	1,099 00
Total	\$77,358 96

CONTRACTS COMPLETED.

Repaving.

55th st., from 7th to 8th aves.	\$8,183 62
24th st., from Broadway to 6th ave.	14,378 13
32nd st., from 3rd to Lexington aves.	7,396 00
Chambers st., from West Broadway to Greenwich st.	7,287 20
Grand st., from Essex to Ludlow sts., and from Lafayette st. West.	6,642 57
Clark st., from Broome to Dominick sts.	3,727 35
125th st., from Lenox ave. to Manhattan st.	45,896 67
22nd st., from Broadway to 5th ave.	1,738 51
15th st., from 10th ave. to Marginal st.	3,561 04

	Estimated Cost.
49th st., from 8th ave. to Broadway.	7,812 68
Grand st., from Bowery to Broadway.	16,963 50
Madison ave., from 72nd to 79th sts.	20,173 73
125th st., from Broadway to Claremont ave.	3,748 55
19th st., from 4th to 5th aves.	15,273 46
Grand st., from Clinton to Essex sts., and Ludlow st. to Bowery.	39,395 15
Beekman st., from South to William sts.	25,504 63
Clark st., from Dominick to Spring sts.	3,459 30
Broadway, west side, from 100th to 121st sts., and east side 92nd to 121st sts.	109,253 04
Columbus ave., from 96th to 110th sts.	46,591 32
18th st., from 6th to 7th aves.	10,496 15
Park Row, from Brooklyn Bridge to Broadway.	14,199 45
Total	\$411,682 05

Paving.

181st st., from Northern to Haven aves, etc.	\$6,179 84
Haven ave., from 180th to 181st sts.	2,306 19
218th st., from Park Terrace East to Seaman ave.	4,938 38
190th st., from St. Nicholas to Wadsworth aves.	4,902 65
Seaman ave., from 215th to 218th sts., etc.	9,155 35
215th st., from Park Terrace East to Park Terrace W.	3,169 06
Cooper st., from Academy to 204th sts.	5,874 64
209th st., from 9th to 10th aves.	6,118 44
209th st., from Harlem River to 9th ave.	3,778 21
Total	\$46,422 76

Sewers and Receiving Basins.

20th st., from N. R., 27th st., E. R., and 110th st., E. R., sewer repairs.	\$5,959 19
172nd st., from Ft. Washington ave. to Broadway, sewer repairs.	667 77
189th st., from Wadsworth to St. Nicholas aves.	2,696 59
Cedar st., from Broadway to Nassau st., Pine st., Nassau st., to Broadway, and Broadway, E. S., Pine to Cedar sts., sewer alterations.	10,467 40
41st st., from E. R. to Madison ave., borings for sewer.	3,153 15
Madison ave., from 72nd to 79th sts., receiving basin alterations.	4,701 72
6th ave., from 35th to 42nd sts., receiving basin alterations.	2,935 60
Bleecker st., from Bank to Carmine sts., receiving basin alterations.	5,911 72
Madison ave. and 127th st., and 3 other points, receiving basins.	1,041 64
Bowery, from Grand to 6th sts., receiving basin alterations.	5,570 57
Macdougall st., from Waverly pl. to 8th st.	804 83
Catharine st., from Cherry to Division sts., receiving basin alterations.	1,532 85
19th st., from 5th to 4th aves., receiving basin alterations.	991 85
13th st., from N. W. and S. W. cors. 1st and 2nd aves., receiving basins alterations.	1,775 95
Total	\$48,190 83

Miscellaneous.

500 tons refined asphalt.	\$9,836 91
Construction of sidewalk, Riverside Drive Service st., from 158th to 162nd sts.	1,397 74
Plumbing System, W. 28th St. Bath.	17,291 75
Total	\$28,526 40

Bureau of Sewers.

On June 30, 1917, the sewerage system of the Borough of Manhattan consisted of 528,577 miles of sewers, 6,983 receiving basins and 1,036 inlets. During the quarter 3,164.15 linear feet of sewer, 28 receiving basins and 135 inlets were built as new work.

Work Completed.

Receiving basins altered and improved, Park Row, at Ann and Mail Sts., with all work incidental thereto.

Receiving basin and inlet at intersection, Park Row and Centre St., with all work incidental thereto.

Alteration to receiving basins with inlets, Catharine St., from Cherry to Division St., with all work incidental thereto.

Alteration and improvement to basins, Bowery, from Grand to 6th St.

Alteration and improvement to receiving basins: Bleecker St., from Bank to Carmine St.; Madison Ave., from 72d to 96th St.

Alteration to receiving basins with inlets: Macdougall St., from Waverly Pl. to 8th St., etc.; 19th St., from 5th to 4th Ave., etc.

Receiving basins altered and improved on 6th Ave., from 35th to 42d St., etc., and construction of receiving basins adjacent to southeast corner of 36th St. and 6th Ave. and southeast corner of 37th St. and 6th Ave., etc.

Wash borings, foot of E. 41st St., in connection with Contract No. 2 (41st St., Madison Ave. to East River).

Receiving basins, southeast corner of Park Ave. and 74th St., and at 25 other points; southwest corner of Madison Ave. and 127th St., and at three other points.

Extension of sewer, 172d St., bet. Fort Washington Ave. and Broadway, easterly toward Broadway for about 35 feet.

Sewers in 188th and 189th Sts., bet. Wadsworth and St. Nicholas Aves.

Alteration and improvement to sewer, Pine St., bet. Nassau St. and Broadway, and Broadway, east side, bet. Pine and Cedar Sts., and in Cedar St., etc.

Reconstruction of sewer and appurtenances in Transverse Rd., Central Park, bet. 65th and 66th Sts.

Receiving basin, alteration and improvement, 125th St., from 3d Ave. to Manhattan St., and receiving basins at southeast corner, 125th St. and Park Ave., and five other points.

Sewer, etc., E. 76th St., bet. East River and a point 75 feet westerly.

The amount earned on the above work, payable out of street improvement fund is \$32,666.82, and out of corporate stock funds, \$34,305.25.

Work Under Construction, Payable Out of Street Improvement Fund.

Alteration and improvement to sewers: 53d St., from a point about 50 feet east of 3d Ave. to 3d Ave., and in 3d Ave., bet. 53d and 54th Sts.; Park Ave., west side, bet. 74th and 75th Sts., and bet. 76th and 78th Sts.; Spruce St., bet. Gold and Nassau Sts.; 11th St., from Ave. D to East River; 12th St., bet. Ave. B and 2d Ave.; 43d St., bet. 5th and 6th Aves.

Tunnel relief sewer and appurtenances, W. 46th St., from Harlem River to 7th Ave.

Receiving basin adjacent to northeast corner 48th St. and southeast corner 55th St. and 5th Ave., and receiving basin altered and improved, northeast corner 40th St. and 5th Ave.

Sewer and appurtenances, 1st Ave., bet. 95th and 106th Sts., and outlet sewer in 96th and 102d Sts., bet. Harlem River and 1st Ave.

Receiving basins and inlets, southeast corner Lenox Ave. and 112th St., and 16 other points.

Storm relief sewer, 114th St., bet. 1st Ave. and East River.

Receiving basins: northwest corner Beekman and Gold Sts., and at five other points; southwest corner Broadway and Vesey St., and 40 other points; northwest corner of 117th St. and 7th Ave., and five other points.

Sewer, 151st St., from Harlem River to 7th Ave.

Alteration and improvement to outlet sewer at Dyckman St. and Hudson River, including the construction of submerged outlet and screening chamber, Contracts Nos. 1 and 2.

The contract prices for above work amounted to \$774,755.61.

Work Under Construction, Payable Out of Corporate Stock Funds.

Alteration to receiving basins with inlets, with all work incidental thereto, Broadway, from White to 14th St.; Ave. D, from 2d to 11th St.; 3d Ave., from 61st to 79th St.; 5th Ave., from 124th to 137th St.; Madison Ave., from 128th to 136th St.

Alteration to receiving basins, northwest and southwest corners, 1st Ave. and 13th St.

Alteration of basins with inlets: Scammel St., from Cherry to Madison St.; Prince St., from Wooster St. to W. Broadway.

Alteration to basins and construction of manholes, etc., Transverse Road No. 4, with all work incidental thereto.

The contract prices for above work amounted to \$45,506.33.

Work Completed Upon Open Market Orders.

Alteration to basins: Southeast corner Hubert and Collister Sts.; southeast and northeast corner of 36th St. and 8th Ave.; southeast corner of Marginal St. and W. 15th St.

Alteration to basins with inlets: Stanton St., from Lewis to Cannon St.; northeast and southeast corners of 19th St. and 8th Ave.; northeast corners 67th and 68th Sts. and Park Ave.; Wall St., from Hanover to Pearl St.

Alteration to receiving basins: Northeast, southeast and southwest corners, 125th St. and Lenox Ave.; northeast corner of 49th St. and 8th Ave.; southeast and southwest corners 181st St. and Haven Ave.; southeast corner Grand and Orchard Sts., and southwest corner of Grand and Clinton Sts.; 42d St., from 6th Ave. to Broadway; north side of Broome St., 80 feet west of the west house line of West Broadway.

Alteration and improvement to receiving basins and construction of inlets, northeast corner 190th St. and Wadsworth Ave.

Construction of inlets and appurtenances, southwest corner 27th St. and Broadway.

Alteration to receiving basins with inlets, northwest corner Madison Ave. and northeast corner 6th Ave. and 48th St.

Repair to vitrified pipe sewer in Transverse Road No. 1, Central Park, bet. 65th and 66th Sts.

Construction of basin southeast corner 124th St. and Pleasant Ave.

Alteration and improvement to receiving basins: Cooper St., from Academy to 204th St.; 209th St. and 9th Ave.

Alteration to basins with inlets, northwest and southwest corners 61st St. and 1st Ave.

Receiving basins, southeast corner Front and Pine Sts., and northeast corner Wall and Front Sts.

The amount earned on above work, payable out of the Street Improvement Fund, is \$4,178.17; out of Corporate Stock Fund, \$7,548.27, and out of Tax Levy Fund, \$1,085.91.

Work Under Construction Upon Open Market Orders.

Alteration to receiving basin with inlet, northeast corner 47th St. and 8th Ave.

Construction of inlet, northeast corner Monroe and Catharine Sts.

Receiving basins on 5th Ave., at southeast and northwest corners of 136th St. and southeast corner 137th St.

Repair to sewer at 80th and 81st Sts. and Lexington Ave.

The contract prices for above work, payable as follows: Street Improvement Fund, \$758.64; repaving fund, \$661.42; tax levy funds, \$1,598.50.

Contract Forms and Specifications Prepared.

Alteration and improvement and extension of sewer, 91st St., bet. North River and Riverside Drive.

Tunnel relief sewer and appurtenances, W. 46th St., from Hudson River to 7th Ave., etc., Contract No. 2.

Repairs to barrel sewers: Foot of Duane St. and North River (pier 21); foot of Vestry St. and North River (pier 29).

Receiving basins: Houston St., adjacent to northeast corner of Mulberry St. and southeast corner Elizabeth St.; northwest corner 117th St. and 7th Ave. and at five other points; 5th ave., at southeast and northwest corners of 136th St. and southeast corner 137th St.

Receiving basin, with all work incidental thereto: Northeast corner of 53d St. and 6th Ave.; southeast corner of Lenox Ave. and 135th St., and 17 other points.

Alteration of basins with inlets: Scammel St., from Cherry to Madison St., with all work incidental thereto.

Receiving basin altered, with inlets, East Houston St. bet. Bowery and Lafayette St., with all work incidental thereto.

Receiving basin, S. E. corner 172d St. and Fort Washington Ave., with all work incidental thereto.

Alteration to receiving basins, with inlets, N. W. and S. W. corners 44th St. and 1st Ave.

Construction of inlet, N. E. corner Monroe and Catharine Sts., with all work incidental thereto.

Rebuilding receiving basins, Spruce St. at Gold and Beekman Sts.

Repair to sewers, E. 80th and E. 81st Sts. at Lexington Ave.

Construction of receiving basin, north side of Broome St., about 80 feet west of the west house line of West Broadway.

Construction of receiving basin, S. E. corner 124th St. and Pleasant Ave.

Alterations to receiving basins, with inlets and all work incidental thereto: Broome St., from Chrystie to Lewis Sts.; Jefferson St., from Cherry to Henry Sts.; Macdougall St., from Waverly Pl. to 8th St.; 35th St., from Broadway to 9th Ave.; Lenox Ave., from 135th to 145th Sts.; N. W. corner of Pearl and State Sts.; N. W. corner of 47th St. and 8th Ave.; N. W. and S. W. corners of 12th St. and 2d Ave.; N. W. corner of Madison Ave. and N. E. corner of 6th Ave. and 48th St.; Stanton St., from Lewis to Cannon Sts.; S. E. corner Hubert and Collister Sts.; N. W. and S. W. corners 61st St. and 1st Ave.; 51st St., from Park to 6th Aves.; N. W. and S. W. corners 19th St. and 8th Ave.; 15th St., from Broadway to 5th Ave.; N. W. corner 67th St. and N. E. corner 68th St. and Park Ave.; N. W., S. W., N. E. and S. E. corners 209th St. and 9th Ave.; Wall St., from Hanover to Pearl Sts.

Inlets at S. E. corner of 144th St. and 8th Ave., with all work incidental thereto.

Receiving basins on 8th Ave., at N. E. and N. W. corners of 142d St., with inlets.

Reported to Local Boards and Legally Authorized.

Receiving basins: S. E. corner Pleasant Ave. and 124th St.; N. W. and S. E. corner of 117th St. and 7th Ave.; N. W. and S. E. corners of 118th St. and 7th Ave.; N. W. and S. E. corners of 119th St. and 7th Ave.; N. W. corner of 5th Ave. and 43d St., and S. W. corner of 5th Ave. and 44th St.; N. W. and S. E. corner of 5th Ave. and 136th St.; S. E. corner of 172d St. and Fort Washington Ave.; S. E. corner 5th Ave. and 137th St.; N. W. corner of 88th St. and Central Park West; N. W. corner of 42d St. and Madison Ave.; N. E. corner of 55th St. and 6th Ave.

Construction of sewer, 209th St., from a point about 250 feet east of 9th Ave. to pierhead line, with all work incidental thereto.

Alteration and improvement to receiving basin, with inlets: N. E. corner 5th Ave. and 33d St.; N. W. corner 5th Ave. and 27th St., and S. W. corner 5th Ave. and 28th St.

Receiving basin and appurtenances, N. W. corner 5th Ave. and 29th St., and alteration and improvement to receiving basin at S. W. corner 5th Ave. and 30th St., with inlets.

Receiving basin and appurtenances adjacent to N. E. corner 5th Ave. and 32d St.

Receiving basin and appurtenances, S. E. corner 5th Ave. and 32d St., and alteration and improvement to receiving basin at N. E. corner 5th Ave. and 31st St.

Reported to the Local Boards but Not Yet Legally Authorized.

Receiving basins: North side of 110th St., about 170 feet west of Madison Ave.; S. E. corner 77th St. and 3d Ave.; S. E. corner Ave. A and 87th St.; N. W. corner 172d St. and Broadway; S. E. corner Grand and Madison Sts.; N. W. corner Grand and Cannon Sts.; N. W. corner Grand and Columbia Sts.; S. E. corner Grand St. and East Broadway; N. W. corner Grand and Sheriff Sts.; N. W. corner Grand and Willett Sts.; N. W. corner Grand and Pitt Sts.; N. E. corner Grand and Attorney Sts.; N. E. corner Stanton and Goerck Sts.; N. W. corner Stanton and Tompkins Sts.; N. E. corner Stanton and Lewis Sts.

Construction of sewers: 36th St., bet. 8th and 9th Aves.; 13th St., bet. 2d and 3d Aves.

Construction of sewer in F St., and continuation thereof, now known as Prescott Ave., from Dyckman St. to a point about 750 feet northerly therefrom, with all work incidental thereto.

Receiving basin and inlet, N. E. corner of Hubert and Collister Sts.

Construction of relief sewer in 119th St., bet. Harlem River and 1st Ave., and in 1st Ave., bet. 119th and 120th Sts.

Alteration and improvement to sewer in 67th St., between Amsterdam and West End Aves., with all work incidental thereto.

Sewer Permits Issued.

For new sewer connections, 118; for old sewer connections, 64; linear feet of sewer built, 4,046.8.

Work Done by the Maintenance Division.

Basins inspected, 6,628; examined, 112; cleaned, 5,511; relieved, 404; flushed, 26. Cubic yards of dirt removed from basins, 9,528.2; sluice basins cleaned, 155; cubic yards of dirt removed from sluice basins, 62.8. Linear feet of brick sewer inspected, 157,890; examined, 6,050; cleaned, 46,101; relieved, 1,400. Brick sewers relieved, 5; cubic yards of dirt removed from brick sewers, 1,777.7. Linear feet of pipe sewer inspected, 363,885; examined, 2,950; cleaned, 94,613; relieved, 62,325. Pipe sewers relieved, 167; cubic yards of dirt removed from pipe sewers, 150.8. Basins repaired, 77. Basin heads set, 5; hoods placed, 67; hood plates set, 62; covers placed, 14; grate bars set, 29; washstones set, 1. Sluice gratings placed, 12; sluice basin heads set, 12. Manholes cleaned, 3; examined, 76; heads set, 64; covers placed, 231; repaired, 71; built, 3; rings placed, 7; relieved, 1. Culverts examined, 162; flushed, 195; relieved, 210; repaired, 27; sealed, 4. Culvert built, linear feet, 189. Brickwork built, cubic feet, 1,150; repaired, cubic feet, 1,194; pointed, square feet, 6,476. Pipe sewer built, linear feet, 195; spur pipe laid, linear feet, 48; house connections repaired, 738; cuts opened, 111; cuts refilled, 108; earth excavated, cubic yards, 923; earth refilled, cubic yards, 966; sheeting placed, feet, B. M., 15,213; sheeting drawn, feet, B. M., 11,935; pavement relaid, square yards, 434; sidewalk laid, square feet, 140; debris removed on account of repairs, loads, 100; drains sealed, 235; bulkheads built, 2; linear feet 8-inch pipe placed, 45.

Work Done By Inspection Division.

Brick sewer examined, linear feet, 124,010; pipe sewer examined, linear feet, 309,216; box sewer examined, linear feet, 500; basins examined, 554; culverts examined, 158; bulkheads examined, 1; house connections examined, 87; curves examined, 15; manholes examined, 210; corporation inspections, 5,182.

Work Done in Connection with Outlet Sewers.

Barrel sewer examined, linear feet, 8,682; supporting timber built, feet B. M., 192.5; supporting timber refastened, feet B. M., 2,275.5; bands placed, 500; bands removed, 492; wooden manhole frames and covers built, 1; box sewer examined, linear feet, 1,032.

Number and Character of Complaints Received.

Basins stopped (of which 354 were departmental), 607; manhole covers broken, 188; water in premises, 272; sewers stopped, 23; sewer cave-ins, 11; basin covers broken, 7; manhole covers missing, 6; manhole covers dangerous, 9; bad odor from basins and sewers, 18; sluice gratings broken, 5; examine basins and sewers, 6; basin needs grate bar, 2; lost articles, 2; repair culvert, 1; sunken sidewalk, 2; sewer needs cleaning, 3; set manhole head to grade, 3; basin cover missing, 2; leak in sewer, 2; explosion in sewer, 4; break in sewer, 2; basin head broken, 1; miscellaneous, 2; total, 1,178.

Of the above complaints 227 were without cause so far as the system of sewers was concerned.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Minor repairs, open market orders and check orders that are treated in the regular routine, are noted in tabulated form at conclusion of this report. The larger and more important work accomplished during the quarter is detailed by buildings or locations as follows:

Municipal Building—Changed nearly all lighting fixtures throughout building from ceiling type to suspended type. Installed call bell system in several rooms. Installed safety connections in refrigerator plants in accordance with latest regulations of Fire Department. Installed a 2-inch hose connection for hosing south concourse. Installed 2-inch pipe lines connecting clean drip pump with clean drip tank and with feed water filters. Painted various rooms to extent of about 50,000 square feet. Made various articles of office equipment such as shelving, screens, etc., for various offices. Installed 25 lights of glass in windows and doors. Installed fifteen shade adjusters on various windows to avoid installing awnings. Installed two lavatories in room 501 for new check room.

City Hall—Repaired all parts of electrical equipment where affected by recent fire. Made temporary roof repairs, on account of fire. Touched up painting at various places throughout building damaged by fire. Painted walls and ceiling of south entrance.

City Court—Replaced electric cables in one elevator by new cables. Installed temporary flag pole. Installed awnings.

County Court—Renewed worn elevator cable and repaired shaft gates of two elevators. Increased direct radiation in several court rooms, also improved ventilation in same. Tested and thoroughly repaired heating system throughout building. Erected a temporary flag pole and a wood platform along roof.

Hall of Records—Changing of electric lighting equipment on several floors progressed. Repaired and recharged house filters. Prepared plans and specifications for installation of new main steam loop of plant. Repaired various leaks in heating and refrigeration system. Turned down commutators on four generators and fitted new brushes. Repaired Uehling Co. recorder. Packed six elevator plungers and renewed cups on main and pilot valves. Four new Weston ammeters and shunts installed on switchboard in place of defective ones. Two coal cars repaired. Installed 4-inch tube in boiler No. 4. Installed 2-inch drain line from asphalt to cellar drains. Several operating and cut-off cables installed on elevators. Installed new cross head pins on blower engines. Installed new leather belts on governors of main engines. Disconnected elevator signal motor from circuit of exhaust fan. Installed new cut-off cable in No. 4 and No. 6 elevator. Blanked off ventilating duct at ice machine with sheet iron. Let contract for alterations to 1st to 7th floors to relocate present offices. Let contract for alterations to metal furniture of Register and Surrogates to fit new locations. Painted Rooms 502, 603, 603A and 738.

Criminal Courts—Repaired armature of 12 H. P. Sprague motor. Renewed six sheaves for cut off rope with modern ball-bearing sheaves. Braced cylinders of Nos. 3 and 4 elevator to prevent excessive vibration. Installed automatic temporary regulator on hot water heater. Made up various leaks in heating system and renewed nipples, piping, valves, flanges, etc. Overhauled vacuum machine. Replaced six 5-inch valves in supply line to elevator tanks. Replaced cracked cylinder of engine. Repaired Bristol thermometer. Made further change in ventilating system for additional Grand Jury Room. Stained and varnished floors of three rooms in District Attorney's office. New stock for south side of roof for boilers 1 and 2 erected by contractor. Installed shower bath for District Attorney Swann by Squad labor, including marble partitions, tile receptacle and plumbing lines. Retooled 250 linear feet of stone steps on front of building.

49 Lafayette St.—Changed electric lighting equipment on two floors. Overhauled heating plant throughout building.

Children's Court—Overhauled Johnson heating system. Cleaned entire heating system and made minor repairs. Contracted for and had installed awnings on all front windows and some side windows.

Harlem Court—Overhauled heating system throughout building. Relined boiler No. 2 complete with fire brick.

W. 54th St. Court—Overhauled heating system. Painted prison pens and corridor leading to same, Municipal Court, Part II and Municipal Court Clerk's quarters.

E. 57th St. Court—Painted main and Judge's halls, Magistrates' Court and Complaint Room, Finger Print Room, two toilets and prison pens.

Jefferson Market Court—Overhauled heating plant. Reset flagstone on 6th ave. and W. 10th st. side to secure better drainage.

264 Madison St.—Outside electric lamps rewired and rehung. Repaired roof, sky-lights, tank, etc.

1st St. and 2d Ave.—Installed wash basin in finger print room.

E. 32d St. Court—Overhauled heating system. Installed grate bar.

Miscellaneous—Painted twelve rooms in Chief Magistrate's office, 300 Mulberry st. Made and lettered 166 temporary street signs for Bureau of Highways, Division of Sidewalks. Furnished and installed, stained and varnished, 250 square feet shelving for records, 9th District Municipal Court, 59th st. and Madison ave.

PUBLIC BATHS.

Allen St.—Repaired about 20 leaks in heating system, renewed portions of worn piping and nipples. Removed old floor in men's aisle and toilet first floor, and replaced with reinforced concrete.

Carmine St.—Overhauled 50 mixing valves for showers. Repaired main steam piping, installed gaskets. Relined No. 2 boiler with fire brick and replaced arches.

Oliver St.—Replaced 4-inch gate valve on Croton line to Tobey heater No. 2. Renewed 12 tubes in boilers and installed patch. Repaired temporary recorded. Relined doors of combustion chambers.

Rivington St.—Overhauled about 30 mixing valves. Overhauled marble work throughout.

Rutgers Place—Renewed several tubes in Boiler No. 1. Repaired 40 mixing valves. Repaired various leaks in heating system. Installed sand pocket in re-filtration line. Renewed inlet connection to pool. Renewed part of suction to vacuum and feed pumps. Installed new steam pump governor.

E. 11th St.—Repaired tubes in boilers. Replaced some of suction piping between feed water heater and pumps. Overhauled about 45 mixing valves and connections. Made up leaks in various parts of steam heating system.

E. 23d St.—Made various repairs to boilers. Overhauled about 40 mixing valves. Repaired various leaks in heating system. Renewed manifold and connections at suction of vacuum pump.

W. 28th St.—Repairing wiring around pool and removed grounds on system. Repaired various leaks in heating system. Repaired chlorine gas sterilizer for pool. Installed valves to control supply lines to showers in gymnasium. Installed ten new flush valves on plumbing system.

W. 41st St.—Repaired electric equipment. Repaired twelve mixing valves and connections. Put soft patches on boilers and installed some new tube. Installed cast iron coal chutes. Installed cinder concrete arches below present first floor under men's shower rooms, and under part of women's shower rooms, as old floor system was disintegrated. Installed new concrete floor in men's aisle and toilet, first floor.

E. 54th St.—Repaired elevator thrust bearing. Repaired one dynamo engine crosshead. Overhauled about 25 mixing valves and connections. Renewed gaskets and made up various leaks in heating system. Installed 20 new flush valves throughout building.

W. 60th St.—Repaired mechanism of Bristol recording meter. Overhauled about 50 mixing valves. Installed bypass around 3 inch by 5 inch pressure reducing valve. Repaired coal chute.

E. 76th St.—Repaired one dynamo engine. Repaired about 60 mixing valves. Repaired various leaks in heating system.

E. 109th St.—Repaired about 50 mixing valves. Patched up boiler, reduced operating pressure of boilers from 60 to 40 pounds steam pressure. Installed new concrete floor in both aisles and toilet of men's side, first floor.

Free Floating—Changed arc lamps in Battery Baths and replaced by gas filled lamps. Repaired sterilizing apparatus for one bath. Repaired and painted roofs of eight floating baths. Painted four baths inside and outside, and four baths inside only. Total, approximately, 900 rooms. Installed distributing pipe on bottom of two baths, also two sterilizing pots and 28 showers.

PUBLIC COMFORT STATIONS.

Chatham Square—Painted outside of kiosk.

City Hall—Repaired ventilating fan motor.

Sheriff and Delancey Sts.—Electric ventilating fan overhauled and repaired.

Hanover Square—Repaired defective sections in electric lighting equipment. Rapid Transit tunnel in this vicinity being finished, arrangements were made with Public Service Commission to have damage done to same repaired by contractor.

PUBLIC MARKETS.

Queensboro—Installed ten lights of plate wire glass in doors. Painted all entrance doors on 59th st. and 60th st., front (118). Erected platform and flags for pure food celebration.

Jefferson—Installed new concrete walk on Greenwich and 6th ave. sides.

Washington—Plans and specifications made and order given for hot water piping and electric elevator in place of the old freight elevator. Cleaned and touched up all painting on mezzanine floor and painted all entrance doors.

West Washington and Gansevoort—Installed 500 square feet of metal ceiling on Lawton ave. to comply with Health Department violation.

GENERAL.

During the quarter, the following completed jobs were executed by the Bureau's various mechanical squads: Carpenter, 68; steamfitting, 15; roofing, 60; electrical, 134; machinist, 40; masonry, 24; plumbing, 49; painting and varnishing, 35; awning, 33. Total, 458. 391 requisitions and open market orders were issued. 301 check orders were drawn against miscellaneous monthly orders.

The patronage at the interior baths was: April, 568,862; May, 612, 458; June, 917,374; total, 2,098,694.

Bureau of Topography.

Changes in City Map—Work Completed (Maps sent for approval to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment): Ave. B, 21st st. to Marginal Way; extension and widening, also layout of Exterior st., from 18th to 23d st. Sickles st., Sherman ave. to Broadway; study and plan for new layout. Vermilyea ave. Extension, Dyckman st. to Broadway; also closing and discontinuing Sickles st., from Sherman ave. to Broadway. 50th st. and East River, closing and discontinuing from a point 100 feet east of Beekman pl. to westerly line of Exterior st. 138th st. and Riverside Drive; change in layout and grade for stairway; modification of original plan. 165th st., Amsterdam to Audubon ave.; widening; change to exclude part of Damage Parcel No. 3. Work Completed (Maps sent to Board of Estimate and Apportionment for certification and file): Ft. Washington ave., at Broadway; widening. Mt. Washington ave., north of Corbin pl.; change in line of street and public park. 165th st., Amsterdam ave. to Audubon ave.; change in line; widening. 215th st., Pedestrian st.; report to City Plan Committee. Work in progress: Stairway connecting Haven ave. with Service st. near 173d st.; report and plan for the Local Board. 157th st., Harlem River to 8th ave.; street layout. Block bounded by Broadway, Nagle and Ellwood sts; New street layout. Fort George Hill; new street layout. Riverside Drive. Service st., from 124th to 129th st.; transfer of jurisdiction to Borough President; map and report.

Monuments—Marble Hill Section: computation of traverses and physical positions of monuments completed. Section from 155th to Dyckman sts.; computation of physical position of all monuments completed; theoretical building lines of Amsterdam, Audubon, St. Nicholas and Wadsworth aves. have been located, preliminary to fixing final theoretical positions of monuments. Monuments on every block of 9th ave., from Academy to 218th sts., and on Broadway and Nagle ave., from Academy to 218th sts., were set to their true position and relation to adjoining street lines; thus eliminating discrepancies that have always existed in that much disputed section.

Bench Marks—A preliminary line of bench marks was run on Second ave., from 23d to 110th sts.; this was checked and tied in to the primary runs on all side streets and adjoining avenues. 49 permanent benches were established on this run. In addition, a spur line of benches was run on Stanton and Second sts., from the Bowery to East River.

Borough Survey—Work Completed: Street lines determined in area bounded by 67th st., 69th st., West End ave. and the N. Y. C. R. R. Street lines determined in area bounded by 46th st., 50th st., 6th ave. and 7th ave. Seven square blocks and eight linear blocks were surveyed; this involved the establishment of 12,510 feet of building line; in connection with this, and in order to tie in this survey to our general scheme, 14,525 linear feet of tertiary traverse were chained and eighteen angles turned. Work in Progress: 4th ave. and 33d st.; request by Public Service Commission for building lines.

Franchises—Work Completed: (Reports on Petitions) Delancey st., near Williamsburg Bridge; report on authority for track turnout. Kingsbridge Railway Co.; track franchise on 9th ave., 218th to 220th st.; no objections. Merchants' Refrigerating Co.; conduit franchise; approved subject to conditions. New York Central; track siding on 10th ave., bet. 14th and 15th sts.; disapproved. International Motor Co.; pipe franchise, W. 64th st. east of West End ave; no objections. 119th st., west of Broadway; Barnard College; concrete conduit; no objections.

Title Proceedings—Work Completed: Service st. and Public Park, from 168th st. to about 178th st. along Riverside Drive, additional surveys, borings and plans, and cost estimate for excavation of land, for Corporation Counsel. 165th st., Amsterdam to Audubon ave.; benefit maps sent to Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Work in Progress: Chittenden ave., from Northern ave. to Riverside Drive and parks; rule, damage and benefit maps. Inwood Hill Park; benefit maps. Sickles st., Sherman to Nagle aves.; rule, damage and benefit maps for amended proceedings.

Change in Grade—Work Completed (Maps advanced to Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval): 172d and 173d sts., from Ft. Washington to Haven aves.; old map revised. Work Completed (Maps to Board of Estimate and Apportionment for certification and file): Tompkins st. and E. 4th st. 162d st., from Ft. Washington ave. westerly about 202 feet.

Encroachment Removals—Work Completed: Surveys and maps showing encroachments to be removed, 86th st. and Lexington ave., intersection at subway station. Work in Progress: 7th ave. 33d to 42d st.; 24th st., 6th to 7th ave.; 25th st., Broadway, 6th ave.; Broadway and Riverside Drive, showing encroachment of gaso-

lene station at Dyckman st. Thirty-four maps showing encroachments on sidewalks in vicinity of various subway entrances and exits.

Vaults—Plans computed, 202, involving 34,653 square feet area; reports made, 15. Certificates received for checking, 35, involving 15,540 square feet. Surveys requested from survey division, 76. Surveys received from survey division, 72. Reports based on our surveys, 4, involving 1,724 square feet. Cases of excess area reported upon, 2, involving 207 square feet. One vault beyond curb was reported on, involving 34 square feet. One plan was made based on our surveys, for the northwest corner 42d st. and 5th ave., for the Corporation Counsel's Office, and required testimony in court.

Corporation Counsel—Ninety-one surveys were made. From these 40 plans were prepared for Corporation Counsel. The chief of the party testified in court as City's expert witness.

Miscellaneous—Work completed: Inspection district maps for Bureau of Buildings. Lines for removal of Building on Fort George Terrace. Revision of "use restriction" maps, in accordance with modifications adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Revision of 300 and 600 foot scale maps, to date. Completed plans for an alternate scheme for the New York Central West Side Improvement—supporting data, estimates and plans. In answer to a complaint of property owners, the true building line was furnished on Seaman ave. and 204th st., to determine the exact encroachment on private property of a public retaining wall. Work in progress: Study and plans for traffic relief at intersection of 5th ave. and 42d st. Queensboro Bridge Plaza, study and plan for traffic regulation.

Statistics—We have continued our examination of the various City Charters, Acts of Legislature, Common Council and Board of Aldermen, making abstracts of such detail as relates to the alignment and title of streets, parks, lands under water, etc. These abstracts are indexed and filed.

Maps, Records, Printing—Blue prints made, 5,967; litho prints made, 275; cards press printed, 18,105; map titles, press printed, 79; notes, press printed, 399; current maps filed, 226; foreign maps filed, 30; vault plans, 54; miscellaneous, 9; calls at desk, per day, 57; calls for plans advertised, 100; sales of blue prints, \$93.

Bureau of Buildings.

Plans and Specifications for New Buildings Filed and Acted Upon.

Classification.	Number of Plans.	Number of Buildings.	Estimated Cost.
Dwelling houses, estimated cost over \$50,000.....	1	1	\$160,000 00
Tenement Houses	8	8	1,081,000 00
Stores, lofts, etc., estimated cost over \$30,000.....	3	3	640,000 00
Stores, lofts, etc., estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000	2	2	35,500 00
Stores, lofts, etc., estimated cost under \$15,000....	1	1	5,000 00
Office buildings	5	5	785,000 00
Manufactories and workshops.....	11	12	494,000 00
Churches	1	1	35,000 00
Public buildings, municipal	2	2	10,300 00
Public buildings, places of amusements, etc.....	4	18	262,025 00
Hospitals	1	1	90,000 00
Stables and garages	30	42	925,500 00
Other structures	14	18	32,700 00
Totals.....	83	114	\$4,556,025 00

Plans and Specifications for Alterations Filed and Acted Upon.

Dwelling houses	201	233	\$914,890 00
Tenements	214	249	423,765 00
Hotels	51	54	519,200 00
Stores, lofts, etc.	212	220	625,943 00
Office buildings	88	95	333,055 00
Manufactories and workshops.....	126	136	449,975 00
Schoolhouses	15	17	69,050 00
Churches	3	3	57,150 00
Public buildings, municipal.....	8	9	38,150 00
Public buildings, places of amusement, etc.....	57	59	316,700 00
Stables and garages	53	56	311,710 00
Totals.....	1,028	1,131	\$4,059,588 00

New Buildings and Alterations to Buildings Commenced and Completed—New buildings commenced, 74; new buildings completed, 72; alterations commenced, 670; alterations completed, 805.

New Buildings and Alterations to Buildings in Progress—New buildings, 241; alterations, 695.

Inspections with Reports—Construction, 34,320; special construction, 3,245; plumbing, 16,163; special plumbing, 377; elevator, 13,992; Public Safety Division, 3,704; iron and steel, 2,833; plastering, 3,117; total, 77,751.

Violations of Law, Passenger Elevators and Unsafe Buildings.

	Pending Mar. 1, 1917.	Received Since.	Total.	Dis-missed.	Pending June 30, 1917.	For-warded for Prosecution.
No permit, defective construction, materials, etc.....	763	701	1,464	605	859	21
Defective plastering .....	..	1	1	..	1	..
Defective plumbing and drainage	366	341	707	368	339	7
Defective elevator (passenger and freight)	304	1,749	2,053	758	1,295	4
Unsafe buildings	516	438	954	479	475	8
Totals	1,494	3,230	5,179	2,210	2,969	40

Buildings Inspected and Total Inspections Re Plumbing and Drainage.

	Tenements.	Miscellaneous.	Totals.
Buildings under inspection Mar. 31, 1917.....	387	750	1,137
Buildings commenced	205	431	636
Buildings completed	188	374	562
Buildings under inspection June 30, 1917.....	404	807	1,211

Apartments, stores, etc., for which certificates have been issued as to proper installation of gas piping, 1,613. Plumbing inspections of all kinds during the quarter, 16,540.

Comparative Statement, Second Quarter, 1916 and 1917.

	1916.	1917.
Applications filed for new buildings and alterations.....	1,318	1,245
Estimated cost of new buildings and alterations.....	\$45,268,642 00	\$8,615,613 00
New buildings commenced	100	74
New buildings completed	79	72
Alterations commenced	702	670
Alterations completed	654	805
Number of inspections by Elevator Inspectors.....	14,161	13,992
Defective elevators reported by Inspectors.....	708	1,749
Defective elevators made safe on notice from Bureau....	624	758
Elevator cases forwarded for prosecution.....	5	4
Unsafe buildings made safe or taken down.....	526	479
Violation removed	2,178	2,268
Inspections of plumbing and drainage.....	16,269	16,540

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.
Appointed—Peter Wynne, 124 Featherbed Lane, Bronx, Secretary to Superintendent of Buildings, at \$2,500 per annum; and Benjamin A. Sheldon, 205 W. 122nd st., Manhattan, Temporary Clerk, at \$1,020 per annum, Dec. 31.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS, KINGS COUNTY.

Appointed—Charles H. Wilson, Deputy Commissioner of Records; Frederick S. Schackne, Superintendent, and Max Hyman, Assistant Superintendent, Jan. 3.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall, Telephone, 1000 Cortlandt.
John F. Hylan, Mayor.
Grover A. Whalen, Secretary.
John F. Sinnott, Executive Secretary.
Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Municipal Building, 3d floor, Telephone, 1498 Worth.

COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

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.
Alfred E. Smith, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

ARMORY BOARD.

Municipal Building, 8th floor, Telephone, 594 Worth.

ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.
John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

William C. Ormond, Chairman.
BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.
26th st. and 1st ave, Telephone, 8800 Madison Square.

Dr. John W. Brannan, President.
Arden M. Robbins, Secretary.

CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE.

Municipal Building, 12th floor, Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Francis X. A. Purcell, Acting Director.
BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.
Municipal Building, 8th floor, Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Alfred J. Johnson, Chamberlain.
CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER.
Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Open all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.

Patrick D. Riordan, Chief Medical Examiner.
BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.
City Hall, Telephone, 4127 Cortlandt.

Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.
CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.
BOARD OF CITY RECORD.
Supervisor's Office, Municipal Building, 8th floor. Distributing Division, 96 Reade st. Telephone, 3490 Worth.

Peter J. Brady, Supervisor.
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor, Telephone, 1610 Worth.

James A. Hamilton, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Pier "A," North River, Telephone, 300 Rector.

Murray Hulbert, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Board of Education.
Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.

Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second and third Wednesdays in August and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.
BOARD OF ELECTIONS.
General Office and Office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.

John R. Voorhis, President.
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.
Other Borough Offices.
The Bronx.
368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 326 Melrose.

Brooklyn.
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.

Queens.
64 Jackson ave., L. I. City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.

Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays to 12 noon.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Joseph Haag, Secretary.
Bureau of Records and Minutes.
Municipal Building, 13th floor, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Joseph Haag, Secretary.
Office of the Chief Engineer.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.
Bureau of Public Improvements.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth. John A. McCollum, Acting Chief of Bureau.

Bureau of Contract Supervision.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Central Testing Laboratory, 125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin. Peter J. McGowan, Acting Director.

Bureau of Personal Service.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. George L. Tirrell, Director.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Charles L. Craig, Comptroller.
Charles F. Kerrigan, Secretary to the Department.

Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Louis H. Hahlo, Joseph Johnson, Arthur J. Philbin, Hubert L. Smith.

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

Brooklyn—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.

William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes.
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Brooklyn—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 47 Tremont.

Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340 Main.

Queens—Municipal Building, Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 1553 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Daniel Moynahan, Collector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Municipal Building, 11th floor. Telephone, 4100 Worth.

Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 7600 Main.

Thomas J. Drennan, Fire Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.

Bureau of Burial and Contagious Disease offices always open.

Brooklyn, 3731 Third ave. Brooklyn, Flatbush ave., Willoughby and Fleet sts. Queens, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 2990 Spring.

Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 4 p. m.

Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.
Office of Corporation Counsel.

Main office, Municipal Building, 16th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

William P. Burr, Corporation Counsel.

Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone, 2948 Main.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.

Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone, 5916 Main.

Queens office, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.
Main office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.

John F. Gilchrist, Commissioner.

Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Telephone, 1497 Main.

Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Division of Licensed Vehicles—517-519 W. 57th st. Telephone, 6387 Columbus.

Public Employment Bureau—Men's departments, 128 Leonard st. Women's departments, 53 Lafayette st. Telephone, 6100 Franklin.

Branch Offices: 157 E. 67th st., Manhattan; Telephone, 2001 Plaza. 436 W. 27th st., Manhattan; Telephone, 1937 Chelsea. 12 W. 11th st., Manhattan; Telephone, 8065 Chelsea. 85 Java st., Brooklyn; Telephone, 3274 Greenpoint.

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Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone, 1580 Worth.

James E. MacBride, President.

Charles I. Stengle, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1072 Worth. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.

William F. Grell, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.

John N. Harman, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2640 Tremont.

Borough of Queens.
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.

PARK BOARD.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.

William F. Grell, President.

PAROLE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 2254 Worth.

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

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EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Janet A. G. Hahn, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.

Frederick H. Bugher, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.

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Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.

Bureau of Social Investigation, Pearl and Centre sts.
Telephone, 4405 Worth.

Borough of Richmond.
Borough Hall, St. George. S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC MARKETS.
Municipal Building.

Jonathan C. Day, Commissioner.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
120 Broadway, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays. Telephone, 7500 Rector.

Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.

James B. Walker, Secretary.

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.

Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.

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Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

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

Rudolph P. Miller, Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

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C. Rockland Tyng, Secretary.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond office. Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.

Frank Mann, Commissioner.

Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.

Brooklyn office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.

Charles Strauss, President.

George Featherstone, Secretary.

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Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors.

Nicholas J. Hayes, Commissioner.

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Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

President's office, 3d and Tremont aves. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.

Henry Bruckner, President.

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President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Telephone, 3960 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, President.

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Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.

Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.

Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Frank L. Dowling, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

President's office, 68 Hunters Point ave., L. I. City.

Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

Maurice J. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

COUNTY OFFICES.

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NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5:15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swanwick, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Hryne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3406 Worth.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

James A. Donegan, Register.

SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.

David H. Knott, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cohalan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Telephone, 4930 Main.

William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House. Court open at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1. Court House. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.

Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

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

Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main.

Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.
Fifth District—Williamsburgh Bridge Plaza.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.
Seventh District—31 Snyder ave.
Eighth District—West 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
Domestic Relations—402 Myrtle ave.
Municipal Term—2 Butler st.

Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerk's offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Aaron J. Levy, President, Justice, Board of Municipal Court, Justices, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

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

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.
Seventh District—360 W. 125th st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Borough of Queens.
First District, 115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 86 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court opens at 10 a. m.

Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.

Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.

Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

Part V, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur sts., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 6056 Tremont.

Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
Adolphus Ragan, Chief Clerk, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Bernard J. Fagan, Chief Probation Officer, 177 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Parts I and II (Manhattan), 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.

Part III (Brooklyn), 102 Court st. Telephone, 8611 Main. Wm. C. McKee, Clerk.

Part IV (Bronx), 355 E. 137th st. Court held on Monday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose. Bernard J. Schneider, Clerk.

Part V (Queens), 19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk.

Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Philip Collins, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department.

Madison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10.30 a. m. Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.

Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 a. m. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.

John B. Byrne, Clerk.

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

Joseph H. DeBrugga, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

William F. Schneider, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.
County Court House. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.

Jorammon and Fulton sts. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records. Telephone, 5460 Main.

James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.
County Court House. Long Island City. Two jury trial parts each month except July, August and first two weeks in September. Motions heard and ex-parte business in Part 1 on court days. Special terms for the trial of issues in January,

April, June and October. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 noon, and during July and August until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

John D. Peace, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Local Board Meetings.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following resolutions adopted by the Newtown Local Board of Improvements are to be presented for reconsideration at its meeting to be held Jan. 17, 1918, at 2 p. m., at Queens Subway Building, Hunterspoint and Van Alst aves., L. I. City.

3339. Adopted April 28th, 1910, initiating proceedings for regulating, grading, curbing and laying bluestone sidewalks (where not already laid), in Junction ave., from Corona (Union) ave. to Jackson ave., Second Ward of the Borough of Queens.

3866. Adopted Sept. 15, 1911, initiating proceedings for regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks, and all work incidental thereto, in Junction ave., from Union ave. to Jackson ave., Second Ward of the Borough of Queens.

3889. Adopted Jan. 23, 1914, initiating proceedings for regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks (where not already laid to grade and in good condition), and crosswalks, together with all work incidental thereto, in Junction ave., from 37th st. to Jackson ave., Second Ward of the Borough of Queens.

5354. Adopted Sept. 2, 1915, initiating proceedings for regulating and paving with a permanent pavement of sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation six inches in thickness, together with all work incidental thereto, in 101st (Jerome) ave., from 83rd (Cullerton) st. to Brooklyn Borough Line, Fourth Ward.

5696. Adopted Jan. 4, 1917, initiating proceedings for the grading of 76th (Emerald) st., from 101st (Jerome) ave. to a line about 260 feet south of Glenmore ave., with provision for limiting the work done in the section between Liberty ave. and a line 260 feet south of Glenmore ave. to a width of 50 feet and to a temporary grade, Fourth Ward.

5771. Adopted April 12, 1917, initiating proceedings for the construction of receiving basins and appurtenances on Lotus ave. at the southerly intersection of Cypress Hills rd., and the north-east corner of Cooper ave., Second Ward, in accordance with 435 of the Greater New York Charter.

5593. Proposed change of map of Agnes pl. (Dry Harbor rd.), from Myrtle ave. to Edsall ave., Second Ward, to 60 feet.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.
HUGH HALL, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that the following petitions signed by property owners of the Newtown District for Local Improvements have been filed in this office and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements will be held at the Queens Subway Building, Hunterspoint and Van Alst aves., L. I. City, on Jan. 17, 1918, at 2 p. m., at which meeting the said petitions will be submitted to the Board:

5923. For the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Sibouten st., from 42nd st. to 40th st., Second Ward.

5925. For the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Laurel Hill ave., from Jackson ave. to Foster ave., with a temporary connection to the sewer in Jackson ave.; in Barnett st. from Laurel Hill ave. to Middleburg ave.; in Middleburg ave., from Barnett st. to Packard st.; in Packard st., from Middleburg ave. to Foster ave.; in Skillman ave., from Laurel Hill ave. to Hancock pl., and in Locust st., from Skillman ave. to Foster ave., First Ward.

5926. For regulating, grading, curbing, re-curb-ing, flagging, reflagging, constructing receiving basins, sewer manholes and appurtenances, where necessary, and crosswalks, in 50th st. from Jackson ave. to Burnside ave., Second Ward.

5927. For the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Banks ave., from Ditmars ave. to Astoria ave.; and in Buell pl., from Banks ave. to the crown about 250 feet 0 inches south of Banks ave., Second Ward.

5928. For the acquiring of title to 19th st. (Hillcrest ave.), from Sinclair ave. (Prospect st.) to a property line about 120 feet south of Sinclair ave., Second Ward.

5809. To alter the Final Map of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, by changing the lines of 1st st., between Woodside ave. and Skillman ave., so as to have a straight continuous street between Jackson and Skillman aves., Second Ward.

5906. For the opening of 14th st., from the north side of 8th ave. south to the College Point Causeway, and in this connection we ask for the grading, sewerage, paving, curbing, flagging and laying of water mains and gas pipes on the line of said street as hereby petitioned for, Third Ward.

5929. To acquire title to North Jane st., from Vernon ave. to the Bulkhead Line of the East River, First Ward.

29C. Of Edward Miller and another to change Section 9 of Use District Maps so as to alter the area bounded by Vandewater ave., 21st ave., the right of way of the New York Connecting Railroad and 19th ave., from a residential district to an unrestricted district.

12C. Of Courtney Development Company, requesting the Amendment of the Use District Map, Sections Nos. 9 and 13, to an unrestricted district, the area bounded by Addison pl., Gould ave., Bliss st. and Anable ave.; and recommendation of the City Plan Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

13C. Of Astoria Light, Heat & Power Company to include within unrestricted area territory bounded by Winthrop ave., 7th ave., New York Connecting Railroad right of way and the East River, and to include within the Height District the same territory as a 1/2 area and within the Area District the same territory as an "A" area; and recommendation of the City Plan Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

16C. Of Flushing Bay Building Corporation by Milton L. DeLuse, Vice-President, for Amendment of Building Zone resolution by changing from a residential to an unrestricted district the property bounded by Engine st., Flushing Bay, North Side of Ditmars ave., and west side of Sigel st., and from a residential to a business district the property fronting on and lying within 100 feet of south side of Ditmars ave., from Sigel st. to Mansfield st., and property bounded by Mansfield st., Ditmars ave. and 37th st.; and recommendation of the City Plan Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

20C. Of Steinway & Sons to amend Building Zone resolution by changing from a restricted to an unrestricted district property owned by them in block bounded by Ditmars ave., Oakley st.,

Potter ave. and Theodore st., First Ward; and recommendation of the City Plan Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

24C. Of J. P. Sloane, requesting that Nott ave., between East ave. and Van Alst ave., be placed in a business district, First Ward; and recommendation of the City Plan Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.
HUGH HALL, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Corporation Sale of Buildings and Appurtenances Thereon on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.
BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of W. 37th st., from Neptune ave. to Gravesend Bay, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held Dec. 20, 1917, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1918,
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form and at upset prices, as follows:

Parcel No. 10.—Part of porch of two one-story frame bungalows on the east side of W. 37th st., 850 feet north of Neptune ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 13-51.—Picket fence on the west side of W. 37th st., from Neptune ave. to Gravesend Bay. Upset price, \$25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 16th day of January, 1918, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened Jan. 16, 1918," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY. SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Dec. 27, 1917. j2,16

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

SECOND WARD.
CUNARD PL.—TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWER between Richmond rd. and Cedar Terrace. Area of assessment affects blocks 624 and 625.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1917, and entered Dec. 26, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Feb. 25, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided in Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Borough Hall, Rooms Nos. 15 and 19, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Dec. 26, 1917. j3,14

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

SECTION 9.
MERRIAM AVE.—SEWER, between Ogden ave. and W. 117th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 2529 and 2531.

SECTION 14.
SEWER IN RANDALL AVE., from Metcalf ave. to Bronx River ave., and in BRONX RIVER AVE., from Randall ave. to Damis ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3514, 3515, 3543 to 3550, 3581 to 3588, 3621 to 3628, 3646 to

3653, 3708 to 3715, 3734 to 3740, 3769 to 3774, 3681 to 3684.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1917, and entered Dec. 26, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Feb. 25, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Bergen Building, 4th floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Dec. 26, 1917. j3,14

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

FIRST WARD.
HANCOCK ST.—SEWER from Paynter ave. to the crown about 220 feet north of Paynter ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 147 and 148.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1917, and entered Dec. 26, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Feb. 25, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Dec. 26, 1917. j3,14

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

SECTIONS 4, 5 AND 13.
REGULATING, GRADING, LAYING SIDEWALKS ON WASHINGTON AVE., from Lincoln rd. to Malbone st.; ON FRANKLIN AVE., east side, from Washington ave. to Malbone st.; and on LIBERTY AVE., south side, between Milford st. and Logan st. Area of assessment affects blocks 1197, 1198, 1313, 1318, 1327 and 4189.

SECTION 12.
JUNIOR ST.—PAVING, from Sutter ave. to Belmont ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3746 and 3747.

SECTION 17.
68TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND PAVING, from Fort Hamilton ave. to 10th ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5764 and 5771.

SECTION 20.
AVENUE J.—PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Gravesend ave. to 22nd ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 6514, 6515, 6516, 6517, 6524, 6525 and 6526.

SECTION 23.
E. 40TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Avenue I to the new street located about 655 feet north-easterly. Area of assessment affects blocks 7743, 7744, 7765 and 7766.

The above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1917, and entered Dec. 26, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Feb. 25, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Dec. 26, 1917. j3,14

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

SECTION 2.
COMMERCE ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, from Columbia Street to Richard Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 512 and 519.

The above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 27, 1917, and entered Dec. 27, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Feb. 25, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

Dated, New York, Dec. 27, 1917.

in the Bergen Building, 4th floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Dec. 27, 1917. d31,j11

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 Paving.

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Local Board Meetings.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me and is on file in my office for inspection, for
1758. Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building inlets, receiving basins, drains, culverts, approaches and guard rails where necessary in E. 207th st., from Bainbridge ave. to a distance about 231 feet easterly therefrom, together with all work incidental thereto.

The petition for the above will be submitted to the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District, on Jan. 15, 1918, at 8 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Borough Hall, Tremont and 3d aves.

Dated, Jan. 2, 1918.
HENRY BRUCKNER, President.
THOMAS J. DOLEN, Secretary. j5

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 ASH CART BOOMS AND 150 PAIRS OF PAPER CART BOOMS.

The time for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is as to ash cart booms, on or before June 30, 1918; partial deliveries before said date to be made as stated in the specifications; as to paper cart booms, on or before May 31, 1918; partial deliveries to be made before said date, as stated in the specifications.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules per ash cart boom and per pair of paper cart booms, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

Dated, Dec. 31, 1917. j3,14
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 4,000 GALVANIZED IRON COVERS FOR SWEEPERS' CANS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before April 1, 1918; 1,000 covers to be delivered on or before March 1, 1918.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per cover, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.
Dated, Dec. 31, 1917. j3,14
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 GALVANIZED IRON ASH CANS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before May 1, 1918; 1,000 cans to be delivered on or before March 1, 1918, 2,000 additional cans on or before April 1, 1918, and balance to be delivered on or before May 1, 1918.

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per can, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.
Dated, Dec. 31, 1917. j3,14
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION, HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health and Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MILK AND CREAM.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1918.
The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, 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.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the hearing on the form of contract for the grant of a franchise to the Fifth Avenue Coach Company to establish, maintain and operate additional omnibus lines for public use in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, which hearing was, by resolution adopted November 30, 1917, fixed for this day, was continued until Friday, January 25, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all citizens 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, Dec. 31, 1917. d31,j25

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting for approval resolutions adopted by said Commission modifying and amending the route and general plan of construction of the Southern Boulevard and Whitlock Avenue Route, in the Borough of The Bronx, which consideration was by resolution adopted December 21, 1917, fixed for this day, was continued until Friday, January 18, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

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

Dated, New York, Dec. 31, 1917. d31,j25

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting for approval resolutions adopted by said Commission modifying and amending the route and general plan of construction of the Southern Boulevard and Whitlock Avenue Route, in the Borough of The Bronx, which consideration was by resolution adopted December 21, 1917, fixed for this day, was continued until Friday, January 18, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

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

Dated, New York, Dec. 31, 1917. d31,j25

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE FOR HORSES USED AT THE BROOKLYN TRUANT SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AND THE NEW YORK PARENTAL SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

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

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

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per bag and per 100 lbs. or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder on each item, whose sample is equal to those referred to in the printed specifications.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of

School Supplies, Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.
Dated, Jan. 2, 1918. j2,14
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Completion of Assessments.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of The Bronx.
5697. Paving and curbing Wilkins ave. from Boston rd. to Crotona Park East. Affecting Blocks 2938 and 2939.

5820. Sewer and appurtenances in Topping ave. between E. 173rd st. and E. 174th st. Affecting Blocks 2790, 2791, 2798, 2799 and 2800.

Borough of Queens.
5477. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Burnside ave. from 47th st. to 50th st., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 284, 285 and 287 to 290. Second Ward.

5682. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Clermont ave. from Grand st. to Halle ave. (Jay st.), together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 2166 to 2170 and 2175 to 2181. Second Ward.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, Jan. 29, 1918, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.
Dec. 29, 1917. d29,j10

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1918.
NO. 1. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND CONSTRUCTION OF A MAGISTRATES' COURT BUILDING, TO BE LOCATED AT SOUTHEAST CORNER 2ND AVE. AND 2ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 150 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be 5 per cent. of the amount of the security.

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

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Alfred Hopkins, 101 Park ave., Manhattan.

NO. 2. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING, AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO IN THE MAGISTRATES' COURT BUILDING TO BE ERECTED AT SOUTHEAST CORNER 2ND AVE. AND 2ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 150 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be 5 per cent. of the amount of the security.

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

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Alfred Hopkins, 101 Park ave., Manhattan.

NO. 3. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF HEATING SYSTEM, AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN THE MAGISTRATES' COURT BUILDING TO BE ERECTED AT SOUTHEAST CORNER 2ND AVE. AND 2ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 150 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be 5 per cent. of the amount of the security.

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

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Alfred Hopkins, 101 Park ave., Manhattan.

Dated, Dec. 28, 1917. d28,j10
MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

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

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1918, TO FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1918,
for the position of

VETERINARIAN.
No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1918, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70 per cent. required. Technical, 3; 75 per cent. required. Practical Test, 3; 75 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties.—Veterinarians are required to render professional service and perform inspection work in connection with contagious diseases of animals and to make ante-mortem and post-mortem inspections of cattle at slaughter houses.

Requirements.—Candidates must present a license to practice veterinary science issued by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York at the time of filing their applications.

The usual entrance salary is \$1,200 in the Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Department of Health, and \$1,320 in the Bureau of Food Inspection, Department of Health. The Bureau of Standards of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has recommended a salary of from \$1,800 to \$2,340 for this position.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

The requirements of paragraph 12 of Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position is waived for this examination.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The usual salary is \$720 per annum, with maintenance.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

j2,16 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties.—Veterinarians are required to render professional service and perform inspection work in connection with contagious diseases of animals and to make ante-mortem and post-mortem inspections of cattle at slaughter houses.

Requirements.—Candidates must present a license to practice veterinary science issued by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York at the time of filing their applications.

The usual entrance salary is \$1,200 in the Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Department of Health, and \$1,320 in the Bureau of Food Inspection, Department of Health. The Bureau of Standards of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has recommended a salary of from \$1,800 to \$2,340 for this position.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

The requirements of paragraph 12 of Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, is waived for this examination.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

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.

j4,18 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 3, 1918, TO THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1918,
for the position of

PHYSICIAN (GRADE 3), MALE AND FEMALE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1918, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70 per cent. required. Technical, 5; 75 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties.—The duties of incumbents of these positions are to be responsible for the medical examination and treatment of applicants for admission to City institutions or to investigate, recognize, report, prevent or correct diseases or conditions unfavorable to the health of individuals or communities.

Requirements.—Applicants must present for inspection at the time of filing applications their licenses to practice medicine in the State of New York.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the date of filing applications.

The salary range of Grade 3 is from \$1,800 up to but not including \$2,400 per annum.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,500 to \$2,280. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1918, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

There is one vacancy in the Department of Charities at a salary of \$2,000.

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.

j3,17 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1918, TO WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1918,
for the position of

LABORATORY ASSISTANT (PATHOLOGICAL), MALE AND FEMALE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1918, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70 per cent. required. Practical Test, 6; 70 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B with insert.

Duties.—To assist in the routine work of the Pathological Laboratory in one of the large City hospitals. The work includes the preparation of bacteriological media, of tissues for microscopical examination, and the performance of complement fixation and other serological tests.

Requirements.—Candidates should have at least six months' experience in a hospital or research laboratory where the work above described is carried on. A practical test will be held in a laboratory. Candidates will be required to demonstrate their practical knowledge of (1) histological technique; or (2) of bacteriological and serological methods. Candidates will be required to indicate in which of these subjects they wish to be examined at the practical test, but they will be allowed to take both of the above practical tests.

The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

1. 210,000 lbs. No. 3 white clipped oats.
2. 200,000 lbs. No. 1 timothy hay.
3. 23,000 lbs. No. 1 straight rye straw.
4. 12,000 lbs. bran.
5. 600 lbs. oil meal.
6. 12 doz. salt bricks.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before Aug. 31, 1918.

The amount of security required is 30 per cent. of total amount for which contract is awarded.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN LOFT OF STABLE "B," CLOVE RD., WEST NEW BRIGHTON, S. I.

The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

1. 130,000 lbs. No. 3 white clipped oats.
2. 115,000 lbs. No. 1 timothy hay.
3. 19,000 lbs. No. 1 straight rye straw.
4. 5,000 lbs. bran.
5. 1,000 lbs. oil meal.
6. 7 dozen salt bricks.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before Aug. 31, 1918.

The amount of security required is 30 per cent. of total amount for which contract is awarded.

The contracts must be bid separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the amount of the bid in cash or certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with a proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. Other information can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated, Dec. 20, 1917. d27,j8
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of constructing trunk sewers in SEWERAGE DISTRICT 43, lying southerly of Westchester avenue, between Westchester Creek and Bronx river, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown on a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on November 25, 1904, and filed in the office of the Register of New York County on May 4, 1905.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, East 161st street and 3rd avenue, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, December 31, 1917.
T. CHANNON PRESS, MARTIN C. DYER,
JOHN E. CONNOLLY, Commissioners
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. d31,j5

Notice to File Claims.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of EMMET STREET, from Fordham road to the lands of St. John's University, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated December 14, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on December 15, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and the cost of such improvement assessed by the Court, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 16th day of February, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to Section 1000 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, the map or survey of the land to be acquired in this proceeding has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, and each and every party and person interested in the real property to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending of Emmet street, from Fordham road to the lands of St. John's University, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, having any claim or demand on account thereof, is hereby required to file his claim, duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Bronx, on or before the 7th day of January, 1918, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1537, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 7th day of January, 1918, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, December 24, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. d24,j5

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to File Claims.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of LOWERY STREET from Skillman avenue to Queens Boulevard, and from Gould avenue to Borden avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

New York, Second Judicial District, dated December 11, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on December 12, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and the cost of such improvement assessed by the Court, in accordance with the resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on the 27th day of October, 1916, and the 2nd day of November, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to Section 1000 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, the map or survey of the land to be acquired in this proceeding has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, and each and every party and person interested in the real property to be taken for the opening and extending of Lowery street, from Skillman avenue to Queens Boulevard, and from Gould avenue to Borden avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, having any claim or demand on account thereof, is hereby required to file his claim, duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Queens, on or before the 17th day of January, 1918, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 606, 6th floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Borough of Queens, City of New York, on or before the 17th day of January, 1918, a copy of such verified claim.

DATED, New York, January 5, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j5,16

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of 91ST AVENUE (FULTON STREET, 8TH STREET), from the Brooklyn Borough Line to 84th street (Digby street); and 84TH STREET (DIGBY STREET), from 91st avenue (Fulton street, 8th street) to 90th road (Canoe place), in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated November 28, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on December 19, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and the cost of such improvement assessed by the Court, in accordance with the resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on the 15th day of September, 1916, and the 21st day of September, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to Section 1000 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, the map or survey of the land to be acquired in this proceeding has been duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, and each and every party and person interested in the real property to be taken for the opening and extending of 91st avenue (Fulton street, 8th street), from the Brooklyn Borough Line to 84th street (Digby street); and 84th street (Digby street), from 91st avenue (Fulton street, 8th street) to 90th road (Canoe place), in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, having any claim or demand on account thereof, is hereby required to file his claim, duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Queens, on or before the 17th day of January, 1918, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 606, 6th floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Borough of Queens, City of New York, on or before the 17th day of January, 1918, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, January 5, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j5,16

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RADCLIFF STREET, from Waldron street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of the Flushing River; STRONG STREET, from Waldron street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of the Flushing River, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, December 28, 1917.
WILLIAM W. GILLEN, WM. G. JOHNSON, HARRY S. RUSHMORE, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d28,j9

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 supplemental and additional 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 for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the

County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, December 28, 1917.
NICHOLAS M. PETTE, GEORGE MANN, HERMAN KNOBLOCH, Commissioners of Estimate; HERMAN KNOBLOCH, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d28,j9

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 ATLANTIC AVENUE, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Van Wyck avenue, as said Atlantic avenue is now laid out, excluding, however, all land which may fall within the limits of the right of way of the Long Island Railroad Company and all lands actually occupied by railroad buildings, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, January 5, 1918.
GEORGE C. BUECHNER, JOHN J. CONNOLLY, JOHN KENDRED GILLETTE, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE C. BUECHNER, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j5,16

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 SCHROEDER PLACE from Queens Boulevard to Woodside avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, January 2, 1918.
FREDERICK T. DAVIES, ADOLPH HERZOG, GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioners of Estimate; GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j2,12

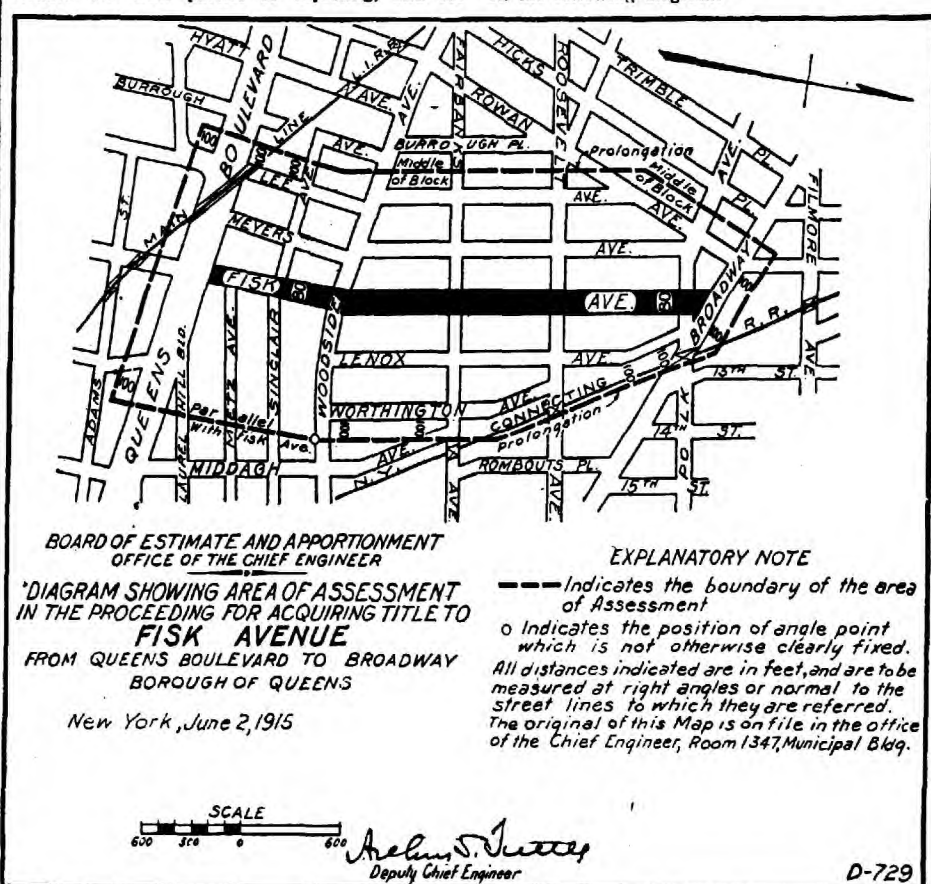
In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of 33RD STREET, from Roosevelt avenue to Jackson avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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 FISK AVENUE, from Queens Boulevard to Broadway, 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 or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit: First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office 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 18th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 22nd day of January, 1918, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of July, 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

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 for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, January 2, 1918.
WM. A. DeGROOT, DAVID OGGINS, LEONARD A. BARTHEL, Commissioners of Estimate; WM. A. DeGROOT, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j2,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RIKER AVENUE from Steinway avenue to 12th street, subject to any easement or right that may be owned by the New York and Queens County Railroad Company, in the 1st and 2nd 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 for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, December 24, 1917.
WILLIAM HARRISON ROBINSON, MICHAEL CONNOR, CHAS. H. GEORGI, Commissioners of Estimate; CHAS. H. GEORGI, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d24,j5

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 WILLOW AVENUE from Grand street to Columbine avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, December 24, 1917.
ROBERT I. CULHANE, R. HAROLD BAGNELL, JAMES F. SULLIVAN, Commissioners of Estimate; ROBERT I. CULHANE, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d24,j5

that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of January, 1918, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office 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 18th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22nd day of January, 1918, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of July, 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:

ment of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of January, 1918.

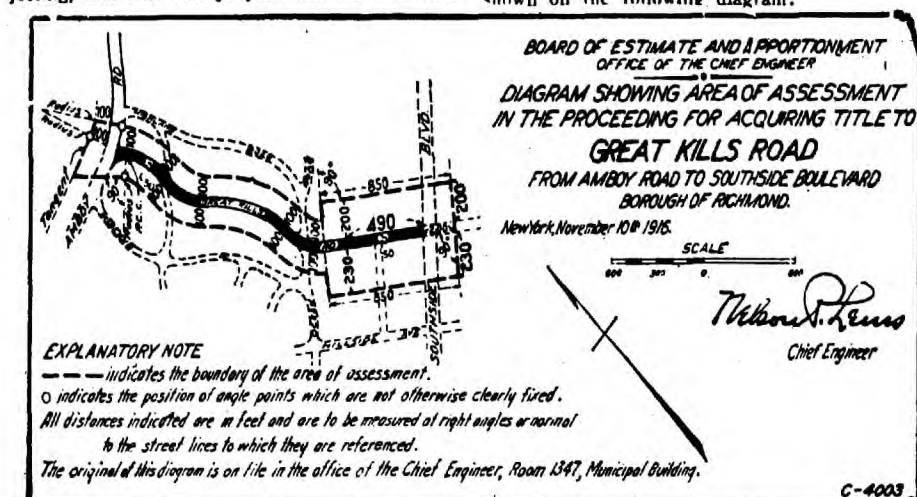
Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of March, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of GREAT KILLS ROAD from Amboy road to Southside Boulevard, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 18th day of January, 1918, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22nd day of December, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Richmond, 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 assessments for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of January, 1918.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for

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 THEODORE STREET, from Astoria (Flushing) Avenue to the bulkhead line of the East River, 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 or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 10th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 14th day of January, 1918, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has assessed 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 10th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 15th day of January, 1918, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of July, 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 and described as follows, viz.:

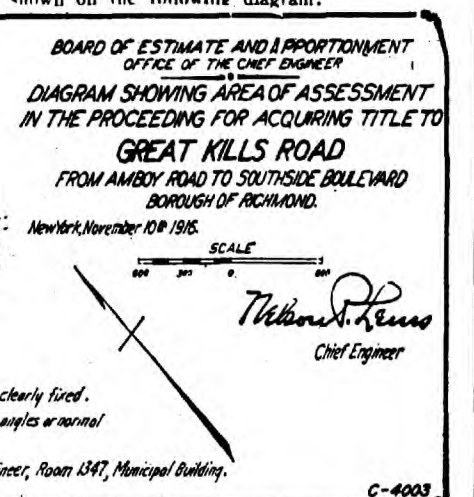
Beginning at a point on the bulkhead line of the East River where it is intersected by a line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore Street, running thence southeastwardly along the said bulkhead line to the intersection with a line midway between Theodore Street and 15th Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Theodore Street and 15th Avenue to the intersection with the center line of Berrian Avenue; thence northwardly along the center line of Berrian Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Theodore Street and Purdy Street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Theodore Street and Purdy Street, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Astoria Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Astoria Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Astoria Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Theodore

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

Dated, New York, December 21, 1917.
W. J. HAMILTON, JOHN KINDEED GILLETTE, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN KINDEED GILLETTE, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d28,j15

ance at their said office on the 17th day of January, 1918, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.
Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of January, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 18th day of January, 1918, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22nd day of December, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, December 19, 1917.
MONTAGUE LESSLER, Chairman; GEORGE S. PARSONS, FRED S. MULLEN, Commissioners of Estimate; MONTAGUE LESSLER, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. d24,j11

street and 11th Avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Theodore Street and 11th Avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the center line of Riker Avenue; thence northwardly along the center line of Riker Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore Street; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore Street, to the point or place of beginning.

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

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, December 14, 1917.
HARRY H. HUBER, Chairman; JOHN K. GILLETTE, FRANK E. LOSEE, Commissioners of Estimate; HARRY H. HUBER, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d20,j8

SURROGATES' COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.

Assignments.

WE, THE SURROGATES OF NEW YORK County, do hereby appoint the following Terms for the Surrogates' Court of the County of New York, and make the following assignment of Surrogates to hold said Terms during the year 1918. Such Terms shall commence on the first Monday of each month and terminate on the Saturday preceding the first Monday of the next month.

TRIAL TERMS.

January	Cohalan, S.
February	Fowler, S.
March	Cohalan, S.
April	Fowler, S.
May	Cohalan, S.
June	Fowler, S.
July	Cohalan, S.
August	Fowler, S.
September	Cohalan, S.
October	Fowler, S.
November	Cohalan, S.
December	Fowler, S.

CHAMBERS.

January	Fowler, S.
February	Cohalan, S.
March	Fowler, S.
April	Cohalan, S.

MayFowler, S.
JuneCohalan, S.
July 1 to Aug. 15Fowler, S.
August 15 to October 1Cohalan, S.
OctoberFowler, S.
NovemberCohalan, S.
DecemberFowler, S.
Dated, New York, Nov. 9, 1917.
JOHN P. COHALAN, ROBERT LUDLOW
FOWLER, Surrogates. j3,10

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees or the Curator of the College of The City of New York at Room 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS:
CLASS 10—CHEMICALS.
CLASS 1—CHEMICAL APPARATUS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is 180 consecutive calendar days for importations and 60 consecutive calendar days for domestic supplies after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

The amount of security shall be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the specifications. Bids will be received on any or all items per pound, dozen, gross or other unit of measurement, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the awards made, if made, by items. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bidders must submit their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Trustees. A copy of this form with an envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract and specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Curator, Room 114, Main Building, The College of The City of New York, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan.

A duplicate copy of the bid must be submitted at the same time for the Finance Department. GEORGE McANENY, Chairman of the Board of Trustees; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary of the Board of Trustees; BERNARD M. BARUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, CHAS. E. LYDECKER, LEE KOHNS, WILLIAM F. McCOMBS, MOSES I. STROOK, CHARLES H. TUTTLE, WM. G. WILCOX, Board of Trustees.

R. V. DAVIS, Curator. d22,j10
Dated, Dec. 22, 1917.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash, in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 will be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss, which may occur in the condition of the buildings or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations, and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from the demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

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

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

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

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

of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the date of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials or labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

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

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions shall in any case be relocated or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be relocated or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, title thereto shall thereupon become vested in The City of New York and a resale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids, and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

The person or persons making a bid for any service, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or officers, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making a bid for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer or employee of The City of New York is, shall be, or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the bid that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

No bid will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of such bid, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

All bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

The certified check or money should not be in closed in the envelope containing the bid, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids in addition to inserting the same in figures. Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done or the supplies are to be furnished. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.