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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public Hearing by Committee on Finance.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at 2 o'clock p. m., on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 1916, on the following matter:

No. 170. Resolution for \$1,500,000 corporate stock for the acquisition of the right, title and interest in and to a garbage plant. (This subject will be found printed in the proceedings of the Board, published in the City Record on Thursday, February 3rd, 1916.) All persons interested are invited to attend.

8,10 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing February 7, 1916.

Thursday, February 10, 1916—12.15 P. M.—Room 305—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for the construction of Section 2-A, Route No. 12"—Whole Commission. 12.15 P. M.—Room 305—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for track installation on Route No. 18"—Whole Commission.

Regular meeting of the Commission held Thursday at 11.00 A. M.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10.30 A. M.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, February 8, 1916, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

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

Aldermen

Alexander Ba. sett.
Francis P. Bent.
William H. Burns.
Samuel J. Burden.
James J. Browne.
Lauren Carroll.
Louis F. Cardani.
Edward Cassidy.
Charles P. Cole.
William T. Collins.
William W. Colne.
Edward W. Cox.
S. Clinton Crane.
Frank A. Cunningham.
Edward W. Curley.

Henry H. Curran.
William J. Daly.
Charles Delaney.
John Diemer.
Frank T. Dixon.
Bernard E. Donnelly.
Frank Dostal, Jr.
Charles W. Dunn.
Alexander S. Drescher.
John T. Eagan.
Thomas M. Farley.
James R. Ferguson.
August Ferrand.
Samson Friedlander.
John S. Gaynor.

Edward V. Gilmore.
Isaac Gutman.
Joseph M. Hannon.
Charles H. Haubert.
Harry Heyman.
George Hilkemeier.
Michael J. Hogan.
William P. Kenneally.
Francis P. Kenney.
John Kochendorfer.
John McCann.
John F. McCourt.
William P. McGarry.
Charles J. McGillick.
John McKee.

Thomas W. Martin.
James J. Molen.
Charles J. Moore.
Robert L. Moran.
Frank Mullen.
John J. O'Rourke.
Clarence Y. Palitz.
Charles A. Post.
William F. Quinn.

Harry Robitzek.
John J. Ryan.
Frank J. Schmitz.
Peter Schweickert.
Michael J. Shields.
Emanuel I. Silberstein.
Fred Smith.
Arnon L. Squiers.
Patrick H. Sullivan.

Michael Stapleton.
Frederick H. Stevenson.
Moritz Tolk.
Frederick Trau.
William K. Walsh.
Louis Wendel, Jr.
Thomas A. Williams.
John Wirth.
Augustus M. Wise.

Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond.

Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx.

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

Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the Stated Meeting of February 1, 1916.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 182.

Resignation of Wm. T. Thornley as Commissioner of Deeds.

4807 No. Warnock St., Philadelphia, Pa., February 4, 1916.

Hon. Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sirs—Kindly accept my resignation from the office of Commissioner of Deeds for the City of New York, my having removed from the Borough of Brooklyn to Philadelphia, Pa. Yours truly,
WM. T. THORNEY.

Which resignation was accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions:

No. 183.

Report of the Court of Special Sessions for the Year 1915.

Chief Clerk's Office, Court of Special Sessions of The City of New York, Corner Franklin and Centre Streets, New York, January 28th, 1916.

President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Sir—Pursuant to section 18, chapter 659 of the Laws of 1910, I herewith transmit copy of the annual report of the Court of Special Sessions in the City of New York for the year 1915. This is a report of the Court as is now constituted, and I will submit later on a supplemental report of Magistrates who have acted as Justices of Special Sessions, the reason therefor being lack of time and insufficient force to prepare statistics. Yours respectfully,
F. W. SMITH, Chief Clerk.

Yearly Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Parts 1-6, Etc., County of New York, for the Year (January to December), 1915.

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.									
	Actions Pending January 1, 1915.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	Actions Transferred.	Actions Pending December 31, 1915.	
Assault	56	314	42	101	94	46	50	6	31	
Agricultural Law	..	4	2	..	1	1	..	..	..
Burglars' tools	4	27	4	9	8	1	3	2	4	
Conspiracy	2	3	1	4	..	..	..	..	..
Cruelty to animals	13	35	24	6	5	..	2	6	5	
Dental Law	7	29	13	8	2	..	3	1	9	
Disorderly house	48	237	25	109	75	..	3	39	34	
Detective, unlicensed	3	17	12	6	1	..	..	1	..	
Election Law	8	11	6	1	8	2	..	1	1	
False weights and measures	17	63	39	16	4	..	..	3	18	
Fish, Game and Forest Law	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gambling Law, bookmaking, etc.	14	99	17	7	31	2	3	7	46	
Highway Law	13	89	15	25	38	1	3	6	14	
Hotel fraud	2	9	4	..	4	1	..	2	..	
Indecent exposure	3	107	20	58	16	..	10	3	3	
Labor Law	123	638	392	65	114	7	2	170	109	
Larceny, petit	162	2,212	1,360	477	199	105	54	70	109	
Liquor Tax Law	140	1,277	219	586	205	6	11	107	283	
Medical Law	9	42	21	17	4	..	2	3	4	
Malicious mischief	6	80	44	24	11	4	1	..	2	
Minors—										
Unclassified	4	72	33	27	12	1	..	2	1	
Admitting to theatre, etc.	3	50	36	10	5	..	..	..	2	
Buying junk from	..	19	14	3	..	1	1	..	..
Endangering health of	1	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Failing to provide for	..	74	68	2	..	1	2	..	1	
Impairing morals of	5	77	17	37	16	2	4	3	3	
Selling liquor to	1	36	24	11	1	..	..	1	..	
Obscene prints, etc.	3	94	49	20	12	1	..	4	11	
Opium, Cocaine and Drug Law	118	1,136	759	261	147	12	23	10	42	
Sanitary Code	221	1,657	1,316	202	64	170	3	36	87	
Secretory mortgaged property.	5	5	1	1	2	3	..	2	1	
Tenement House Act	2	6	4	..	..	3	..	1	..	
Trade Mark Law	12	10	1	6	1	10	..	2	2	
Transfer Ticket Law	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Unlawfully possessing a revolver	29	244	146	30	40	5	8	11	33	
Unlawful entry	7	80	13	39	19	2	9	2	3	
Unlawfully stamping merchandise	..	4	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	
Unclassified	124	329	159	79	44	74	17	8	72	
Displaying plumber's sign unlawfully	11	24	22	5	..	1	4	..	3	
Public nuisance	8	32	27	4	..	5	3	1	..	
Smoking in a factory	11	605	580	23	3	4	2	1	3	
Violation of Fire Department order	6	14	4	1	..	11	..	2	2	
Total	1,201	9,865	5,537	2,284	1,083	589	228	345	1,000	

Total criminal actions pending.	1,000	Actions transferred to Court of General Sessions and Children's Court	156
Total bastardy proceedings pending	485	Actions transferred by bond forfeited to District Attorney	189
Convicted by plea of guilty	5,537	Bastardy Proceedings.	169
Convicted by trial	2,284	Adjudged to be father of child.	32
Acquitted	1,083	Adjudged not to be father of child	12
Dismissed	589		
Discharged on own recognition	228		

Dismissed without prejudice...	79	Fines imposed by Court.....	\$100,378
Intermarried	70	Fines paid to Clerk of Court...	\$52,510
Abated by death of child.....	5	Disposition of Convictions.	
Total.....	10,433	Motion for arrest of judgment granted	2
Probation.		Judgment suspended	2,817
Pending January 1, 1915.....	399	By fine	121
Added during month of year of 1915	640	By fine or City Prison.....	2,572
Terminated during year of 1915	707	City Prison	369
Pending December 31, 1915....	332	City Prison and fine.....	48
Pending investigations December 31, 1915	61	Penitentiary	888
Number of days courts were in session, Parts 1 and 6.....	370	Penitentiary and fine.....	75
Number of hours courts were in session, Parts 1 and 6, 1,888 hours, 35 minutes.		Penitentiary or fine.....	5
Average duration of session, Parts 1 and 6, 5 hours, 6 minutes.		N. Y. C. Reformatory of Misdeameanants	183
Recognizances forfeited	180	Bedford Reformatory	15
Forfeitures remitted	19	Workhouse, Blackwells Island.	723
Forfeited recognizances sent to District Attorney	157	House of Refuge	36
Warrants issued	746	R. C. House of the Good Shepherd	6
Warrants executed	356	P. E. House of Mercy.....	5
		Abated by death of defendant..	1
		Suspended sentences revoked...	7,866
		Total.....	7,859

Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Part Two, County of Kings, for the Year of 1915.

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							Actions Pending December 31, 1915.
	Actions Pending December 31, 1914.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	
Assault	203	1,922	132	552	500	550	133	258
Agricultural Law	1	3	4	..	..	..	..	..
Burglars' tools	1	12	..	7	..	5	1	..
Conspiracy .....	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	6
Cruelty to animals.....	9	39	13	17	10	1	2	5
Dental Law	1	5	1	3	..	..	..	2
Disorderly house	22	113	13	66	29	3	..	23
Detective, unlicensed .....	..	4	3	..	1	..	..	..
Fire prevention	6	161	131	6	2	23	..	5
False weights and measures..	9	53	32	12	5	..	1	12
Fish, Game and Forest Law..	..	10	9	1	..	..	..	..
Gambling Law, bookmaking, etc.	16	86	22	10	25	2	..	43
Highway Law .....	..	3	..	1	1	..	1	..
Hotel fraud .....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent exposure	9	67	15	35	13	2	2	9
Labor Law	32	227	198	12	7	20	..	22
Larceny, petit	107	1,141	557	250	130	121	37	149
Liquor Tax Law	70	854	233	441	114	13	3	120
Medical Law .....	..	7	1	5	..	..	..	1
Malicious mischief	10	117	27	37	11	30	1	21
Minors—								
Unclassified	3	19	16	4	1	..	..	1
Admitting to theatre, etc...	2	52	21	14	3	..	..	16
Buying junk from.....	1	25	10	8	3	..	..	5
Endangering health of.....	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..
Failing to provide for.....	4	47	44	1	1	3	..	2
Impairing morals of.....	9	82	8	35	29	6	1	12
Selling liquor to.....	7	11	9	4	2	1	..	2
Obscene prints, etc.....	2	22	7	4	3	3	..	7
Opium, Cocaine and Drug Law	40	258	156	70	22	12	..	38
Sanitary Code	75	565	412	96	20	80	..	32
Secreting mortgaged property	3	9	1	3	2	4	..	2
Tenement House Act.....	17	67	16	1	..	60	..	7
Trade Mark Law.....	1	7	1	2	1	1	..	3
Transfer Ticket Law.....	..	16	3	5	1	1	..	6
Unlawfully possessing a revolver	14	132	81	23	13	4	2	23
Unlawful entry	18	145	39	63	47	6	2	6
Unclassified	41	345	151	93	55	43	2	42
Total.....	733	6,636	2,366	1,884	1,052	994	188	5 880

Total criminal actions pending.	880	Number of hours Court was in session, 1,444 hours, 5 minutes	
Total bastardy proceedings pending	13	Average duration of session, 5 hours, 45 minutes.	
Convicted by plea of guilty....	2,366	Recognizances forfeited	89
Convicted by trial	1,884	Forfeitures remitted	16
Acquitted	1,052	Forfeited recognizances sent to District Attorney	48
Dismissed	994	Warrants issued	465
Discharged on own recognizance	188	Warrants executed	355
Actions transferred	5	Fines imposed by Court.....	44,290
Bastardy Proceedings.		Fines paid to Clerk of Court...	\$26,106 16
Adjudged to be father of child.	65	Disposition of Convictions.	
Adjudged not to be father of child	15	Judgment suspended	1,726
Dismissed	83	By fine	1,569
Dismissed without prejudice...	14	City Prison	244
Intermarried	24	City Prison and fine.....	23
Total.....	6,690	Penitentiary	329
Probation.		Penitentiary and fine.....	12
Pending December 31, 1914....	238	N. Y. C. Reformatory of Misdeameanants	69
Added during year of 1915....	445	Bedford Reformatory	11
Terminated during year of 1915	482	Workhouse	234
Pending December 31, 1915....	201	House of Refuge	30
Pending investigations December 31, 1915.....	79	House of the Good Shepherd..	12
Number of days Court was in session	251	Wayside Home	1
		Total.....	4,260

Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Part 3, County of Queens, for the Year 1915.

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							Actions Pending December 31, 1915.
	Actions Pending December 31, 1914.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	
Assault	12	236	26	83	59	46	16	17

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							
	Actions Pending December 31, 1914.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	Actions Transferred. Actions Pending December 31, 1915.
Burglars' tools .....	..	3	..	2	1	..	..	..
Cruelty to animals	1	21	7	9	5	1	..	..
Disorderly house	1	12	4	7	..	..	..	1
False weights and measures...	1	3	1	3	..	..	..	..
Gambling Law, Book Making, etc.	6	23	..	5	7	..	1	16
Highway Law .....	..	7	1	..	4	..	..	2
Hotel fraud .....	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	1
Indecent exposure .....	..	7	1	5	1	..	..	..
Labor Law	1	15	15	1	..	..	..	..
Larceny, Petit	9	149	55	51	29	15	1	6
Liquor Tax Law	8	151	79	49	16	4	..	11
Malicious mischief .....	..	11	2	5	2	1	..	1
Minors—								
Unclassified:								
Admitting to theatre, etc...	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Endangering health of.....	..	3	1	..	1	..	1	..
Failing to provide for.....	1	13	10	..	2	..	..	2
Impairing morals of.....	..	14	3	5	4	..	..	2
Opium, Cocaine and Drug Law .....	..	15	6	5	4	..	..	..
Sanitary Code	9	101	31	31	16	22	..	10
Secreting mortgaged property.	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Tenement House Act.....	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Trade Mark Law .....	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Unlawfully possessing a revolver	1	21	11	5	4	..	..	2
Unlawful entry .....	..	9	..	1	5	2	..	1
Unclassified	3	38	6	16	10	6	..	3
Total	53	861	263	283	169	100	21	75

Total criminal actions pending.	75	Number of hours Court was in session, 245 hours, 40 minutes.	
Total bastardy proceedings pending	3	Average duration of session, 4 hours and 43 minutes.	
Convicted by plea of guilty....	263	Recognizances forfeited	10
Convicted by trial	283	Forfeitures remitted	7
Acquitted	169	Forfeited recognizances sent to District Attorney	8
Dismissed	100	Warrants issued	65
Discharged on own recognizance	21	Warrants executed	55
Actions transferred	3	Fines imposed by Court.....	\$3,705 00
Bastardy Proceedings.		Fines paid to Clerk of Court...	\$3,015 00
Adjudged to be father of child.	19	Disposition of Convictions.	
Adjudged not to be father of child	3	Judgment suspended	210
Dismissed	2	By fine	5
Dismissed without prejudice...	9	Fine or City Prison.....	196
Intermarried	3	City Prison	39
Total.....	875	Penitentiary	40
Probation.		City Prison and fine.....	1
Pending December 31, 1914....	23	N. Y. C. Reformatory of Misdeameanants	11
Added during year 1915.....	60	House of Refuge.....	4
Terminated during year 1915....	57	House of Good Shepherd.....	3
Pending December 31, 1915....	26	Arrest of judgment	1
Pending investigations December 31, 1915	10	Workhouse	29
Number of days Court was in session	52	Total.....	539

Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Part 4, County of Richmond, for Year 1915.

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							
	Actions Pending January 1, 1915.	Actions Received During the Day.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	Actions Transferred. Actions Pending January 1, 1916.
Assault	3	103	12	32	29	24	6	3
Cruelty to Animals .....	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Disorderly House .....	..	5	1	4	..	..	..	..
Gambling Law .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent Exposure .....	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..
Labor Law	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny, Petit	2	29	15	3	5	4	2	2
Liquor Tax Law	3	10	9	2	..	..	..	2
Malicious Mischief .....	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Minors—								
Admitting to Theatre, etc...	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Buying Junk from.....	..	7	2	5	..	..	..	..
Impairing Morals of.....	1	7	..	5	1	..	..	2
Sanitary Code	7	36	20	10	..	10	..	3
Unlawfully Carrying Pistol...	1	12	7	3	3	..	..	..
Unlawful Entry .....	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Unclassified	1	22	6	7	7	2	..	1
Total.....	19	241	74	78	47	40	8	11

Convicted by plea of guilty....	74	Remanded for investigation....	3
Convicted by trial	78	Number days Court was in session	52
Acquitted	47	Number of hours Court was in session, 103 hours, 6 minutes.	
Dismissed	40	Recognizances forfeited	1
Discharged on own recognizance	8	Forfeitures remitted	1
Bastardy Proceedings.		Warrants issued	11
Adjudged to be father of child.	2	Warrants executed	8
Adjudged not to be father of child	2	Fines imposed by Court.....	2,320 00
Dismissed without prejudice...	1	Fines paid to Clerk of Court...	1,500 00
Total.....	252	Disposition of Convictions.	
Actions pending	11	By fine	47
Probation.		City Prison	20
Pending January 1, 1915.....	16	City Prison and fine	2
Adding during the year.....	25	Penitentiary	10
Terminated during the year....	25	Bedford Reformatory	1
Pending	16	Judgment suspended	64
		Workhouse	5
		House of Refuge	2

Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Part Five, County of Bronx, for the Year of 1915.

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							Actions Transferred.	Actions Pending December 31, 1915.
	Actions Pending December 31, 1914.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.		
Assault	7	58	9	27	14	6	8	1	1
Agricultural Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Burglars' Tools	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cruelty to Animals	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dental Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Disorderly House	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Detective Unlicensed	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
False Weights and Measures	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gambling Law, Bookmaking, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Highway Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Indecent Exposure	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Labor Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Larceny, Petit	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Liquor Tax Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Medical Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Malicious Mischief	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Minors:									
Unclassified	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Admitting to Theatre, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Buying Junk From	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Endangering Health of	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Failing to Provide for	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Impairing Morals of	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Selling Liquor to	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Obscene Prints, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Opium, Cocaine and Drug Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sanitary Code	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Secreting Mortgaged Property	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Transfer Ticket Law	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Unlawfully Possessing a Revolver	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Unlawful Entry	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Unclassified	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	52	1,023	515	340	99	43	19	22	37
Total criminal action pending..	37	Number of hours Court was in session, 212 hours and 10 minutes.							
Total bastardy proceedings pending	14	Average duration of session, 4 hours and 5 minutes.							
Convicted by plea of guilty....	515	Recognizances forfeited							5
Convicted by trial	340	Forfeitures remitted							1
Acquitted	99	Forfeited recognizances sent to District Attorney							4
Dismissed	43	Warrants Issued							68
Discharged on own recognizance	19	Warrants executed							42
Actions transferred	22	Fines imposed by Court.....\$9,832 00							
Bastardy Proceedings.		Fines paid to Clerk of Court... 6,201 00							
Adjudged to be father of child.	18	Disposition of Convictions.							
Adjudged not to be father of child	3	Judgment suspended							337
Dismissed	6	By fine							15
Dismissed without prejudice...	6	County Jail							37
Intermarried	3	County Jail and fine.....							4
Total.....	1,074	Fine or County Jail.....							289
Probation.		Penitentiary							58
Pending December 31, 1914....	47	Penitentiary and fine							4
Added during year of 1915....	85	N. Y. C. Reformatory of Misdemeanants							29
Terminated during year of 1915	79	Bedford Reformatory							1
Pending December 31, 1915....	53	Catholic Protectory							1
Pending investigations December 31, 1915	8	House of Mercy (Protestant)							6
Number of days Court was in session	52	House of Refuge							5
Yearly Report of Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, Parts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and Pleading, Counties of New York, Kings, Queens, Bronx and Richmond, for the Year 1915.		House of Good Shepherd.....							55
		Work House							1
		Action abated by death.....							1
		Total.....							843

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.							Actions Transferred.	Actions Pending December 31, 1915.
	Actions Pending January 1, 1915.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.		
Assault	281	2,633	221	795	696	672	213	7	310
Agricultural Law	1	8	6	2	1	1	1	1	1
Burglars' tools	5	47	4	22	10	6	4	2	4
Conspiracy	2	9	1	4	1	1	1	1	6
Cruelty to animals	23	105	46	35	24	2	4	6	11
Dental Law	8	37	17	11	2	3	3	1	11
Disorderly house	71	369	43	188	104	3	3	41	58
Detective, unlicensed	4	22	17	6	2	1	1	1	1
Election Law	8	11	6	1	8	2	1	1	1
False weights and measures..	28	122	73	33	9	1	1	3	31
Fish, Game and Forest Law..	11	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gambling Law, Book Making, etc.	36	235	47	31	65	5	5	7	111
Highway Law	13	105	17	27	45	2	4	6	17
Hotel fraud	2	14	4	2	4	1	2	2	1
Indecent exposure	12	197	39	108	31	3	12	3	13
Labor Law	158	938	649	92	19	135	7	2	192
Larceny, Petit	285	3,727	2,090	839	381	260	99	76	267
Liquor Tax Law	227	2,470	566	1,185	353	27	15	130	421
Medical Law	10	54	22	26	4	1	2	3	6
Malicious mischief	17	215	76	70	25	35	2	2	24
Minors—									
Unclassified	8	95	52	33	13	1	1	2	2
Admitting to theatre, etc.	9	129	75	36	8	1	1	1	18
Buying junk from	1	61	33	16	6	1	1	1	5
Endangering health of	1	8	2	3	3	1	1	1	1
Failing to provide for	5	147	132	6	1	6	2	1	5
Impairing morals of	15	202	33	90	56	9	6	3	20

Title of Misdemeanor.	Dispositions.									
	Actions Pending January 1, 1915.	Actions Received During Year 1915.	Convicted by Plea Guilty.	Convicted by Trial.	Acquitted.	Dismissed.	D. O. R.	Actions Transferred.	Actions Pending December 31, 1915.	
Selling liquor to	9	57	42	15	3	1	1	1	4	4
Obscene prints, etc.	9	118	57	25	15	4	1	4	18	
Opium, Cocaine and Drug Law	160	1,503	994	354	174	25	24	10	82	
Sanitary Code	329	2,528	1,904	375	117	287	3	36	135	
Secreting mortgaged property	8	17	2	4	5	7	1	2	5	
Tenement House Act	19	74	20	1	64	1	1	7	1	
Trade Mark Law	13	18	3	8	2	11	1	2	5	
Transfer Ticket Law	1	33	18	6	2	1	1	1	6	
Unlawfully possessing a revolver	46	444	267	66	63	11	10	11	62	
Unlawful entry	25	240	53	106	73	10	11	2	10	
Unlawfully stamping merchandise	1	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Unclassified	172	783	348	209	120	128	21	8	121	
Displaying plumber's sign unly	11	24	22	5	1	4	1	1	3	
Public nuisance	8	32	27	4	1	5	3	1	1	
Smoking in a factory	17	766	711	29	5	27	2	1	8	
Violation of Fire Dept. order	6	14	4	1	1	11	1	2	2	
Total	2,058	18,626	8,755	4,869	2,450	1,766	464	377	2,003	
Total criminal actions pending.	2,003	Forfeited recognizances sent to District Attorney								
Total bastardy proceedings pending	515	Warrants issued								
Convicted by plea of guilty....	8,755	Warrants executed								
Convicted by trial	4,869	Fines imposed by Court.....\$160,525 00								
Acquitted	2,450	Fines paid to Clerk of Court... 89,332 21								
Dismissed	1,766	Disposition of Convictions.								
Discharged on own recognizance	464	Motion for arrest of judgment granted								
Actions transferred	377	Judgment suspended								
Bastardy Proceedings.		By fine								
Adjudged to be father of child.	273	By fine or City Prison								
Adjudged not to be father of child	55	City Prison								
Dismissed	103	City Prison and fine.....								
Dismissed without prejudice...	108	Penitentiary								
Intermarried	100	Penitentiary and fine								
Abated by death of child.....	5	Penitentiary or fine								
Total.....	19,325	N. Y. C. Reformatory of Misdemeanants								
Probation.		demeanants								
Pending January 1, 1915.....	723	Bedford Reformatory								
Added during year 1915.....	1,253	Workhouse, Blackwells Island								
Terminated during year 1915....	1,349	House of Refuge								
Pending December 31, 1915....	627	R. C. House of the Good Shepherd								
Pending investigations December 31, 1915	161	P. E. House of Mercy								
Number of day Courts were in session	777	House of Good Shepherd.....								
Number of hours Courts were in session, 3,894 hours, 30 minutes	13,668	County Jail								
Average duration of session, 5 hours and 5 minutes.....	7	County Jail and fine.....								
Recognizances forfeited	285	Fine or County Jail								
Forfeitures remitted	44	Wayside Home								
Which was ordered on file.		Industrial Farm								
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:		Abated by death of defendant.....								

No. 184.

President

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the said President of the Borough of Richmond may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$350.00, and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriations set apart for his office during the year 1916; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft on the funds of his office shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the President of the Borough of Richmond covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; Marks; the President—74.

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

No. 187.

Corporation Counsel—Request for Authority to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, February 1, 1916.

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

Sirs—On November 28, 1911, a resolution was adopted by your Board, which took effect, without approval by the Mayor, on December 12, 1911, providing for the advancing of the necessary funds to pay the contingent expenses of this office.

The Comptroller has asked that this resolution be resubmitted to your Board for approval.

I enclose herewith a copy of a proposed resolution which is an exact copy of the resolution of November 28, 1911, except that the first paragraph thereof, which is now obsolete and unnecessary, has been omitted.

I request that this resolution be adopted at your earliest convenience.

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

Resolved, First—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars. The Corporation Counsel may in like manner renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, however, that upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of the moneys upon the said draft to the extent of five hundred dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of five hundred dollars in part disbursement of the advance of two thousand five hundred dollars.

Second—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars. The Corporation Counsel may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, however, that upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon said draft to the extent of two hundred dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of two hundred dollars in part disbursement of the advance of six hundred dollars.

Third—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Brooklyn branch office of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding four hundred fifty dollars. The Corporation Counsel may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, however, that upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon said draft to the extent of one hundred fifty dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of one hundred fifty dollars in part disbursement of the advance of four hundred fifty dollars.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; Marks; the President—74.

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

No. 188.

President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Extension of Time Limit on Special Revenue Bonds, \$3,700, for Alterations to the 6th, 7th and 8th Floors of the Hall of Records Building.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, January 31, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Under date of October 26, 1915, a resolution was adopted by your Honorable Board authorizing the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$3,700, the proceeds to be used for the purpose of making alterations to the sixth, seventh and eighth floors of the Hall of Records Building. The resolution specified that all obligations to be incurred should be contracted for on or before December 31, 1915.

Contracts were duly entered into, and the work is now in progress. There are several minor additions incidental to the work which have since developed that could not be foreseen when the contracts were made, and I therefore respectfully request that the time for incurring obligations thereunder be extended to June 30, 1916.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 189.

President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,000, for the Replacement of the Passenger Elevator in the Harlem Court Building.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, January 31, 1916.

Hon. GEORGE MCANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y. C.:

My dear President McAneny—Request is hereby made for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$4,000 to provide for the replacement of the old, inefficient hydraulic passenger elevator in the Harlem Court Building, 121st Street and Sylvan Place, Borough of Manhattan, with a modern electric elevator.

This change will result in a saving in operating cost of approximately \$3,200 per annum, and the investment will, therefore, pay for itself in about one and one-quarter years.

The present equipment requires high-pressure steam for the operation of the elevator pump and this necessitates the employment of a licensed engineer throughout the year. If the motive power of the elevator is changed to electricity the services of the engineer at this building could be dispensed with entirely and he could be transferred to another building. Also, the three firemen now required throughout the year would, under the new conditions, be used only during the heating season.

It will be noted that the cost of the coal used during the summer months for the operation of the elevator is greater than the cost of the electrical energy of an electric elevator for the entire year.

The saving in operating cost above referred to is estimated as follows:

A record of the actual travel of the present elevator was made and found to be 2.19 miles per day.

2.19×3.5 K.W. hours per car mile = 7.67 K.W. hours per day; $7.67 \times 300 = 2,300$ K.W. hours per year; $2,300 \times \$0.06 = \138 , cost of electrical energy per year.

Amount of coal actually used during summer of 1915 for the operation of elevator was 126,815 pounds No. 1 Buckwheat. $126,815 \times \$1.725$ per M pounds = \$218.75, cost of coal used.

It is assumed that the same amount of coal would be used during the heating season with either type of equipment.

Operating Cost, Present Conditions—

3 firemen at \$3 per day.....	\$9 00
1 engineer at \$4.50 per day.....	4 50

\$13 50

\$13.50 \times 365 days.....	\$4,927 50
\$13.50 \times 14 days (vacation).....	189 00

\$5,116 50

Coal used for operation of elevator in summer months.....	218 75
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\$5,335 25

Operating Cost, New Conditions—

3 firemen at \$3 per day.....	\$9 00
\$9 \times 30 days \times 7½ months.....	2,025 00
Electrical energy for elevator.....	138 00

\$2,163 00

Cost under present conditions.....	\$5,335 25
Cost under new conditions.....	2,163 00

Saving in operating cost due to installation of electric elevator..... \$3,172 25

A similar condition formerly existed at West 54th Street Court, and it was estimated that a change to electrical operation would result in a saving of about \$2,900 a year. An electric elevator was installed during 1914 and the actual results for the year 1915 show a saving of \$3,200. Very sincerely,

MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 190.

President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$44,175, for Alterations, Etc., to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Floors of the Hall of Records Building.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, February 2, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of forty-four thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$44,175), to provide for the expense of making alterations to the first, second and third floors of the Hall of Records building and installing new furniture and equipment for the Register of New York County.

Tentative plans and specifications have been prepared pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of April 16, 1915, and the estimated cost of the work and equipment is as follows:

Alterations, including removal of old partitions, counters, etc., and painting.....	\$2,900 00
Alterations to the electrical system.....	550 00
New steel furniture.....	17,400 00
Remodeling and moving old steel furniture.....	19,000 00
New wooden furniture.....	1,225 00
New floor coverings.....	3,100 00

\$44,175 00

Very truly yours, MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 191.

President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$7,050, for Alterations to the 4th, 5th and 6th Floors of the Hall of Records Building.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, February 2, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of seven thousand and fifty dollars (\$7,050), to provide for the expense of making alterations to the fourth, fifth and sixth floors of the Hall of Records building, and to purchase new furniture and equipment for the Surrogates of New York County.

The estimated cost of the various items of the proposed work is as follows:

Alterations, including partition work, painting, etc.....	\$2,700 00
Alterations to plumbing system.....	100 00
Alterations to electric system.....	450 00
New steel furniture and alterations to present equipment.....	2,300 00
New wooden furniture.....	1,500 00

Total..... \$7,050 00

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the President of the Borough of The Bronx:

No. 192.

President, Borough of The Bronx—Request for Permission to Purchase Automobile Truck Chassis, Without Public Letting.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third Avenue and 177th Street, February 7, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Provision was made in the budgetary allowance of the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1916, for an Automobile Oiler to be used in the distribution of asphalt road oil and tar road oil on the earth and macadam roadways throughout the Borough.

It is desired to purchase, a truck chassis, completely equipped but without body, on which is to be erected a tank and the necessary pump and piping. The economical operation of the pumping equipment depends upon the proper design of the power take off for the pump.

This matter has not been given careful consideration in the design of most automobile trucks and permission is hereby requested, in accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, for authority to purchase, without public letting, an automobile truck chassis of five or five and one-half tons capacity, the cost of which will be about thirty-six hundred dollars (\$3,600). Very truly yours,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 193.

President, Borough of The Bronx—Request for Issue of \$4,000 Special Revenue Bonds for Erection of Fire Escapes, Etc., in Building Occupied by Second District Municipal Court.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third Avenue and 177th Street, Office of the President, February 7, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby respectfully made that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), for the purpose of providing funds necessary for the erection of fire escapes, and improving the ventilating system of the court rooms in the building occupied by the Municipal Court, Borough of The Bronx, located at 162d street and Brook avenue.

This request is based on a communication received from Hon. William E. Morris, Justice of the Second District Municipal Court, Bronx, dated January 5, 1916, a copy of which is enclosed, complaining of the unsafe condition of the stairways, etc., and the poor ventilation in the court rooms of said building.

I referred the letter of Justice Morris to the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, with a request to make a careful investigation of the conditions complained of, and prepare plans and estimate of the approximate cost of the improvements deemed to be necessary, and he reports that the present conditions of said building are dangerous in case of fire or panic; that the ventilation of the court rooms should be improved, and has accordingly prepared plans providing for the erection of fireproof stairways, doors and entrances where necessary, and also for new ventilating skylights in the court rooms.

The entire cost of the improvements as shown by the plans will be approximately four thousand dollars (\$4,000). Respectfully,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, January 5, 1916.

Hon. JOHN G. BORGSTEDE, Commissioner, Department of Public Works, Bronx:

Dear Commissioner—I desire to call your attention to the condition of the stairways on the east side of the Municipal Court building leading from the ground floor to the court room. They are constructed of wood and unsafe in case of fire and should be made fireproof at once, as five or six hundred people congregate in this building every day, and should a fire occur on the first or second floor, it would be impossible to empty the court rooms without loss of life.

There is a small fire escape on the south side of the building, which is entirely inadequate for the purpose in case of an emergency.

Ventilation is also very bad in both court rooms. As far as the larger one is concerned, it could be easily remedied by opening up a skylight on the roof, which, as I am informed, exists, but has been boarded up and is useless for the purpose for which it was intended.

There are also elevator shafts in the building where passenger elevators could easily be installed, and which would be a great convenience and improvement, and which could be used as an exit if occasion required.

I respectfully ask that you look into this matter at your convenience with the view to remedying present conditions.

Thanking you in advance for anything you may do in the premises, I remain, very truly yours,

WILLIAM E. MORRIS, Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 194.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Request for Authority to Purchase an Electric Tractor and Two Electric Trucks, Without Public Letting.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Twelfth Floor, New York, February 1, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen approve the purchase of one secondhand 7½-ton electric tractor and two 2-ton electric trucks at a cost not to exceed \$7,000.

The 7½-ton tractor will replace a tractor borrowed from the President of the Borough of Richmond to meet an emergency condition in upper Manhattan, where garbage hauls by carts are excessive and cannot be performed with the existing equipment.

The two electric trucks are required for service at a new central storehouse on 20th Street, Manhattan, and are so urgently needed that delays in purchase by ordinary contract will require expenditures of funds allowed for other purposes and necessitate the application of revenue bonds to make up the deficit. Yours respectfully,

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 195.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution Amending Corporate Stock Issue, \$75,000, for Installation of a Water Supply and Drainage System in Prospect Park.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, February 7, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 4, 1916, amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, which authorized the issue of \$75,000 corporate stock for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn,—by providing that \$63,000 of said amount shall be used for the above purpose, and the balance (\$12,000), for the construction of an arch tunnel under the East Drive in Prospect Park.

I also enclose copy of report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget relative thereto. Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on August 31, 1911, authorizing the issue of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) corporate stock for the purpose of providing means for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) to provide means for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, to the extent of sixty-three thousand dollars (\$63,000), and for the construction of an arch tunnel under the East Drive, in Prospect Park, to the extent of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no encumbrance or expenditure by contract shall be made against the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized, nor shall bids upon such contracts be advertised for until after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and forms of such contracts which shall be submitted to said Board by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, nor shall any architect, engineer, expert or departmental employee be engaged or employed as a charge against such proceeds, except after approval by said Board of such employment and of the fee or wage to be paid by preliminary and final contract; voucher or budget schedule, which are to be similarly submitted, unless in the case of departmental employees such employment is in accordance with schedules approved by said Board.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, February 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal, Bureau of Supervision, January 25, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On December 18, 1915, the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of

Brooklyn, requested that a resolution adopted July 17, 1911, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approving of the issue of \$75,000 corporate stock for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, be amended by inserting the words "and other improvements," so that the balance of about \$20,000 would be made available for general improvements in Prospect Park.

This request was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision, which bureau reports thereon as follows:

"The principal improvement for which the Commissioner wishes to make these funds available is for an arch or tunnel under the East Drive, the facts in regard to which are as follows:

"At present, in order to reach the bridge path from the main entrance it is necessary for riders to use the Main and East Drives for about fourteen hundred feet. The resulting mixture of auto and horse traffic is accompanied by some danger to riders. To eliminate this danger, it is proposed to use the present bicycle path on the Flatbush avenue sidewalk as a bridge path, with a bridge path entrance at the gate about midway between the Main and Willink entrances, to connect by new path with the main bridge path near the Menagerie. It is the latter path which is to pass through the proposed tunnel, which is also to accommodate a foot path. There would be just as much danger in a grade crossing of the drive as in the mixture of horse and auto traffic, so that the tunnel is a necessary part of the plan.

"The Commissioner states that a majority of the necessary preliminary work in connection with the utilization of this arch was done last year with budget funds and that he has sufficient available funds in his budget for 1916 for such other work of this nature as is necessary to complete the whole road and path scheme, except the tunnel.

"This arch tunnel improvement will also provide a safer method of crossing the drive for pedestrian traffic, which will undoubtedly increase upon the opening of the Eastern Parkway subway station near the Botanic Garden.

"The Commissioner has no plans for the expenditure of the balance of the fund, in such detail, that an authorization could be recommended, at this time."

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request to the extent of \$12,000 for the construction of an arch tunnel under the East Drive in Prospect Park. Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Commissioner:

No. 196.

Fire Commissioner—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$10,000, for the Raising and Alteration of Quarters of Engine Co. 253, Brooklyn.

Fire Department of The City of New York, February 4, 1916.

Hon. Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to request that your Board authorize an issue of revenue bonds in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the raising and alteration of quarters of Engine Co. 253, located in 86th Street, near 24th Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. This is made necessary by reason of the improvements in 86th Street, which embrace the change of grade of approximately four feet.

This Department has been compelled to temporarily abandon these quarters and lease quarters for this company at the corner of 25th and Harway Avenues, at an annual rental of \$1,800. Plans showing proposed work, together with itemized estimate of cost, have been submitted to the Bureau of Contract Supervision of the Board of Estimate, who have approved same but recommended that the charges be made by an issue of revenue bonds instead of corporate stock, and I accordingly make the present application.

As this building will not be available for use until these changes and alterations are made I respectfully urge your Board to take as prompt action as possible upon this request so that it will not be necessary to maintain this company in these quarters any longer than is absolutely necessary.

Respectfully, ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals:

No. 197.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$8,180, to Meet Cost of Additional Transportation Service in Psychopathic Department of Bellevue Hospital.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, February 4, 1916.

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

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$8,180, to meet the cost of providing additional transportation service in the psychopathic department of Bellevue Hospital. During the past few years the demands for this service have outgrown their resources, the number of calls having increased from 1,755 in 1912 to 2,549 in 1915. Our facilities for this enlarged service are inadequate, as we have but one ambulance provided in 1910 for that purpose. The Trustees have received a complaint in the form of a report from the Commissioner of Accounts, calling attention to the delays in the calls of the psychopathic ambulance and the inconvenience caused to the courts thereby, and as these delays are primarily due to the fact that the one ambulance covers the Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx it will be necessary to provide, in addition to the present equipment, an ambulance, four nurses and two chauffeurs, as follows:

1 new automobile ambulance.....	\$3,500 00
2 chauffeurs, \$900 each.....	1,800 00
4 nurses, \$720 each.....	2,880 00

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 198—(G. O. No. 21).

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

By the President—

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

By Alderman Bent—

Gustave A. Rabel, 1157 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Harry C. Underhill and John Lang.

Jesse L. Ketchum, 70 Covert Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by John W. Tonnes and Elwood G. Hafner.

By Alderman Burns—

Louis Birnhak, 95 Cannon Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Arthur Hunter and David Kornbluh.

By Alderman Cassidy—

Sylvia Taubenhaus, 234 East 82nd Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Benj. Abraham and Nathan Vidaver.

Benjamin Fein, 446 East 79th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Herman Kabiner and Joseph Rose.

Martin J. Kelly, 151 East 82nd Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by John T. Russell and John Hand.

Dennis J. O'Connell, 75 East 85th Street, Manhattan.

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Kenneth N. Downs, 701 West 177th Street, Manhattan.

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Nathan H. Weil, 655 West 140th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Geo. Ludwig and William Schwegles.

By Alderman Cunningham—

William F. Connell, 211 Congress Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Joseph F. Conran and A. H. Goetting.

By Alderman Curley—

Hyman S. Kessler, 288 St. Anns Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.

Endorsed by Herman Levey and George D. Cook, Jr.

No. 193.

President, Borough of The Bronx—Request for Issue of \$4,000 Special Revenue Bonds for Erection of Fire Escapes, Etc., in Building Occupied by Second District Municipal Court.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third Avenue and 177th Street, Office of the President, February 7, 1916.
 Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby respectfully made that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), for the purpose of providing funds necessary for the erection of fire escapes, and improving the ventilating system of the court rooms in the building occupied by the Municipal Court, Borough of The Bronx, located at 162d Street and Brook Avenue.

This request is based on a communication received from Hon. William E. Morris, Justice of the Second District Municipal Court, Bronx, dated January 5, 1916, a copy of which is enclosed, complaining of the unsafe condition of the stairways, etc., and the poor ventilation in the court rooms of said building.

I referred the letter of Justice Morris to the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, with a request to make a careful investigation of the conditions complained of, and prepare plans and estimate of the approximate cost of the improvements deemed to be necessary, and he reports that the present conditions of said building are dangerous in case of fire or panic; that the ventilation of the court rooms should be improved, and has accordingly prepared plans providing for the erection of fireproof stairways, doors and entrances where necessary, and also for new ventilating skylights in the court rooms.

The entire cost of the improvements as shown by the plans will be approximately four thousand dollars (\$4,000). Respectfully,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, January 5, 1916.

Hon. JOHN G. BORGSTEDE, Commissioner, Department of Public Works, Bronx:

Dear Commissioner—I desire to call your attention to the condition of the stairways on the east side of the Municipal Court building leading from the ground floor to the court room. They are constructed of wood and unsafe in case of fire and should be made fireproof at once, as five or six hundred people congregate in this building every day, and should a fire occur on the first or second floor, it would be impossible to empty the court rooms without loss of life.

There is a small fire escape on the south side of the building, which is entirely inadequate for the purpose in case of an emergency.

Ventilation is also very bad in both court rooms. As far as the larger one is concerned, it could be easily remedied by opening up a skylight on the roof, which, as I am informed, exists, but has been boarded up and is useless for the purpose for which it was intended.

There are also elevator shafts in the building where passenger elevators could easily be installed, and which would be a great convenience and improvement, and which could be used as an exit in case of emergency.

I respectfully ask that you look into this matter at your convenience with the view to remedying present conditions.

Thanking you in advance for anything you may do in the premises, I remain, very truly yours,

WILLIAM E. MORRIS, Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 194.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Request for Authority to Purchase an Electric Tractor and Two Electric Trucks, Without Public Letting.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Twelfth Floor, New York, February 1, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen approve the purchase of one secondhand 7½-ton electric tractor and two 2-ton electric trucks at a cost not to exceed \$7,000.

The 7½-ton tractor will replace a tractor borrowed from the President of the Borough of Richmond to meet an emergency condition in upper Manhattan, where garbage hauls by carts are excessive and cannot be performed with the existing equipment.

The two electric trucks are required for service at a new central storehouse on 20th Street, Manhattan, and are so urgently needed that delays in purchase by ordinary contract will require expenditures of funds allowed for other purposes and necessitate the application of revenue bonds to make up the deficit. Yours respectfully,

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 195.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution Amending Corporate Stock Issue, \$75,000, for Installation of a Water Supply and Drainage System in Prospect Park.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, February 7, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 4, 1916, amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, which authorized the issue of \$75,000 corporate stock for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn,—by providing that \$63,000 of said amount shall be used for the above purpose, and the balance (\$12,000), for the construction of an arch tunnel under the East Drive in Prospect Park.

I also enclose copy of report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget relative thereto. Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on August 31, 1911, authorizing the issue of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) corporate stock for the purpose of providing means for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) to provide means for the installation of a water supply and drainage system in Prospect Park, to the extent of sixty-three thousand dollars (\$63,000), and for the construction of an arch tunnel under the East Drive, in Prospect Park, to the extent of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no encumbrance or expenditure by contract shall be made against the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized, nor shall bids upon such contracts be advertised for until after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and forms of such contracts which shall be submitted to said Board by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, nor shall any architect, engineer, expert or departmental employee be engaged or employed as a charge against such proceeds, except after approval by said Board of such employment and of the fee or wage to be paid by preliminary and final contract; voucher or budget schedule, which are to be similarly submitted, unless in the case of departmental employees such employment is in accordance with schedules approved by said Board.

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Endorsed by Herman Levy and George D. Cook, Jr.

By Alderman Daly—
Josephine Butler, 2431 Jerome Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frederick Doll and Frank H. Jones.
Joseph J. Haiduvén, 16 East 177th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles J. Bradel and L. J. Moran.
Elizabeth Nisselson, 166 Harrison Avenue, Kings, N. Y.
Endorsed by Gustave Reiss and Philip Berman.
Samuel Lieberman, 121 East 10th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. Moroney and William H. Siegman.

By Alderman Donnelly—
Nicholas Santella, 183 Thompson Street, Manhattan, N. Y.
Endorsed by Isidor G. Komito and Vincent Sunpriowa.

By Alderman Dostal—
Max Getreu, 101 Norfolk Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob H. Rand and Herman Schwartz.

By Alderman Drescher—
Joseph Berglas, 82 Powell Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank P. Derry and Bernhard Meice.
Irving Goldman, 1404 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Leo Grenebaum and Grenebaum Confect., Inc.
Alexander S. Freed, 1453 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Moses W. Foxe and Maurice Ravintzky.
Charles Meyer Sekler, 655 Alabama Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip Sharlash and Samuel Morris.

By Alderman Dunn—
Roman DeBes, 438 63rd Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. Buhe and M. D. Simmons.
George Vassallo, 915 84th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Leo B. Klugherz and Charles Brauhut.
William Tonkin, 5622 4th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip G. Mandell and Louis W. Maul.
William H. Knemeyer, 6728 4th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by R. Sadler and Thomas Moore.
Peter James McGoldrick, 333 Senator Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Albert W. Linton and Maurice V. Theall.

By Alderman Eagan—
Marcus Friedlander, 947 2nd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joel Krone and Lewis M. White.

By Alderman Ferrand—
Frederick Evans, 61 St. Felix Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Lewis W. Faubel and P. Harry Dalton.
Thomas F. Maher, 162 Cumberland Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jacob Hellerstein and Joseph O. Sirvydas.
Constantine Pellegrino, 610 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James J. Gibbons and William O'Hara.

By Alderman Gaynor—
Sara Meyer, 157 Heyward Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Albert A. Levin and Forrest S. Chilton.
David Weiss, 209 Rutledge Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George L. Dinnebeil and James S. Landers.

By Alderman Gilmore—
J. Adam Wilhelm, 537 East 88th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Hugh C. Murray and Ferdinand Berndt.
Alfred J. Dierks, 302 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Ryan and Edw. B. Wickham.
Isidore Gratz, 1665 First Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Barney Wayneck and Patrick Dougherty.

By Alderman Gutman—
Theodore Simon, 21 East 108th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Saul J. Dickheiser and Henry Frank.
David Kaiser, 1523 Madison Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Saul J. Dickheiser and Henry Frank.
Morris Broderson, 50 East 98th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Saul J. Dickheiser and Henry Frank.
John Duncan Sibley, 25 East 109th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. J. Gillen and Walter R. Kuhn.

By Alderman Haubert—
Joseph L. Kramer, 402 Linden Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Ben W. Slote and Ben. B. Mayers.

By Alderman Hilkemeier—
John C. Stemmermann, 811 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles W. Church, Jr., and William H. Curran.

By Alderman Heyman—
Benjamin Rose, 210 Montrose Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thomas P. Ward and Morgan F. Donnelly.
George H. Ittleman, 696 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Hyman Bloomgarden and Joseph Goluby.

By Alderman Kenneally—
David Gottlieb, 182 Avenue B, New York City.
Endorsed by Joseph Rosenthal and Louis Lerhr.

By Alderman Kochendorfer—
Walter H. Bunn, 470 Napier Avenue, Richmond Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by Philip Dobbins and William N. George.

By Alderman McKee—
Mary Frances Monica Butler, 1195 Fulton Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Alex. M. Wilson and F. Dodworth.
Thomas F. O'Mahoney, 651 52d Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles R. Molesphini and Angus P. Thorn.

By Alderman McKee—
Emma Franklin, 500 Manhattan Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Alex. M. Wilson and F. Dodworth.
Minnie E. Maycrink, 614 West 147th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Wilbur H. Nangle and Mrs. Wm. J. Ryan.
Thomas William Clark, 802 East 168th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Loretta M. Cloughessy and John Donovan.

By Alderman Moore—
David F. Price, 64 Grant Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert E. Matuozzi and Abraham H. Kesselman.

By Alderman Molen—
Daniel E. McBride, 653 46th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Bernard J. Becker and Richmond B. Clapperton.
Peter J. Smith, 618 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James V. Whelan and John Browner.
Mildred W. Reilly, 1682 8th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John T. Keenan and Fred F. Berger.

By Alderman Moran—
David Broschart, 1547 Commonwealth Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jacques Beteille and George Stock.
John J. Murphy, 1869 Wallace Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Peter B. Gilhooly and Wm. K. Halliday.
Charles Schano, 1810 Amethyst Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Timothy J. Kelly and S. Kopalid.

By Alderman Mullen—
Geza Eichhorn, 130 West 142nd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob W. Hartman and Samuel Wolbarst.

By Alderman Post—
John A. Hardiman, N. W. cor. Park Lane and Centre Drive, Douglaston, Queens.
Endorsed by Francis Mapplegate and Wm. H. Van Stienbergh.

By Alderman Quinn—
Max Tachna, 51 East 97th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Adolph Bangser and Monte London.
Thomas J. Stanford, 118 West 83rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. O'Brien and Frank J. McCoy.

By Alderman Robitzek—
Francis X. Hennessy, 2005 Washington Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry A. Keiser and DeSolis Ritterband.

Henry Weil, 950 Union Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by George M. Bennett and Leo Levy.
Samuel Tauss, 940 Tiffany Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Reuben J. Wittstein and I. Rothman.
Samuel M. Newman, 970 Prospect Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John M. Grayley, Jr., and Jos. Yale Levy.

By Alderman Ryan—
Daniel Epstein, 1534 57th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Saul J. Dickheiser and Moses I. Falk.
Ernest Haedrich, 785 Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. W. Staite and Edward W. Wieser.
Abraham Sugarman, 2147 66th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Wm. Sugarman and Wm. M. Crowe.
Moses Berk, 1414 46th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Eugene D. Boyer and Nathaniel D. Reich.
George V. Couture, 1826 73rd Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. A. Planantin and Henry Maher.
Isaac Salzberg, 4617 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel Bikoff and Morris Kornblum.
Ralph A. Rosenthal, 60 Bay 22nd Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Herman M. Schwartz and George Kean.

By Alderman Schmitz—
Andrew Barrymore, 51 Dongan Street, Elmhurst, Queens.
Endorsed by Frederick Morgenthaler and Frank McGarry.

By Alderman Silberstein—
Abraham Baum, 330 East 4th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Wallerstein and Jacob Bressler.
Flora E. Baken, 89 Avenue C, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jack Zaslarsky and Max Stark.

By Alderman Squiers—
Adeline Bennett, 134 Winthrop Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert F. Downing and James H. Cross.
John J. Farrell, 191 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John S. Gaynor and James J. Molen.
Chauncey B. Graham, 1420 East 27th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Merritt E. Haviland and Warran C. Van Scyker.
Thomas Codey, 139 Lefferts Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and John Flaherty.
Benjamin J. King, 1314 Avenue H, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Michael Alexander and A. W. Hoff.

By Alderman Stapleton—
Conklin Viola Percy, 265 Henry Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Maximilian Morgenthau, Jr., and Lillian D. Wald.

By Alderman Sullivan—
Samuel D. Ginzburg, 134 Bowery, Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. Edison and Alexander Friedlander.

By Alderman Tolk—
Jerome Perlmutter, 157 Clinton Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Donato Montano and Arthur Feinberg.
Joseph Pearson, 183 Henry Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Ira L. Schall and Jacob Cerbert.

By Alderman Williams—
Earl Hermidos Pelletier, 841 West End Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. A. Ackerman and I. C. Lee.
Robert R. Craig, 31 Manhattan Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herman Damran, Jr., and Henry W. Schmall.
James R. Burton, 69 West 93rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry W. Schmall and Henry A. Capel.
Harry C. Tietjen, 826 West End Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Benjamin W. Leavy and Herman H. Leavy.

By Alderman Wirth—
Victor P. Chiquoine, 641 Decatur Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George Monteuif and Lester W. Hill.

By Alderman Wise—
J. Edward Murphy, 520 West 139th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Chas. P. Caldwell and Oscar J. Smith.
Which was laid over.

No. 199.

Resolution to Authorize County Clerk, New York County, to Draw Upon Comptroller to Meet Minor Incidental Expenses.

By Alderman Delaney—
Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying minor and incidental expenses contingent to the office of the County Clerk of New York County, the said County Clerk may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation set aside for the office of the County Clerk of New York County in the Budget for 1916, entitled "Code No. 3068—1916, Supplies"; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the County Clerk, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; Marks; the President—74.

No. 200.

An Ordinance to Repeal an Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Traffic Regulations," and Particularly to Restricted Streets.

By Alderman Farley—
AN ORDINANCE to repeal an ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances relating to "traffic regulations," and particularly to restricted streets.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. The ordinance adopted October 26, 1915, and received from his honor the Mayor November 9, 1915, without his approval or disapproval thereof, which reads as follows:

"AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to 'traffic regulations.'"

"Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
"Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to 'traffic regulations,' is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words—The territory bounded by 56th Street, 3rd Avenue, 74th Street and the East River, except the space beneath the Queensboro Bridge, lying within said bounds, set aside for market purposes, Manhattan.

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

—be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 201.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Peddlers."

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances relating to "peddlers."

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "peddlers," as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

2. *Restricted streets.* No peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall stop or remain, between 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., in

Amsterdam avenue, between 67th street and 70th street, Manhattan;
Avenue A, between Houston and 7th street, Manhattan;
Avenue B, from Houston street to 14th street, Manhattan;
Avenue C, from Houston street to 14th street, Manhattan;
Broadway, from 134th street to 158th street, Manhattan;
Centre street, from New Chambers street to Park row, Manhattan;
Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre street, Manhattan;
Claremont parkway, from Crotona park to Claremont park, The Bronx;
Fulton street, between Broadway and Pearl street, Manhattan;
Manhattan avenue, between Driggs avenue and Vernon avenue, Brooklyn;
Montrose avenue, between Broadway and Bushwick place, Brooklyn;
Nassau street, between Spruce and Wall streets, Manhattan;
Park avenue, from [111th] 115th street to [134th] 135th street, Manhattan;
Park row, from New Chambers to Ann street, Manhattan;
West End avenue, between 67th street and 70th street, Manhattan;
67th, 68th and 69th streets, from Amsterdam avenue to the westerly end of said streets, Manhattan;

The territory bounded by Market street, Division street and Jefferson street and the East River, Manhattan; [nor shall any such peddler, vender, hawker, huckster cry his or her wares or stop or remain on]

Wilkins avenue, between Freeman street and East 170th street [borough of] The Bronx;

23rd street, between 4th avenue and Broadway, Manhattan;
First avenue, between 2nd street and 9th street, Manhattan;
The territory bounded by 56th street, 3rd avenue, 74th street and the East River, except the space beneath the Queensboro Bridge, lying within said bounds set apart for market purposes, Manhattan;

Fifth avenue, between 110th street and 120th street, Manhattan;
Prospect avenue, between 160th street and 163d street, and 161st street, between Prospect avenue and Union avenue, The Bronx;

14th street, between Fourth avenue and Seventh avenue, Manhattan;
6th avenue, between 4th and 23rd streets, Manhattan;
23rd street, between Broadway and 7th avenue, Manhattan;

None of the provisions of this section shall be construed as regulating the crying or hawking of newspapers.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics*; old matter in brackets [], to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 202.

Resolution Directing Comptroller to Advance \$1,500 to King's County Volunteer Firemen's Association for the Purpose of Celebrating Washington's Birthday.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advance to the Treasurer of the Kings County Volunteer Firemen's Association, upon his requisition countersigned by the President and Secretary of said Association, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), being the amount provided by an issue of special revenue bonds for the purpose of an appropriate celebration of Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1916, said moneys to be subsequently accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the officers of the said Kings County Firemen's Association, covering expenditures made.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kennelly, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; Marks; the President—74.

No. 203.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 17 of Section 43 of Article 3 of Chapter 10, and Section 150 of Article 11 of Chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, Relating to Private Garages Outside the Fire Limits.

By Alderman Kochendorfer—

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Subdivision 17 of Section 43 of Article 3 of Chapter 10, and Section 150 of Article 11 of Chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, Relating to Private Garages Outside the Fire Limits.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 17 of article 3 of chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

17. Garage, to maintain and operate
private, for storage of not more than
3 motor vehicles within fire limits..... 5 00—\$101
each additional motor vehicle..... 2 00—\$101
for storage of not more than 3
motor vehicles outside fire limits..... 2 00—New
each additional motor vehicle..... 2 00—\$101
public, one gasoline storage tank..... 25 00—\$100
each additional gasoline storage tank..... 10 00—\$100
no gasoline storage tanks..... 15 00—\$101a

The unit capacity of storage tanks for purpose of fee shall be 275 gallons or major portion thereof.

Section 2. Section 150 of article 11 of chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 150. Permit. No person shall store, house or keep any motor vehicle containing volatile inflammable oil, except in a building, shed or enclosure for which a garage permit shall have been issued. No such permit, however, shall be required for the maintenance of a private garage outside of the fire limits, in which no volatile inflammable oil is stored or kept, except such as may be contained in the fuel tanks of motor vehicles.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

New matter in *italics*.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 204.

An Ordinance to Designate a National Republican Newspaper to Publish Election Notices and the Official Canvass in the Borough and County of Queens.

By Alderman Post—

AN ORDINANCE to Designate a National Republican Newspaper to Publish Election Notices and the Official Canvass in the Borough and County of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, pursuant to the power vested in it by section 22 of the County Law and section 1586 of the Greater New York Charter, as follows:

Section 1. The Flushing Daily Times, published at Flushing, in the Borough and County of Queens, representing the National Republican Party, is hereby designated as one of the newspapers in which shall be published the election notices hereafter issued by the Secretary of State, and in which shall be published the official canvass of votes cast at any general or special election held in said borough or county, in place and stead of The Argus, published at Rockaway Beach.

Section 2. The compensation for the publication of the election notices and the said official canvass is hereby fixed at twenty cents per line.

Section 3. The compensation for publishing election notices and official canvass in the Borough of Queens is hereby fixed at twenty cents per line.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 205.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 6, Article 1, Chapter 12 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York Relating to Street Fires.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Section 6, Article 1, Chapter 12 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York Relating to Street Fires.

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

Section 1. Section 6, article 1, chapter 12 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6. Street fires; permit required. No person shall kindle, build, maintain or use a fire upon any dock, pier or bulkhead; nor in or upon a street or vacant lot, without a permit from the fire commissioner. A permit to kindle, build, maintain and use a fire in or upon a public street [for the purpose of conducting] in aid of the conduct of a trade [or] business or public purpose may be issued by the Fire Commissioner upon an application giving such information as may be required by him, and upon receipt of a fee of \$0.50 except that no fee shall be required for permits issued for the kindling and maintaining of such fires for the sole purposes of destroying fallen leaves outside of the first limits; but no]. No permit shall be issued, however, to kindle, build, maintain or use a fire—

(a) Within 15 feet of a fire hydrant;

(b) Within 2 feet of the surface of any stone pavement;

(c) On or within 2 feet of the surface of any asphalt pavement, except for the purpose of repairing, removing or constructing the same.

A fire kindled, built and maintained under a permit issue in conformity with the provisions of this section shall be continuously under the care and direction of a competent person from the time it is kindled until it is extinguished.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Matter in *italics* is new. Matter in [] to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 206.

Resolution Authorizing Issue of \$1,065 Special Revenue Bonds for Use by Surrogate's Court, County of Bronx, in Equipping and Removing to New Quarters.

By Alderman Robitzek—

Resolved, That in pursuance of provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller of the City of New York to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$1,065. The proceeds whereof to be used by the Surrogate's Court of the County of Bronx, for the purpose of purchasing one metal counter and steel filing cabinet, one filing cabinet for record room, and cost of moving all of the equipment now situated in the Bronx County Court House to the new quarters of the Surrogate's Court of the County of Bronx, in the Bergen Building, Borough of Bronx. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

Chambers of the Surrogate's Court, County of Bronx, New York, February 7, 1916.

Hon. HARRY ROBITZEK, 2808 Third Avenue, New York City:

Dear Sir—The removal of the Surrogate's Court of Bronx County from the Bronx County Court House to the new quarters in the Bergen Building necessitates this request for funds to meet the following expenses, viz.:

Metal counter and steel filing cabinets.....	\$708 00
Filing cabinets for record room.....	217 00
Cost of moving	140 00

\$1,065 00

You are kindly requested to introduce a resolution at tomorrow's session of the Board of Aldermen for the issuance of revenue bonds to cover the above requirements of this Court. Very truly yours,

WM. NEILL, Chief Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 207.

Resolution Authorizing Issue of \$40 Special Revenue Bonds for Use by District Attorney, County of Bronx, in Removing Law Library to New Quarters.

By the same—

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller of the City of New York to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$40.00, the proceeds whereof to be used by the District Attorney of the County of Bronx for the purpose of defraying cost of removal of the Bronx County Law Library from No. 3230 Third Avenue to the new library quarters in the Bergen Building, in the Borough of Bronx. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

District Attorney's Office, Bronx County, New York, February 7, 1916.

Hon. HARRY ROBITZEK, 2808 Third Avenue, New York City:

Dear Sir—The removal of the Bronx County Law Library from 3230 Third Avenue to the new library quarters in the Bergen Building, necessitates a request for funds to meet the cost of removal as follows:

Packing library equipment and cartage of same.....	\$40 00
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You are kindly requested to introduce a resolution at tomorrow's session of the Board of Aldermen for the issuance of revenue bonds to cover the above item.

Very truly yours,

PATRICK J. TRACY, Chief Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 208.

Municipal Reference Library—A Communication in Re Int. No. 133, Relative to Fire Hazards in the Storage and Repair of Motorcycles.

By the same—

Municipal Reference Library, 500 Municipal Building, New York City, January 29, 1916.

Hon. HARRY ROBITZEK, 2808 Third Avenue, New York City:

Dear Sir—Ordinances of other cities on file in this Library, supplemented by information obtained from city officials through correspondence, show that in Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, St. Louis, Seattle, Los Angeles, Kansas City and Albany, the rules and regulations relating to garages apply to places in which either automobiles or motorcycles are kept.

Chicago—The fire prevention ordinances of Chicago do not specifically cover the storage of motorcycles, the ordinance pertaining to garages being ambiguous in that respect, but I am informed that whenever cases have arisen the Chicago Fire Prevention Bureau has required that motorcycles be subject to the regulations covering the storage or repair of automobiles in garages.

Cincinnati—In Cincinnati a "garage" is a "building or that portion of a building wherein are kept one or more vehicles charged with or containing a volatile inflammable liquid for fuel or power."

Cleveland—The Cleveland ordinance defines garage as "any part of a building in which an automobile is kept," but the Building Department advises that "there are no separate provisions applying to buildings in which motorcycles alone are kept. Any such buildings would be considered 'garages.'"

Detroit—In the Detroit ordinance (§ 85) "a garage shall be construed to mean a building in which are housed, for rent, care, demonstration, storage or sale, self-propelled vehicles or other wheeled machines, containing in the tanks thereof inflammable liquids for fuel or power; also all parts of the building and all adjoining structures or buildings not cut off by an unpierced fire wall."

Indianapolis—In the Indianapolis code a "public garage" is declared to be "any building or inclosure used for the care, repair or storage of motor vehicles for profit or any in which motor vehicles are kept for hire."

Milwaukee—The Milwaukee code defines a garage as "a building or that portion of a building in which a vehicle or vehicles, using or carrying volatile inflammable liquid for fuel or power, is or are kept for use, repair, rental or live-storage or for demonstration purposes."

St. Louis—A garage in a St. Louis ordinance of 1908 still in force is defined as "a building or that portion of a building wherein are kept five or more automobiles or motor cars charged with or containing a volatile inflammable liquid for fuel or power." Although this seems to exempt motorcycles, the St. Louis Building Department states that the garage regulations apply to any gasoline vehicle. A St. Louis ordinance of July 21, 1915, seems definitely to include motorcycles. This ordinance reads in part as follows: "No garage for the storing or caring for of five or more automobiles, auto trucks or motor cars, charged with gasoline or other volatile, inflammable liquid, or electricity, whether such machines are owned and used for private purposes, or are to be kept for hire, shall hereafter be established in any building or on any premises within twenty-five feet of an existing inhabited residence, tenement house, apartment house, nor within one hundred feet of an existing building used as a place of public assemblage."

Seattle—In Seattle a garage is defined as "a building or any portion thereof in which an automobile propelled otherwise than by electricity is kept for any purpose other than display." This would seem to exclude motorcycles, but I am informed by letter from Seattle that the garage regulations apply to all motor vehicles alike.

Los Angeles—In Los Angeles a garage is defined as "a building where automobiles are kept or stored by the public, or where automobiles are rented to or hired by the public, or where a charge is made for the use, storage or keeping of automobiles." The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department writes that this definition covers both auto and motorcycle garages.

Kansas City—The Fire Warden of Kansas City, Missouri, states that they "make no distinction in fire prevention regulations between buildings in which automobiles are stored and those in which motorcycles are kept."

Albany—The Superintendent of buildings of Albany makes the same report.

A distinction is made between automobiles and motorcycles in Boston, Minneapolis and San Francisco.

Boston—The regulations of the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District (Boston) governing the transportation, storage, sale and use of volatile, inflammable fluids and the construction and maintenance of garages provide (Sec. 13) that "no motorcycle or motor tricycle shall be kept in any building or part of any building, except a licensed garage, unless a permit has been obtained from the Head of the Fire Department." A garage is defined (§ 45) as "any building or part of any building wherein is kept one or more automobiles—not including motor cycles or motor tricycles—charged with or containing volatile inflammable fluid, or wherein is conducted the business of repairing motor vehicles."

Minneapolis—The Minneapolis building ordinances of 1914 apparently do not define a "garage," but the Building Inspector states that the regulations which apply to garages do not apply to buildings in which motor cycles are kept.

San Francisco—In San Francisco the definition of a public garage is almost identical with that in Los Angeles, but the Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners writes that they "have no law regulating the storage of motorcycles in garages."

The National Board of Fire Underwriters and the National Fire Prevention Association published in 1913 a "suggested ordinance regulating the use, handling, storage and sale of inflammable liquids and the products thereof," which was the result of two or three years' study of a considerable number of experts representing the two organizations named as well as experts interested in various phases of the petroleum industry, railroad transportation, etc. In this suggested ordinance a garage is defined as a "building in which are housed, for rent, care, demonstration, storage or sale, self-propelled vehicles or other wheeled machines, containing in the tanks thereof inflammable liquids for fuel or power; also all parts of the building and all adjoining structures or buildings not cut off by an unperced fire wall."

The Consulting Engineer of the National Board of Fire Underwriters writes that "We cannot see that there is any difference in the hazard of the two vehicles except that of fuel storage capacity, but when we take into account the fact that several motorcycles can be stored in the same space that would be occupied by one automobile, this difference is greatly lessened, and you have the additional hazard of the operation of several machines instead of one. We believe this view is the one generally taken upon this subject."

I have requested information from other cities on this subject but have received no replies. As soon as I get further data I will send it on to you. If we can be of service in looking up information on any other phase of this question or on any other question for your Committee, I hope you will feel free to call upon us.

Very truly yours, C. C. WILLIAMSON, Librarian.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 209.

Bronx Board of Trade—A Communication Opposing Resolution Authorizing Commissioner of Street Cleaning to Execute Contract for Final Disposition of Garbage, Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn, for Five Years, Being Int. No. 169.

By the same—

The Bronx Board of Trade in the City of New York (Formerly North Side Board of Trade), Third Avenue, 137th Street and Lincoln Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, N. Y., February 4, 1916.

Hon. HARRY ROBITZER, Alderman, 38th Aldermanic Districts

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Civic Bureau of the Bronx Board of Trade, held January 28, considerable discussion was had in relation to the erection of a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, It is the sense of this meeting that the location of a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island be opposed by the Board of Trade, and this bureau therefore recommends to the board of directors that a resolution be adopted opposing the location of said plant on Rikers Island.

We call upon you as one of the Aldermen from The Bronx to oppose this matter when it comes before you, and to urge your colleagues to fight with you, for while it is said there may be no odors from this plant as proposed by the City, we know that the garbage must be brought to the island in scows, where it will lay for some hours before it can be disposed of, and the odor from this would be sufficient to warrant out objection to the erection of this plant.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. E. REID, Secretary.

Mr. Eugene H. Rosenquest, President of The Bronx Board of Trade, said:

"My attention has been called to the fact that the City intends to install a garbage plant on Rikers Island. This I think will be most detrimental to this section of the City and should be opposed by everyone interested in this section. The Bronx Board of Trade should at once adopt every measure to oppose the erection of this plant."

"It would be a great mistake to place a reduction plant on Rikers Island," said Mr. C. D. Jackson, of the Port Morris Industrial Terminal Company. "The waterfront of the East Bronx is of tremendous commercial importance and the land in that section is correspondingly valuable and a garbage plant on Rikers Island, so near at hand, could not with the prevalent winds be other than extremely objectionable to the great number of people in that neighborhood."

Mr. Edward A. Boynton, President, American Real Estate Company, said:

"The erection of a dump on Rikers Island should not be permitted by the City. During the summer months the stench arising from refuse deposited on the island would be a menace to health and the comfort of the people residing in the southeastern portion of the Borough and would have a very serious effect upon property values in that portion of the Borough. The maintaining of a dump on Rikers Island is a disgrace to the City, and should not be permitted."

Mr. John B. Denbigh, Chairman of the Civic Bureau of The Bronx Board of Trade, said:

"At a meeting of his bureau held recently, considerable discussion was had relative to the erection of a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island, and the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That it be the sense of this meeting that the location of a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island be opposed by the Board of Trade, and this bureau therefore recommends to the Board of Directors that a resolution be adopted opposing the location of said plant on Rikers Island."

Charles E. Reid, Secretary, The Bronx Board of Trade:

"In relation to the proposed location of a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island, would state that The Bronx Board of Trade is very much opposed because of the offensive odors that will emanate from this plant, which without a question will be a detriment to The Bronx, and especially to those people living in the vicinity of the plant.

"A few years ago the City started to fill in Rikers Island and enlarge it, and we all can remember the stench which emanated from the Island at that time. It was so disagreeable that it drove tenants from many of the apartments located in the easterly section of The Bronx. We feel certain of a similar occurrence should the City erect a garbage disposal plant on Rikers Island."

"The establishment of a garbage disposal plant in Rikers Island would be very objectionable to the manufacturers in this vicinity," said Mr. Louis Baron, Vice President of the De La Vergne Machine Company. "There are a great many factories in this immediate vicinity that are large employers of girls, and from the standpoint of the health of these employees alone, it seems there is sufficient justification for the vigorous protest that is being made.

"We were here during the time that Rikers Island was being filled in, and from our experience at that time, when, with the prevailing east winds it carried the odors from that island to the Bronx shore, it would be next to unbearable to think of the garbage plant being finally located on the island.

"We people of Port Morris feel that there are now enough objectionable features that we must contend with, for instance, the ash dump at the foot of East 138th street and the Smallpox Hospital on North Brother Island, and it leads us to believe

that the garbage disposal plant should be taken off somewhere further removed from a centre of commercial activity.

"Am of the opinion that any place in the lower Sound would be quite as ill chosen on account of the various steamers and excursion boats that utilize the waters of Long Island Sound for pleasure during the summer months."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

Nos. 134 and 136—(S. O. No. 20).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution for \$150,000 Special Revenue Bonds for Mosquito Extermination Work Under the Direction of the Health Commissioner.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, pages 152 and 154), a communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and one from the Health Commissioner in relation to an issue of \$150,000 Special Revenue Bonds to meet cost of mosquito extermination work in the Jamaica Bay section of Brooklyn and Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee held two hearings on this subject, at which the Commissioner of Health, the President of the Borough of Richmond, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Borough President of The Bronx appeared. President Purdy and Borough President Mathewson united in the opinion that the proposed steps toward the extermination of mosquitoes will enhance the value of property not only adjoining the land which is to be drained, but also that which is some distance remote, to such an extent that the taxable values may be raised so as to bring back to the city a yearly revenue far exceeding the initial cost of the work. Borough President Mathewson informed the committee that, in his opinion, the placing of this charge upon the city at large was the most equitable method that could be devised, and that the benefits derived therefrom would be felt throughout the entire city. Borough President Van Name filed an objection to having this appropriation made solely for work in Brooklyn and Queens, as he claimed that some of the work already done in his borough, in the nature of drainage, should be gone over, because of the fact that some of the drains had become choked through the operation of the tides and result of storms. The Health Commissioner has agreed to review the work done in Richmond and The Bronx, in connection with the new work in Brooklyn and Queens. The committee therefore recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution which provides for the appropriation to be expended in the discretion of the Health Commissioner.

They, therefore, recommended that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Health, in his discretion, for the purpose of providing means to meet the cost of mosquito extermination work.

All obligations incurred hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

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

Department of Health, City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, January 18, 1916.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—In view of the failure of legislation passed at Albany at the last session of the Legislature, and in view of the recommendations of the special committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to be presented to that body at its next meeting, a request is hereby made for an appropriation of \$150,000 in special revenue bonds to meet the cost of mosquito extermination work in the Jamaica Bay section in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

After a most careful consideration of the law passed last year, which was intended to place the burden of this expense directly on the owners of property necessary to be drained, it was the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, the various Borough Presidents, and the Commissioner of Health, that the procedure outlined was impractical on account of the cumbersome and doubtful methods prescribed and because there was a grave possibility of the city ultimately being compelled to assume the expense.

For some time past a special committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has been giving this subject most careful consideration. A report has been submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and is on the calendar for action on January 21st, recommending a request for revenue bonds for the purpose of accomplishing this work, which it is intended will be done by contract under the supervision of the Department of Health. The amount named is based on a most careful estimate of the areas to be drained, prepared from surveys made by this Department.

In order that the City may receive the benefit of this work during the summer of 1916, it is imperative that it should be commenced at once. Its necessity is obvious with a knowledge of the discomfort of the citizens of this city last season. The widespread clamor for mosquito extermination last summer leaves no doubt as to the need for prompt and effective action. Very truly yours,

H. EMERSON, Commissioner.

Department of Health, City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, February 1, 1916.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Gentlemen—The recommendations of the Committee on Assessments of the Board of Estimate—Mr. Douglas Mathewson, his Honor the Mayor, and Mr. Alexander Brough, Deputy and Acting Comptroller—make it quite clear that they approve of the request of the Department of Health for special revenue bonds for the drainage of the salt marshes in the Jamaica Bay region, which permit a nuisance to arise from the breeding of mosquitoes. Further, they declare their approval of the principle heretofore followed by the Department of Health in requiring private owners to abate this particular nuisance by their own efforts and at their own expense. However, they recognize the fact that there are certain parts of the city where, to require private owners to do this work would amount to an injustice and almost confiscation of property, and they state, therefore, that in cases where it is impossible for the Commissioner of Health to cause the work to be done as recommended in the first recommendation, in view of the great difficulty in localizing the benefit and delimiting a consequent area of assessment, even if it were possible to so lay out such an area, and in view of the undoubted advantage to the City as a whole of exterminating mosquitoes, the cost of such work as the Health Commissioner cannot compel private owners to undertake should be borne either by Boroughs or by the City at large.

In view of this recommendation, and of the requests made to me by the Borough Presidents of Queens and Richmond, that certain areas in their respective Boroughs be drained at public expense, I herewith submit a modification of the application transmitted to your Honorable Board on January 18th, in the matter of revenue bonds for drainage of mosquito marshes in the Jamaica Bay region of Brooklyn and Queens, as follows:

"In case the cost of drainage to eliminate mosquito breeding elsewhere than in the Jamaica Bay area is found to be confiscatory and to be an undue burden upon the owner of the property, who is required to abate a nuisance in compliance with section 272 of the Sanitary Code, the Board of Health may be permitted to use such part of the appropriation as may remain after the completion of the drainage of the Jamaica Bay Marshes to defray the cost of such marsh drainage as, in the discretion of the Board of Health, should be made a public rather than a private charge."

In commenting upon the possible extent of such activities elsewhere than in the Jamaica Bay region, I can state that from my personal observation and from the records in the hands of the Department of Health, I am convinced that little, if any, of the appropriation requested will be needed elsewhere than in the Jamaica Bay area.

The principle upon which revenue bonds are issued involves a presumed benefit to the entire City, and such use of the funds so appropriated as will permit of benefit to all Boroughs. The modification, therefore, that I suggest to your Honorable Board, if approved, will obtain support which might otherwise be lacking in the Board of Estimate, where approval must be unanimous. Respectfully,

H. EMERSON, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 164—(G. O. No. 22).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Amend an Issue of \$400,000 Corporate Stock for Repaving, Regrading, Etc., Certain Streets in The City of New York.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 1, 1916 (Minutes, page 223), the annexed resolution in favor of amending a corporate stock issue for \$400,000 for widening, regrading, repaving, etc., certain streets in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed amendment to be necessary in order that the sum of \$27,000 may be used for improvements of streets and sewers in the immediate vicinity of Washington Market.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held January 28, 1916:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 6, 1911, amended on August 3, 1911, August 31, 1911, and December 23, 1915, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on April 18, 1911, September 19, 1911, October 10, 1911, and December 28, 1915, respectively, to read as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), to provide means for widening, regrading, repaving, recurbng and otherwise improving the roadway of 42nd Street, 23rd Street, 34th Street, 5th Avenue, Lafayette Street, 2nd Avenue and Broadway, Duane Street, from William Street to Rose Street, and 207th Street (both amendments to date from July 27, 1911), and the roadways of such other streets in the Borough of Manhattan as may be designated by resolution of this Board, and for moving and replacement of subway entrances, and for other expenses incidental to such widening; and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid; provided, however, that no contract shall be made for any such work unless the Borough President submits to the Comptroller, with such contract, evidence showing that the original pavement on such street or avenue was laid at the expense of abutting property owners or by local taxation, or by bond issues paid by the localities before consolidation, unless the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall otherwise determine upon presentation of the facts and circumstances affecting such street or avenue.

—be and the same is hereby further amended by inserting after the words "and for moving and replacement of subway entrances, and for other expenses incidental to such widening," the following "to the extent of three hundred and seventy-three thousand dollars (\$373,000); and for repaving, and for the construction of necessary basins, sluices, inlets and culverts for the drainage of the streets within the area of West Washington Market, in the Borough of Manhattan, and for connecting the roof leaders of the market building directly with the sewer system and for other expenses incidental to said improvements, to the extent of twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000)." thereby rescinding the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000) in Code CPM-48, and reauthorizing the same amount for the new purpose as stated above.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 165—(G. O. No. 23).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Ordinance for \$7,350 Corporate Stock for Improvement of the Golf Links in Forest Park, Borough of Queens.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 1, 1916 (Minutes, page 224), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$7,350 corporate stock for improvement of the golf links in Forest Park, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary, and the amount hereby allotted for the purpose to be reasonable.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$7,350), to provide means for the completion of four (4) new holes at the golf links, remove tree stumps, grade and fill area of links and build new greens in Forest Park, Queens, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 28, 1916, and authorize the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$7,350) to provide means for the completion of four (4) new holes at the golf links, remove tree stumps, grade and fill area of links and build new greens in Forest Park, Queens, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no encumbrance or expenditure by contract shall be made against the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized, nor shall bids upon such contracts be advertised for until after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the plans, specifications, estimate of cost, and forms of such contracts which shall be submitted to said Board by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, nor shall any architect, engineer, expert or departmental employees be engaged or employed as a charge against such proceeds, except after approval by said Board of such employment and of the fee or wage to be paid by preliminary and final contract, voucher or budget schedule which are to be similarly submitted, unless in the case of department employees, such employment is in accordance with schedules approved by said Board.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 181.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution for \$1,000 Special Revenue Bonds to Provide for Payment of Stenographic Services for the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on February 1, 1916 (Minutes, page 342), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$1,000 Special Revenue Bonds to provide for the payment of stenographic services for the Committee on Privileges and Elections, respectfully

REPORTS:

That there has been filed with the Board three notices of contest against sitting members, which must be given thorough investigation, involving a great deal of detail which cannot be covered by the regular force. The committee believes this to be a moderate allowance, and it, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Committee on Privileges and Elections of the Board of Aldermen for the

purpose of providing for the payment of stenographic services required by said Committee during its examination of contests against certain members of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1916-1917; all obligations incurred hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT L. MORAN, F. H. STEVENSON, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the President—68.

Report of Committee on Rules—

No. 147.

Report of the Committee on Rules in Favor of Referring Resolution of Request for an Opinion of the Corporation Counsel to the Local Board of New Lots.

The Committee on Rules, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 169), the annexed preamble and resolution in favor of requesting an opinion from the Corporation Counsel as to procedure for asserting city's title to a landing place at Canarsie Beach, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the matter to be one entirely local in character, and which is a proper subject for consideration by the Local Board.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be referred to the Local Board of New Lots.

Whereas, the property owners and residents of the section known as Canarsie Beach are desirous of obtaining a public dock and landing place convenient for their use, and

Whereas, a public landing place had existed there for many years and a public dock had been built about the year 1889 by the Town of Flatlands, and that subsequently the Brooklyn and Rockaway Beach Railroad Company applied for a grant from the Commissioner of the Land Office and the Legislature covering the property occupied by the landing place and dock; that the Town of Flatlands opposed this grant; that a compromise was effected, whereby the railroad company agreed to build a new dock at about the foot of East 92d Street and on the completion thereof to exchange the same for the old dock owned by the Town; that the new dock was built; that the railroad company received the grant applied for; that the agreement made concerning the exchange of docks was never carried out, and the railroad company took possession of and still holds both docks; that in 1902, the City of New York brought action against the Brooklyn and Rockaway Beach Railroad Company et al, for the recovery of the premises but the result was adverse to the City, and

Whereas, the old dock and landing place appears from the old Flatlands records to be on land forming part of an old highway originating during the period of Dutch Sovereignty, and therefore the fee title to such lands appears to be vested in the City of New York, and

Whereas, the Corporation Counsel has heretofore had under consideration the matter as to the title of the former Town of Flatlands to the lands under water in Flatlands Bay or the western part of Jamaica Bay, and covering the land in question, therefore be it.

Resolved, that the Corporation Counsel be and hereby is requested to examine fully into this matter and to advise this Board as to the necessary procedure for asserting the City's title to the landing place herein referred to and for the recovery and possession of the old dock erected thereon.

JNO. J. O'ROURKE, JOHN F. MCCOURT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, HENRY H. CURRAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Rules.

Which report was accepted.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 50B—(G. O. No. 24).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in the Matter of the Compensation of the Janitor of Public School 178, Brooklyn, Recommending that the Fixation of the Same Be Rejected.

January 31, 1916.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on January 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 62), the annexed resolution fixing the compensation of the Janitor of Public School 178, Brooklyn, at \$3,987.50 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That its attention was called to this particular fixation by the fact that a new method of calculating the pay of janitors of public schools was used for the first time in this instance, with a proviso that this formula of calculation was to be used only in establishing temporary rates for each new building until such time as the precise compensation could be determined by an actual study of conditions therein. As there was no apparent intention of reimbursing the janitor if any injustice was done him by this arbitrary style of figuring, it being obvious that the originators of this method would take especial pains to safeguard the city from any loss, the Committee decided that it would be best for all concerned to test by actual survey of the janitor's duties and the help required to enable him to properly perform them, just how equitably this way of calculating the proper compensation for the janitor of P. S. 178 would work out. It held a hearing at which the janitor was represented by counsel and officers of the janitorial association, and which was attended by the head of the Efficiency Staff of the office of the Commissioners of Accounts and his assistant. Counsel for the janitor quoted extensively from the By-laws of the Board of Education to show the multifarious duties devolving upon a janitor, requiring almost constant supervision of the interior and exterior of the school building in addition to the proper operation of the machinery under his charge, and read to the Committee a statement, signed by the janitor, in which is shown the situation from the standpoint of the janitor, in what is claimed to be a most moderate manner, and which totals a compensation of \$4,732. This statement is made a part of this report. Mr. Welton explained at length the system of figuring the worth of janitorial services recommended by him and used in this instance. At the request of the Committee Mr. Welton promised to have a survey made of the school in question and furnish a report based on such study of the janitorial services required. Such report has been received and recommends as the yearly compensation for the janitor of this school the sum of \$4,212 or \$224.50 more than produced by the rigid formula recommended as a basis for calculation of such compensation.

The Board of Education, which made its estimate along the lines heretofore accepted as the proper way of calculating such compensation, asked that it be fixed at \$4,644.

The Committee has carefully compared these statements, and, after due consideration, is of the belief that the amount of compensation recommended by the Board of Education for the janitor of P. S. 178 is the most equitable. It arrives at this opinion by taking the rate of pay for the janitor himself. In addition to the large amount of work of a supervisory character to be performed, it is necessary that he should be a licensed engineer. He must be on duty every day in the year with the exception of ten days. In this particular school, on the basis of assistance required and allowance for workman's insurance and snow removal made by Mr. Welton, the compensation for the janitor individually, at the total of \$4,644 fixed by the Board of Education, would be \$1,848. The Committee, while agreeing in the main with the calculation made by Mr. Welton of the items aside from the salary of the janitor himself, feels that no hard and fast rule as to the employment of extra help can be maintained in the care of a building which has so many inmates of an irresponsible age. It, therefore, recommends that the fixation of the salary of the janitor of Public School No. 178 be rejected, and that copies of all the papers filed herewith be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its consideration.

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, ROBERT L. MORAN, W. W. COLNE, JOSEPH M. HANNON, E. V. GILMORE, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Public School No. 178, Dean Street, near Saratoga Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. January 19, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On the opening of the new Public School No. 178, Borough of Brooklyn, I was given to understand by a notice addressed to me by the Secretary of the Board of Education, that my compensation as Janitor-Engineer of the building would be \$4,644 per annum, which amount was recommended by that Board. When the matter came before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 7, 1916, that Board, on the report of its Committee on Salaries and Grades, reduced the amount recommended to \$3,987.50.

As appears from the report attached to the recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Committee made no investigation or examination of the building, and the reduced compensation recommended is at a lower rate and on a different basis than that prevailing in practically all the public school buildings of the City operated under the indirect system. The amount recommended by the Board of Education, on the contrary, was arrived at in accordance with the schedule under which such other Janitors and Janitor-Engineers are paid.

I respectfully submit to your honorable Board that the compensation of the Janitor-Engineer of this building should be fixed at the rate recommended by the Board of Education, at least until such time as the situation may be investigated, and it may be demonstrated, if possible, that the building can be operated at the lower amount recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

This is a large modern school building, having 49 class rooms, a spacious auditorium, a number of teachers' rooms, offices, etc. In all, 77,500 square feet of floor surface, besides 33,500 square feet of paved surface; and the building is equipped with 4 steam boilers, 3 steam engines, several electric pumps, electric motors, steam pumps, blowers, fans, etc.

To successfully operate the building I have necessarily employed the following staff, at the following rates of compensation, viz.:

Fireman, per annum	\$840 00
One Assistant Janitor, per annum	540 00
Matron, per annum	480 00
One Assistant Janitor, 7 months	315 00
Sweeper, 10 months	180 00
Sweeper, 10 months	180 00
Sweeper, 10 months	180 00

\$2,715 00

In addition to the foregoing, the following disbursements will necessarily be incurred:

Window cleaning, per annum	\$125 00
Snow removing, say	30 00
Insuring employees, Workmen's Compensation Law	22 00
Repairing broken glass, say	20 00
Incidental disbursements for extra help, etc., say	20 00

217 00

Making disbursements altogether amounting to..... \$2,932 00

To operate the building and plant with the above staff and within the above disbursements, will require the most painstaking care; and it will be necessary that I personally work hard for at least ten hours a day, and I am allowed but two weeks vacation a year.

For my own services, I respectfully submit that I am entitled to at least \$1,800 per annum. I am required to be and am a licensed engineer, and, considering the number of hours which I am required to work, my compensation on the basis of the prevailing rate of wages alone would amount to at least that much—not considering the many other onerous responsibilities place on me as custodian of the building. (See by-laws, Board of Education, sec. 115-117; pp. 193-204.)

If the compensation be fixed at the rate recommended by the Board of Education, I shall, with good fortune, be able to save \$1,712 per annum. If, on the other hand the compensation be fixed at the rate recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, my net compensation will not exceed \$1,055.50 per annum, in other words, just about half the prevailing rate of wages for a stationary engineer.

I therefore respectfully petition your honorable Board to refer this matter back to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with a request that the compensation be fixed at the rate recommended by the Board of Education, at least until a thorough investigation can be made. Very respectfully yours,

ARTHUR W. THRUSH, Janitor-Engineer.

Efficiency Staff, Commissioners of Accounts—Report, P. S. 178, Brooklyn.

To the Committee on Salaries and Offices, Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In compliance with your request made at a meeting held on January 20, 1916, I submit herewith the recommendation of this Staff with regard to the precise compensation for day activities to be paid to the Janitor of Public School 178, Brooklyn.

In accordance with the procedure already outlined to your Committee, a precise survey has been made for the determination of the total quantity of janitorial work required in this school.

The force needed for the performance of this work is shown below, the total compensation being based on rates of pay which will permit the employment of competent help:

1 Janitor, 12 months	\$1,420 00
1 Licensed Fireman, 7½ months at \$80	\$600 00
1 Male Cleaner, 12 months, at \$50	600 00
1 Male Cleaner, 10 months, at \$50	500 00
1 Female Cleaner, 12 months, at \$35	420 00
3 Cleaners (part time), 10 months, at \$20	600 00

Total for help..... 2,720 00

Workman's Compensation-Insurance, \$1.10 per \$100	\$30 00
Snow Removal, 31,000 square feet, \$1.50	46 00

Total Miscellaneous Cash Allowance..... 76 00

Total Janitorial Compensation	\$4,216 00
To obtain nearest multiple of 12, deduct	4 00

Total Recommended Annual Allowance..... \$4,212 00

Total force allowance, 52 hours per day.

Net hours required (Monday to Friday), 38 hours per day.

Unassigned (Monday to Friday), 14 hours per day.

The corresponding compensation, as recommended by the Board of Education (measurement basis), is \$4,644.

The tentative compensation, as derived from the formula used by the Efficiency Staff for computing the total budget allowance for Janitorial Service, is \$3,987.50.

The recommendation of this Staff for the precise compensation of the janitor of P. S. 178 is, therefore, \$432 less than requested by the Board of Education; 224.50 more than the tentative allowance recommended by the Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

In considering the compensation herein recommended, attention is called to the large amount of unassigned time (14 hours per day, including the janitor's own time), which is ample to cover such items as supervision, minor repairs, patrol duty, receipt and delivery of packages, mail, etc., relief of cleaners temporarily incapacitated and any exigencies which may arise during the day.

Attention is also called to the fact that, although a specific force is herein recommended, this is in no way binding upon the Janitor, who is free to employ such assistants as he may see fit at such rates as he may be able to secure them.

In fact, it is certain that by good management a janitor could dispense with one or more of the cleaners recommended and that the wages generally paid are lower than those here shown. Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN F. WELTON, Efficiency Engineer in Charge.

PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SALARIES AND OFFICES SUBMITTED JANUARY 18, 1916.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on January 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 62), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the compensation of certain janitors of the Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That with the exception of Public School 178, Brooklyn, these rates are fixed

on the usual basis of calculation. At P. S. 178 the amount of compensation is rated under a new system which the Committee proposes to inquire into further before making its report. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 7, 1916:

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

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

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

Janitor, P. S. 34 (Annex), Manhattan, per annum	\$120 00
Janitor, P. S. 98 A, B, D and E, Manhattan, per month	50 00
Janitor, P. S. 190, Manhattan, per annum less \$221	2,424 00
Janitor, Supply Depository at East 91st Street, Manhattan, per annum	1,080 00
Janitor, Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, per month, for the period from May 29, 1915, to October 24, 1915, inclusive	50 00
Janitor, P. S. 33, Brooklyn, per annum less \$221	1,776 00
Janitor, P. S. 95, Brooklyn, per annum	684 00
Janitor, P. S. 95, Brooklyn, for care of four portable buildings, per annum	720 00
Janitor, Public School 178, Brooklyn, per annum	3,987 50

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the compensation of said positions as set forth therein, with the exception of the item "Janitor, Public School 178, Brooklyn, per annum, \$3,987.50," which is retained in Committee for purposes of further inquiry.

Adopted January 18, 1916. Last item retained in Committee.

Which was laid over.

No. 108.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Fix Compensation of Janitor of Public School 19 (Annex), Manhattan.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on January 18, 1916 (Minutes, page 110), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the compensation of the Janitor of Public School 19 (annex), Manhattan, at \$5 per month, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it concurs in the recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to fix the compensation at this rate temporarily, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 14, 1916:

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

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pending action by the Board of Education on the aforesaid report, that the compensation of Janitor of Public School 19 (Annex), Manhattan, in the Department of Education, be fixed temporarily and until further modified, at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per month.

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

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, ROBERT L. MORAN, W. W. COLNE, JOSEPH M. HANNON, E. V. GILMORE, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kennelly, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; Marks; the President—74.

No. 109—(G. O. No. 25).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish Certain Grades of Physician in the Department of Health.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on January 18, 1916 (Minutes, page 111), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of positions of Physician (Supervising Clinic), and Assistant Physician (Clinic), in the Department of Health, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the establishment of these grades does not involve any change in positions or salaries, but simply provides changes in titles to conform to the regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 14, 1916:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Physician (Supervising Clinic)	\$1,260 00	Eight.
Assistant Physician (Clinic)	300 00	Eighty.

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

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, ROBERT L. MORAN, W. W. COLNE, JOSEPH M. HANNON, E. V. GILMORE, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 166—(G. O. No. 26).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish Grades of Positions of Janitors in the Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on February 1, 1916, (Minutes, page) the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of position of Janitor in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the effect of this resolution is to increase the salaries of two janitors, one \$90 and the other \$120 per annum, and to eliminate a vacant position of \$1,200 per annum, thus saving the sum of \$990 to the city.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 28, 1916:

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

Title.	Rate per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Janitor	\$1,020 00	One
Janitor	1,140 00	One

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

CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, JAMES J. MOLEN, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, ROBERT L. MORAN, W. W. COLNE, JOSEPH M. HANNON, E. V. GILMORE, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 16—Int. No. 67.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Permit the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to Repair Engines, Boilers, Etc., Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 72), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to repair engines, boilers, etc., without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be necessary. Emergencies occasionally arise which make it necessary for certain parts to be replaced on certain repairs to be made without the delay which would result if it were necessary to draw specifications and advertise.

The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to expend the sum twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars without public letting for the repair of engines, boilers, pumping station equipment, distribution mains and appurtenances, including submerged mains, during the year 1916.

JOHN McCANN, CHARLES P. COLE, WM. P. McGARRY, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, New York City, January 10, 1916.

To the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:
Sirs—For many years past it has been customary for this Department to obtain from the Board of Aldermen authority for the expenditure of a certain sum of money for the repair of engines, pumps, boilers and other pumping station equipment without the formality of advertising for competitive bids. It has been explained in the past and I now reiterate the reasons for the request. To comply with the provisions of the Charter in respect to the furnishing of labor and material it is necessary to supply the approximate quantities to be furnished. It is not possible to do this in relation to replacements and repairs on pumping equipment, as it is impossible to tell what apparatus or part thereof will collapse or become damaged. A further obstacle in respect to compliance with the Charter provisions is the fact that it is essential in almost every instance that repairs be made immediately, and the shortest possible period before the work could be undertaken by contract would be several weeks.

During the year 1915 several serious breaks occurred in the distribution systems where it became necessary to engage outside help, as the Department did not have the force or the equipment on hand to repair the damage. It was essential in these instances that the work be done immediately in order to restore the water service. One such break occurred in a submarine main supplying one of the islands in the East River. You can readily perceive how necessary it is in a matter of this kind to obtain immediate assistance.

The authority of the Board of Aldermen obtained last year limited the expenditure of the funds on open market orders on work relating to the repair of engines and boilers, also submerged mains. Before the Department could certify to the payment of the bills for expense incurred in the repair of several serious breaks in the distribution systems it was necessary to make separate appeals to the Board of Aldermen for authority to expend an additional sum, owing to the fact that the expense was in excess of \$1,000. To avoid, if possible, the necessity of making several applications to the Board of Aldermen I respectfully request authority to expend, without public letting, twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars for the repair of engines, pumps, boilers and other pumping equipment; also for the repair of water mains and appurtenances connected therewith and where the work is of such magnitude or character that it could not be completed with the Department's own force. I attach hereto a proposed resolution, of which I ask the Board's early and favorable consideration.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the President—68.

No. 17—Int. No. 135.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Permit the Department of Public Charities to Purchase Medical Supplies, Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 154), the annexed request from the Department of Public Charities for permission to purchase medical supplies to the amount of \$20,000 without public letting respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this request are set forth in the letter of application. It is no doubt difficult to make such purchases by contract, owing to conditions caused by the European war, and the Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

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

JOHN McCANN, CHARLES P. COLE, WM. P. McGARRY, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Public Charities of the City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, January 20, 1916.

Re: Request to Purchase Medical Supplies Without Public Letting.

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

Gentlemen—Permission is hereby requested to purchase without public letting medical supplies to the amount of \$20,000.00.

The present market for drugs, chemicals and kindred articles is so upset by the war in Europe that it is impossible to obtain any bids on contract. The market is so changeable that in a great many instances it is impossible to get quotations from firms that will stand longer than three hours. As an illustration of this, on January 14th a quotation was received on a certain item of medical supplies from one concern. Quotations were then obtained from two or three other firms and by the time

the quotations had been received and the firm who had given the lowest quotation was communicated with, the price had advanced \$5.00 per barrel.

Numerous other instances could be cited but this will serve to indicate the necessity for granting our request. Yours very truly,

G. G. THOMSON, Third Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the President—68.

No. 19—Int. No. 138.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Permit the Central Purchase Committee to Purchase Coal to the Extent of \$100,000, Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 156), the annexed request from the Central Purchase Committee for authority to purchase coal in the open market, without public letting, to an amount not to exceed \$200,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Mr. Leach in explaining the reasons for this request, which are also recited in the report accompanying the letter of application, stated that it was the intention of his Committee to adhere strictly to the present specifications for this commodity, and that competition would be open to the fullest extent. This statement has been accepted by the Committee as one reason for granting this application. As this method of purchase is absolutely an experiment, the Committee believes that the release of \$100,000 at this time is sufficient to test the benefits, if any, to be derived therefrom, and it, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Central Purchase Committee be and is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase coal in the open market, without public letting, up to June 1, 1916, for Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health, Fire, Police, Parks (all Boroughs), Street Cleaning, Docks and Ferries, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bridges and the Armory Board, to an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

JOHN McCANN, CHARLES P. COLE, WM. P. McGARRY, PETER SCHWEICKERT, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

January 25, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Gentlemen—Owing to the existing difficulty in obtaining coal at reasonable prices on contract, due to the war, and the fact that the agreement between the operators and miners expires in April, as explained in the attached report, we desire authority from your Board to make purchases at the most advantageous terms without public letting. We believe in this way better prices can be secured. We ask at this time for authority to purchase in the amount of \$200,000 on open market orders between now and June 1st for Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health, Fire, Police, Parks (all Boroughs), Street Cleaning, Docks and Ferries, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bridges, Armory Board. The departments are provided with coal up to March 31st. It is intended to lay in an additional stock wherever storage facilities are available to meet requirements up to May 31st. The amount of coal required will exceed \$200,000, but we wish first to ascertain the feasibility of the plan proposed before requesting your Board to take action with respect to a larger amount. It is proposed to make the purchases through a committee formed as outlined in the report attached.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel; HENRY BRUERE, Chamberlain; Central Purchase Committee.

January 17, 1916.

Central Purchase Committee, Municipal Building, New York:

Dear Sirs—The following are stated to be the facts in relation to the present coal situation:

1. Shortage of coal deliveries to New York City due to the congestion of freight in the various tidewater railway terminals.
2. Shortage of coal in New York City due to the embargo placed on coal deliveries by all railroads entering New York City.
3. Shortage of coal due to abnormal purchasing by all large consumers in anticipation of future suspension of coal mining.
4. Expiration on April 1, 1916, of present Anthracite-Bituminous coal mining labor agreements.
5. Expected demands on the part of the miners for 20 per cent. increase in wages.
6. Expected suspension of coal mining on April 1, 1916, for an indefinite period, variously estimated from two to eight months, until demands of operators and miners have been reconciled.
7. Statement by the President of one of the largest operating companies that all the present supply of Anthracite coal has been sold out by his company.

In June, 1915, this committee purchased coal for the various departments under the Mayor at favorable prices covering a period of nine months to March 31, 1916. Twenty-five contracts were awarded at that time, most of them calling for 1916 deliveries. There is very little doubt that before all of these contracts are completed some of the contractors will state that they are unable to complete their deliveries and open market purchase must be made to complete the supply for the first three months of 1916.

On November 22d bids were opened through this committee for six departments that were unable to purchase at the time of the June opening for their coal supply to March 31, 1916. The prices obtained at this opening were materially in excess of the June prices. With the exception of the department, which for some reason or other failed to cover itself at this latter opening, all of the Mayor's departments are fully provided with coal until March 31, 1916. The single department, I understand, has sufficient supply to last until about February 15th.

In view of the prospective strike and other critical coal conditions mentioned above, this committee in December, 1915, called for the estimated needs of the various departments under the Mayor for the period April 1 to November 30, 1916. These estimates were to be divided into coal for delivery and storage by the City prior to March 31, 1916, and coal to be delivered as ordered after that date. The departments were requested to put in the first estimate all of the coal they possibly could take and store for use during the impending strike period. These bids were opened on Friday, January 14th. Very few bids were received on the proposal for delivery after April 1st, and of the 93 lines advertised not more than four or five will be awarded.

While only five bids were received on this proposal, seventeen were received on the proposal for delivery before March 31st. Possibly one-half of the 125 lines offered will be awarded. In the upper part of Manhattan and in the Bronx there were practically no bids at all, while on the balance of Manhattan there was practically only one bid. The prices for domestic coal range from 15 to 30 per cent. in excess of last June, while the prices for steam coal average 100 per cent. increase over June, 1915, and in some cases were over 200 per cent. in excess.

We have received during the last two or three days a number of indications that we can buy coal quite readily in the open market at prices lower than those bid on Friday.

We would beg to recommend therefore that the committee ask permission to purchase coal on open market order until the present labor troubles are settled and normal prices again obtain; that during this period all coal for the use of the Mayor's departments be purchased through a committee composed of Mr. Brush of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity; Mr. Hudson, of the Department of Docks and Ferries; Mr. Ortner, of the Department of Correction, and representatives of the Department of Finance and the Central Purchase Committee.

Respectfully yours,

F. R. LEACH, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Egan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the President—68.

No. 18—Int. No. 137.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Permit the Central Purchase Committee to Purchase White Potatoes to an Amount Not to Exceed \$50,000, Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 155), the annexed request from the Central Purchase Committee for permission to purchase white potatoes to an amount not to exceed \$70,000, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the reasons for this request are outlined in the report accompanying the application. Mr. Leach also appeared before the Committee and gave further information. While this is a somewhat radical change from the usual method of purchase, the Committee is of the opinion that unusual conditions exist which warrant this experiment. With the understanding that the standard of specifications for potatoes will not be lowered, it believes that permission for such purchases to the extent of \$50,000 may well be authorized, and it, accordingly, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Central Purchase Committee be and is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase white potatoes in the open market, without public letting, for a period of six months ending June 30, 1916, for the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health and Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, to an amount not to exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

JOHN McCANN, CHARLES P. COLE, WM. P. MCGARRY, PETER SCHWEICKERT, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Letting.

January 18, 1916.

Hon. Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Gentlemen—We would respectfully request permission to purchase white potatoes in the open market, without public letting, for a period of six months ending June 30, 1916, to an amount not to exceed \$70,000 for the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health, and Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

The reason for this request is outlined in the accompanying report. We would respectfully request that this communication be acted upon promptly, as the departments need immediate relief. If this request is granted, the purchases will be made through the committee recommended in the report.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel; HENRY BRUERE, Chamberlain, Central Purchase Committee.

January 17, 1916.

Central Purchase Committee, Municipal Building, New York:

Dear Sirs—On November 29th, bids were opened for 75,000 pounds of potatoes for the Department of Public Charities for the month of December, 1915, at \$1.44 per 100 lbs. On December 13th, bids were opened for potatoes for all of the institutional departments for the first half of 1916, at an average price of about \$2.25 per 100 lbs. In view of the price obtained in November and in view of the fact that potatoes for the first half of 1915 cost the department prices ranging from 99c. to \$1.17 per 100 lbs., it was decided by the various departments interested to reject these bids and re-advertise potatoes for a shorter period of two months (January and February).

The second set of bids was opened on December 29th. Prices were obtained ranging from \$1.86 to \$2.05 per 100 lbs. These prices were accepted and contracts drawn with the New York & New Jersey Produce Company and Leo Hamburger. The former company, however, claiming that it was unable to deliver potatoes acceptable to the city, refused to sign its contract with Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Department of Health and for the Department of Public Charities in Brooklyn.

The New York and New Jersey Produce Company made deliveries at Bellevue Hospital, Willard Parker Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital and in Brooklyn, all of which were rejected. It is claimed that the present potato crop is short on account of excessive rain and potatoes are small in size owing to scarcity of imported fertilizers. It is further claimed that during the life of the present potato crop it will be very difficult for the city to purchase white potatoes on formal contracts and under the present specifications at prices satisfactory to the city. It is evident that the city can save money by purchasing available and acceptable potatoes in the open market.

An investigation has been made of market conditions during the past week which convinced us that it will be advisable and economical to purchase white potatoes for the balance of this season, namely, until approximately June 30, 1916, on open market order after informal bidding.

I would beg to suggest that the committee proceed to obtain permission to buy potatoes until June 30, 1916, on open market orders.

I would further beg to suggest that in case the above request is granted, the purchase of white potatoes during this period be placed in the hands of a committee composed of Mr. Wm. Golden of the Department of Correction, Mr. J. R. Keiper of the Department of Public Charities, and representatives of the Central Purchase Committee and Department of Finance and that no purchases in the open market in excess of \$1,000 be permitted except with the approval of this Committee.

Respectfully,

F. R. LEACH, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Egan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; the President—59.

Negative—Alderman Quinn—1.

GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 6—Int. No. 46.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Ordinance for \$23,500 Corporate Stock for Construction of a New Water Front Dump in Manhattan by the Department of Street Cleaning.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on January 11, 1916 (Minutes page 58), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$23,500 Corporate Stock for the construction of a new water front dump outside of the bulkhead on Sherman Creek, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. The nearest departmental dump to the territory in upper Manhattan at 138th Street and the Harlem River; this locality is rapidly being improved, principally with apartment houses, and the dump should be provided at the earliest date possible.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted. AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500), to provide means for the construction of a new water-front dump on a concrete and pile platform outside of the bulkhead at Sherman Creek, facing Academy (Marginal) Street, near the foot of 201st Street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 23, 1915, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of sections 47 and 546 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500), to provide means for the construction of a new water front dump on a concrete and pile platform outside the bulkhead at Sherman Creek, facing Academy (Marginal) Street, near the foot of 201st Street, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Street Cleaning; the pile and concrete platform to be constructed with foundations upon which a cover to the dump may be erected, if found necessary or desirable, at some future time, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, maturing not more than fifteen (15) years after date of issue, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no encumbrance or expenditure by contract shall be made against the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized, nor shall bids upon such contracts be advertised for until after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and forms of such contracts, which shall be submitted to said Board by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, nor shall any architect, engineer, expert or departmental employee be engaged or employed as a charge against such proceeds, except after approval by said Board of such employment and of the fee or wage to be paid by preliminary and final contract, voucher, or budget schedule, which are to be similarly submitted, unless in the case of departmental employees, such employment is in accordance with schedules approved by said Board.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, HENRY H. CURRAN, Committee on Finance.

Which, on motion of Alderman Kenney, was again laid over.

No. 16—Int. No. 172.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

By the President—

Albert L. Schuckle, 456 West 20th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Morris Heimerdinger and C. H. Janf.

By Alderman Bassett—

John J. Lennon, 90 Maujer Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Henry J. Robinson and Robert J. Brown.

William H. Van Voorhis, 722 Metropolitan Avenue.

Endorsed by John P. Conselyea and George Shlitz.

By Alderman Burden—

Alexander Eger, Lake Street near Briarwood Road, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by J. S. Hammacher and Henry Cordts.

Joseph Hlavac, Jr., 527 First Avenue, Astoria, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by William R. Scherrer and Frank T. Dixon.

By Alderman Burns—

Joseph P. Friedman, 35 Ridge Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Nathan Permit and Jacob Greenfield.

By Alderman Cardani—

Maxwell S. Mannes, 149 West 35th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Alfred M. Rau and Daniel F. Regan.

By Alderman Carroll—

Louis Calvari Winter, 54 East 88th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Frank Colavolpe and Ernesto F. Angelicels.

By Alderman Collins—

Earl J. Campazzi, 349 East 41st Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Francis J. Dougherty and Archibald J. Duncan, Jr.

By Alderman Colne—

Harry Meyer, Jr., 585 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by E. H. Pillsbury and L. A. Wray.

By Alderman Cox—

Jacob Yorker, Cedar Street near Prospect, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by Charles Miller and Alexander Bassett.

Catharine M. Rogers, 972 Forest Avenue, Ridgewood, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by William J. Martin and Henry J. Glasse.

Hugo Kestler, 121 North Summerfield Avenue, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by Kalmen Kohen and Patrick McDonald.

William H. O'Hare, 33 Parkview Avenue, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by Jos. H. Breznell and Thos. J. Evers.

By Alderman Crane—

Minnie Rosalind Morrison, 508 West 172nd Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Alexander Rosenthal and Louis E. Greenberg.

Ralph A. Kohn, 849 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Harry Harris and Henry A. Niedman.

Abraham L. Feinstein, 350 West 150th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Jacob S. Demovitch and Paul Cohn.

Frank Bernard Cahill, 502 West 168th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Charles G. Hellinger and Thomas Ball.

Melville A. Hays, 124 Audubon Avenue, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Earl A. Smith and Frederick W. Boehm.

By Alderman Curran—

Giuseppe Mattucci, 230 West 11th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. F. Sherman and G. Moretto.

By Alderman Curley—

Joseph J. Ott, 527 East 138th Street, Bronx, N. Y.

Endorsed by Edward J. Camo and Robert J. Reiley.

Isaac Oppenheimer, 485 East 140th Street, Bronx, N. Y.

Endorsed by Morris S. Schector and Edward S. Napolis.

By Alderman Diemer—

James Tobias Menger, Railroad Avenue, near Remsen, Borough of Queens.

Endorsed by R. W. Gibson and S. Goldberg.

Joseph Henry Fields, 570 40th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Lawrence A. Cavo and George F. Lacey.

Charles L. Meckenberg, 52 Hart Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by I. Erlich Wolfe and Malcolm Ross Matheson.

Henry D. Levy, 167 Van Buren Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Nelson J. Roth and Louis Horowitz.

By Alderman Dixon—

Salvador De Lucia, 76 Jackson Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by W. H. Rudolph and Stewart Enright.

By Alderman Donnelly—

Charles P. Pinto, 172 Prince Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Charles Novello and Bonenzo Baggiano.

By Alderman Drescher—

Mildred Simons, 428 Sheffield Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by David Feldman and John H. Brandel.

By Alderman Dunn—

Thomas J. White, 446 51st Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by F. A. Schneider and Joseph F. Conroy.

George W. Sickels, 333 80th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Nicholas Muller and John Murphy.

James A. Davis, 315 68th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by P. W. Keller and F. C. Puscher.

By Alderman Egan—

Frank J. Lynch, 135 East 47th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Thomas P. Kehoe and A. J. Duncan, Jr.

Maurice F. Gleason, City Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Charles B. Bacon and William H. Kennelly.

By Alderman Farley—

William A. Paepke, 201 East 68th Street, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Andrew C. Zabiskie and Edwin D. Hewitt.

By Alderman Ferrand—

Sydney Lion Goodman, 218 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Endorsed by Mat Lion and Walter B. Milkman.

By Alderman Ferguson—
Samuel Yeager, 672 Wales Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Milton J. Wolfeman and Ben Strauss.

By Alderman Friedlander—
Maurice L. Gordon, 222 West 122nd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Greenberger and Herman Sandman.
Cecelia Levin, 127 West 111th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. Ringgowitz and Wm. H. Press.

By Alderman Gaynor—
Ernst Findeisen, 501 Lafayette Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Eugene Muller and William Small.

By Alderman Gutman—
James Weston, 1743 Madison Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Aaron A. Feinberg and Edw. C. Weinne.

By Alderman Haubert—
Thomas Jos. Hughes, 149 Moffatt Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Harry Heyman and George Hilkemeier.

By Alderman Heyman—
Pasquale Cannella, 81a Hull Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George H. Ittleman and Hyman Bloomgarde.

By Alderman Hogan—
William B. Naylor, Jr., 81 Pacific Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Peter Hamilton and Joseph W. Phair.
Michael James Kelly, 465 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by P. Hayes and Charles T. Kumkel.
John Marcus, 83 DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George M. Travis and A. E. Nandergaw.

By Alderman Kenneally—
Henry Cunningham, 407 East 16th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Alfred Birnbaum and William G. Feldberg.
Terence F. McGowan, 244 East 20th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John Kannengieser and Henry Cunningham.
William G. Dempsey, 338 East 19th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John Kannengieser and Henry Cunningham.
Felix J. Moran, 234 Second Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edmund C. Corr and C. F. Marshall.

By Alderman McGarry—
John E. Lawler, 95 Milton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Brady and Aaron Brown.
Charles J. Carroll, 97 Norman Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Harold H. Seaton and Andrew E. Colvin.
Ellen Flanagan, 145 Calyer Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John E. Dunn and Wm. T. Reynolds.

By Alderman McGillick—
Clarence Hopton, 2363 2nd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph Gottesman and M. W. Rayners.

By Alderman Martin—
Agnes H. Dougherty, 3038 Bainbridge Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Walter J. Egan and Joseph H. Radigan.

By Alderman Molen—
George Johnston, 174 14th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Albert L. Carr and Wm. H. Good.

By Alderman Moore—
Solomon Sudman, 569 Barbey Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by David Teichner and Harry J. Urist.
Thomas B. Bloom, 649 Warwick Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank Wasserman and Jos. I. Erenstoft.

By Alderman O'Rourke—
Gerson Weiss, 926 Richmond Turnpike, Richmond.
Endorsed by John Franzrel and Michael F. Donnelly.
George William Stake, 396 St. Pauls Avenue, Richmond.
Endorsed by Louis J. Altman and Fred T. Muller.

By Alderman Palitz—
Emil Roth, 1485 Brook Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Max Gross and Samuel Brooks.

By Alderman Post—
Albert Harley Spence, 20 Boerum Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens.
Endorsed by Fred. George and Harold Tait.

By Alderman Quinn—
Isabella Mary Pettus, 350 West 71st Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry H. Hunter and Pelson F. Griffin.
Henry James White, 8 West 66th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph W. Phair and Peter Hamilton.

By Alderman Robitzek—
Charles A. Affenkraut, 937 Faile Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Alex. H. Wandeltorb and A. H. Pike.
Francis J. Dougherty, 1085 Union Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Archibald J. Duncan, Jr., and Earl J. Campazzi.
Arthur B. Rosenqvist, 971 East 180th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Hugh Gordon Miller and F. P. Pierce.
William H. Von Bergen, 770 East 179th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Fred H. Comstock and Thatcher M. Adams.
Samuel Rosenmuff, 1447 Wilkins Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Adolph Salzman and Harry Miller.

By Alderman Ryan—
Leonard J. Reynolds, 1463 East 10th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Herman Richter and Saul J. Cutler.
Charles J. Grace, 1926 East 15th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. J. McCue, Jr., and Cyrus D. Reid.
Louis Nahemow, 2814 Mermaid Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Benjamin Berger and Elis W. Showray.
Herman Schierloh, 125 Avenue C. West, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by P. F. Reilly and John S. Stryker.

By Alderman Schmitz—
James S. Hurwitz, 31 East Hayes Avenue, Corona, Queens.
Endorsed by George J. Walter and Andrew Nelson.
William Sutter, 755 6th Avenue, College Point, Queens.
Endorsed by William Klein and John F. Gerlach.
Frank P. Wick, 15 15th Street, College Point, Queens.
Endorsed by Charles W. Posthemer and Edward H. Kohl.

By Alderman Shields—
Rose Klein, 429 West 124th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by David Klein and Gilbert A. Sulier.
Joseph J. Lavine, 352 West 117th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. R. Hall and M. Carl Levine.

By Alderman Silberstein—
Adolph I. Weinberger, 631 6th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Louis Sustig and Herman Gluck.

By Alderman Smith—
Edward R. White, 680 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by J. Ralph Hilton and Paul A. McQuaid.

By Alderman Squiers—
Herman J. Klinck, 3903 Farragut Road, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frederick Lausser and John C. McInerney.
Theodor E. Auerbach, 1760 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by H. C. Glorie and Frederick A. Keck.
George W. Anderson, 584 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William V. Elliott and John J. Beecher.
Sarah I. Kennedy, 891 Union Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. E. Moses and Jeremiah J. Coughlan.
Adolphus Duncan Cornwall, 688 Park Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jno. H. Kelly and Otto E. Schaefer.
Peter M. Fraser, 362 New York Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thomas Conroy and Julian S. Myrick.

By Alderman Stevenson—
Albert K. Newman, 253 6th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry J. Goldsmith and F. E. Goldsmith.

David Harrison, 447 16th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles J. Beller and Samuel Klein.
Frederick J. Peacocke, 186 Garfield Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Herman F. Algeld and Walter Lockitt.

By Alderman Trau—
Benjamin Siegel, 519 West 143rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Moses T. Barrows and Morris A. Friedman.

By Alderman Tolk—
Elizabeth C. Sufrin, 107 Rivington Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Esther Kinstler and Sam H. Ellmann.

By Alderman Walsh—
Joseph P. McKay, 183 Richmond Turnpike, Tompkinsville, Richmond.
Endorsed by John E. Bowe and James J. Gunning.

By Alderman Wendel, Jr.—
Robert F. Kirchofer, 433 West 49th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Maher and Joseph B. Newsing.

By Alderman Williams—
Michael Greenbaum, 246 East 115th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles Phillips and James Weinberger.
John J. McDonald, 132 West 90th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Bernhard H. Levy and Benjamin Berg.

By Alderman Wirth—
R. Joseph Johnston, 645 McDonough Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William F. Aukany and Issac L. Mathews.
Richard M. Clark, 662 McDonough Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frederick C. Keck and Harrison H. C. Glorie.
Stephen K. Newhall, 233 Stuyvesant Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and Arthur J. Waldron.

By Alderman Wise—
Louis Schnitzler, 419 West 129th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isaac Fuld and Abe Cohen.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; The President—74.

No. 17—Int. No. 146.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Pay Bill for Printing and Binding Manual of the Board of Aldermen for 1916-1917.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 169), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bill for printing and binding the Manual of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1916-1917, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed payment to be reasonable.

It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of the M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co. for the sum of one hundred and eighty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$185.50), said sum to be payment in full for printing and binding four hundred copies of the Manual of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1916 and 1917, as compiled under the direction and supervision of the Committee on Rules, the said sum to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation set apart for the Board of Aldermen in the Budget for 1916 under the title "Office Supplies, Code No. 5, Board of Aldermen."

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, F. H. STEVENSON, MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES P. COLE, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, CHARLES DELANEY, HENRY H. CURRAN, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; The President—74.

No. 19—Int. No. 89.

Report of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares Presenting to the Board, Without Recommendation, a Proposed Ordinance Amending the Rules of the Road, Particularly with Regard to Speed.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on January 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 89), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the Rules of the Road, particularly with regard to speed, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, and held a public hearing thereon, it believes this matter should be left to the judgment of the Board, and it therefore reports to the said ordinance without recommendation.

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 1 of section 17 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Rules of the Road," and particularly to "speed."

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

Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 17 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Rules of the Road," and particularly to "speed," is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 17. Speed.

1. General provisions. No person shall operate, drive or propel, and no owner thereof riding thereon or therein shall cause or *quiescently* permit to be operated, driven or propelled on any street or public place, any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, motorcycle, motor-tricycle, motor delivery wagon or motor vehicle, however propelled, or any vehicle drawn by horses or other animals, recklessly or negligently or at a speed or in a manner so as to endanger or to be likely to endanger the life or limb or property of any person. A rate of speed exceeding 15 miles per hour shall constitute prima facie evidence of a prohibited rate of speed and manner of driving, and of a violation of the provisions of this section. A rate of speed exceeding 20 miles per hour shall constitute a prohibited rate of speed and manner of driving, and a violation of the provisions of this section; and at a rate of speed, exceeding 25 miles per hour on a public highway which passes through country or outlying sections that are substantially undeveloped and sparsely settled, shall constitute a prohibited rate of speed and manner of driving and a violation of the provisions of this section.

Any owner riding on or in any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, motorcycle or motor-tricycle, motor delivery wagon or motor vehicle, however propelled, or any vehicle drawn by horses or other animals, which shall at the time be propelled or drawn at a rate of speed prohibited as stated above, shall be presumed to have given his quiescent permission to the same, and which shall constitute prima facie evidence of a violation of the provisions of this section.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

MICHAEL STAPLETON, CHARLES W. DUNN, EDWARD W. CURLEY, WILLIAM F. QUINN, FRANCIS P. BENT, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, T. W. MARTIN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Which on motion of Alderman Palitz was again laid over.

No. 20—Int. No. 150.

Report of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Change Name of Ridgewood Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Ridgewood Place.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 171), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Ridgewood avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Ridgewood place, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be necessary in order that errors may be avoided caused by there being two Ridgewood avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn. In order that no mistake may be made, the Committee has inserted the boundaries of the avenue in question, and recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That the name of Ridgewood avenue, running from Palmetto street to Putnam avenue, in the 28th Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known as Ridgewood place, and the President of the Borough be and he is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That the name of the thoroughfare now known as Ridgewood Avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Ridgewood Place and the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and he is hereby authorized to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

MICHAEL STAPLETON, CHARLES W. DUNN, EDWARD W. CURLEY, FRED SMITH, FRANK MULLEN, W. F. QUINN, JOHN McCANN, JOHN J. RYAN, T. W. MARTIN, FRANCIS P. BENT, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks; The President—74.

No. 18—Int. No. 155.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Resolution Calling for \$250,000 Special Revenue Bonds for Evening Schools.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 173), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$250,000 special revenue bonds for the maintenance of evening elementary trade and high schools, respectfully

REPORTS:

That without taking any position pro or con on this very important subject it submits that an application for funds for this purpose should first come from the school authorities who certainly are in a position to know the state of their appropriation. Until some such request is made it believes no action should be taken by this Board and it therefore recommends that the said resolution be placed on file.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Education for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriation for the year 1916 of evening elementary, trade and high schools. All obligations hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, F. H. STEVENSON, MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES P. COLE, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, CHARLES DELANEY, HENRY H. CURRAN, Committee on Finance.

Alderman Moran moved that this report be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Burns, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Daly, Delaney, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunn, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Van Name, Mathewson, Pounds, Marks; the President—65.

Negative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Curran, Dostal, Drescher, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Tolk—10.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 210.

Resolution to Appoint Special Committee to Investigate Sale of Horse Meat in The City of New York, and to Arrange for Ordinances to Prevent It.

By Aldermen Bent—

Whereas, The Department of Health of the City of New York has made a ruling that will permit of the sale of horse meat in this city, and

Whereas, Such an industry may soon be started in the city; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a special committee of this Board be appointed for the purpose of investigating the matter fully to ascertain wherein arises the demand for the sale of said horse meat and if possible to arrange for proper ordinances to prevent the sale of horse meat in this city.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

Alderman Kenneally moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 15, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

REPORT FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1915.

Bureau of Audit and Accounts.

Appropriation and Bond Accounts—Balances Remaining January 1, 1916:

Appropriation of 1914 and prior years.....	\$1,738 28
Appropriation for the year 1915.....	36,918 95
Special Revenue Bond Funds.....	9,472 46
Corporate Stock Fund (Assessment).....	
Special and Trust Funds.....	10,179 40
Borough Accounts.....	8,933 45
Corporate Stock Funds.....	403,024 27

Total	\$470,266 81
Reserve as of December 31st, 1915.....	189,515 00

Unencumbered Cash Balance, January 1, 1916..... \$280,751 81

Vouchers Registered During the Quarter.

Appropriation of 1914 and prior years.....	\$235 40
Appropriation for the year 1915.....	180,716 40
Special Revenue Bond Funds.....	2,870 67
Corporate Stock Funds.....	105,826 84

Corporate Stock Funds (Assessment).....	21,498 27
Special and Trust Funds.....	5,686 91

Total

Bureau of Engineering.

DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS.

Reports to Local Board, 4; to Board of Estimate and Apportionment, 2. Estimates: Preliminary, 16; final, 2. Surveys: Preliminary, 15; final, 7. Linear feet of location survey, 22,550; linear feet of cross section survey, 1,300; linear feet of line for construction, 16,000; linear feet of grade for construction, 16,000.

Construction work completed, square yards: Regulating and grading, 4,000; bituminous macadam pavement, 3,500; granite block pavement, 105; wood block pavement (on orders), 130; asphalt block, 3,550; curb (linear feet), 1,800; gutters, 600; sidewalks (square feet), 3,000.

SEWER DIVISION.

Sewer studies plotted for, 5.0 miles; profiles, 0.5 mile; miscellaneous detail sketches, plans and charts, 79; tracings made—miscellaneous, 4; prints made and colored, 9; prints made and not colored, 458.

Subsurface Structure Records: Openings reported, 339; locations of mains made, 420; verifications of same made by Engineers' field party, 201; sketches made by same, 200; mains located by same, 497; manholes, basins, etc., located by same, 104; length of location survey made by same, 4 miles; sketches made for field party use, 10; private sewer plans filed, 4; number of sketches received from Department of Water Supply showing locations of mains, gates, etc., 61; length of mains shown on these sketches, 7.1 miles; number of prints made from records of Gas Company showing location of gas mains, 48; length of gas mains shown on these prints, 3 miles; substructure record sheets completed during the quarter, 3; substructure record sheets revised and brought up to date, 7; sewer atlas sheets revised and brought up to date, 19; length of sewers within Borough on September 30, 1915, 88.66 miles; new sewers built during 4th quarter, 1915 (4,294 feet), .813 mile; length of sewers on December 31, 1915, 89.473 miles; sewers constructed during 4th quarter (336 feet), .064 mile. Sewers built during 4th quarter: Eight-inch vit. pipe sewer, 150 feet; 10-inch vit. pipe sewer, 1,437 feet; 12-inch vit. pipe sewer, 1,734 feet; 15-inch vit. pipe sewer, 437 feet; 20-inch vit. pipe sewer, 536 feet; 20-inch C. I. pipe sewer, 336 feet. Total, 4,630 feet. Total cost of sewers constructed during 4th quarter, \$20,000.00.

TOPOGRAPHICAL DIVISION.

Field Force: Replacing old base lines, 19,770 feet; secondary traverse, new, 3,390 feet; establishing street lines, 10,670 feet; new detail (length of street), 30,220 feet; profile levels and cross-sections (length of street), 18,920 feet; concrete monuments, 28; concrete monument covers, 200; monumenting traverse lines, 201; monumenting street lines, 41; labeling monuments, 387; inspecting monuments, 92; repairs to tools, etc., 270; flags set, 9.

Office Force—2 final maps, 876.1 feet; profiles for regulating and grading streets, 39,480 feet; litho sheets on which property lines and street lines were drawn, 4; miscellaneous maps prepared—7 originals and 65 prints; length of traverse line computed—final, 11,003 feet; length of street and property line computed—final, 35,979 feet; co-ordinates computed—final, 250; monuments—(6-foot offset) for which instructions were given, 2; persons who called for, and were given information with regard to streets, property lines, maps, etc., 96.

Bureau of Highways.

Macadam Streets: Small macadam repairs, water bond, 28,953.6 square yards; small macadam repairs, bituminous bond, 98,473.6 square yards; surfacing with Tarvia and grits, 877,164.7 square yards; surfacing with binder, etc., 186,579.9 square yards; repairing wings, 206,412.7 square yards; cleaning ditches and gutters, 228,433.4 square yards; surfacing macadam roads with sand or grits, 398,945.9 square yards; repairing stone crosswalks, 176.6 square yards; repairing cobble gutters, 2,579.9 square yards; repairing gutters with second-hand stone blocks, 1,060.4 square yards; sprinkling, 57.2 miles; repairs to curb, 188.1 linear feet; repairs to flagging, 297.8 square feet; old stone for macadam pavement only, unbonded, 65 square yards; surfacing with screenings or 3/4-inch stone, 113,320.1 square yards.

Paved Streets, Square Yards: Repairs to brick pavement, 964.1; repairs to stone block pavement, 731.4; asphalt block pavement, repairs to, 314.1; bituminous concrete pavement, repairs to, 78.5; wood block pavement, repairs to, 104.7; iron slag block pavement, repairs to, 411.1; repairs to concrete foundation under any pavement, 201.3.

Unimproved Streets: Repairing washouts, 10,812 cubic yards; turnpiking, 351,121 square yards.

Miscellaneous, Square Yards: Repair to frost heaves, 102.3; removing weeds, 464.342.1; displacement of snow and ice, 34,293.4; surfacing icy road with ashes, etc., 5,478.8; removing fallen trees, \$65.91; removing bumps, \$387.49; straightening signposts, \$1.07.

Restoring Cuts Made by Corporations, Plumbers, etc., Square Yards: Repairs to macadam, 1,294; macadam, oil surface, 658.8; macadam, asphalt or tar binder, 121.1; granite block on concrete, 260.2; granite block on sand, 49.8; granite cobble gutter, 2.7; block gutters, 2.2; brick on concrete, 338.7; asphalt block, 29.7; concrete sidewalk, 11.7; bluestone sidewalk, 1.3; bituminous concrete, 39.1; wood block, 56.9; iron slag block, 4.2; Medina sandstone block, 16.9.

Bureau of Sewers.

Maintenance and Repairs—Force employed during quarter: Superintendent, 1; Clerk, 1; Transitman, 1; Inspectors, 2; Auto Engineman, 1; Foremen, 3; Sewer Cleaners and Laborers, 18; Drivers, with horse and cart, 3; basins cleaned, 601; cubic yards of dirt removed, 320.3; loads removed, 156; basins repaired, 10; linear feet of sewers cleaned, 40,364; linear feet of sewers repaired, 38; number of manholes repaired, 7; linear feet of culverts cleaned, 4,298; linear feet of culverts repaired, 228; permits issued for sewer connections, 85; permits issued for old sewer connections (repair), 1; linear feet of house sewer connections to sewer inspected, 1,857; cleaning snow from inlets, number, 784.

Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Work Quantities—Comparison of Results in Fourth Quarters of 1915 and 1914.

Class of Work.	Unit of Measure.	1915.	1914.
Street Cleaning by Hand Broom.....	Mile.	7,996	8,460
Refuse Collection, Household Wastes.....	Cubic Yard.	22,601	22,466
Refuse Collection, Street Sweepings.....	Cubic Yard.	6,438	9,224
Final Disposition of City Wastes at Dumps.....	Cubic Yard.	18,697	22,070
Final Disposition of Clinker at Dumps.....	Cubic Yard.	2,753	3,227
Final Disposition at Destructors.....	Ton.	5,116	4,602
Cleaning Gutters	Mile.	258	83
Cleaning Crosswalks	Mile.	76	59
Ashing and Sanding Slippery Streets.....	Cubic Yard.	547	417
Weeding	Square Yard.	4,892	10,711
Snow Removal	Cubic Yard.	7,329	.....

Repairing—Labor Cost: Buildings, \$170; carts and wagons, \$220; harness, \$40; coal and sand boxes, \$25; street sweeping implements, \$70; dock used for disposal of snow, \$40; total, \$565.

Painting—Labor Cost: Buildings, \$65; street sweeping implements, \$140; total, \$205.

Force Employed—Office force, 10; Inspectors, 5; Foremen, 11; Assistant Foreman, 1; Laborers and Sweepers on field work, 125; Laborers at Destructors, 16; Drivers, 51; Hostlers and Detailed Hostlers, 13; painter, 1; Stationary Engineers, 2; Stokers, 2; Licensed Fireman, 1; hired carts, 9; total, 247.

Bureau of Buildings.

Classification.	Plans.	Buildings.	Estimated Cost.
New Buildings.			
Frame Dwellings	125	171	\$309,822 00
Brick Dwellings	16	17	70,401 00
Manufactories and Workshops	15	17	22,578 00
Stables	9	9	2,845 00
Stores	5	5	2,243 00
Garages	30	32	11,855 00
Public Buildings, Places of Amusement, etc.....	2	2	4,750 00
Office Buildings	4	4	1,300 00
Theatres	1	1	70,000 00

Classification.	Plans.	Buildings.	Estimated Cost.
Churches	1	1	4,000 00
Hotels	2	2	14,700 00
Other structures	44	44	12,590 00
Totals	254	305	\$527,084 00
<i>Alterations.</i>			
Frame Dwellings	97	98	\$33,743 00
Brick Dwellings	6	6	870 00
Manufactories and Workshops	14	14	16,345 00
Stables	5	5	1,400 00
Stores	5	9	2,755 00
Garages	7	7	5,560 00
Public Buildings, Places of Amusement, etc.....	1	1	150 00
Hotels	1	1	75 00
Tenements	4	6	4,300 00
Office Buildings	3	3	550 00
Churches	3	3	1,718 00
Other Structures	3	3	320 00
Totals	149	156	\$67,786 00
<i>Plumbing.</i>			
Frame Dwellings	154	185	\$44,818 00
Brick Dwellings	17	18	5,673 00
Manufactories and Workshops	1	1	125 00
Stables	2	2	340 00
Stores	1	1	300 00
Garages	7	7	835 00
Public Buildings, Places of Amusement, etc.....	2	2	190 00
Hotels	3	3	700 00
Churches	1	1	450 00
Tenements	2	3	350 00
Office Buildings	2	2	200 00
Totals	192	223	\$53,981 00

Violations of the Law Reported During the Quarter.

Nature.	Pending September 30, 1915.	Received Since.	Total for Disposition.	Removed Before Action by Courts.	Dismissed.	Total Final Disposition.	Pending December 31, 1915.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective construction, materials, etc.	28	7	35	6	..	6	29	..
Erecting, altering or removing without a permit or after disapproval.	70	25	95	18	3	21	74	1
Unsafe buildings	2	3	5	1	..	1	4	..
Totals	100	35	135	25	3	28	107	1

Complaints Received and Investigated During the Quarter.

Nature.	Pending September 30, 1915.	Received Since.	Total for Disposition.	Unfounded.	Removed on Verbal Notice.	Notices Issued.	Total Final Disposition.	Pending December 31, 1915.
Defective Plumbing	5	8	13	5	1	1	7	6
Defective Construction	3	3	6	1	1	2	4	2
Unsafe Buildings	1	4	5	2	3	..	5	..
Totals	9	15	24	8	5	3	16	8

Inspections: Construction, 5,890; plumbing and drainage, 2,485; iron and steel, 1,453; motion picture places, 1; dance halls, 2; elevators, 60; total, 9,891.
In Progress September 30, 1915: New buildings, 222; alterations, 14; plumbing, 319.
In Progress December 31, 1915: New buildings, 217; alterations, 15; plumbing, 253; new buildings commenced, 295; new buildings completed, 300; alterations commenced, 157; alterations completed, 156; plumbing commenced, 199; plumbing completed, 265.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.*Financial Statement.*

Executive and office service, etc., superintendent, clerk and driver.....	\$1,462 50
<i>Borough Hall—</i>	
Work done by contract and open market order other than departmental labor and janitorial supplies.....	3,680 02
Janitorial service, cleaning, etc., including supplies, etc.....	2,207 64
Operation, running elevators, engine and boilers.....	2,878 24
Labor of caring for grounds.....	201 27
Work of repairs done by departmental labor, as carpentering, plumbing, and painting.....	359 24
<i>County Clerk's Office—</i>	
Work done by contract and open market order other than departmental and janitorial supplies.....	359 90
Janitorial service, cleaning, etc.....	451 54
Work of repairs done by departmental labor, as carpentering, plumbing and painting.....	64 68
<i>Library Grounds—</i>	
Caring for grounds with part time of one laborer.....	89 12
Work done by contract, as repairing walks, etc.....	282 36
<i>Court House—</i>	
Work done by departmental labor as plumbing, painting and carpentering	15 62
Janitorial service, cleaning and supplies, etc.....	334 80
<i>Village Hall, New Brighton—</i>	
Work done by contract and open market order rather than departmental labor, etc.	412 02
Janitorial service, cleaning, etc.	532 11
Work done by departmental labor, as carpentering and plumbing.....	111 74
<i>Village Hall, Stapleton—</i>	
Work done by contract and open market order other than departmental labor, etc.	830 32
Janitorial service, cleaning, etc.....	271 96
Work done by departmental labor, as plumbing, carpentering and painting, etc.	205 84
<i>Richmond County Jail—</i>	
Material furnished this place, as paints, grate bars, etc.....	187 15
Work done by departmental labor, as painting, carpentering and plumbing, etc.	369 24
<i>Jailor's Cottage—</i>	
Work done by contract and open market order other than departmental labor	172 00
Work done by departmental labor, as plumbing, carpentering and painting, etc.	88 37
<i>Old Corn Exchange Bank Building—</i>	
Work done by departmental labor, as plumbing and carpentering, etc.	62 74
Janitorial service, supplies, etc.....	565 45

Coroner's Office—	
Janitorial service, cleaning, part time of one laborer, supplies, etc.....	196 92
<i>Miscellaneous—</i>	
Care of horse of this bureau.....	141 69
Destructors at Rosebank and West New Brighton; supplying ice, water and towel service	37 64
Sub-Office, Bureau of Engineering-Construction, St. George; furnishing ice, towel and water service.....	23 06
<i>Sewage Disposal Plant, West New Brighton—</i>	
Ice and towel service.....	27 95
Store Yard, Bureau of Highways, towel service.....	2 01
Weighing coal for public buildings by departmental labor.....	16 61
Repairing fence of City lot by departmental labor.....	36 46
Total	\$16,678 21
HENRY P. MORRISON, Acting President.	

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revision of Assessments at a Meeting Held in Room 743, Municipal Building, at 10:30 o'Clock A. M., on Thursday, February 3, 1916.

Present—Alexander Brough, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Louis H. Hahlo, Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel; and Lawson Purdy, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Borough of The Bronx—Regulating, Grading, Setting Substones, Flagging Sidewalks, Etc., in Zerega Avenue from Ludlow Avenue to Westchester Avenue.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the assessment list for regulating, grading, setting substones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Zerega Avenue, from Ludlow Avenue to Westchester Avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, and objections of the Bronx Gas and Electric Company et al, filed by F. W. Hottenroth, attorney, and A. Robinson in person, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 24, 1916.

Mr. Hottenroth and Mr. Robinson were heard in opposition to the assessment.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments the hearing was adjourned for one week.

Borough of Richmond—Grading the Sidewalk Space and Constructing Sidewalk on the South Side of New Dorp Lane Between First Street and Tenth Street, and for Grading Third Street, Between Amboy Road and Locust Avenue, in the Fourth Ward.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the assessment list for grading the sidewalk space and constructing sidewalk on the south side of New Dorp Lane, between First Street and Tenth Street, and for grading Third Street, between Amboy Road and Locust Avenue, in the Fourth Ward, together with objections of Samuel Hooper, filed by W. F. Connell, attorney, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of January 15, 1916.

Mr. L. C. Fottrell, representing W. F. Connell, attorney, was heard in opposition to the assessment.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments the assessment list was referred back to the Board of Assessors for a reconsideration of the amount of damages awarded to Mr. Hooper.

Borough of Queens—Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Laying Sidewalks in Riker Avenue from Woodside Avenue to Kelly Avenue; Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging Kelly Avenue from Woodside Avenue to Anderson Avenue.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the assessment list for regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks in Stryker (Riker) Avenue from Woodside Avenue to Kelly Avenue, and regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Kelly Avenue from Woodside Avenue to Anderson Avenue, together with lists of awards for damages caused by a change of grade and objections of P. Murphy et al., filed by R. Leslie Smith, attorney, and J. Smythe, et al. filed by P. B. LaRoche, attorney, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of February 1, 1916.

Mr. T. Wilson, representing Mr. LaRoche, attorney appeared and stated that Mr. LaRoche rested on his objections.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, the assessment list was confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes—The Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel and President, Department of Taxes and Assessment.

Present and not voting—The Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Borough of The Bronx—Regulating and Grading, Building Approaches and Erecting Fences Where Necessary in Fieldston Road, Etc.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller brought up the matter of the assessment list for regulating grading, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Fieldston Road, from Mosholu Avenue to the southerly line of the property of the Northern Broadway Realty Associates, about 303 feet north of West 250th Street, the hearing in regard to which was held at the last meeting and decision reserved.

It was the sense of the Board that the assessment list should be confirmed in so far as the south of Fieldston Road is concerned.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments the assessment list was referred back to the Board of Assessors with instructions to reduce the assessment on the property north of Mosholu Parkway, from a line beginning 100 feet north of Mosholu Parkway, one third.

At 11:50 A. M. the Board adjourned. JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1916.**

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Board of Aldermen.				
29797	1-27-16	New York Central Railroad Company.		\$1,206 47
Armory Board.				
29099	7-19-15	1-26-16	Chas. D. Norton Co.	\$585 35
29129	11-30-15	1-26-16	Cavanagh Brothers & Co.	27 00
29848	12-14-15	1-27-16	T. E. Quinn	260 00
Department of Bridges.				
29951	43175	1-27-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.....	\$215 24

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.										
30998	12-29-15	1-31-16	Merck & Co.	\$17 03	33504			Frank L. Blanchard.....	5 00	
31003	12-13-15, 12-17-15	1-31-16	The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.....	21 80	33502	2- 7-16		E. Adrian von Mufrling.....	6 00	
31005	11-27-15, 12-31-15	1-31-16	Standard Oxygen Company	7 00	33519	2- 7-16		Robert G. Weyh, Jr.....	10 00	
31922	12-31-15	2- 2-16	E. B. Meyrowitz, Inc.	6 30	33520	2- 7-16		Winifred G. Hawley.....	2 00	
County Court, Kings County.					33521	2- 7-16		Walter S. Heilborn.....	4 00	
32484			John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.....	\$10 00	33522	2- 7-16		Charles E. Herring.....	6 00	
Surrogate's Court, Bronx County.					33525	2- 7-16		Lillian S. Fisher.....	3 90	
31110	1-13-16	1-31-16	Van Brunt Tandy	\$4 15	32377	6-25-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman.....	1 16	
Supreme Court.					139446	6-15-15	41744	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.....	32 50	
32106			George D. Sharpe, Postmaster.....	\$10 00	32625	11-30-15		Kate Dickerman.....	6 65	
Board of City Record.					32626	11-30-15		Nils Bergquist	2 60	
31155	1- 4-16, 1-18-16	1-31-16	The New York Times.....	\$81 50	32619	11-30-15		Florence Wilson	4 05	
29956	1- 6-16, 1-18-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	2,088 92	32620	11-30-15		Florence L. Jennison.....	9 50	
29957			M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	1,438 00	32623	11-16-15		L. R. Littlefield.....	75	
29953	11- 6-15, 1- 8-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	5,665 54	32615			Henry F. Albro.....	7 00	
29958	12-10-15, 1- 8-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	1,217 80	32616			Elsie Gardner	57 00	
29560	1-26-16	1-27-16	Millard M. Manson	377 00	32633			Grace E. Yates.....	7 50	
29954	12-15-15, 1- 8-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	6,477 85	32632			Percy Bridges	5 60	
29959	12-20-15, 1- 8-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	597 40	32617	11-10-15		Adeline Mills	3 30	
29952	12- 8-15, 1- 6-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	4,165 84	32624	11-30-15		Jenny Clare Heath.....	25	
29961	12-23-15, 1- 8-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	282 04	31827	12- 1-15, 12-11-15		Michael Fogarty, Inc.....	90 50	
29962	12-24-15, 1- 7-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	247 60	29400	2-25-15		Geo. Damon & Sons.....	604 80	
29963	12-22-15, 1- 7-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	512 68	29440	11-19-15	41180	Parker P. Simmons Co., Inc.....	159 13	
29955	1- 4-16, 1-12-16	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	850 00	29450	11-22-15	41841	Alfred Field & Co.....	180 00	
29960	12-21-15, 12-31-15	1-27-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	254 21	29434	4-28-15	41175	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	170 45	
Department of Correction.					29485	10- 8-15	41630	Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	135 15	
26458	43609	1-20-16	American Fence Construction Co.....	\$1,720 40	29412	11-22-15	41629	American Book Co.....	136 46	
31731	12-31-15	2- 2-16	The Mutual Supply Co.....	4 35	29420	12- 1-15	41628	Funk & Wagnalls Co.....	484 00	
31735	12-24-15	2- 2-16	Singer Sewing Machine Company.....	1 70	29478	5-20-15	41644	D. C. Heath & Co.....	457 70	
31734	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Hull, Grippen & Co., Inc.....	18	29453	5-11-15	41352	The Holden Paper Co. of Newburgh, N. Y., Assignee of the Smith Tablet Co., Inc.	5,887 47	
31738	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Department of Correction	13 50	29407	9-29-15	41378	Geo. T. Montgomery.....	140 78	
31739	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Singer Sewing Machine Company.....	66 00	29418	11- 9-15	41166	Blaisdell Paper Pencil Co.....	200 00	
31753			Hull, Grippen & Co., Inc.....	1 88	29621	11-11-15	41190	Geo. W. Millar and Co.....	304 30	
31733	12-18-15	2- 2-16	Wilson Stamp Co.	50	29481	11-11-15	41213	Schieffelin & Co.....	169 73	
31761	1- 5-16	2- 2-16	Konop Iron Works, Inc.....	12 00	29625	10- 5-15	41639	Ginn and Company.....	406 75	
31762	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Otis Elevator Company	7 70	29643	11-23-15	41634	Corn Exchange Bank, Harlem Branch, Assignee of the Universal Co.....	121 60	
31743	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.....	2 50	29416	11- 9-15	41179	Milton Bradley Company.....	269 16	
31742	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Department of Correction	7 50	29490	1-26-15	41637	Henry Holt & Company.....	773 11	
31744	12-21-15	2- 2-16	Chas. H. Heinsohn	31 75	29454	9-29-15	41183	E. Steiger and Co.....	741 68	
31745	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Henry Kaplan	11 90	29403	10-29-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	245 08	
31747	12- 3-15	2- 2-16	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	1 00	29404	10- 8-15	41379	New York & Pennsylvania Co., Assignee of Hopper Paper Co.....	5,400 61	
31746	10-22-15	2- 2-16	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	10 50	29414	11-16-15	41539	Wm. P. Youngs & Bros.....	175 56	
31748	12-21-15	2- 2-16	Chas. H. Heinsohn	22 83	29424	11-16-15	41743	A. B. Dick Company.....	266 10	
31749	12- 6-15	2- 2-16	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.....	7 32	29429	11-29-15	41672	Charles Scribner's Sons	322 51	
31751	12-28-15	2- 2-16	Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd.....	3 00	29624	11-29-15	41653	The Ellsworth Co.	133 92	
31754	12- 9-15	2- 2-16	Nason Manufacturing Co., Inc.....	2 70	29451	11-17-15	41652	Educational Publishing Co.	133 58	
31755	7-20-15	2- 2-16	A. D. Morris & Co.	16 68	29457	12-19-15	41708	Paul Baron	155 75	
31757	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Hobbs Concrete Machinery Company.....	50	29409	8-13-15	41483	M. J. Tobin	209 72	
31760	12-28-15	2- 2-16	Singer Sewing Machine Company, Inc.....	2 16	29480	10-23-15	41650	Silber, Burdett & Co.....	1,803 64	
28946	10- 1-15, 10-25-15	1-26-16	Benjamin Horton	32 05	29646	11-12-15	41484	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	171 69	
27675	12-14-15	1-24-16	Bloomington Brothers	16 00	29477	11- 4-15	41488	McHutchison & Co.	145 77	
28956	9- 4-15, 12-10-15	1-26-16	Thos. J. Dennis	98 00	29408	11- 3-15	41124	M. J. Tobin	461 48	
28556	11- 4-15	1-25-16	Dimock & Fink Co.....	21 42	29411	10-25-15	41193	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	102 39	
27838	11-29-15	1-24-16	L. R. Wallace	12 00	29483	9-27-15	41191	Syndicate Trading Co.....	280 42	
District Attorney, Queens County.					29626	6- 3-15	41161	Greenhut Co., Inc., Assignee, Etc., of J. B. Greenhut Co.	136 37	
29398	1-24-16	1-27-16	Broadway Taxicab Co.....	\$37 50	29635	9- 8-15	41647	Frank D. Beattys & Co.....	202 86	
29399	1- -16	1-27-16	Court Square Restaurant and Cafe....	30 15	29488	7-19-15	41478	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	191 19	
District Attorney, Bronx County.										
32337		2- 3-16	Francis Martin, District Attorney.....	\$175 92						
32338	1-11-16, 1-13-16	2- 3-16	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	1 75						
District Attorney, New York County.										
1264	1-17-16	1-26-16	William J. Harvey	\$15 10						
Department of Docks and Ferries.					20227			Department of Finance.		
25554		43055	Atlantic Gulf & Pacific Co.....	\$6,187 50	31873	1-27-16		Baker, Voorhis & Co.	\$1 75	
31592			Long Island Railroad Co.....	9 15						
31589	1-21-16	2- 2-16	Ernst Zobel Co., Inc.....	21 30						
31587	1-11-16	2- 2-16	Oliver Brothers Purchasing Co.....	56 70	148775	11- 9-15		Fire Department.		
31566	12-10-15	2- 2-16	Estate of A. J. Drummond.....	21 25	1748			12-21-15	The White Company	\$26 70
31574	1- 7-16	2- 2-16	Consolidated Engineering Co.....	82 50	1747			2- 7-16	Charles I. Berg	25 00
Board of Elections.					31124			2- 7-16	Morris Whinston	25 00
29790	11-30-15	1-27-16	McMullan Trucking Co.....	\$149 40	32056			1-31-16	Joseph A. Graf	59 40
29789	11- 1-15	1-27-16	P. Belford & Son	211 70	32053	1-14-16		2- 5-16	Godfrey-Keeler Company	48 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.					32054	12-27-15		2- 2-16	Montgomery & Co.	34
29971	1-18-16	1-27-16	Bryan L. Kennelly	\$400 00	32052	10-20-15		2- 2-16	International Motor Co.	19 75
Department of Education.					32048	12-16-15		2- 2-16	Robinson Bros.	44 00
28912		40828	American Seating Co.....	\$558 60	32049	1- 9-16		2- 2-16	Bosch Magneto Co.	10
31351	12- 9-15	2- 1-16	J. H. Boozer	3 50	32050			2- 2-16	Western Electric Co., Inc.....	14 80
31289	12-11-15	2- 1-16	John Neal's Sons	40 66	32051	7-12-15		2- 2-16	John H. H. Van Hoven.....	2 00
31290	12- 8-15	2- 1-16	Wm. B. Taylor	7 93						
31830			W. A. Leonard	8 50	25763			The Manhattan Supply Company.....	2 70	
31829	12-20-15	2- 2-16	John F. Koop	7 77						
31288	12- 9-15	2- 1-16	William J. Olvany	41 12	31892	12-31-15		2- 2-16	Arthur S. Beves, Receiver, Atlantic Blaugas Company	\$50 13
31349	11-30-15	2- 1-16	Paul Euell, Inc.....	22 95	31908	6-26-15		2- 2-16	New York Bottling Co.	36 00
31352	12-13-15	2- 1-16	M. Weinberg	10 90	31909	12-31-15		2- 2-16	Sulzberger & Sons Company.....	40 80
31350			Lorenzo & Byrns	48 38	31940			2- 2-16	Wm. Zinsser & Co.	40 32
31208			Queens County Trust Co., Assignee of James H. Draper	32 75	31912	10-30-15		2- 2-16	Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd....	31 50
31353	12-16-15	2- 1-16	Reid's Express	25	31913	12-31-15		2- 2-16	Richmond Ice Company	22
31364	12-20-15	2- 1-16	Lorenzo & Byrns	32 23	31914	12- 1-15		2- 2-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	32 65
31287	12-14-15	2- 1-16	The Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of American Ornamental Iron Works....	20 60	31915	11-22-15		2- 2-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	79
31292	11-13-15	2- 1-16	Philp & Paul	21 59	31893	12-31-15		2- 2-16	Peter Henderson & Co.	24 20
31291	12- 4-15	2- 1-16	John Wenning	21 75	23779	8-30-15		2- 2-16	Casper Herold's Sons	48 75
31293			James J. Fay	42 50	31923	12-31-15		1-15-16	Enterprise Electrical Company.....	12 16
31295	11-12-15	2- 1-16	D. J. Deady Co.....	12 20	29320	1- 7-16		2- 2-16	The Randall-Faichney Co., Inc.....	31 50
31294	12- 3-15, 12-16-15									

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Law Department.					President of the Borough of Manhattan.				
29349	1-15-16	1-27-16	Queensboro Reporting Co.	\$174 75	27913	43222	1-24-16	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	\$283 75
Miscellaneous.					31939			William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of The City of New York, Trustee for Account of Street Opening Fund.	1,241 65
21874			M. Iser	20 00	31482	12-22-15	2- 1-16	Underwood Typewriter Company, Inc.	9 00
32808			Civic Centre Co.	30 00	31484	12-21-15	2- 1-16	Jenkins Bros.	7 20
33099		2- 5-16	Mary Springer	500 00	31483	1- 1-15	2- 1-16	New York Blue Print Paper Co.	29 43
33423			The Bronxdale Realty Co.	5,326 34	31488	12-29-15	2- 1-16	Vacuum Oil Company	7 11
32499			George A. Hefter	15 00	31486	12-27-15	2- 1-16	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co.	5 00
32495			Estate of Emily Brown, decd.	60 59	31487	1- 2-16	2- 1-16	The Bristol Company	47 58
32494		2- 4-16	Estate of Charles A. Coe, Inc.	1,104 17	31494	1- 5-16	2- 1-16	Sibley-Pitman Electric Corporation.	28 00
32497		2- 4-16	Empire City Lumber Co.	103 48	31493	12-23-15	2- 1-16	Sibley-Pitman Electric Corporation.	25 17
32496		2- 4-16	Joseph J. Mock	4 00	31492	1-12-16	2- 1-16	Otis Elevator Company	10 35
32500		2- 4-16	Andrew J. Fitzgerald	8 83	32213	1-12-16	2- 3-16	Johnson Service Company	28 56
32498		2- 4-16	Brighton By The Sea, Inc.	14 51	32215	12-31-15	2- 3-16	E. L. Scripture	6 00
32492		2- 4-16	Michael H. Monahan and Annie Mona- han	2 00	29672	12-28-15	1-27-16	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	400 00
33175			Augustine V. Jenny	4,960 03	29686	12-30-15	1-27-16	Autocar Sales Co.	1,650 00
33177		2- 5-16	William J. Hyland	990 16	29695	1- 4-16	1-27-16	Maher & Flockhart	356 25
33177		2- 5-15	William J. Hyland	8,000 00	29687	1- 4-16	1-27-16	S. Appel & Co.	187 50
33177			William J. Hyland	11,218 95	29693			Dennis J. McCarthy	120 80
33178		2- 5-16	William J. Hyland	1,095 49	29694	12-31-15	1-27-16	W. J. Fitzgerald	943 95
33178		2- 5-16	William J. Hyland	3,000 00	29685			International Motor Company	3,995 00
33178		2- 5-16	William J. Hyland	1,423 25	29689	12-17-15	1-27-16	The MacLeod Company	225 10
33179		2- 5-16	John C. Heintz and Jacob Siegel	5,304 30	29702		1-27-15	William H. King & Co.	120 32
33179			John C. Heintz and Jacob Siegel	4,893 13	29678	12-28-15	1-27-16	Samuel Lewis	100 00
33175		2- 5-16	Augustine V. Jenny	971 84	29680	1-10-16	1-27-16	Crandall Packing Co.	126 55
33163		2- 5-16	Max Pellar	203 46	29665			The Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn.	310 00
33163		2- 5-16	Max Pellar	1,521 19	32216	12-15-15	2- 3-16	Ernest F. Hagen	30 00
33149		2- 5-16	Frank Meyer	117 97	29668	12-31-15	1-27-16	The Weiss & Klau Co.	60 75
33149		2- 5-16	Frank Meyer	3,500 00	President of the Borough of The Bronx.				
33149			Frank Meyer	9,363 73	32447			Jacob M. Friedland, Asst. Engr.	\$11 58
33254		2- 7-16	The Wheeler Corporation, Assignee of Annie A. McCort	752 60	29982	1-11-16	1-27-16	John F. O'Heir	649 50
33251		2- 7-16	Charles I. Hausmann	1 07	29756		42436	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	1,828 17
33251		2- 7-16	Charles I. Hausmann	415 50	29758		42909	Spadaro Contracting Co.	2,988 18
33250		2- 7-16	J. Leon Myrans	650 00	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.				
33250		2- 7-16	J. Leon Myrans	70 98	25370		43413	F. A. Pellegrino Construction Co.	\$3,066 89
33250		2- 7-16	J. Leon Myrans	39 71	32030	12-31-15	2- 2-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	17 50
33249		2- 7-16	Lillian Kramer	86 67	32029	1-26-16	2- 2-16	Thomas F. Reid	16 50
33248			George Keller	238 27	31998	12-31-15	2- 2-16	Municipal Garage	29 11
33248		2- 7-16	George Keller	4,708 19	32004			Long Island Wood Co.	1 60
33252		2- 7-16	Bernard Mayer	1 07	32002	1-26-16	2- 2-16	Van Brunt Tandy	1 50
33252		2- 7-16	Bernard Mayer	415 50	32003			Stevenson & Marsters, Inc.	13 20
33253		2- 7-16	The Wheeler Corporation, Assignee of Annie A. McCort	1,457 49	32019	1-18-16	2- 2-16	C. Kramer	6 00
33253			The Wheeler Corporation, Assignee of Annie A. McCort	422 60	32018			Great Bear Spring Co.	27 30
33253			The Wheeler Corporation, Assignee of Annie A. McCort	869 91	28755			R. G. Packard Co.	267 00
33255		2- 7-16	Mary Ann Nally	1,630 39	20969		43522	Upper Hudson Stone Co.	1,814 78
33255		2- 7-16	Mary Ann Nally	1,085 59	141515			Knickerbocker Supply Co.	\$220 80
33166		2- 5-16	Patrick Mullen	21,655 80	32427		2- 3-16	Clifford B. Moore, Consulting Engineer	16 10
33165		2- 5-16	Marcus Nathan	21,846 22	29964		43416	Frank L. Paino	3,256 40
33165		2- 5-16	Marcus Nathan	13,000 00	29966		42987	Clancy & Van Alst	3,244 45
33164		2- 5-16	Harriet M. Richards, Assignee of Helen A. Pultz	10,000 00	29965		43530	The Green Contracting Co.	2,148 37
33164		2- 5-16	Harriet M. Richards, Assignee of Helen A. Pultz	8,825 78	29967		43417	The Robinson Clay Product Co. of New York, Assignee of Angelo Paino	536 41
34103		2- 8-16	Chamberlain of the City of New York	717 61	29932		40939	John H. Parker Co.	\$5,805 00
34103		2- 8-16	Chamberlain of the City of New York	182 39	32364	1- 1-16	2- 3-16	Edward Wisely & Son	30 00
34104		2- 8-16	Ella A. Milligan, Executrix and Trus- tee of Ellen Brady	646 53	29931		1-27-16	Concord Construction Co.	200 00
33423		2- 7-16	The Bronxdale Realty Company	75 51	29529	1- 5-16	1-27-16	Defiance Manufacturing Co.	\$25 00
33423		2- 7-16	The Bronxdale Realty Company	5,750 00	32260		1-27-16	Victor S. Dodworth, Acting Director	197 75
33423		2- 7-16	The Bronxdale Realty Company	7,000 00	29806	12-31-15	1-27-16	Conron Bros. Co.	200 16
32761		2- 4-16	Emil Goldberger and Lillian Gold- berger	1,681 22	29815	11-30-15	1-27-16	Borden's Farm Products Division	2,655 99
32762		2- 4-16	Bertha Kaufmann and Samuel Cohen	1,681 22	29817	10-26-15	1-27-16	Lewis De Groff & Son	1,407 35
32763		2- 4-16	Caroline Kaufmann	1,681 22	29812	12-31-15	1-27-16	H. E. Stout Co.	174 89
32728			Ettie M. Brosnan	1,171 44	29819	10- 3-15	1-27-16	Francis H. Leggett & Co.	578 94
32728		2- 4-16	Ettie M. Brosnan	209 74	29934	1- 5-16	1-27-16	Albert Winternitz	616 50
32729		2- 4-16	Frank J. Marion, Assignee of James L. Davis	4,502 28	29539	12-31-15	1-27-16	David Isaacs	848 56
32729		2- 4-16	Frank J. Marion, Assignee of James L. Davis	1,575 67	29520	12-15-15, 12-29-15	1-27-16	P. Lawless' Sons	136 04
32731		2- 4-16	James Dermody and Bridget Dermody	163 42	29523	12-23-15, 12-30-15	1-27-16	Westchester Fish Co.	100 96
32730		2- 4-16	Rose G. Goldstein, Assignee of Thomas W. Henry, Assignee of J. Lawrence Davis, Assignee of Josephine T. Deady	2,120 68	29944	9-25-15, 12-30-15	1-27-16	Bloomingdale Bros.	1,653 75
32730		2- 4-16	Rose G. Goldstein, Assignee of Thomas W. Henry, Assignee of J. Lawrence Davis, Assignee of Josephine T. Deady	1,321 55	29949	12- 7-15, 1- 6-16	1-27-16	Tascarella Bros.	103 00
32732		2- 4-16	Thisza J. Derrick	1,103 90	29933	12-14-15, 12-22-15	1-27-16	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.	494 33
32732		2- 4-16	Thisza J. Derrick	500 00	29943	10-22-15, 12-30-15	1-27-16	E. T. Joyce	222 51
32732		2- 4-16	Thisza J. Derrick	2,588 75	29937	12- 8-15, 12-30-15	1-27-16	James A. Miller	195 48
32759		2- 4-16	Sarah E. Elliott, as Administratrix of William J. Elliott, Deceased	2,761 31	29536	12-28-15	1-27-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	191 08
32760		2- 4-16	Mary E. Deere	3,000 00	29534	12-15-15, 12-23-15	1-27-16	Colonial Works, Inc.	787 47
32760		2- 4-16	Mary E. Deere	2,500 00	29814	12-11-15	1-27-16	Burton & Davis Co.	261 23
32760		2- 4-16	Mary E. Deere	1,024 20	29811	12-24-15	1-27-16	Sulzberger & Sons Co.	1,057 25
33165			Marcus Nathan	21,846 22	29820		1-27-16	P. Lawless' Sons	1,055 93
33176		2- 5-16	Maria Joseph	4,374 00	29816	12-22-15	1-27-16	Conron Brothers Co.	897 96
33176		2- 5-16	Maria Joseph	4,500 00	29813	12-29-15	1-27-16	Joseph Seeman	566 25
33176		2- 5-16	Maria Joseph	8,520 38	29805		1-27-16	Armour & Co.	1,614 75
33173		2- 5-16	Ida Johnson and Augusta Thorell	414 08	29821	12- 7-15	1-27-16	Marshall Fabric Co.	673 92
33172		2- 5-16	John D. Karst	631 56	29526	9- 2-15	1-27-16	Henneberger & Herold	157 90
33171		2- 5-16	Willis H. Young	631 56	29521			Samuel E. Hunter	116 56
33170		2- 5-16	L. Napoleon Levy	39,733 34	29942	12-30-15	1-27-16	Columbia Paper Co.	117 18
33170		2- 5-16	L. Napoleon Levy	4,266 88	29546	8-31-15, 9-25-15	1-27-16	Conron Bros. Co.	391 68
33169		2- 5-16	Augustus Lawrence	1,129 12	29543	10- 7-15, 11- 8-15	1-27-16	Lewis De Groff & Son	949 12
33169		2- 5-16	Augustus Lawrence	1,000 00	29533			John P. Kane Co.	100 20
33169		2- 5-16	Augustus Lawrence	363 32	31471	1- 3-16, 1-12-16	2- 1-16	Theo. Moss & Co.	\$39 89
33168		2- 5-16	Magnus Nelson and Caroline Nelson	1,409 40	31474	1-12-16	2- 1-16	Polhemus Printing Co.	1 00
33167		2- 5-16	Henry I. Norr	1,780 05	31472	1-10-16	2- 1-16	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	1 05
33167		2- 5-16	Henry I. Norr	317 71	31476	1-18-16	2- 1-16	Oscar Schlichting	2 00
33166		2- 5-16	Patrick Mullen	6,000 00	31475	1-14-16	2- 1-16	D. H. Ahrend Company, Inc.	44 39
Public Administrator, Bronx County.					31473	1-11-16	2- 1-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	6 75
30945	1- 7-16	1-31-16	Rand, McNally & Co.	\$15 00	31477	1-18-16	2- 1-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.	14 18
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Department of Taxes and Assessments.					31513	10- 1-15	2- 1-16	G. E. Ganun.....	13 68	
30681	1- 7-16	1-29-15	Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	\$2 00	31517			Patterson Bros.	27 44	
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.					31514	1-14-16	2- 1-16	G. E. Ganun.....	3 40	
31962	1- 4-16	2- 2-16	Godfrey Keeler Co.....	\$39 00	31515			New York Ladder Co.....	5 40	
31519	12-28-15	2- 1-16	A. Pearson's Sons	6 88	31516	12-20-15	2- 1-16	J. C. Muller.....	6 25	
31947	12- 6-15	2- 2-16	Samuel Kriesel	4 66	31518	1- 1-15	2- 1-16	George Good	60	
32066		2- 3-16	William Hauck, Assistant Engineer...	64 06	31522	12-31-15	2- 1-16	Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.....	29 30	
29722		12-10-15	New York & Richmond Gas Co.....	38 40	31524	1- 3-16	2- 1-16	Westchester Auto Station.....	6 00	
31525	12-31-15	2- 1-16	American Express Co.....	34 21	29498	10-15-15	39107	1-27-16	Edison Lamp Works of General Electric Co.	2,507 31
31523			E. Belcher Hyde.....	12 00	29744	1- 4-16	1-27-16	American Radiator Company.....	237 00	
32930	10- 7-15	2- 4-16	New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Co.	24 10	29747			William Briggs	121 50	
32929	1- 6-16	2- 4-16	John Simmons Co.....	9 80	31952	12-11-15, 12-31-15	2- 2-16	Herz & Co.....	500 00	
31512	9- 1-15	2- 1-16	G. E. Ganun.....	6 68	32936			William Williams, Commr.....	500 00	

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1916.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Bridges.			
34993	23210	McKim, Mead & White....	\$387 10
34994	28669	McKim, Mead & White....	404 21
35119	1-14-16	Baker, Voorhis & Co.....	13 50
35120	1-21-16	Self-Winding Clock Co....	6 25
35121	1-31-16	Louis J. Kahn	110 00
35122	2-1-16	John H. Meyer	25 00
35123	1-31-16	Stanley & Patterson	7 48
35107	1-4-16	Hills & Hafely Co.....	3 00
35108	1-17-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	11 99
35109	1-29-16	Wm. Gaskell & Son.....	12 79
35110	1-31-16	George J. Vogt	4 25
35111	11-30-15	Remington Typewriter Co....	121 18
35112	1-31-16	Patrick J. Murphy	20 75
35113	1-27-16	The Petroleum Products Co....	22 00
35114	1-31-16	Egleston Bros. & Co.....	51 64
35115	1-31-16	E. F. Keating Co.....	15 17
35116	2-1-16	Chas. Madden	15 70
35117	1-31-16	John J. Kelly	42 00
35118	1-25-16	Geo. Pool & Son.....	13 72
34995		Claf M. Kelly	5 45
34996		John G. Theban	5 80
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.			
34617		J. K. Paulding	\$300 00
County Court and Surrogate's Court, Richmond County.			
34843		Wm. H. Sullivan	\$100 00
City Magistrates' Courts.			
24895		Frank Oliver	\$77 30
24896	1-31-16	Frank Oliver	31 65
24897	1-31-16	Frank Oliver	23 45
Court of Special Sessions.			
34883	7-28-15	A. Pearson's Sons	\$2 00
34884	1-28-16	George L. Betts	1 00
34885	1-28-16	Dunn Jewelry Co.	105 75
34886		Foster, Scott Ice Co.....	7 60
34887	1-14-16	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	30 00
34888		Elder & Wells	2 00
34889	1-31-16	Nickel Towel Supply Co....	1 00
34890	1-25-16	The Schapirograph Co.....	4 50
34891		Remington Typewriter Co....	90
34892		Stevenson & Marsters.....	2 65
City Court of The City of New York.			
35051	1-11-16	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	\$24 75
34984	1-7-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	15 93
34979		Gretchen Bevins	13 20
34980		Gretchen Bevins	12 50
34978	2-2-16	Kanouse Mt. Water Co.....	14 10
34985	1-5-16	The Van Dorn Iron Works Co.	111 00
34986	1-8-16	J. B. Lyon Co.....	290 00
34981	1-7-16	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	23 77
34982	1-17-16	A. Pearson's Sons.....	9 25
34983	1-17-16	A. Pearson's Sons.....	105 00
Supreme Court, Appellate Division.			
34842	2-7-16	Jos. H. De Bragga.....	\$25 00
College of The City of New York.			
35166	11-9-15	B. Frank Dewis	\$9 50
35167	10-9-15	S. H. Glasser	19 59
35168	11-23-15	S. H. Glasser	10 00
35169	10-20-15	Murray Hill Sheet Metal Works	50 00
35170	11-16-15	Standard Scientific Co.....	30 00
35171	11-9-15	Watson's Forge & Machine Works	13 00
34997	11-1-15	Black & Boyd Mfg. Co.....	15 50
34998	11-16-15	H. H. W. Bergmann & Co....	27 58
34999	11-22-15	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc., N. Y. C.....	19 50
35000	11-10-15	Bramhall, Deane Co.....	2 00
35001	11-1-15	Empire Towel Supply Co....	50 79
35002		Wynkoop-Hallenbeck, Crawford Co.	13 00
35029	12-22-15	Adolph Jacobs	3 20
35030	12-7-15	Charles Cooper & Co.....	8 00
35031	10-29-15	Whitall-Tatum Co.	20 40
35032	11-30-15	Whitall-Tatum Co.	18 20
35033	10-29-15	Kimble, Durand Glass Co....	45 25
35034	11-3-15	Eimer & Amend	25 00
35035	10-5-15	Eimer & Amend	11 40
35036	11-16-15	J. H. Lane & Co.....	5 08
35037	11-3-15	Eimer & Amend	5 43
35038	12-4-15	Patterson Brothers	10 14
35039	11-16-15	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	1 15
35040	11-3-15	Patterson Bros.	9 94

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35041	11-26-15	George W. Millar & Co.....	28 15
35042	11-15-15	Narragansett Machine Co....	2 98
35043	12-3-15	E. B. Meyrowitz, Inc.....	4 40
35044	10-25-15	Eimer & Amend	19 29
35045	10-7-15	The Marine Biological Laboratory	3 38
35046	10-7-15	The Marine Biological Laboratory	8 00
35047	10-7-15	The Marine Biological Laboratory	4 36
35048	9-18-15	The Marine Biological Laboratory	33 16
35049	11-12-15	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co.	2 53
35050	11-30-15	Keuffel & Esser Co.	6 30
35003	1-29-16	Hugh D. McGrane.....	125 00
35004	10-30-15	The Canfield Paper Co.....	9 45
35005	11-16-15	Alex. H. Irvin Co.....	4 15
35006	10-1-15	Library Bureau	14 20
35007	11-12-15	Tension Envelope Co.....	12 00
35008	4-9-15	Great Bear Spring Co.....	3 50
35009	12-7-15	Tower Bros. Staty. Co.....	11 00
35010	11-20-15	Tower Bros. Staty. Co.....	12 75
35011	10-2-15	Hildenbrand Lithographing Co.	13 20
35012	1-5-16	The Business Press.....	74 00
35013	12-23-15	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc....	11 25
35014	10-20-15	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co....	12 00
35015	12-2-15	Clarence S. Nathan.....	2 50
35016	10-20-15	The Elsworth Press.....	3 75
35017	4-24-15	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc....	11 25
35018	11-8-15	Richardson & Foos	9 50
35019	11-3-15	W. G. Geety, Inc.....	3 25
35020	10-26-15	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	9 50
35021	12-3-15	West Disinfecting Co.....	10 00
35022	10-5-15	Eimer & Amend	1 50
35023	11-26-15	Paker, Stearns & Co.....	5 03
35024	10-5-15	Eimer & Amend.....	5 35
35025	11-9-15	Diack & Smith	34 25
35026		Adolph Jacobs	3 20
35027	1-28-16	Merck & Co.....	60 95
35028	11-3-15	Eimer & Amend	17 85
35124	7-23-15	C. H. Stoelting Co.....	8 19
35125	7-7-15	Dennison Mfg. Co.....	12 00
35126	11-9-15	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	5 50
35127	12-3-15	Clarkson & Ford Co.....	57 70
35128	11-16-15	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	3 00
35129	9-18-15	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	13 51
35130	11-3-15	American Felt Co.....	7 50
35131	12-20-15	A. B. Dick Co.....	84 00
35132	11-19-15	Tower Bros. Staty. Co.....	12 00
35133	12-3-15	The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.	13 50
35134	10-20-15	Eimer & Amend	3 50
35135	11-16-15	Eimer & Amend	10 50
35136	11-16-15	International Instrument Co....	17 00
35137	12-10-15	Church E. Gates & Co.....	4 32
35138	10-25-15	Eimer & Amend	2 16
35139	11-18-15	Elizabeth Stratford	185 25
35140	10-20-15	The Fairbanks Co.....	14 00
35141	10-20-15	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	2 97
35142	10-20-15	The Fairbanks Co.....	5 70
35143	11-5-15	Chas. Beseler Co.....	8 30
35144	9-30-15	Standard Scientific Co.....	6 00
35145	9-16-15	E. Machlett & Son.....	27 00
35146	12-28-15	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	8 80
35147	12-16-15	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	60 69
35148	12-16-15	Schichardt & Schutte	15 00
35149	11-30-15	Ginn & Co.....	40 00
35150	11-30-15	Allyn & Bacon.....	29 17
35151	11-30-15	D. C. Heath & Co.....	56 00
35152	7-3-15	G. Schirmer, Inc.....	9 38
35153	11-26-15	Edwin S. Crawley.....	14 40
35154	11-30-15	American Book Co.....	67 56
35155	11-20-15	Henry Holt & Co.....	16 00
35156	12-21-15	Milton, Bradley Co.....	5 00
35157	11-15-15	Narragansett Machine Co....	35 67
35158	10-20-15	G. E. Stechert & Co.....	20 55
35159	4-20-15	C. H. Stoelting Co.....	13 35
35160	11-8-15	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co....	20 03
35161	11-6-15	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co.	6 00
35162		John M. Fimian	4 00
35163	11-24-15	Crane & Co.....	40 43
35164	12-10-15	Stanley & Patterson	15 05
35165	10-28-15	Stanley & Patterson	3 30
District Attorney, New York County.			
34977	2-2-16	Columbia Graphophone Co....	\$198 00
34966		Chas. J. Corwin.....	13 00
34967		Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	12 50
34968		Economy Clean Towel Supply Co.	10 50
34969		Postal Tel. Cable Co.....	12 50
34970		Western Union Tel. Co.....	40 38
34971	1-31-16	The Banks Law Pub. Co....	157 75
34972	2-1-16	The Lawyers' Co-Operative Pub. Co.	6 50
34973		Benj. H. Tyrrel	122 10
34974		Jos. Russo	38 31

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34975	1-26-16	Frank Tourist Co.....	101 95
34976		N. Y. Tel. Co.....	1,291 52
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.			
35183	1-12-16	The Peerless Towel Sup. Co....	\$4 26
35184	11-9-15	Tinius Olsen Testing Machine Co.	225 00
35185	1-5-16	The Tabulating Machine Co....	1 87
35186	8-2-15	Baker, Voorhis & Co.....	1 00
35187	1-13-16	Independent Towel Supply..	5 00
35188	1-16-16	Standard Supply Co.....	4 50
35189	1-18-16	Eimer & Amend	10 62
35190	1-12-16	Sanborn Map Co.....	145 00
35191	1-28-16	George J. McFadden.....	13 44
35192	12-31-15	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	8 25
35193	12-31-15	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	2 75
35194		Katherine H. Yochman.....	34 45
35195		Mrs. Mathilde C. Ford.....	7 60
35196		W. Richmond Smith.....	12 51
35197		Sadie Wiener	1 90
Department of Education.			
34663	12-31-15	John H. O'Rourke.....	56 00
34664	12-29-15	Edward J. Belford.....	28 00
34665	12-27-15	Hall & Boyle.....	90 00
34666	1-30-16	Eugene Dietzgen.....	39 54
34667	10-13-15	Sheppard, Knapp & Co.....	25 65
34668	10-18-15	Sheppard, Knapp & Co.....	16 00
34669	3-18-15	Lord & Taylor.....	33 00
34670	12-20-15	Jas. I. Newman.....	164 00
34671	9-8-15	John F. Ferguson.....	197 00
34672	12-31-15	Henry Pearl & Sons Co....	4 50
34673	1-4-16	John Gelshion	20 00
34674	12-31-15	The Gibbons Co.....	18 00
34675	11-15-15	C. J. Doherty.....	160 00
34676	8-25-16	Finnan & Lee.....	207 00
34677		Ginn & Co.....	38 74
34678		American Book Co.....	13 45
34679		Wm. P. Youngs & Bros....	28 00
34680		E. W. A. Rowles.....	7 20
34681		The Macmillan Co.....	1 64
34682		Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	1 32
34683		D. C. Heath & Co.....	1 13
34684		Wm. Zinsser & Co.....	1 85
34685		Jas. S. Barron & Co.....	1 86
34686		Parker P. Simmons Co....	2 22
34687		Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Inc.	4 30
34688		Adolph Hauptman	62 90
34689		Peter Henderson & Co.....	27 00
34690		Jas. I. Newman.....	4 20
34691		Borough Hay & Grain Co....	149 00
34692		Naughton Mulgrew Motor Car Co.	8 77
34693		Naughton Mulgrew Motor Car Co.	2 44
34694		Naughton Mulgrew Motor Car Co.	40 50
34695		Brooklyn Lumber Co.....	

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34694 41207	Louis S. Gimbel.....	19 25	34806 1- 3-16	Philip Simberg	15 50	35096. 44171	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	841 05
34695 41343	Knickerbocker Supply Co..	67 18	34807 1- 7-16	L. E. Atherton	18 70		The J. W. Pratt Co.....	4,120 65
34696 41349	L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	30	34808 1- 4-16	Louis Imersheim	4 20	35055 1-22-16	S. J. Grayson	162 54
34697 41194	E. W. A. Rowles.....	75 00	34809 9- 8-15	Auburn Prison	17 75		Fire Department.	
34698 41721	Sherwin Cody	3 20	34810 1- 3-16	M. Kalmus	32 20	34723 37321	Frank J. Felgenhauer Co.,	
34699 41755	City History Club of N. Y.	1 05	34811 1- 6-15	J. Friedman	78 50		Inc.	\$875 20
34700 51753	Alexander Maloof	10 20	34812 1- 6-16	F. J. Kloes	7 60	34624 37491	John Hankin & Bros.....	45 74
34701 41754	Williams Map & Guide Co.	12 75	34813 1- 8-16	Walter J. Best, Jr.....	26 50	34625 42962	T. R. Thorn & Co.....	959 45
34702 41673	Parker P. Simmons Co., Inc.	45 00	34814 1- 6-16	Brooklyn Window Shade		34626 43551	Montgomery & Co., Inc....	10 86
34703 41724	Oxford University Press..	9 10		Co.	20 28	34627 43557	Knickerbocker Supply Co..	146 92
34584 11-26-15	A. B. Dick Co.....	18 00	34815 1-12-16	J. Friedman	41 00	34628 43741	M. D. Lundin	1,997 50
34585 9-30-15	American Distilled Water		34824 12-27-15	Library Bureau	91 00	34629 44110	J. W. Gasteiger & Son....	2,753 26
	Co.	3 84	34825 12-14-15	John Wanamaker	23 00	34630 44108	Frank J. Lennon Co.....	764 70
34586 11-17-15	Henry Moss & Co.....	2 24	34826 12-29-15	The Nelson Co., Inc.....	16 00	34631 43880	Long Island Wood Co....	7 08
34587 11-27-15	D. Van Nostrand.....	2 00	34827 12-20-15	Library Bureau	141 25	34618 42962	T. R. Thorn & Co.....	936 00
34588 11-25-15	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co..	7 30	34828	Hale Desk Co.	32 90	34619 44110	John W. Gasteiger & Son..	2,209 22
34589 11-26-15	A. B. Dick Co.....	1 00	34829 12-30-15	Heywood Bros. & Wakefield		34620 42965	John F. Schmadeke, Inc....	170 25
34590 11-27-15	Theo. Moss & Co.....	1 80		Co.	44 89	34621 43212	Chas. H. Reynolds	109 99
34591 12- 1-15	Gerry & Murray.....	2 15	34830 12-18-15	56 E. 116th St.....	42 60	34622 42949	J. E. Backus' Sons.....	106 35
34592 11-30-15	Peerless Manifold Book Co.	37 50	34831 1- 6-16	Arnold, Constable & Co., Inc.	40 80		Department of Health.	
34593 11-26-15	Theo. Moss & Co.....	44	34832 1- 8-16	Library Bureau	76 00	35100	Jos. Seeman	\$12 75
34594 7- 3-15	Kee Lox Mfg. Co.....	84 00	34833 1- 5-16	Cobb, Macey, Dohme, Inc..	30 25	35101	Borden's Condensed Milk	
34595 9-24-15	A. & W., Auburn.....	4 38	34834 1-10-16	John Wanamaker	4 15		Co.	68
34596 11-30-15	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	1 40	34835 12-30-15	Heywood Bros. & Wakefield		35102 8-14-15	A. Silz, Inc.	18 45
34597 11-23-15	Neostyle Envelope Co....	7 80		Co.	17 64	35103	P. Lawless' Sons	37 22
34598 12-14-15	The Cincinnati Time Re-		34836 1-17-16	Emil Wagner	69 00	35104 7- 6-15	The Lignun Chemical Works	2 00
	recorder Co.	3 75	34837 1- 7-16	Louis Imersheim	17 00	35105 12- 2-15	Lunnv & Handibode	4 00
34599 11-30-15	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	1 50	34838 9-30-15	The Manhattan Supply Co..	3 50	35106	Geo. Tiemann & Co.....	4 50
34600 11- 9-15	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc..	4 40	34839 12-29-15	The Nelson Co., Inc.....	56 00		Miscellaneous.	
34601 12-18-15	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc..	2 25	34840 1- 6-16	A. Weiss	22 40	34917	Bronx Parkway Realty Co.	\$8,436 12
34602 12-20-15	The Tabulating Machine Co.	53 00	34841 12-23-15	Bristol & Barber	3 30	34918	Bronx Parkway Realty Co.	25,234 79
34603 11- 6-15	The Tabulating Machine Co.	60 00	34570 9-25-15	Henry Moss & Co.....	3 15	34919	Esther C. Cully	2,797 50
34604 11-24-15	M. J. Tobin.....	142 64	34571 12-24-15	Hugh D. McGrane	9 00	34920	William J. Fawcett	1,481 22
34605 12- 9-15	Paul Baron	15 00	34572 10- 2-15	Gimbel Bros.	79 00	34921	Dorothea Kuttner	2,543 80
34606 11-29-15	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle.	1 35	34573 11-24-15	J. K. Krieg Co.....	17 85	34922	Albert H. Pentreath	1,702 34
34607 12-14-15	The Tabulating Machine Co.	12 04	34574 5- 8-15	Stump & Walter Co.....	6 15	34923	Meta Schmalleck	706 61
34771 12-15-15	George Murphy, Inc.....	121 25	34575 10- 7-15	F. N. Dubois & Co.....	65 96	34924	Harry Timbermann	1,256 71
34772 11-10-15	Fredk. Pearce Co.....	1 04	34576 10- 2-15	Bruce & Cook	103 01	34925	Bertha Kaufmann et al....	1,647 25
34773 10-14-15	The Brun & Hessling Co..	23 00	34577 10- 4-15	Manhattan Electrical Supply		34926	William Torpey	25,284 63
34774 10-13-15	L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	10 13		Co.	26 31	34927	Silver Tisch	1,278 80
34775 10-30-15	Eugene Lucchesi.....	25 00	34578 11-27-15	Abraham & Straus	17 86	34928	Charles A. Tier	2,328 52
34776 10-27-15	Hodgman Rubber Co.....	16 00	34579 7- 1-15	R. Wesley Burnham	15 30	34929	Davie H. Thomas	5,305 86
34777 10-22-15	A. G. Spalding & Bros....	13 25	34580 11-11-15	E. Steiger & Co.....	1 98	34938	The Chamberlain of The	
34778 12- 4-15	Chas. G. Willoughby.....	31 03	34581 12-39-15	Hugh D. McGrane	57 60		City of New York.....	500 00
34779 10-18-15	Patterson Bros.	53	34582 1- 3-16	Hugh D. McGrane	28 80	34939	Pauline Greenberg	650 00
34780 11-12-15	The New Home Sewing		34583 12-27-15	The Crowell Pub. Co.....	535 00	34940	Bernard Rentrop	584 44
	Machine Co.	1 16	34666	Marquard Fay Co., Inc....	443 00	34941	Ella F. Crook	1,000 00
34781 11-23-15	Manhattan Elec. Sup. Co..	4 20	34823 43010	Sargent & Co.....	865 70	34942	George Humphreys	352 68
34782 11- 4-15	Gimbel Bros., N. Y.....	70 00	34555 11-15-15	M. B. Brown P. & B. Co...	12 10	34943	Marcus Fink	1 05
34732 41201	Jas. S. Barron & Co.....	4 40	34556 11-27-15	Wm. Bratter & Co.....	81 85	34944	Marcus Fink	1,500 00
34733 41743	Jas. S. Barron & Co.....	266 99	34557 11-22-15	Monarch Manifold Book Co.	80 00	34945	Mary A. Young	1,171 74
	A. B. Dick Co.....	24 00	34558 10-20-15	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	98 00	34946	Samuel Beekman	1 36
	A. B. Dick Co.....	510 00	34559 12-11-15	M. J. Tobin	28 02	34930	Harres Wallerstein	754 02
	A. B. Dick Co.....	81 00	34560 10-19-15	Neostyle Envelope Co.....	3 20	34931	Charles Weiss	3,532 68
34734 41475	H. T. Dakin	20 60		Neostyle Envelope Co.....	6 26	34932	Robt. E. Walker	3,874 61
	H. T. Dakin	18 92	34561 11-22-15	Union Railway Co.....	33 21	34933	James Welton	729 12
34735 41192	F. S. Banks & Co.....	61 82	34562 11-24-15	N. Y. Consolidated R. R. Co.	15 00	34934	Harry Westfield	13,744 79
	F. S. Banks & Co.....	17 43	34563 11-24-15	The Brooklyn Heights R. R.		34935	George Widener	3,707 95
34736 41344	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	24		Co.	16 80	34936	Wellman Finance & Realty	
	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	12	34564 11-24-15	The Brooklyn Heights R. R.			Co.	1,216 73
34737 41496	Adolph Hauptman	13 57		Co.	108 00	34937	City Real Estate Co., as	
	Adolph Hauptman	7 57	34565 1- 3-16	Wm. C. Card	54 00		Trustee	6,463 82
34738 41161	J. B. Greenhut Co.....	96 08	34566 11-19-15	Long Island R. R. Co.....	307 40	34880	Croton Falls Constr. Co.,	
	J. B. Greenhut Co.....	48 03	34567 11-30-15	Arthur H. Etsch	65 55		Assignee of James Malloy &	
34739 41711	The Trade Press	25 65	34568 12-24-15	Wm. H. Van Nostrand	61 92		Co., or the Chamberlain of	
34740 41484	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	2 38	34569 12- 3-15	Chas. Kramer	19 00		New York	5 90
34741 41183	E. Steiger & Co.....	2 70	34816 43016	M. D. Lundin	450 00	34881	Harry Spitalink, as Infant,	
34742 41163	American Lead Pencil Co..	2 20	34817 43016	M. D. Lundin	328 00		by Jos. Spitalink, His Guar-	
34743 42775	Woldenberg & Schaar	104 23	34818 42298	John J. Long & Co., Inc....	334 50	34882	dian Ad Litem	644 33
34744 42775	Woldenberg & Schaar	71 00	34819 43755	Jas. I. Newman	477 00		The Eppinger & Russell Co.,	
34745 41672	Chas. Scribner's Sons	75	34820 41324	Thos. E. O'Brien, Inc.....	60 00		or Safford A. Crummeys,	
34746 41461	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	1 20		Thos. E. O'Brien, Inc.....	249 00	34879	Attorney	27 05
34783 11-29-15	Milton Bradley Co.....	15 00	34821 41107	Johnson Service Co.	450 00		Jane E. Larney, Exec., Jas.	
34784 11- 9-15	C. H. Congdon	9 00	34822 43577	Wells & Newton Co.....	5,400 00		F. Larney, Dec.	112 90
34785 12- 8-15	A. B. Dick Co.....	130 00	34608 1-15-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer		35325	A. Bryant Fisher	34 80
	Co.	36 40		Co.	46 97	35326	Police Pension Fund, A.	
34786 9-23-15	Bloomington Bros.	14 03	34609 6-26-15	Montgomery & Co., Inc....	10 67		Woods, Commissioner, as	
34787 10-25-15	Western Electric Co.....	16 70	34610 11- 4-15	H. T. Dakin	45 47		Trustee and Treasurer	107,500 00
34788 11- 3-15	Eugene Dietzgen Co.....	13 00	34611 10- 5-15	F. W. De Voe & C. T. Ray-		35286	Weinbros Real Estate Co..	797 50
34789 10- 7-15	Defiance Mfg. Co.....	3 00		nolds Co.	49 73		Weinbros Real Estate Co..	398 75
34790 11-17-15	Fred'k J. Bauer	3 00	34612 11-23-15	Stanley & Patterson	111 40	35287	Ollie Scheuer, as Assignee	
34791 10-14-15	American Type Founders		34613 12-13-15	Remington Typewriter Co.	162 00		of Fannie Strauss	562 50
	Co.	10 44	34614 9-30-15	Duparquet, Huot & Mon-		35288	Henry Heissenbittel	300 00
34792 11-16-15	W. L. Glidden	6 50		euse Co.	106 30	35289	Gilbert J. Sinnott et al....	412 50
34793 11-27-15	Abraham & Straus	3 96	34615 11-27-15	The Fairbanks Co.	16 00	35290	Lillie Welker	135 00
34747 12- 9-15	Flushing Auto Garage	2 76	34616 3-29-15	Lord & Taylor	5 22	35291	Philip Braender	500 00
34748 12-16-15	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y..	41 23	34644 10-30-15	Montgomery & Co., Inc....	22 05	35292	Antonio Cappello	120 00
34749 12-10-15	Gulf Refining Co.....	11 63	34645 11- 5-15	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	15 00	35293	E. Neufeld	120 00
34750 9-18-15	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y..	28 21	34646 7- 9-15	John Wanamaker	1 74	35294	P. J. Coppola	120 00
34751 11-23-15	Ford Motor Co.....	528 00	34647 9-23-15	Singer Sewing Machine Co.	164 67	35295	United Neighborhood Guild.	75 00
34752 11-18-15	Department of Correction..	267 00	34648 7-29-15	M. J. Tobin	26 24	35296	Frank M. Walsh	60 00
34753 7-30-15	Samuel Lewis	24 00	34649 3- 8-15	G. P. Putnam's Sons.....	1 50	35297	Mrs. A. M. Battcher	51 00
34754 11-12-15	Chas. Beseler Co.....	11 50	34650 9-16-15	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle..	43 50	35298	Herbert E. Williams, as	
34755 11- 8-15	Manhattan Elec. Supply Co.	22 92			1 09		Attorney	90 00
34756 11-19-15	Henry Moss & Co.....	32	34651 12-13-15	Rufus J. Suits	25 06	35299	Herbert E. Williams, as	
34757 12-13-15	J. E. Linde Paper Co.....	62	34632 10- 1-15	Dimock & Fink Co.....	5 00		Attorney	90 00
34758 12-15-15	Union Card & Paper Co....	8 90	34633 10-22-15	Jos. I. Grady	16 00	35300	Jamaica Savings Bank	105 00
34759 12-14-15	M. J. Tobin	8 19	34634 9-29-15	Montgomery & Co.....	38 00	35301	Peter Young	75 00
34760 11- 5-15	Henry Moss & Co.....	40	34635 11- 1-15	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	37 50	35302	Margaret Schmitters	150 00
34761 9-24-15	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	27 55	34636 11-16-15	Manhattan Elec. Sup. Co..	10 09	35303	Miss Julia D. Brown.....	237 50
34762 11-23-15	Library Bureau	1 10	34637 10- 5-15	A. E. Adam, Inc.....	8 00	35304	Mrs. Anna C. Becker.....	50 00
34763 12- 8-15	M. S. Cook	6 25	34638 9-14-15	The Pigot Sayre Co.....			Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.	
34764 11-17-15	The Tabulating Machine Co.	178 94	34639 10-19-15	American Type Founders				
34765 1- 1-16	The Engineer Magazine Co.	3 00		Co.	218 80	35375 1-29-16	Bruce & Cook	\$38 66
34766 9-14-15	Henry Moss & Co.....	2 40	34640 12- 3-15	S. Trimmer & Sons.....	23 75	35376 2- 2-16	F. Eckenroth & Son, Inc...	21 76
34767 11-24-15	Engineering Record	3 00	34641 9-24-15	Stanley & Patterson	18 40	35377 1-28-16	Paul Ayres Co., Inc.....	174 20
34768 12- 8-15	Krengel Mfg. Co.....	1 25	34642 11-18-15	J. A. Zibell Co.....	2 70	35378 1-31-16	Kasper & Koetzle	1 31
34769 12- 2-15	Peerless Manifold Book Co.	17 64	34643 10-12-15	Abraham & Straus	19 23	35379 2- 1-16	Dayton & Montgomery	3 70
34770 11-12-15	Union Paper Co.....	6 64	35056 40984	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	261 00	35380 2- 2-16	Charles Tisch	1 25
34794 12-27-15	M. Inkelas, Inc.....	78 00	35057 40984	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	425 00	35381 1-18-16	Jos. Ruppert	202 23
34795 12-27-15	Louis Guerr	22 00	35058 40984	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	455 00			

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35352	1-29-16 The Olmhausen Studios	9 00	35284	11-24-15 Richmond Hardware Co....	25 00	34403	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	117 50
35353	1-24-16 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	245 08	35285	9-30-15 Rudolph Hediger	35 00	34404	1- 5-16 The Fairbanks Co.	17 32
35354	1-18-16 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	51 45	35219	12-24-15 Crouch & Fitzgerald	10 00	34405	12-31-15 Duparquet, Huot & Mon- euse	21 25
35355	1-23-16 R. C. Williams & Co.	11 52	35220	12-31-15 Sing Sing Prison	5 50	34406	12-16-15 Thomas C. Dunham	114 11
35356	1-11-16 O'Neill's Picture Store	4 75	35221	12-20-15 Reliance A. C. Co.	10 67	34407	12-24-15 Hull, Grippen & Co.	1 48
35357	1-31-16 Library Bureau	21 60	35222	10- 7-15 J. C. Muller	8 60	34408	12-27-15 E. T. Joyce	5 20
35358	McCormick's	3 49	35223	12-27-15 Elmer & Amend	125 16	34409	Mercantile Warehouse Co.	5 04
35359	2- 4-16 Chas. A. Schieren Co.	12 42	35224	12-27-15 Underwood Typewriter Co.	76 13	34410	9- 1-15 Alois L. Hofaker	7 25
35360	1-20-16 John Van Ranst	22 00	35225	12-20-15 Diamond, Apperson Motor Co.	10 00	34411	11- 3-15 Municipal Garage	14 57
35361	1-29-16 The Studebaker Corp. of America	135 00	35226	12-29-15 Killian's Garage	6 00	34412	10-19-15 The Hospital Supply Co.	168 40
35362	1-20-16 Hudson Belting Co.	15 48	35227	12-31-15 Diamond, Apperson Motor Co.	1 50	34413	12-30-15 M. H. Hartmann	31 00
35363	1-21-16 Joshua Oldham & Sons	14 41	35228	11-29-15 Staten Island Supply Co.	7 26	34414	9-11-15 Wappler Electric Mfg. Co., Inc.	110 50
35364	2- 2-16 Hodgman Rubber Co.	7 85	35229	10- 7-15 Revolute Machine Co.	4 78	34415	11-15-15 George Tiemann & Co.	240 05
35365	1-19-16 Dept. of Correction	126 85	35230	11-11-15 Revolute Machine Co.	6 45	34416	12-31-15 Tascarella Bros.	196 00
35366	Norton & Gorman Cont. Co.	50 00	35231	12-20-15 Zorn & Schrengauer	7 00	34417	10- 7-15 Lillibridge, Weeks, Tuhr- low Co.	10 04
35367	John C. Grennell	32 50	35232	10- 8-15 The Standard Elec. Time Co.	37 50	34418	12-31-15 Library Bureau	5 85
35368	1-16-16 Saml. W. Cornell	6 67	35233	12-31-15 Seth Thomas Clock Co.	3 15	34444	12-28-15 Manhattan Hardware & Bi- cycle Co.	88 48
35369	1-21-16 Brooklyn Electrical Supply Co.	1 76	35234	12-20-15 Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Co.	89 00	34445	12- 9-15 The Empire State Dairy Co.	3,468 00
35370	1-22-16 Royal Eastern Electrical Supply Co.	2 66	35235	9-27-15 The N. Y. Multi-color Copy- ing Co.	2 40	34446	12- 8-15 The Empire State Dairy Co.	70 40
35371	1-18-16 The Barrett Co.	8 52	35236	12-27-15 The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Co.	180 60	34447	12-13-15 Shults Westchester Baking.	15 77
35372	1- 7-16 Ross & Snyder	241 62	35237	12-27-15 Jas. Thompson & Sons	228 81	34448	12-31-15 R. F. Stevens Co.	3,315 42
35373	1-31-16 Audley Clarke Co.	92 50	35238	12-27-15 Jas. Thompson & Sons	201 60	34449	12- 8-15 H. E. Stout Co.	319 48
35374	1-29-16 Fredk. J. Herr	16 80	35239	9-24-15 Patterson Brothers	54 45	34450	12-15-15 Nathan Strauss	2 20
35377	1-18-16 The Barrett Mfg. Co.	18 97	35240	11-30-15 Zorn & Schrengauer	25 00	34451	12-10-15 Richman & Samuels	104 91
35378	2- 2-16 Dickerson, Van Dusen & Co.	4 65	35241	12- 3-15 George C. Goelze	25 00	34452	3- 8-15 P. Lawless' Sons	2 97
35379	2- 1-16 J. Condon	102 50	35242	12-31-15 Gregg Bros.	6 04	34453	12-15-15 Jacob Boss	26 81
35380	12-30-15 Chas. Broadway Rouss	20 00	35243	12-24-15 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	9 34	34454	12-18-15 Fredk. Benders	16 67
35381	11-29-15 Alex. Taylor & Co., Inc.	106 80	35244	12-24-15 Webster Loose Leaf Filing Co.	5 50	34455	12-22-15 Burton & Davis Co.	67 50
35382	1-15-16 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	8 50	35245	Herbert Crabtree	5 00	34456	12-31-15 Chas. F. Matlage & Sons	250 72
35383	11-27-15 E. B. Latham & Co.	115 51	35246	12-30-15 Meyer & Schrader	21 00	34457	12-20-15 J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co.	87 75
35384	1-16-16 J. W. Gasteiger & Son	2 00	35247	12-30-15 The Hugh McRoberts Coal Co.	7 00	34458	12-28-15 Samuel E. Hunter	39 35
35385	Behren's Market	16 46	35248	12-20-15 Interborough Auto Repair & Supply Co., Inc.	12 00	34459	12-23-15 John Moonan	18 37
35386	1-31-16 R. F. Stevens Co.	13 95	35249	12-31-15 Staten Island Supply Co.	2 25	34460	12- 8-15 Levy Bros.	116 76
35387	1-31-16 F. Kindt Co.	45 00	35250	12-20-15 Staten Island Supply Co.	18 15	34461	1-15-16 Bacon Coal Co.	37 45
35388	Rudolph Reimer	93 75	35251	12-27-15 Staten Island Supply Co.	5 50	34462	12- 6-15 The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	12 00
35389	1-31-16 Thatford & Ackerman	94 03	35252	12-31-15 W. W. Cornell	22 50	34463	12-29-15 The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	424 35
Police Department.			35253	12-31-15 The Tabulating Machine Co.	72 00	34464	12-13-15 John Bellmann	112 36
35063	2- 7-16 Edward M. Morgan	\$346 80	35254	12-30-15 Jas. Thompson & Sons	67 50	34465	12-31-15 Jas. A. Miller	482 15
35093	Arthur Woods	3,111 50	35255	12-30-15 Meyer & Schrader	32 50	34466	11-30-15 Municipal Garage	58 93
35077	William Prantner	25 58	35256	12-30-15 Meyer & Schrader	52 00	34467	12-31-15 Abbott Mfg. Co.	45 00
35078	1- 5-16 Martin S. Owens	1 65	35257	12-30-15 Brady Bros.	50 00	34468	12-31-15 A. P. W. Paper Co.	157 50
35079	1- 5-16 Thomas Horan	1 65	35258	1-10-16 H. W. Koenig	10 00	34469	12-31-15 Jas. S. Barron & Co.	42 22
35080	1-19-16 William G. Kiers	4 50	35259	1-10-16 E. J. O'Connor	50 00	34470	12-30-15 Metropolitan Match Co.	47 00
35081	1-11-16 Patrick Flood	25 04	35260	1-10-16 E. J. O'Connor	33 56	34471	12-31-15 Chas. Zinn & Co.	66 00
35082	12- 9-15 Eugene A. Fallon	2 70	Department of Public Charities.			34472	1- 6-16 John Wanamaker	146 63
35083	1-10-16 Rocco Cavone	5 38	34479	11-30-15 John W. Sullivan Co.	14 40	34473	12-29-15 Jas. M. Shaw & Co.	88 93
35084	1- 2-16 Thomas Hughes	5 79	34480	1-10-16 The American Laundry Ma- chinery Co.	4 50	34474	12-31-15 Svndicate Trading Co.	870 25
35085	1- 3-16 Frank J. Batzing	7 00	34481	1-20-16 General Electric Co.	44 00	34475	10-16-15 Meinecke & Co.	14 70
35086	1- 1-16 F. A. Deller	2 00	34482	12-28-15 P. & F. Corbin	18 00	34476	12-27-15 Saml. Lewis	3 50
35087	1- 1-16 Peter Dressel	1 25	34483	12-10-15 Reedy Elevator Co.	21 00	34477	12-31-15 Bramhall, Deane Co.	234 46
35088	1- 4-16 Jos. Smyth	3 16	34484	1-11-15 Westchester Fish Co., Inc.	91 94	34478	9-29-15 Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison	836 30
35064	12-31-15 Edward M. Droleskey	43 75	34485	1-25-16 John Bellmann	1 00	34526	11-29-15 L. Barth & Son	27 03
35065	1-20-16 Charles A. Harden	13 55	34486	1-25-16 P. Lawless Sons	29 16	34527	12-27-15 Robt. Ferguson	51 00
35066	1-20-16 Patrick Kehoe	12 90	34487	The American Cotton Oil Co.	38 00	34528	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	399 54
35067	12-29-15 Donald J. Slattery	32 85	34488	1-18-16 B. Ackermann Co.	30 00	34529	12-15-15 Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	10 25
35068	12-29-15 William J. Cowden	32 90	34489	1-13-16 J. & J. W. Elsworth Co.	11 22	34530	12-27-15 Dept. of Correction	90 00
35069	1-20-16 James Vitale	4 45	34490	1- 3-16 Jacob Boss	7 51	34531	11-19-15 Lenz & Naumann, Inc.	3 50
35070	1-25-16 Robert A. Farrell	10 15	34491	1- 4-16 Westchester Fish Co., Inc.	177 04	34532	10- 1-15 Alois L. Hofaker	90 00
35071	1-20-16 John A. Wegge	1 55	34492	1-22-16 J. W. Pratt Co.	26 80	34533	12-28-15 B. H. Tangemann	34 00
35072	1-20-16 James Vitale	1 95	34493	1-21-16 Harral Soap Co.	20 47	34534	12-23-15 Morse & Rogers	484 40
35073	1-11-16 Thomas Caputo	1 01	34494	1-13-16 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	5 88	34535	12-17-15 The Manhattan Supply Co.	260 52
35074	1-25-16 Harry Horowitz	1 75	34495	1-13-16 Ahren & Randel	1 50	34536	12-21-15 Bloomingdale Bros.	122 71
35075	1- 1-16 Peter Guenther	1 75	34496	1-21-16 Department of Correction	3 52	34537	12-22-15 Abraham & Straus	10 44
35076	William Herbert	19 05	34497	1-13-16 John W. Williams	850 00	34538	12-23-15 Greenhut Co.	285 00
35089	12-31-15 Patrick J. Horan	17 13	34498	Hardman Tire & Rubber Co.	148 05	34539	12-20-15 Gimbel Bros.	3 51
35090	1-11-16 Western Union Tel. Co.	3 19	34499	1-15-16 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	2 40	34540	12-31-15 The Baker & Taylor Co.	13 12
35091	John P. Werle	4 75	34500	Hardman Tire & Rubber Co.	306 68	34541	12-27-15 A. G. Spaulding & Bros.	7 50
35092	1-11-16 Thomas Caputo	2 41	34501	1-15-16 The White Co.	4 22	34542	12-31-15 E. Steiger & Co.	14 39
President of the Borough of Manhattan.			34502	1-10-16 N. Y. Sporting Goods Co.	18 00	34543	10- 7-15 Hanlon & Goodman Co.	1 20
34987	12-20-15 Thos. A. Glendenning	\$27 38	34503	6-11-15 Crouch & Fitzgerald	15 00	34544	12-30-15 Knickerbocker Supply Co.	45 00
34988	11-30-15 The Crocker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	119 40	34504	1-14-16 E. T. Joyce	33 82	34545	12-27-15 E. T. Joyce	50 76
34989	7-31-15 M. Eberhart & Son Co.	46 76	34505	11-17-15 Abraham & Straus	86	34546	12-31-15 Henrici Laundry Machinery Co.	155 00
34990	E. A. Matthews	1,625 47	34506	12-17-15 Armour & Co.	153 58	34547	12-29-15 John Catillon & Sons	24 00
34991	11- 8-15 The Dime Savings Bank	523 00	34507	11-26-15 Richman & Samuels	26 34	34548	12-31-15 Alfred Chatwin Supply Co.	67 90
President of the Borough of The Bronx.			34508	Samuel Mindlin	20	34549	12-29-15 Peter Woll & Sons Mfg. Co.	135 75
35095	43200 Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc.	\$4,911 30	34509	12- 6-15 Rebecca Melicow	156 80	34550	12-30-15 Mercantile Warehouse Co.	42 96
35094	Wm. A. Prendergast	458 16	34510	12- 8-15 The Empire State Dairy Co.	64	34551	12-30-15 Kalt Lumber Co.	131 07
President of the Borough of Brooklyn.			34511	12-31-15 Nathan Strauss, Inc.	168 48	34552	1-18-16 Johnson Service Co.	96
35172	42919 The Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.	\$762 34	34512	12-31-15 J. D. Stout & Co.	863 04	34553	12-28-15 The East River Mill and Lumber Co.	23 50
President of the Borough of Queens.			34513	12-31-15 Jos. Seeman	171 94	34554	11-30-15 Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd.	154 00
34893	42985 V. S. Rittenhouse, Inc.	\$582 25	34514	12-31-15 Sulzberger & Sons Co.	36 00	34431	12-29-15 Peter Henderson & Co.	32 00
35305	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	421 97	34515	11-19-15 Jacob Boss	69 01	34432	M. Meyers, Inc.	4 75
35306	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	449 50	34516	12- 2-15 Borden's Cond. Milk Co.	61 45	34433	12-16-15 Royal Garage & Machine Works, Inc.	3 85
35307	2- 4-16 Heilbut & Kleefeld	35 00	34517	10-26-15 C. H. F. Jurgens	290 86	34434	12-31-15 Consolidated Packing & Sup- ply Co., Inc.	31 73
35308	2- 3-16 O. Erlandson	99	34518	11- 4-15 Brooklyn Bridge Freezing & Cold Storage Co.	85 21	34435	12- 1-15 Eugene Dietzgen Co.	47 72
35309	2- 3-16 O. Erlandson	2 99	34519	12-20-15 John Moonan	9 63	34436	12-31-15 A. P. W. Paper Co.	720 00
35310	2- 3-16 O. Erlandson	15 99	34520	11-28-15 John Schirmer	10 50	34437	12-24-15 National Oil Co.	33 08
President of the Borough of Richmond.			34521	11-30-15 Henry Romeike, Inc.	8 65	34438	12-30-15 Metropolitan Match Co.	47 00
35218	43526 O'Brien & Fleming	\$1,457 17	34522	11-30-15 Standard Oxygen Co.	130 95	34439	11-20-15 H. W. Johnsmanville Co.	5 40
35261	12-31-15 The Texas Company	30 98	34523	12- 8-15 The Deane Plaster Co.	15 00	34440	9-14-15 Manhattan Hardware & Bi- cycle Co.	31 55
35262	12-31-15 Frank Weber	50 00	34524	12-16-15 Fritzsche Bros.	16 40	34419	12- 3-15 John Greig	84 70
35263	12- 3-15 Albert T. Zorn	77 60	34525	12-18-15 Fairchild Bros. & Foster	7 20	34420	12-11-15 The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	23 50
35264	12-31-15 Globe Tire Co.	97 44	34388	12-29-15 L. Barth & Son	63 12	34421	12-30-15 The Miller Rubber Co.	22 50
35265	12-23-15 James Goold	5 00	34389	12-18-15 Clinton Prison	940 50	34422	12-15-15 Merck & Co.	172 81
35266	12-31-15 Castleton Motor Car Co.	3 75	34390	12-28-15 James M. Shaw & Co.	3 55	34423	12-15-15 The Norwich Pharmacal Co.	15 20
35267	12-31-15 Hayes & Coyle	27 50	34391	12-28-15 Jas. T. Dougherty	56 62	34424	12- 3-15 The J. W. Pratt Co.	36 00
35268	12-27-15 Andrew Jones	4 00	34392	12-10-15 Hodgman Rubber Co.	287 22	34425	12-17-15 Randall, Leopold & Co.	36 56
35269	12-24-15 Richmond Hardware Co.	34 53	34393	12-24-15 Hagerty Bros. & Co.	24 96	34426	12-20-15 C. D. Smith's Homeopathic Pharmaceutical Co.	119 05
35270	11-11-15 Summers Supply Co.	50 82	34394	11-16-15 Lehn & Fink	12 80	34427	12-30-15 Carbondale Calcium Co.	110 56
35271	11-11-15 Summers Supply Co.	51 04	34395	12-21-15 The Kny-Scheerer Co.	127 08	34428	11-30-15 Foster Scott Ice Co.	31 50
35272	11-30-15 Schutt's Brothers	25 00	34396	12- 4-15 J. E. Kennedy & Co.	9 64	34429	12-14-15 The National Ammonia Co.	91 25
35273	12- 3-15 James Goold	25 00	34397	12-28-15 The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.	10 43	34430	12-31-15 E. Steiger & Co.	8 44
35274	12- 3-15 F. H. Van Duzer	10 00	34398					

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Register, Kings County.								
34845	1-31-16 M. F. McDonald, Inc.....	\$10 00	34875	Village of Cornwall Water Works	5 77	35199	Village of Elmsford, Town of Greenburgh	234 80
34844	1-31-16 Great Bear Spring Co.....	18 30	34876	1-22-16 Vulcan Rail & Const. Co... ..	662 00	35200	Town of New Castle.....	190 60
Sheriff, Queens County.			34877	Westchester Ltg. Co.	2 00	35201	Town of Kingston, N. Y....	8 37
34898	Samuel J. Mitchell.....	\$205 89	34878	R. Young Bros. Feed Co....	83 90	35202	School District No. 4, Town of Garrison	56 21
Sheriff, Kings County.			34846	1-18-16 Olof Bergmark	996 20	35203	Town of Cornwall	257 86
34899	12-31-15 N. Y. Tel. Co.....	\$109 58	34847	1-5-16 Eureka Roofing Co.	180 00	35204	School District No. 5, Town of Olive	3,436 15
34900	10-26-15 L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-writer Co.	2 00	34848	1-15-16 Kelsey, Smith & Co.....	136 05	35205	Town of Hurley	3,357 45
34901	1-11-16 Matthew F. Meagher.....	25 00	34849	1-25-16 Adam Archinal	18 00	35206	Town of Olive	8,257 83
34902	1-27-16 Edward Riegelmann	45 61	34850	1-25-16 William Bratter & Co.....	13 75	35207	School District No. 2, Town of Marletown, N. Y.	5 61
34914	1-7-16 Stevenson & Marsters.....	2 00	34851	1-24-16 M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	5 75	35208	School District No. 5, Town of New Windsor, N. Y....	9 11
34915	1-4-16 Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co.	4 16	34852	12-1-15 Canfield Supply Co.	24 06	35209	School District No. 8, Town of New Windsor, N. Y....	57 88
34916	2-1-16 Holland Laundry	1 40	34853	10-6-15 The City of Yonkers, Bureau of Water	3 76	35210	School Dist. No. 4, Town of New Windsor	17 83
34894	1-8-16 Krengel Mfg. Co.....	14 91	34854	1-18-16 Coldwell, Wilcox Co.	12 53	35211	Town of Plattekill, N. Y....	76 71
34903	1-1-16 J. D. Books.....	19 29	34855	10-15-15 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	67 96	35212	Town of Woodstock, N. Y.	7 47
34904	2-1-16 Michael Braun	11 16	34856	1-18-16 Douglas Bros. Hardware Co., Inc.	5 65	35213	Town of New Palz, N. Y....	377 98
34905	Empire State Dairy Co.....	6 40	34857	1-18-16 The John Ellice Co.....	12 20	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.		
34906	1-31-16 John F. Farrell.....	53 49	34858	1-18-16 D. B. Fleming & Son.....	13 84	34956	1-3-16 Obrigg Camera Co.	\$9 91
34907	2-1-16 O. Fitter & Sons.....	76 49	34859	1-24-16 Church E. Gates Co., Inc..	39 83	34957	1-7-16 Saml. Lewis	20 84
34908	1-31-16 Metropolitan Hotel Supply Co.	14 10	34860	1-6-16 Harley Davison Sales Co..	5 44	34958	1-22-16 Vacuum Oil Co.	39 27
34909	1-31-16 Louis M. Moniz.....	66 80	34861	1-25-16 W. G. Johnston	7 75	34959	3-20-15 Indian Refining Co. of New York, Inc.	4 83
34910	2-1-16 Otto Muhlbauer & Co.....	13 50	34862	12-14-15 Lawson Motor Car & Garage Co.	20 56	34960	12-20-15 Topping Bros.	11 15
34911	1-8-16 The Brooklyn Citizen.....	6 00	34863	1-19-16 Lecouvier Press Co.	22 50	34961	12-31-15 Castleton Motor Car Co..	19 77
34912	2-1-16 Peerless Towel Supply Co.	3 70	34864	1-20-16 Edw. T. McGill	98 33	34962	6-18-15 U. S. Wood Pers. Co.....	42 00
Sheriff, Bronx County.			34865	1-18-16 Wm. Matern	3 00	34963	9-29-15 Frank G. Search, Jr.....	4 25
35311	Jandorf & Steiner	\$4 25	34866	1-17-16 National Lead Co.	2 49	34964	11-6-15 Fred. J. Dunekack	33 77
35312	12-31-15 J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co.	4 20	34867	1-17-16 The N. Y. Edison Co.....	2 10	34965	1-1-16 Rockville Centre Garage...	7 55
35313	1-13-16 Dr. Vincent E. Quin.....	83 33	34868	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	70 18	34947	12-9-15 John Simmons Co.	4 26
35314	9-16-15 Westchester Paper Co.	8 40	34869	W. L. Post & Son.....	6 81	34948	11-23-15 Alfred Chatwin Supply Co.	121 30
35315	1-3-16 Daniel McFadden	42 29	34870	1-29-16 The J. W. Pratt Co.....	369 23	34949	12-16-15 J. H. Hickey	17 55
35316	Henry Nimphius	72 39	34871	1-19-16 Rutherford Rubber Co.....	59 93	34950	3-12-15 Oil and Grease Co. of America	13 50
35317	Jos. McCarthy	11 80	34872	1-14-16 C. G. Swackhamer	42 75	34951	1-3-16 Merchant & Evans Co.....	47 00
35318	Jas. J. Hanratty	7 05	34873	12-31-15 The Geo. H. Tyrrell Co., Inc.	71 64	34952	12-31-15 Brooklyn Electrical Supply Co.	15 23
35319	Frank H. Becker	13 80	35214	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	4,315 00	34953	12-31-15 A. F. Brombacher & Co....	18 35
35320	Timothy J. Duane	3 10	35215	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	4 90	34954	1-1-16 Peter J. Donohue's Son....	59 18
35321	Roger W. Bligh	12 95	35216	The N. Y. Times	361 00	34955	1-1-16 S. W. Cornell	10 05
35322	Eugene O'Dell	8 55	35217	2-1-16 The N. Y. Press, N. Y. Press Co., Ltd.	266 00			
35324	Harry J. McArdle, Inc.....	62 80	35198	School District No. 9, Town of Marletown, N. Y.....	15 84			
Board of Water Supply.								
34874	1-25-16 Underwood Typewriter Co.	\$10 05						

Borough of Richmond.

Report for Week Ended January 22, 1916.

Public Monies Received—Restoring and repaving, special fund, fees, \$357.93; sewer inspection and repair, special fund, fees, \$55; special security deposits, materials on streets, etc., \$10; total, \$422.93.

Permits Issued—Permits to open street pavement for all purposes, 22; permits to place building materials on streets, 1; permits, special and miscellaneous, 17; total, 40.

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller—Payroll vouchers, \$17,768.74; contract vouchers, \$41.03; total, \$17,809.77.

Laboring Force Employed.

(Eight Hours Constitute One Working Day.)

	Bureau of Highways.		Bureau of Sewers.		Bureau of Street Cleaning.		Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.		Bureau of Engineering.		Total.	
	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.
Foremen	5	21	3	21	11	77	1	6	4	16	24	141
Assistant Foremen	1	7	1	7	1	7	1	6	4	16	1	7
Laborers	23	83	3	18	44	290 1/4	14	86	14	72 1/2	98	549 3/4
Carts	3	6 3/4	..	..	9	54	..	..	..	..	3	6 3/4
Carts (Hired) .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	54
Teams	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
Drivers .....	..	..	3	18	51	341	1	6	5	30	60	395
Sweepers .....	..	..	..	..	90	612 1/2	..	..	..	..	90	612 1/2
Hostlers .....	..	..	..	..	11	77	..	..	..	..	11	77
Steam Roller Engine-men	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Auto Enginemen .....	..	1	7	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	2	14
Sewer Cleaners .....	..	14	63 1/2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	63 1/2
Janitors .....	..	..	..	..	3	21	..	..	..	..	3	21
Janitress .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7
Female Cleaners .....	..	..	..	..	6	42	..	..	..	..	6	42
Mechanics .....	..	..	..	..	1	7	3	16 1/2	..	..	4	23 1/2
Stationary Enginemen .....	..	..	..	..	2	14	2	14	..	..	4	28
Stokers .....	..	..	..	..	3	21	4	28	..	..	7	49
Elevatormen .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	14	..	..	2	14
Total	34	113 3/4	24	127 1/2	223	1,501 1/8	37	240 1/2	24	125 1/2	342	2,108 3/4

Reinstated—January 15, James B. McInerney, 410 W. 50th st., New York City, Typewriter Copyist, at \$900 per annum.

Work Done.

Bureau of Highways—Repairing and maintaining roadways, curbs, gutters, bridges, crosswalks, culverts, ditches, etc.

Bureau of Sewers—Cleaning, examining and repairing sewers, basins, manholes, flush tanks, culverts, drains, etc., and miscellaneous work.

Bureau of Street Cleaning—Street sweeping, refuse collection, final disposition, clearing gutters, light macadam re-

pairs, weeding gutters and miscellaneous. **Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices**—Care and maintenance of Borough Hall, Village Halls at New Brighton and Stapleton, County Court House and Jail, County Clerk's Office, Coroner's Office, Special Sessions Court Room and Public Offices in Borough of Richmond.

Bureau of Engineering—Surveys, plans, design and construction of sewers, highways, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, etc.; also topographical survey and map of the Borough; miscellaneous surveying, maps, etc.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Report for the Week Ended January 22, 1916.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. **Orders Issued**—For supplies, 34; for repairs, 38; total, 72.

Bills aggregating \$10,802.27 were signed and forwarded to the Finance Department for audit and payment.

Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.

Complaint Department—Mail, 10; office, 20; Inspectors, 45; Police Department, 18. Classification and disposal: Boulders, 65; trees and limbs, 15; miscellaneous, 80 loads earth.

Inspectors' Department—Complaints made, 45; complaints settled, 89; slips settled, 345; permit slips returned, 117.

Permit Department—Permits: Plumbers' permits, 80; building material, 12; crosswalks, 11; special, 69; vault repairs, 1; cement walks, 1; driveways, 7; gas companies, 106; water companies, 31; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 16.

Cashier's Department—Monies received: Repaving over water connections, \$302.85; repaving over sewer connections, \$187.80; repaving over gas connections, \$4,141.15; repaving over electric light connections, \$6,228.26; inspection of work done by corporations, \$273.30; extra paving, \$69.25; C. P. B.—32, \$3,763.56; C. P. B.—32B, \$3,362.98; special paving, \$531.14; total amount received, \$18,860.20.

Commissioner of Public Works.

Contracts Awarded—(1) Repairing sidewalks on northeast side of Flatbush Avenue, between Malbone Street and Lefferts Avenue; Cropley Avenue and Bay 17th Street; 563 Gates Avenue; 572 Fort Greene Place; 323 Hancock Street; 355 Hancock Street; 103 Jefferson Avenue; 145 Jefferson Avenue; 169a Jefferson Avenue; 171 Jefferson Avenue; 174 Jefferson Avenue; 656 Lafayette Avenue; 308-310 Lexington Avenue; 546a Lexington Avenue; 192a Madison Street; 224 Monroe Street; 308 Monroe Street; 355 Monroe

Street; 432 Monroe Street; 502a Monroe Street; 528 Monroe Street; 470 to 478 Nostrand Avenue; 147 Hancock Street; 295 Putnam Avenue; 399 Nostrand Avenue; 282 Quincy Street; 268 Avenue T; 3710 12th Avenue; 4013 13th Avenue; 8821 17th Avenue; 1674 60th Street; C. J. Doherty, 616 49th Street, Brooklyn, \$586.50. (2) Repairing sidewalks in front of 34 Driggs Avenue; 755-757 Bedford Avenue; 898 Bedford Avenue; 31-33 Emerson Place; 595 Flushing Avenue; 802 Gates Avenue; 553-555 Hancock Street; 252 Havemeyer Street; 20 Hopkins Street; 22 Hopkins Street; 39-59 Hopkins Street; 558-580 Flushing Avenue; 554 Humboldt Street; 629 Humboldt Street; 686 Humboldt Street; 402a Kosciusko Street; 405 Kosciusko Street; 581 Madison Street; 32-34 Meeker Avenue; 463-57 Graham Avenue; 677 Monroe Street; 688 Monroe Street; 23 Moultrie Street; Noll Street, south side, 25 feet to 100 feet east of Bushwick Avenue; 123 Penn Street; 327 Van Buren Street; C. J. Doherty, 616 49th Street, Brooklyn, \$755.70. (3) Repairing sidewalks in front of 84 Berry Street; 163 Bedford Avenue; 169 Calyer Street; 1098-1100 Lorimer Street; 215 Calyer Street; 264 Eckford Street; 67 Havemeyer Street; 89 Havemeyer Street; 23 Hope Street; 121 Java Street; 110-112 Kent Avenue; 42 to 50 North 8th Street; 123 Meserole Avenue; 445-451 Metropolitan Avenue; 300-308 North 6th Street; 452 Metropolitan Avenue; 69 Noble Street; 117 Norman Avenue; 165 North 7th

Street; 183 Bedford Avenue; 218 North 8th Street; 121-128 North 9th Street; 130-6 North 9th Street; 213 North 11th Street; 237 South First Street; 356 South First Street; 114 South Third Street; 218-220 South Third Street; 231 South Fourth Street; 168-170 West Street; C. J. Doherty, 616 49th Street, Brooklyn, \$1,605.55.

Bureau of Sewers.

Monies Received—For sewer permits, \$541.60.

Permits Issued—For new sewer connections, 37; for old sewer connections (repairs), 17.

Work Done—Linear feet 6-inch house connections, 198; linear feet pipe sewer built, 269; total number of feet sewer built, 269; number of manholes built, 8; number of basins built, 1; number of feet sewer repaired, 75; number of basins repaired, 12; linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned, 129,675; linear feet of large sewers cleaned, 1,384; linear feet of sewers examined, 83,950 number of basins cleaned, 863; number of basins relieved, 2; number of basins examined, 1,158; manhole heads and covers set, 1; manhole covers put on (new), 56; number of basin pans reset, 6; number gallons sewage pumped, 26th Ward, 71,348,500; number gallons sewage pumped, 31st Ward, 52,348,440; cubic feet sludge pumped, 26th Ward, 48,416; cubic feet sludge pumped, 31st Ward, 25,607; complaints examined, 3; manholes repaired, 57; hoods and plates set, new, 4.

Laboring Force Employed.

	Stokers, Etc.	Inspectors of Construction.	Inspectors of Sewer Connections.	Foremen.	Stationary Engineers.	Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Horses and Carts.
Repairing and cleaning sewers ..	..	..	12	9	..	7	2	88	25
Street Improvement Fund ..	..	42	..	..	..	..	..	11	..
26th Ward Disposal Works ..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	13	..
31st Ward Disposal Works ..	10	..	..	1	9	..	..	19	..
Cleaning large B. B. & C. sewers ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	4
Gowanus Pumping Station ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	4	..

Bureau of Highways.**Work Done.**

Dangerous holes repaired and made safe, 99, temporarily.

At Asphalt Plant—286 boxes products.

Street Maintenance—1,090.8 cubic feet asphalt laid; installing heat for office and asphalt plant, plant repairs, repair auto truck.

Street Restoring—655.9 square yards asphalt laid.

By Repair Gangs—Square yards granite on sand, 336; temporary repairs, Broadway, 97; repairs gangs, total, 433 square yards. 6-inch concrete, 304 square yards. Removing pavement. Total number of

square yards of pavement repaired, 924. Square feet of flagging relaid, 103. Square feet of cement walk, 250. Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned by hand, 1,600 square yards. Sidewalk repairs, ash walks, 2,198 square yards. Macadam repaired, 168 square yards.

By Connection Gangs—Square yards granite, grade 1, 39; granite, grade 2, 117; granite on sand, 173; Belgian blocks, 9; asphalt blocks, 16; medina 6; macadam, 31; total repairs, 491.

Miscellaneous—1 cesspool built, bridge repairs, care of yards, miscellaneous trucking, repairing tools and equipment, cleaning miscellaneous streets, details, inspec-

tions, miscellaneous work not street work removing snow and ice.

Building Bureau.

Plans Filed—For new buildings, brick, 57; estimated cost, \$530,650; frame, 1; estimated cost, \$3,500. For alterations, 44; estimated cost, \$80,640. Cost of book slips, \$12,843. Cost of plumbing repair slips, \$857. Total plans filed, 102; estimated cost, \$628,490.

Unsafe cases filed and notices issued, 2; violation cases filed, 98; violation notices issued, 105; violation letter notices issued, 1; violation cases referred to Counsel, 63. L. H. POUNDS, President.

Department of Education.

Contracts Awarded, February 3, 1916.
Atlas Window Shade Co., Inc., 2172 Third ave., City, for furniture for new Public School 41, Queens; surety, American Surety Co. E. Rutzler Co., 404 East 49th street, City, for installing, heating and ventilating apparatus in addition to Public School 89, Brooklyn; surety, Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland. Schoverling, Daly & Gales, 302 Broadway, City, for furniture for addition to Public School 36, Brooklyn, and for furnishing general supplies; surety, Fidelity and Deposit Co. Johnson Service Company, 123 East 27th Street, City, for installing temperature regulation in new Public School 93, Queens; surety, Casualty Company of America. Paul Barn, 176 Park row, City, for furnishing general supplies; surety, Casualty Company of America. Poirier & Lindeman Co., 373 Fourth Avenue, City, for furnishing general supplies; surety, certified check on deposit with Comptroller. J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons, 705 East 11th street, City, for furnishing general supplies; surety, Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company. A. E. Newton & Co., 164 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, for furnishing general supplies; surety, certified check on deposit with Comptroller. Rauh Cutlery Co., 896 3d avenue, City, for furnishing general supplies; surety, certified check on deposit with Comptroller.

A. E. PALMER, Secretary.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Services Ceased—John G. Canning, Examining Inspector, at \$1,380 per annum, Auditing Bureau, Division of Inspection, Feb. 5.

ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

CONTRACT SUPERVISION.

Services Ceased—Hermann W. Mahr, Engineering Chemist, Central Testing Laboratory, Feb. 1.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Appointed—Isidore Aronowitz, 199 East Houston Street, Manhattan, Clerk, at \$300 per annum, Feb. 3.

Services Ceased—Peter King, Caretaker, Jan. 19; William H. Mullarkey, Laborer, effective Feb. 16.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Services Ceased—Louis C. Moger, Clerk, Bureau of Supplies, Feb. 5.

REGISTER, NEW YORK COUNTY.

Reinstated and Transferred—Joseph Jeromer, 313 Stanton Street, Manhattan, Verifier, at \$1,000 per annum, reinstated and transferred to Surrogates' Court, N. Y. County, as Index Clerk, at \$1,200 per annum, Feb. 4.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

Services Ceased—Lena Rosen, 860 East 161st Street, Stenographer and Typewriter at \$1,080 per annum, Jan. 31.

Died—Patrick Keenan, 2686 Eighth Avenue, Keeper of Menagerie, at \$1,020 per annum, Feb. 1.

Appointed—William A. Guthrie, 119 East 130th Street, Automobile Engineman, at \$960 per annum, Feb. 4.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Appointed—Clerks, \$300 per annum: Francis A. Waldron, Jan. 31; Joseph F. Gallagher, Feb. 3; Andrew Clarke, Feb. 4; Thomas F. Higgins, Feb. 9. Stenographers and Typewriters (temporary), at \$2.58 per day: Marie R. Magner, Ida Johnston and Wilma Flanagan, Feb. 1.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS
Appointed—Morris Fuchs, 105½ Lewis Street, Clerk, at \$300 per annum, Feb. 8.

DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Salaries Fixed—Tony Aliano, Foreman of Laborers, at \$3.50 per day, while in charge of working gangs, and \$4 per day while acting as Roundsman, Jan. 1; Geo. Oberst, Stoker, and Maurice Stack, Marine Stoker, at \$3 per day, Jan. 28; Terence Malone, Marine Stoker, at \$90 per month, Jan. 28.

Transferred—Laborers, at \$2.50 per day, to President, Borough of Manhattan: Vincenzo Tarangelo, Jan. 21; Frank Deady, John Gurrin, Edward Wheeler, Charles Fey, Jeremiah Haggerty, John Russell, Jan. 24; to Department of Street Cleaning: John Keenahan, Louis Santos, John

T. O'Rourke, Michael Riordan, No. 1, James Conroy, Morris Knopf, Stephen T. Churchill, John Cody, John A. Crotty, Jan. 24; James Galvin, No. 1, Feb. 1.

Services Ceased—Jan. 27, Laborers at \$2.50 per day: Frank Caggino, Frank Ettinger, John J. Fallon, No. 1, James Galvin, No. 1, Thomas F. Garvin, Robert Kane, John Kelly, No. 1, Peter Kelly, Cornelius Lamey, Thomas J. McNamara, Andrew J. Roach, Philip Shandley, James J. Smith, No. 2, William Walsh; Stokers at \$3.50 per day: James J. Walsh, John Brassel; Stoker, at \$3 per day: Denis Dougherty; Assistant Engineer, at \$1,800 per annum: Emil A. Nordstrom. February 3, Laborers, at \$2.50 per day: Michael Donohue, Jr., John M. Fink, John J. Fitzpatrick, Thomas E. Handlind, Michael Kenney, Hugh Lackey, Patrick Madden, Robert E. Murphy, No. 1, William Sheerin, Bernard Smith, Richard Whalen; Jan. 26: Moses Fox, Thomas J. Lynch, Boilermaker, at \$3.50 per day, Feb. 1.

Retired—Patrick H. Murray, Foreman Dockbuilder, on an annuity of \$708.

Died—Thomas F. Conway, Dock Builder, at \$4 per day, Feb. 3.



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Unless otherwise stated, the Public Offices of the City are open for business from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CITY OFFICES.

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City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt. John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor. Theodore Rousseau, Secretary. Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Municipal Building, 3rd floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Municipal Building, Telephone, 4315 Worth. Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Telephone, 4430 Worth. P. J. Scully, Clerk.

President of the Board of Aldermen.
City Hall, Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt. Frank L. Dowling, President.

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

ARMORY BOARD.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth. C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.

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St. George B. Tucker, Secretary. **BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.** 26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.

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Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

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BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.

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BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.
City Hall, Telephone, 7341 Cortlandt.

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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.

David Ferguson, Supervisor.
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Pier "A," N. R. Telephone, 300 Rector. R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

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

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General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.

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368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 336 Melrose. Brooklyn.

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

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

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

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Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth.

Harry P. Nichols, Engineer.
Bureau of Contract Supervision.
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Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

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Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.

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Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 3 o'clock.

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

Queens office, Municipal Building Long Island City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
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Bronx office, 391 East 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.

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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.

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Maurice E. Connolly, President.
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Calvin D. Van Name, President.
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Manhattan, Municipal Building—

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John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

66 Court st., Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main. James C. Cropsey, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 6988 Main. Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2830 Main. Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.

4560 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main. Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main. Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

John H. McCoey, Chief Clerk.**BRONX COUNTY.****COUNTY CLERK.**

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose. James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 7907 Melrose. Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9200 Melrose. Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont. John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

2808 3d ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturday to 12 m. Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont. Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont. James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose. George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica. Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica. Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point. Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.

County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 965 Hunters Point. Thorndike C. McKenna, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

302 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica. Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point. Paul Stier, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica. Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 23 New Dorp. C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SUBROGATE.

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

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

SURROGATE'S COURT.

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

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond, S. I. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George. J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Borough Hall, St. George, Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.

Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville. Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton. William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp. Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx. William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

First District—Criminal Courts Building. Second District—125 Sixth ave. Third District—2d ave. and 1st st. Fourth District—151 E. 57th st. Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan place. Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave. Seventh District—314 W. 54th st. Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx. Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 6th ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st. Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring. Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st. Second District—Court and Butler sts. Fifth District—261 Bedford ave. Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush. Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island. Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st. Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt aves. Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond. First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton. Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS. Criminal Court Buildings. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 m.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. **MUNICIPAL COURTS.** The Clerks' offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Board of Justices—James J. Devlin, Secretary, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard. Borough of Manhattan.

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

Second District—164-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard. Third District—314 West 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill. Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4606 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 East 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox. Seventh District—70 Manhattan 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 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester. Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn. First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main. Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg. Fourth District—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., Long Island City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point. Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick. Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond. First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. 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, Main 4280. Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.

Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville. Part V, 161st st. and 3d ave., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 9088 Melrose.

Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk. **CHILDREN'S COURT.** New York County—137 E. 22d st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk. Bronx County—355 E. 137th st. Court held on Wednesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose.

Michael Murray, Clerk. Kings County—102 Court st. Telephone, 627 Main.

William C. McKee, Clerk. Queens County—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Monday and Thursday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica.

Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk. Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Building, St. George. Court held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

William J. Browne, Clerk. **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 o'clock 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. De Bragg, Clerk. **SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.** Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

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

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

James F. McGee, General Clerk. **Queens County.** County Court House, Long Island City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part 2, February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.

Clerk's Office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 m. from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point. Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk. **BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 o'clock m., on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916, Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

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:

Furnishing and delivering forty (40) tons of stove coal as needed to the following buildings: County Clerk's Office and Court House, Richmond; Village Halls at Stapleton and New Brighton; Coroner's Office, New Brighton, and old Corn Exchange Bank Bldg., St. George.

Three Hundred (300) tons of Buckwheat coal No. 1 to Borough Hall, St. George.

Buckwheat coal to be delivered in 150-ton lots and stove coal in 2 and 5-ton lots. Each ton to consist of 2,240 lbs.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is from March to December 31st, 1916.

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, 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. Further information can be obtained at Room No. 18, 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 February 4, 1916. f10.23

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until three o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,200 CUBIC YARDS FINE PEA HOOK GRAVEL OR EQUAL THERETO.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be until August 31, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the amount for which the contract will be awarded.

A deposit of one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must accompany the estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Room 1004, Municipal Building, 10th floor, Centre and Chambers Sts., Borough of Manhattan.

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f10.24

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

SEALED BIDS AND ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until three o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916, Borough of The Bronx.

REPAIRING AND KEEPING IN REPAIR FOR SEASON OF 1916 THE MOTOR HORSE AND HAND LAWN MOWERS OF DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the completion of initial repairs is until April 20, 1916; for completion of whole contract November 1, 1916.

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Bronx.

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f4.17

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916, Borough of Queens.

FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FOREST PARK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH THE OLD MACADAM ROAD, ABOUT THE CURVE IN FRONT OF THE GOLF HOUSE TO THE POINT WHERE IT AGAIN CONNECTS WITH THE OLD ROAD.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be Fifty (50) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, "The Overlook," Forest Park, Richmond Hill, N. Y., or, on receipt of Thirty cents in postage, same will be mailed.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f4.17

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until three o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1916, Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) THREE AND ONE-HALF TON MOTOR TRUCK, AT THE STOREHOUSE, PROSPECT PARK WEST AND SEVENTH STREET, PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be ten (10) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the amount for which the contract will be awarded.

A deposit of one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must accompany the estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth Street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CABOT WARD, President; THOMAS W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f28.10

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO REPAIR THE LAWN MOWERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the initial work will be until April 20, 1916.

The amount of the security required for the performance of the contract is One thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Fifty Dollars must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Room 1004, Municipal Building, 10th floor, Centre and Chambers Sts., Borough of Manhattan.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. f28.10

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

Sale of Privileges.

3rd—A clause providing that during the term of the lease the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

4th—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease shall become the property of The City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any or all bids if deemed to be to the interest of The City of New York.

WM. R. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
February 7, 1916. f9,28

Corporation Sale of Real Estate.

Bryan L. Kennelly, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916,

at 12 o'clock M., at the New York Real Estate Exchange, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, Borough of Manhattan, the following described property:

ALL that certain piece or parcel of land situated at Lake Mahopac, in the Town of Carmel, County of Putnam and State of New York, indicated as a, b and c on map No. 10817-Z, on file in the office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the City of New York, and more fully described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the easterly side of the highway of Carmel, said point being the southeast corner of the lands of the City of New York; running thence north 83 degrees 9 minutes 10 seconds west 41.03 feet to the westerly side of said highway; thence still westerly and in the same straight line the following two distances: 43.66 feet to the high water mark of Lake Mahopac and 28 feet to the low water mark of said lake; thence north 10 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds east 256.86 feet to a point on the northerly line of the lands of the City of New York; thence south 68 degrees 38 minutes east 24.46 feet to the high water mark of Lake Mahopac; thence easterly in the same straight line 74 feet to a point on the easterly side of the highway of Carmel; thence south along the easterly side of said highway in the following three courses and distances: south 11 degrees 7 minutes 40 seconds west 51.97 feet; south 8 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds west 50.48 feet; south 3 degrees 55 minutes 40 seconds west 131.98 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 0.569 acre, more or less.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of Two thousand dollars (\$2,000). The sale to be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

No building other than a private boathouse shall be erected thereon, and that said building shall not at any time be occupied as a dwelling or lodging.

No toilets, privies, cesspools or any other sanitary conveniences shall be allowed in any building or constructed anywhere upon the property.

No nuisances shall be committed and no act shall be done or condition created or allowed to exist which, in the opinion of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, would or could result in the pollution of the water of the lake.

The grantee to have the privilege of drawing water from Lake Mahopac through a pipe of no greater dimensions than two inches (2 in.) over and across the premises to be demised.

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

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

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

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the office of the Department of Finance (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held January 12, 1916.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
January 28, 1916. j31,f17

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICES TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

FOURTH WARD.

GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACE AND CONSTRUCTING SIDEWALKS on the south side of NEW DORP LANE, between First Street and Tenth Street, and GRADING THIRD STREET, between Elm and Locust Avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 8, 1916, and entered on February 8, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Borough Hall, Rooms Nos. 15 and 19, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 8, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date

when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 8, 1916. f10,23

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 AND SECOND WARDS.

REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON RIKER AVENUE from Woodside Avenue to Kelly Avenue, and REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING KELLY AVENUE between Woodside Avenue and Anderson Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 1, 1½, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, 13, 18, 19, 22, 23 and 51 in Volume 3, First Ward, and Blocks 408 to 410, 430 to 441, 443, 445, 466, 467, 469 to 480, 519, 520, 523, 524, 525, 528 and 529 in the Second Ward.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments February 3, 1916, and entered February 3, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 3, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 3, 1916. f9,21

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

SECTION 5.

LINCOLN PLACE—PAVING, between Howard and East New York Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 1474 and 1476.

SECTION 12.

STONE AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, from Riverdale Avenue to Newport Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 3606 and 3828.

SECTION 17.

SIXTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Thirteenth to Fourteenth Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5726 and 5733.

SIXTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from Twenty-first Avenue to Bay Parkway. Area of assessment affects blocks 5536 and 5543.

SECTION 18.

SIXTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING, between Fifth and Seventh Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 5828 and 5829, 5844 and 5845.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Third and Fourth Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 5842 and 5850.

SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Tenth to Eleventh Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 5903 and 5914.

NINETEETH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Second to Third Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 6063 and 6080.

SECTION 19.

EAST THIRTEENTH STREET—PAVING, from Avenue O to Kings Highway. Area of assessment affects blocks 6759, 6760, 6775 and 6776.

—the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 1st, 1916, and entered February 1st, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Officerman Building, 503 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 1, 1916. f5,17

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

SECTION 1.

SIDEWALK REPAIRED AT 145 CHERRY STREET. Affects lot 73, block 250.
SIDEWALK REPAIRED AT 147 and 147½ CHERRY STREET. Affects lot 72 in block 250.
MADISON STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS

IN FRONT OF NO. 31. Affects lot 44 in block 116.

MONROE STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 94. Affects lot 48 in block 255.

MULBERRY STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 113. Affects lot 23 in block 206.

WATER STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 361. Affects lot 1 in block 110.

SECTION 2.

AVENUE B—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 175 at the northeast corner of East Eleventh Street. Affects lot 1 in block 394.
GRAND STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 76. Affects lot 59 in block 475.

JONES STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 9. Affects lot 77 in block 590.
EAST THIRD STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 293. Affects lot 59 in block 373.

WEST FOURTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 259. Affects lot 5 in block 612.

SECTION 3.

THIRD AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 583. Affects lot 3 in block 919.

EAST THIRTY-FIRST STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 320. Affects lot 51 in block 936.

WEST THIRTY-SECOND STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 142. Affects lot 64 in block 807.

SECTION 4.

WEST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 432. Affects lot 49 in block 1063.

SECTION 5.

EAST EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 116. Affects lot 64 in block 1511.

EAST NINETY-FIFTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NOS. 309 and 311. Affects lot 8 in block 1558.

SECOND AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 1627. Affects lot 25 in block 1530.

EAST NINETY-FIFTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS. Affects lot 7 in block 1558.

SECTION 6.

MADISON AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 1659. Affects lot 53 in block 1616.

PARK AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 1268. Affects lot 39 in block 1603.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 411. Affects lot 7 in block 1811.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 245. Affects lot 20 in block 1790.

SECTION 7.

LENOX AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 185. Affects lot 30½ in block 1904.

WEST NINETY-SIXTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NOS. 329, 335. Affects lot 3 in block 1887.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 271, at the northeast corner of Eighth Avenue. Affects lot 1 in block 1932.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—SIDEWALK REPAIRS IN FRONT OF NO. 322. Affects lot 20 in block 1953.

SIDEWALK REPAIRS ON BLOCK BOUNDED BY ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND EDGEcombe AVENUE, WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET. Affects lot 1 in block 2048.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 1, 1916, and entered February 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 1, 1916. f5,17

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:

FOURTH WARD.

SEWER IN MARYLAND AVENUE, FROM TOMPKINS AVENUE TO FOXHILL TERRACE, and a sanitary sewer connection from Tompkins Avenue east about 60 feet to the existing sewer in Maryland Avenue. Area of assessments affects plot 5.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 1, 1916, and entered on February 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Borough Hall, Rooms Nos. 15 and 19, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 1, 1916. f5,17

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.

CRESCENT STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Newtown and Flushing Avenues. Area of Assessments affects blocks 56, 83, 121, 122, 136 and 137.

FRANKLIN STREET—LAYING SIDEWALKS between Van Aist Avenue and Woolsey Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 54, 55, 155 and 175.

HARRIS AVENUE—PAVING, from Vernon Avenue to Crescent Street and from Prospect Street to Jackson Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 116 to 129, 132 to 139, 143 to 146, 161 to 168, 170 and 171.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—REGULATING AND PAVING, from Grand Avenue to Newtown Road. Area of assessment affects blocks 182, 183, 190 and 191.

TWELFTH AVENUE—REGULATING AND PAVING, from Grand Avenue to Jamaica Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 190, 191, 202 and 203.

SECOND WARD.

DEKALB AVENUE—SEWER, from Seneca Avenue to Onderdonk Avenue. Area of assessment affects block 2439 and 2440.

FENCING LOTS on the northerly corner of FAIRVIEW AVENUE and BLEEKER STREET and on the westerly corner of HIMROD STREET and SENECA AVENUE. Area of assessment affects lot 31 in block 2447 and lot 1 in block 2523.

FENCING LOTS (both sides), GREENE AVENUE, between Seneca and Cypress Avenues. Area of assessment affects block 2449 and 2453.
STEPHEN STREET—REGULATING AND PAVING, ETC., from Wyckoff Avenue to Seneca (Covert) Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 2843, 2844, 2846 and 2847.

GRAND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS from the main line of the Long Island Railroad to Old Flushing Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 1521, 1522, 1559, 1560, 1561, 1562, 1587, 1596, 1597, 1599, 1600, 1601, 1602, 1605, 1606, 1607, 1608, 1613, 1615, 1619, 1620, 1624, 1625, 1626, 1633, 1634, 1635, 1640, 2154, 2158, 2161, 2166, 2174, 2175, 2189, 2193, 2194, 2329, 2330, 2332, 2336, 2337, 2401, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407 and 2421.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors February 1, 1916, and entered February 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 1, 1916. f5,17

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named place in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

SECOND WARD.

TOWNS PLACE—OPENING from Laurel Hill Avenue to Packard Street. Confirmed December 31, 1915; entered February 2, 1916. 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.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Towns place and by the prolongations of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place; on the east by a line midway between Packard street and Bliss street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Towns place and by the prolongations of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Towns place, and on the west by a line midway between Maden street and Laurel Hill Avenue.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon

of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 3, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 2, 1916. f4,16

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 12, 14 AND 15.

HEGEMAN AVENUE—OPENING between East Ninety-eighth Street and New Jersey Avenue. Confirmed December 22, 1915. Entered February 2, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between Hegeman Avenue and Lott Avenue with the easterly line of East Ninety-eighth Street and running eastwardly, along the said line midway between Hegeman Avenue and Lott Avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Hegeman Avenue and New Lots Avenue, through that portion of their length east of Louisiana Avenue; thence eastwardly along the line last described midway between Hegeman and New Lots Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Vermont Street and Wyona Street; thence southwardly along a line midway between Vermont Street and Wyona Street, to the intersection with a line midway between Hegeman Avenue and Vienna Avenue; thence westwardly along the line last described midway between Hegeman and Vienna Avenue, to the intersection with the easterly side of East Ninety-eighth Street; thence westwardly at right angles to the line of East Ninety-eighth Street to a point midway between East Ninety-eighth Street and Rockaway Parkway; thence northwardly and midway between East Ninety-eighth Street and Rockaway Parkway to the intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the line of East Ninety-eighth Street and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; thence eastwardly to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 3, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 2, 1916. f4,16

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named streets and avenues in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 18 AND 19.

OPENING AND EXTENDING OF SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth Avenue to Thirteenth Avenue; **OVINGTON AVENUE**, from Stewart Avenue to Seventh Avenue; and **SEVENTIETH STREET**, from Seventh Avenue to Eleventh Avenue. Confirmed December 22, 1915. Entered February 1, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Stewart Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Stewart Avenue, with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ovington Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ovington Avenue, and running thence eastwardly and parallel with Ovington Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Bay Ridge Avenue and Seventieth Street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Bay Ridge Avenue and Seventieth Street and the prolongation of said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Eleventh Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Seventieth Street and Seventy-first Street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Seventieth Street and Seventy-first Street to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Thirteenth Avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Thirteenth Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between

Seventy-first Street and Seventy-second Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Seventy-first Street and Seventy-second Street and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, thence northwardly and parallel with Eighth Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Seventieth Street and Seventy-first Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Seventieth Street and Seventy-first Street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Ovington Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ovington Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Ovington Avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line parallel with Stewart Avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Stewart Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

BAY TENTH STREET, OPENING, from Eighty-sixth Street to Bath Avenue, and **CROSEY AVENUE, OPENING**, from Fourteenth Avenue to Fifteenth Avenue. Confirmed December 30th, 1915. Entered February 1st, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated and being in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the northeast by a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Eighty-sixth Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Eighty-sixth Street; on the southeast by a line midway between Bay Tenth Street and Bay Eleventh Street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the southwest by a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Bath Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bath Avenue, and the northwest by a line midway between Bay Tenth Street and Fifteenth Avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line.

2. Bounded on the northeast by a line distant 350 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Crosey Avenue as laid out between Fourteenth Avenue and Bay Seventh Street, said distance being measured at right angles to Crosey Avenue and by the prolongation of the said line; on the southeast by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Fifteenth Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fifteenth Avenue; on the southwest by a line distant 350 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Crosey Avenue as laid out between Fourteenth Avenue and Bay Seventh Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the said line, and on the northwest by a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Fourteenth Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fourteenth Avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line.

The above entitled assessments were entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

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WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 1, 1916. f4,16

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenue in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

SECOND WARD.

JUNIPER AVENUE—OPENING, from Metropolitan Avenue to Grand Street. Confirmed December 7, 1915; entered January 27, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying 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 at the intersection of the southerly line of Grand Street with a line parallel to and distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly line of Juniper Avenue, running thence southerly along the said last mentioned line parallel to and always distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly line of Juniper Avenue to the intersection with the northerly line of Metropolitan Avenue; thence easterly along the northerly line of Metropolitan Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 200 feet easterly and parallel with the easterly line of Juniper Avenue, running thence northerly along said last mentioned line always parallel to and distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Juniper Avenue to the intersection with the southerly line of Grand Street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Grand Street to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, January 27, 1916. j31,f10

Corporation Sales of Buildings and Appurtenances Thereto on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated on the blocks bounded by Lorraine, Henry, Bay and Clinton Streets, 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 January 12, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1916,

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. All structures and fences located on what is known as "Edison Field," on the property bounded by Lorraine, Henry, Bay and Clinton Streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, comprising three grandstands, clubhouse, flagpole, railings, backstops, outhouses, small trees and the fence surrounding the property.

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 10th day of February, 1916, 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 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 February 10, 1916, and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 3, 1916. f5,10

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for school purposes, in the

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the rear building on the plot on the northerly side of West 20th Street, 275 feet west of Eighth Avenue, known as 319 West 20th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held January 26, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916,

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1: The three-story brick building on the rear of lot at No. 319 West 20th St., Manhattan.

The excavation remaining after the removal of this building must be filled up to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth or other substantial material covered with earth leveled off.

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 11.00 a. m. on the 17th day of Feb., 1916, 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 February 17, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, January 25, 1916. j31,f17

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

Borough of Queens.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., on the plot of ground bounded by Barclay Street, Hoyt Avenue, Ditmars Avenue, and the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Borough of Queens, 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held January 26, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916,

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

PARCEL NO. 1: Two-story frame house No.

43 Barclay Street.

PARCEL NO. 2: Two-story frame house No.

45 Barclay Street.

PARCEL NO. 3: Two-story frame house No.

47 Barclay Street.

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 11.00 a. m. on the 16th day of Feb., 1916, 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 February 16, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, January 25, 1916. j29,f16

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids a certain building standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for dock purposes, in the

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the two-story brick "L" extension to the office and storehouse building on the marginal street area adjacent to the northerly side of West 56th Street, North River, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held January 26, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916,

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1: The two-story brick "L" extension to office and storehouse building on the northerly side of West 56th Street and west of 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly prolongation of the northerly side of West 56th Street, distant about 10 feet east of the established bulkhead line, which point is the southwesterly corner of the 2-story brick "L" extension

sion to the 2-story brick office and storehouse building located on the northwesterly corner of West 56th Street and 12th Avenue; running thence northerly and along the westerly face of said "L" extension a distance of 49.9 feet to the northwesterly corner of said extension; thence easterly and along the northerly side of said extension a distance of 90.15 feet to the westerly side of the 2-story brick office and storehouse building above referred to; thence southerly and along the westerly face of the fire wall separating the above said office and warehouse building from the said "L" extension to same now being described, a distance of about 50 feet to the southerly side of said building; thence westerly and along the southerly side of said building a distance of about 90 feet to the point or place of beginning.

This building is to be entirely demolished and all debris removed from the premises within fifteen days from the date of sale.

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 11.00 a. m. on the 15th day of Feb., 1916, 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 formalities 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 February 15, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, January 27, 1916. j28,f15

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:
Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.
When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

Construction.
One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount, as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Paving.

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

January 1, 1914.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of the Queens Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of October 19th, Dec. 7, 1915, Jan. 18, 1916, has been continued to

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1916,
at ten o'clock A. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the third floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j24,f29

Notice of Continuation of the Manhattan Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan as to the liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of August 26th, 1915, Oct. 7, Nov. 18, 1915, and January 6, 1916, has been continued to

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916,
at 2 P. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fifth floor of the Municipal Building (room 512), Manhattan, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j10,f17

Notice of Continuation of Richmond Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes on the Real Estate of Corporations and Special Franchises, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of July 7 and July 21, August 4, Aug. 18, Sept. 1, Sept. 15, Sept. 29, Oct. 13, 1915, Dec. 15, 1915, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916,
at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 129 in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j18,f16

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MARCH 1, 1916, on registered and coupon bonds and stock of The City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on

that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 847 in the Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., in the Borough of Manhattan).

The coupons that are payable in New York or London for the interest due on March 1, 1916, on Corporate Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day at the option of the holders thereof either at the office of the Comptroller (Room 847, in the Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City), in United States currency, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable March 1, 1916, will be closed from February 15th to March 1st, 1916. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 15th, 1916. j15,m1

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Department of Public Charities, Department of Correction, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per pound, yard or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the specifications. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. f2,15

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at his office, third floor, Borough Hall, 5th Street and Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, until 11.00 A. M. on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1916,
NO. 1: FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN YAR-MOUTH STREET FROM JAMAICA AVENUE TO ASHLAND STREET, FOURTH WARD.

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

392 Lin. Ft. 24-inch Vitrified pipe sewer,
370 Lin. Ft. 15-inch Vitrified pipe sewer,
545 Lin. Ft. 12-inch Vitrified pipe sewer,
11 Manholes, complete,
18 Lin. Ft. 12-inch Vitrified pipe for basin connections.

22 Spurs on 24-inch Vitrified pipe sewer.
20 Spurs on 15-inch Vitrified pipe sewer.
27 Spurs on 12-inch Vitrified pipe sewer.
120 Lin. Ft. 6-inch Vitrified pipe for house connection drains.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be forty (40) working days.
The amount of security required will be Seventeen Hundred (\$1,700.00) Dollars.

NO. 2: FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES ON DITMARS AVENUE: AT THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF GRAND AVENUE; AT THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LYON AVENUE, AND AT THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF BANKS AVENUE, SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

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

1 Single receiving basin, complete.
2 Double receiving basins, complete.
130 Lin. Ft. 12-inch Vitrified sewer pipe for basin connections.

50 Lin. Ft. 10-inch Vitrified sewer pipe for basin connections.
1 24" x 12" Y-branch,
1 20" x 12" Y-branch,
1 12" x 12" Y-branch.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.
The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Twenty-five (\$425.00) Dollars.

NO. 3: FOR CONSTRUCTING PARK INLET BASIN ON THE SOUTHERLY INTERSECTION OF FAIRVIEW AVENUE AND RAYSIDE PLACE, FIFTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

1 Park inlet basin, complete.
20 Lin. Ft. 8-inch Vitrified pipe for basin connection.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be five (5) working days.
The amount of security required will be Thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, per linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated February 9th, 1916.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at Third Floor, Borough Hall, Fifth Street and Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, until 11 o'clock A. M. on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916,
NO. 1.—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES 880 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL AS FOLLOWS:

Queens County Court House, 450 gross tons of broken coal.
St. Marys Lyceum, L. I. City, 50 gross tons of broken coal.

Interior Bath, L. I. City, 100 gross tons of stove coal.

Borough Hall, L. I. City, 75 gross tons of stove coal.

Town Hall, Flushing, 70 gross tons of stove coal.

Town Hall, Jamaica, 20 gross tons of stove coal.

County Building, Jamaica, 100 gross tons of stove coal.

Magistrates' Court, Far Rockaway, 15 gross tons of stove coal.

Time allowed for the delivery of the coal and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 2.—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING 300 GROSS TONS OF SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL (LUMP) TO THE FAR ROCKAWAY AND AQUEDUCT CREMATORIES AS FOLLOWS:

Crematory No. 4, Remsen Avenue, Far Rockaway, 120 gross tons.

Crematory No. 5, Bergens Landing, Old South Road, Aqueduct, 180 gross tons.

Time allowed for the delivery of the coal and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 3.—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 600 GROSS TONS OF SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL (RUN OF MINE) TO THE FAR ROCKAWAY DISPOSAL PLANT, FIFTH WARD.

Time allowed for the delivery of the coal and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per gross ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

Dated February 4th, 1916. f4,16

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, from

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1916, TO WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916,

for the position of

PROOFREADER.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Practical test as Compositor, 2; 70% required. Duties, 5; 75% required. Arithmetic, 1; Experience, 2. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will precede the practical test.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

The duties paper will include: Proofreading; correction of involved phrases; punctuation, etc.; casting of tabular matter and report.

Requirements: Candidates must have had five years' experience as a Proofreader in book, job or newspaper printing.

There is one vacancy in the Police Department at \$25.00 a week.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on 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.

f7,23 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1916, TO WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916,

for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT OF INDUSTRIES, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required; Written examination on Duties, 4; 70% required; Oral Examination, 2; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

Duties: The person selected as a result of the examination will be in charge of all prison industries of the Department of Correction carried on in the Penitentiary and the Workhouse on Blackwell's Island, and the branch workhouses on Riker's Island and Hart's Island, the New York City Reformatory and the New Hampton Farm for Male Misdemeanants. These include at present printing and the manufacture of clothing, shoes, knit underwear, upholstery, bed springs, cement blocks, brooms and mattresses. He will be expected to recommend the establishment of new forms of industry suitable for prison labor under the restrictions fixed by law.

He will be required to assist in the purchase of the necessary materials, to pass upon their quality and to work up a market for the output of the industries of the department. There are approximately 4,000 inmates in the various institutions named.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of experience in responsible executive positions in business organizations, manufacturing plants, or prison industries tending to qualify them for the duties of the position. Mechanical training is desirable. Prison industrial experience is desirable, but not essential.

There is one vacancy—\$3,000 annually, with

out maintenance, but maintenance may be furnished later.

Candidates must be not less than 25 years of age on the last day of filing applications.

Arrangements have been made with the Department of Correction so that candidates who qualify in experience will have an opportunity of visiting the various institutions if they so desire, and they may also obtain a copy of the annual report upon application to that Department.

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.

f1,16 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1916, TO TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916,

for the position of

CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER, MALE, CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 4; 70% required. Oral, 2; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, form C, with insert.

Duties: The duties of the Chief Probation Officer, City Magistrates' Courts, are to supervise the work of the thirty-two Probation Officers employed in the City Magistrates' Courts, and to direct, improve and be responsible to the Magistrates for the entire probation work of the City Magistrates' Courts in the five boroughs of the City.

Requirements: Candidates must have had not less than one year of social service experience in an executive capacity, or its equivalent.

Candidates must be at least 25 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary is \$3,600 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.

j31,f15 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Cor. of Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916,

FOR FURNISHING ALL MATERIAL AND LABOR REQUIRED FOR THE EQUIPMENT OF THE VARIOUS POWER PLANTS IN OPERATION AT THE VARIOUS HOSPITALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WITH BLOWERS, ENGINES, AIR DUCTS, GRATE BARS AND CERTAIN SUPPLIES AND WORK TO REPAIR BRICKWORK IN BOILER FURNACES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 2½ per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on each of Items A, B and C.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southeast corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President;

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary. f2,15

Feb. 2, 1916.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916,
NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,500 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND.

The time allowed for the entire performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The points of delivery will be as called for in the contract.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 18,000 BAGS OF PORTLAND C

The time allowed for the entire performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The point of delivery will be as called for in the contract.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,500 CUBIC YARDS OF COARSE AGGREGATE FOR CONCRETE.

The time allowed for the entire performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The points of delivery will be as called for in the contract.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 400,000 WOOD PAVING BLOCKS.

The time allowed for the entire performance of the contract is until December 31, 1916.

The points of delivery will be as called for in the contract.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Borough of Manhattan. MARCUS M. MARKS, President. Dated February 10, 1916. f10.23

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES (IRON CASTINGS):

ITEM NO. 1. 600 HEADS FOR RECEIVING BASINS, TOTAL MAXIMUM WEIGHT 50,400 POUNDS.

ITEM NO. 2. 400 MANHOLE HEADS FOR ROADWAY, TOTAL MAXIMUM WEIGHT 200,000 POUNDS.

ITEM NO. 3. 100 COVERS FOR MANHOLE ROADWAY, TOTAL MAXIMUM WEIGHT 15,000 POUNDS.

ITEM NO. 4. 70 COVERS FOR RECEIVING BASINS, TOTAL MAXIMUM WEIGHT 6,650 POUNDS.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before November 30, 1916.

The amount of security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

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

The required deliveries in amount will be as follows:

All or any part of the following to be delivered to the Bureau of Sewers' Corporation Yard at Madison and Birmingham Streets, under the Manhattan Bridge, Borough of Manhattan, New York City:

Item No. 1. 300 CASTINGS.

Item No. 2. 250 CASTINGS.

Item No. 3. 50 CASTINGS.

Item No. 4. 35 CASTINGS.

All or any part of the following to be delivered to the Bureau of Sewers' Corporation Yard at 90th Street and East River, Borough of Manhattan, New York City:

Item No. 1. 300 CASTINGS.

Item No. 2. 150 CASTINGS.

Item No. 3. 50 CASTINGS.

Item No. 4. 35 CASTINGS.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be had and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2109, Bureau of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Feb. 7, 1916. f17.18

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at his office, Room 1247, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 55 SETS OF SINGLE TRUCK HARNESS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 sets in 30 days, balance in 60 days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30% of the amount of the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. f10.23

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1245, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,500 GALVANIZED IRON ASH CANS.

The time for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 500 cans in 30 days, 1,000 cans in 60 days, and remainder in 90 days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIV-

ERING 10,000 YARDS OF TICKING FOR HORSE COLLARS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 5,000 yards in 30 days and balance in 60 days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 SCRAPER HANDLES AND 5,000 PUSH BROOM HANDLES.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 25 per cent. in 30 days; 50 per cent. in 45 days and balance in 60 days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids must be submitted in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per can, yard or per handle, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder; on contract No. 3, awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Room 1247, Municipal Building.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. f21.4

Dated January 28, 1916. f21.4

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1247, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MALLEABLE IRON "T" CASTINGS AND CLAMPS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder, on the total for both items.

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

Blank forms, drawings and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Room 1247, Municipal Building.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. f21.4

Dated January 28, 1916. f21.4

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

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections at Room 1840, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 M. on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY, PRINTING AND SUPPLIES FOR SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION, APRIL 4, 1916.

The work must be begun within five (5) days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller, and must be entirely completed on or before the expiration of thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

Delivery will be required to be made at the various police stations or other points, as desired, in the City at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained and samples may be seen at the office of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, Room 1840, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated, New York, February 7, 1916.

EDWARD F. ROYLE, MOSES M. McKEE, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON, Commissioners of Elections. f7.21

S. HOWARD COHEN, Chief Clerk. f7.21

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 240 Centre st., for the following property now in custody, without claimants:

Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners, or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 72 Poplar st., Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Fire Department, Dept of Public Charities, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HOSE, HOSE FITTINGS AND FIRE APPLIANCES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1916.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per foot, feet, each, or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read and awards

made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. f21.15

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

HUNTER COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College of The City of New York at the office of the Board of Trustees, at Hunter College, Park Avenue and 68th Street, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 260 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, PEASIZE, MORE OR LESS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of January, 1917.

The amount of security required shall be not less than 30 per cent. of the estimated cost of the coal.

Certified check or cash to the amount of 3 per cent. of the security required must be submitted with bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded as a whole.

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College, southwest corner of Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

ADRIAN VAN SINDEREN, Chairman, Committee on Finance. f4.17

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, every Friday at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAK, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesday, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday at 10.30 a. m., upon notice of the Secretary.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at his office, eleventh floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916.

NO. 1—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ELECTRICAL FITTINGS AND SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1916.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read and the awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each class or item, as stated in the specifications.

Bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

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

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. f21.15

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

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City, until 11 A. M. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916.

CONTRACT 169.

FOR LINING WITH BRICK MASONRY A PORTION OF THE EASTVIEW TUNNEL OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT.

The portion of the tunnel to be lined is about 1,600 feet long. The work is located in the town of Mt. Pleasant, Westchester county, New York.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is five months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders,

forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary,

upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary.

NOTE: SEE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS ON LAST PAGE, LAST COLUMN OF THE CITY RECORD, SO FAR AS APPLICABLE HERETO AND NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR. f3.24

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City, until 11 A. M. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916.

CONTRACT 172.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BRONZE GATE-VALVES FOR THE CITY TUNNEL OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN NEW YORK CITY.

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

A bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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

Time allowed for the completion of the work is four months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary.

NOTE: SEE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS ON LAST PAGE, LAST COLUMN OF THE CITY RECORD, SO FAR AS APPLICABLE HERETO AND NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR. f27.15

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

velope containing the bids the number of instruments bid for under each item.

Bidders must state in the bid what action is to be supplied, and length of Grand Pianos.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each piano and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid for each piano shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

Important.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a statement showing the average prices obtained by the bidder in the wholesale trade, exclusive of sales to his own retail stores, for instruments of like grade, size and quality as those he at this time bids for. The average to be compiled from wholesale sales made, as aforesaid, during the three months next prior to the date of the bid.

This statement shall be in the form of an affidavit, executed before a Notary Public, and made by one of the firm submitting the bid; and shall be certified to by a certified public accountant, who shall certify that the prices quoted are true, with all discounts or rebates deducted, and in accordance with the foregoing paragraph.

The statement shall be placed in a sealed envelope, which shall be marked "Price List," and shall have on the outside the name of the bidder. This shall be enclosed in the envelope containing the bid at the time that same is submitted to the Bid Clerk.

The statements which are so submitted are for the information of the Committee on Buildings, and will not, under any circumstances, be made public without the written consent of the bidder.

Any bid or estimate which is not accompanied by such a statement as is hereinbefore described will be considered as informal and invalid, and by reason of such failure, the said bid or estimate so accompanied will be so adjudged and treated.

The bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, February 8, 1916. f8.21

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until four o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1916,

Borough of Queens.

FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 93, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FOREST AVENUE, BETWEEN WOODHINE AND MADISON STREETS, RIDGEWOOD HEIGHTS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be One Hundred and Twenty (120) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated February 1, 1916. f1.14

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, 177th St. and 3rd Ave., until 10.30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916,

NO. 1. REPAIRING ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

2,400 Square Yards of Completed Asphalt Block Pavement, including asphalt pitch filler, mortar bed and concrete foundation.

2,600 Square Yards of Completed Asphalt Block Pavement, including asphalt pitch filler and mortar bed on present foundation.

200 Linear Feet of Old Curbsstone reset in concrete, including concrete foundation.

The above quantities shall not be exceeded, no compensation will be made for a greater amount.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be by or before December 31, 1916.

The security required for the performance of the contract will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

NO. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 20,000 GALLONS BITUMINOUS ROAD SURFACING MATERIAL (FOR USE HOT).

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is as directed during the year 1916.

The amount of security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Blank forms of bids or estimates upon which bids must be made can be obtained upon application therefor, the specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

f10.24 DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, 177th St. and 3rd Ave., until 10.30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916,

NO. 1. CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN SACKET AVENUE BET. COLDEN AVENUE AND WILLIAMS BRIDGE ROAD; COLDEN AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; PAULDING AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; HONE AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; LUTTING AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; HAIGHT AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; MUNROE AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; PIERCE AVENUE BET. COLDEN AVENUE AND MUNROE AVENUE; BOGART AVENUE BET. SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; PIERCE AVENUE BET. BEAR SWAMP ROAD (BRONXDALE AVENUE) AND RADCLIFF AVE.; FOWLER AVENUE BET. PIERCE AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE; BEAR SWAMP ROAD (BRONXDALE

AVENUE) BETWEEN SACKET AVENUE AND VAN NEST AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

573 Linear Feet of Concrete Sewer, 3' 3" diameter.

263 Linear Feet of Concrete Sewer, 2' 9" diameter.

260 Linear Feet of Vitrified Pipe Sewer, 30-inch.

2,534 Linear Feet of Vitrified Pipe Sewer, 18-inch.

2,507 Linear Feet of Vitrified Pipe Sewer, 15-inch.

7,300 Linear Feet of Vitrified Pipe Sewer, 12-inch.

450 Linear Feet of Basin Connections.

100 Linear Feet of Vitrified Pipe Drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.

1,760 Spurs for House Connections.

142 Manholes.

1 Receiving Basin, Type B.

20 Receiving Basins, Type C.

2,000 Cubic Yards of Rock Excavation.

700 Cubic Yards of Class C Concrete.

5,000 Feet (B. M.) of Timber Sheeting.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 300 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Thirty-five Thousand dollars (\$35,000).

Blank forms of bids or estimates upon which bids must be made can be obtained upon application therefor, the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President. f4.17

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916,

Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, STORING AND TRIMMING NO. 1. BUCKWHEAT AND RUN OF MINE COAL.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is before April 1st, 1916.

The amount of the security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bids will be compared and the award made to the lowest formal bidder on each item.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

Dated, February 8, 1916.

f10.23 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities, Tenth Floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1916,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING NEW PARTITIONS AND DOORS, WARDS 1 AND 8, AT THE SEA VIEW HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35) must accompany bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk of the Department, Tenth Floor, Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated February 10, 1916. f10.23

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Auction Sale.

The Department of Docks and Ferries will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at Pier A, North River, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, commencing at 10 a. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916,

THE OBSOLETE EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL DESCRIBED BELOW, SITUATED IN THE YARDS AND TERMINALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES AS HEREINAFTER SET FORTH.

Lot 1.

One (1) ferry-bridge having two (2) passenger gangways each about ten (10) feet in width, and one (1) team gangway measuring about twelve (12) feet in width between wheelgirders, and built and constructed with throat having three (3) foot face, and necessary plate iron, staving, etc., at outboard end of bridge designed to fit boat with a bow having a radius of about twenty-four (24) feet, all decked and sheathed throughout, measuring about 38' overall in width and about 72' 6" overall in length, of modern design and construction, having one (1) 16" x 18" x about 39' oak rocker log in single piece at inboard end; one (1) 16" x 16" x about 40' oak hanger beam in single length near outboard end; fifteen (15) longitudinal stringer beams measuring 8" and 12" in width and 16" in depth; seven (7) cross beams, measuring 10" and 12" in width by 12" in depth; four (4) arched trusses with maximum height above deck of about 7' 6", each measuring about 63' in length, two (2), one at each side of the bridge, with 9" x 12" upper and lower chords, and two (2), one between each passenger gangway and team gangway with 12" x 15" upper chord and 12" x 12" lower chord; six (6) pontoon beams, measuring about 12" in width by about 12" in depth; all with necessary struts, tie rods, fastenings, chocks, plates, reinforcing pieces, etc., and with: One (1) mooring frame, with mooring wheel, drum, pinion, ratchet, etc.; one combination mooring and hoisting frame having mooring wheel, drum, pinion, ratchet, etc., and hoisting wheel, drum, pin, ratchet, brake, etc.; one (1) Edison diaphragm hand pump. Estimated weight, 70 tons.

One (1) ferry-bridge "Gallows" frame from which to hang and suspend outboard end of ferry-bridge, consisting of: Structural steel trussed and latticed companion girders, having overall length of about 61' and overall height

of about 5' 0", and width between girders of about 14' 0"; two (2) structural steel supporting towers, each having overall height of about 33', with an overall dimension at base of about 14' x 15' and an overall dimension at head of about 5' x 14', with all connecting members, fastenings, etc., and with attached ladder extending the full height of one tower, having 18" rungs made of 5/8" iron with 3/4" x 3" side bars, and with all ladder connections, fastenings, etc. Estimated weight, 26 tons.

One (1) ferry-bridge pontoon on which to carry and float outboard end of ferry-bridge, of trapezoidal pattern and wedge action, with deck having an overall depth of about 16' and an overall width of about 37', and having an overall depth perpendicular to deck of about 13', of modern design and construction, having: Seventeen (17) frames measuring about 6' in width x 8' in depth; two (2) top corner logs measuring about 12' in width by 12' in depth by about 37' in length; one (1) wale measuring about 8' in width by 16' in depth by about 37' in length; seventeen (17) cross ties measuring about 6' in width by 8' in depth; forty (40) struts measuring about 6' in width by 8' in depth; two (2) stirrup pieces, measuring about 8' in width x 10' in depth x 10' in length; and decked on the bottom, sides and ends with 3" x 10" planking and on top with 4" x 10" planking, all caulked, the top deck being fitted with hatch openings, hatch covers, etc., and the bottom, sides and ends being felted, waterproofed and sheathed with 2" x 10" sheathing. All with necessary struts, tie rods, fastenings, chocks, plates, reinforcing pieces, etc.

Hoisting Gear, Machinery, Etc.—One (1) set of ferry-bridge hoist and suspension gear, machinery, etc., consisting of: One (1) section of 5/8" diameter shafting, machined, keyseated, etc., in two lengths, each length about 28' 6" long, each length fitted with 18" flanged coupling and fitted with: One (1) right-hand grooved cast iron lifting drum for 1 1/4" chain measuring about 12" in diameter by about 23" in length; one (1) left-hand grooved cast iron lifting drum for 1 1/4" chain measuring about 12" in diameter by about 23" in length; one (1) cast iron hoisting drum measuring about 34" in diameter by about 14" in length; two (2) cast iron counterweight drums, each measuring about 24" in diameter by about 12" in length; nine (9) cast iron ball and socket self-aligning babbit boxes for 3/4" shafting; four (4) forged steel shaft collars measuring about 9 1/2" in diameter by about 3 1/2" in length, for 3/4" shafting, with set screw for each. One (1) section of 3/4" shafting, machined, keyseated, etc., in two lengths, each length about 28' 6" long, each length fitted with 10" flanged coupling and fitted with: Two (2) right-hand grooved cast iron lifting drums for 3/4" chain, measuring about 9" in diameter by about 16 1/2" in length; two (2) left-hand grooved cast iron lifting drums for 3/4" chain, measuring about 9" in diameter by about 16 1/2" in length; two (2) cast iron counterweight drums measuring about 24" in diameter by about 12" in length; eleven (11) cast iron babbit pillow blocks for 3/4" shafting; four (4) cast iron shaft collars measuring about 5 1/4" in diameter by about 2 1/2" in length for 3/4" shafting, with set screws for each; one (1) cast iron worm wheel measuring about 8" in diameter by 3 1/2" bore; one (1) 2" shaft, machined and keyseated, measuring about 31" in length and fitted with: One (1) cast iron pocket wheel for 3-16" chain, about 18" in diameter and bored for 2" shaft; one (1) cast iron worm measuring about 5" in diameter by 10" in length, bored for 2" shaft; two (2) cast iron shaft collars measuring about 4 1/2" in diameter by 4" in length, for 2" shafting, with set screws for each; two (2) cast iron pedestal brackets with boxes for 2" shafting, one right-hand and one left-hand. About 74' of 3/4" CC dredge chain having 18,475 lbs. proof test, in two (2) lengths. About 72' of 1" CC dredge chain having 32,600 lbs. proof test. About 80' of 1 1/4" CC dredge chain having 48,000 lbs. proof test, in two (2) lengths. Two (2) round counterweight hangers, measuring about 1 1/4" in diameter by 54" in length. Two (2) sets of connecting links with 2" turned and fitted pins, measuring about 1 1/4" in diameter by about 4 1/2" in width by 9" in height. Two (2) suspension links measuring about 3 1/2" in diameter by 3 1/2" in width by 12" in length. Two (2) yokes of 2 1/4" round iron fitted with 3/4" x 6" x 23" plate top washer and 1 1/4" x 6" x 23" plate lower washer, with 2 1/4" nuts for each. Miscellaneous counterweights, connecting links, fastenings, fittings, etc. Cover and Traffic Plates: About 35 ft. of iron traffic plate about 5/8" in thickness x 14" in width and provided with three rows of 7-16" x 1 1/2" strap irons, riveted to the surface thereof.

All as to be seen at Ferry Terminal, Stapleton, S. I.

Lot 2—FERRY BRIDGE.

One ferry bridge having two passenger gangways, each about 10' in width, and one team gangway measuring between wheel guards, about 12' in width, and built and constructed with throat, having 3' face and necessary plate iron, staving, etc., at outboard end of the bridge, designed to fit boat with a bow having a radius of about 24', all decked and sheathed throughout, measuring about 38' overall in width and 72' 6" overall in length, of modern design and construction, having: One (1) 16" x 18" x about 39' oak rocker log in single piece at inboard end; one (1) 16" x 16" x about 40' oak hanger beam in single length near outboard end; fifteen (15) longitudinal stringer beams measuring 8" and 12" in width and 16" in depth; seven (7) cross beams measuring 10" and 12" in width by 12" in depth; four (4) arched trusses with maximum height above deck of about 7' 6", each measuring about 63' in length, two (2), one at each side of the bridge, with 9" x 12" upper and lower chords, and two (2), one between each passenger gangway and team gangway with 12" x 15" upper chord and 12" x 12" lower chord. All with necessary struts, tie rods, fastenings, chocks, plates, reinforcing pieces, etc., and with: One (1) mooring frame, without machinery, gear, etc. One (1) combination mooring and hoisting frame without machinery, gear, etc.

All as to be seen at St. George, S. I.

Estimated weight 70 tons.

TERMS OF SALE.

The above lots will be sold "as is" for a sum in gross on each.

The description herein contained is believed to be correct, but the Commissioner of Docks will not make any allowance from the purchase money for any inaccuracies, and bidders must satisfy themselves as to the correctness of the description when making their bids.

Successful bidders must make payment in cash or certified check drawn to the order of Department of Docks and Ferries at the time and place of the sale, as follows: On bids of \$500 or less, in full; on bids in excess of \$500, deposit of 50% will be required at time of sale.

In the event of acceptance of bid by the Commissioner of Docks, the balance of the purchase money, where payment is not made in full at time of sale, must be paid at the office of the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, North River, Borough of Manhattan, at or before noon on February 23rd, 1916, and the successful bidder on each lot shall remove the property covered by the lot at or before noon on March 23rd, 1916. An order will be given to the successful bidder by the Commissioner of Docks on the day of final payment for the material as herein detailed.

The bidding will be kept open after the highest bid is received, subject to action by the Commissioner of Docks. The Commissioner of Docks reserves the right until 12 o'clock noon on Febru-

ary 21st, 1916, to reject any or all bids received if, in his opinion, he deems it to be for the best interests of the City to so reject the bids.

If the successful bidder fails or refuses to pay the balance of the purchase money, or fails or refuses to remove the material as herein provided for, the deposit submitted at the time and place of sale, and any other money paid by him successful bidder shall also forfeit any claim to any ownership in the material; and in such event the City reserves the right to resell, the proceeds of any such resale to be the property of The City of New York.

This material may be inspected on any week day between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., except Saturday, on which day the inspection hours are 9 A. M. to 11 A. M.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks, Dated, New York, February 5th, 1916. f7.17

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, Pier A, North River, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1916,

commencing at 10:00 A. M., at Pier A, North River, Borough of Manhattan, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following obsolete equipment and material described below; situated in the yards and terminals of the Department of Docks and Ferries as herein-after set forth.

LOT NO. 1—DUPLICATE PARTS OF THE FERRYBOAT CASTLETON, AS FOLLOWS:

8 controlling brackets.
5 bucket brackets.
1 wheel bucket plate.
5 monel metal fork end bushings.
8 composition fork end bushings.
3 monel metal jennynette bushings.
1 composition jennynette bushing.
10 composition bucket bushings.
14 monel metal bucket bushings.
22 wheel arms.
1 master arm.
9 furnace side liners, No. 1122-R.
6 furnace side liners, No. 1122-L.
3 furnace arch liners, No. 1122.
6 bridge wall backs, No. 1022-BR.
6 bridge wall backs, No. 1022-BL.
13 side grate bars, No. 1024-R.
16 side grate bars, No. 1024-L.
24 grate bars, No. 1023.
11 sets fittings, gauge glasses.
282 pieces holophone shades.
2 castings, paddle wheel hub.
2 jennynettes.
2 old jennynettes.
1 new jennynette.
5 trunion brackets.
8 furnace front castings.
PATTERNS FOR DUPLICATE PARTS AS FOLLOWS

H.P. piston ring, Pat. No. 1038.

H.P. bull ring, Pat. No. 1037.

H.P. bull ring (allan metal type), Pat. No. 1039.

Neck bushing for L.P. piston rod, Pat. No. 1114.

L.P. bull ring, Pat. No. 933.

Neck bushing for H.P. piston valve, Pat. No. 832.

Neck bushing for H.P. piston rod, Pat. No. 831.

Gland for H.P. piston rod, Pat. No. 831.

Keeper crankpin brasses, Pat. No. 1175.

Mitre gear, W.T. door, Pat. No. 626.

Fire room floor plates, Pat. Nos. 822-823.

Switch lock for hand wheel in pilot house, Pat. No. 1214-A.

Hand wheels, W.T. door, Pat. No. 1260.

Flange, W.T. door, Pat. No. 1259.

Detail of rack, W.T. door, Pat. No. 1258.

Pinions, W.T. doors, Pat. No. 1257.

Shaft brackets, W.T. doors, Pat. No. 1256.

Mitre gear bracket, W.T. door, Pat. No. 1255.

Foot casting for end rail post, Pat. No. 1233.

Dead-light wing nut, Pat. No. 1118-A.

Dead-light swing bolt, Pat. No. 1118-B.

Idlers for steering chains, Pat. No. 1113.

Brackets for shaft support, tell-tale gear, Pat. No. 1117.

Flanges for team chain post, Pat. No. 950.

Gear for valve motion of ash hoist, Pat. No. 1026.

Grating for boiler room, Pat. No. 1191-A.

Grating for boiler room, Pat. No. 1191-B.

Grating for engine room, Pat. No. 1192-A.

Grating for engine room, Pat. No. 1192-B.

satisfy themselves as to the correctness of the description when making their bids.

Successful bidders must make payment in cash or certified check drawn to the order of Department of Docks and Ferries at the time and place of the sale, as follows: On bid of \$500 or less, in full on bids in excess of \$500 deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at time of sale.

In the event of acceptance of bids by the Commissioner of Docks, the balance of the purchase money, where payment is not made in full at time of sale, must be paid at the office of the Commissioner of Docks, at Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Borough of Manhattan, at or before noon on February 16th, 1916, and the successful bidder shall remove the property covered by the lot at or before noon on March 10, 1916. An order will be given to the successful bidder by the Commissioner of Docks on the day of final payment for the material as herein detailed.

The bidding will be kept open after the highest bid is received, subject to action by the Commissioner of Docks. The Commissioner of Docks reserves the right until 12 o'clock noon on February 14th, 1916, to reject any or all bids received, if in his opinion he deems it to be for the best interests of the City to so reject the bids.

If the successful bidder fails or refuses to pay the balance of the purchase money, or fails or refuses to remove the material as herein provided for, the deposit submitted at the time and place of sale, and any other money paid by him will be forfeited as liquidated damages and the successful bidder shall also forfeit any claim to any ownership in the material; and in such event the City reserves the right to resell the proceeds of any such resale to be the property of the City of New York.

This material may be inspected on any weekday between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., except Saturday, on which day the inspection hours are 9 A. M. to 11 A. M.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated, New York, January 31, 1916. f1,11

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1916.

CONTRACT NO. 1508.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DRY-DOCKING, SCRAPING, SCALING, CLEANING, PAINTING, ETC., THE HULLS OF THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOATS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is \$2,600.00.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a total price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for doing all of the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price is the lowest for doing all of the work and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated January 28, 1916. j31,f11

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1916.

Borough of Manhattan.
CONTRACT NO. 1488.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A FREIGHT SHED WITH APPURTENANCES ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST FORTY-SIXTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be 420 calendar days for classes 1 and 2; 90 calendar days for class 3, and 40 calendar days for class 4.

The security required for Classes 1 and 2 shall be \$200,000.00; for Class 3 the sum of \$6,000.00, and for class 4 the sum of \$700.00.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a separate price for each of the four classes. Classes 1 and 2, together, form one contract, but a price must be given for each of these two classes separately and also for both classes combined. Classes 3 and 4 each form separate and distinct contracts. Each of the three contracts, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price is the lowest for doing all of the work in the particular contract and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated January 28, 1916. j31,f11

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, until 11 o'clock A. M. on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON TEHAMA STREET FROM 36TH ST. TO WEST ST. AND ON ALBEMARLE ROAD FROM WEST ST. TO GRAVESDEND AVE.

The Engineer's Estimate is as follows:

0.560 cu. yds. excavation.
340 cu. yds. fill (not to be bid for).
30 lin. ft. old stone curb reset in concrete.
3,290 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

16,820 sq. ft. cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

16,820 sq. ft. 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.

Time allowed, 60 working days.

Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$2,700.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 50,000 IRON SLAG PAVING BLOCKS, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

20,000 blocks to yard adjoining the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

20,000 blocks to corporation yard, 67th St., near 18th Ave.

10,000 blocks to corporation yard, N. 8th St., near Union Ave.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 300 TONS OF PAVING PITCH, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

120 tons to corporation yard, Wallabout Basin, Foot of Hewes St.

50 tons to corporation yard, Dekalb Ave., near Irving Ave.

50 tons to corporation yard, N. 8th St., near Union Ave.

60 tons to yard adjoining the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

20 tons to corporation yard, Hopkinson Ave., near Marion St.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per lin. ft., sq. ft., sq. yd. or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated Feb. 1, 1916. f3,16

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on January 21, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering a Tentative Plan showing proposed changes in the lines and grades of Riverside Drive Extension from West 155th Street to West 165th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; the said Tentative Plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and date of January 19, 1916.

Resolved, that this Board hold an informal hearing on the said Tentative Plan at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated February 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grades of Mott Avenue between East 153rd Street and East 156th Street, and change the grades of East 153rd Street between Walton Avenue and Sheridan Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on January 21, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Mott Avenue between East 153rd Street and East 156th Street, and changing the grades of East 153rd Street between Walton Avenue and Sheridan Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated September 20, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

Dated February 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of Haydock Street between Franconia Avenue and California Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on January 21, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Haydock Street between Franconia Avenue and California Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated April 19, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

Dated February 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades for Grand Central Parkway between Queens Boulevard and the City Line, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on January 21, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for Grand Central Parkway between Queens Boulevard and the City Line, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated May 19, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

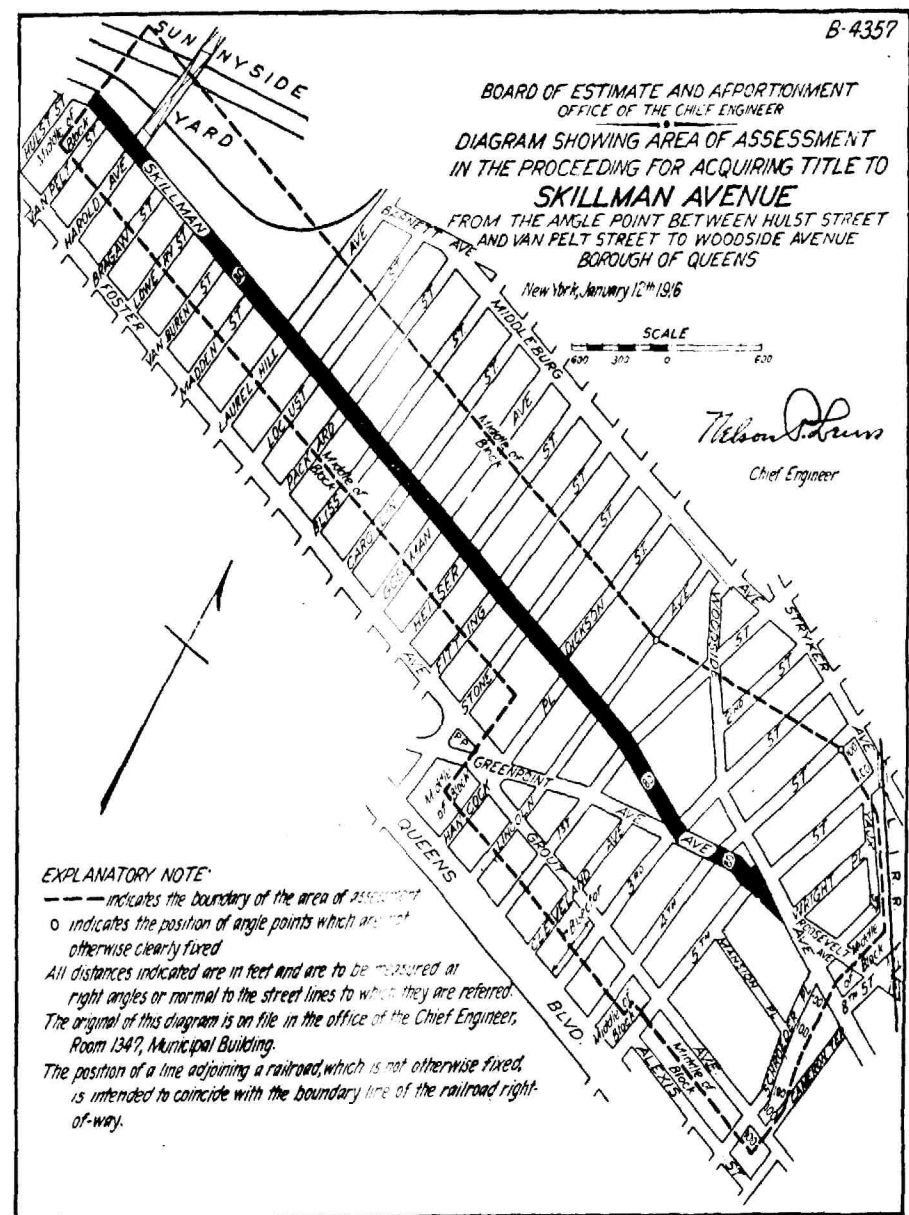
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JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The

City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the grades of Skillman Avenue from the angle point between Hulst Street and Van Pelt Street to Woodside Avenue, Borough of Queens.

Resolved, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed enlarged area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding is as shown on the following diagram:



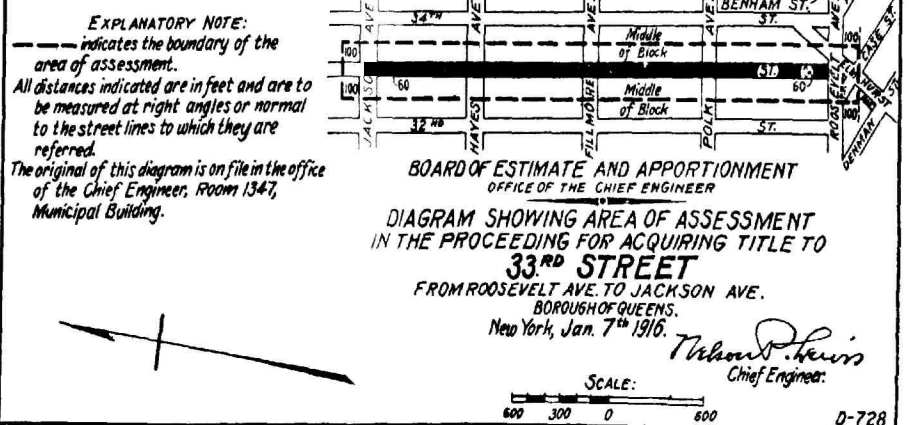
Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed enlarged area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, the 18th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

Dated February 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Appor-



Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed modified district of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Board

City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Burrough Avenue, Falkner Street, Van Sinderen Street, Van Dyke Street, Fisk Avenue, Falkner Street, Monteverde Avenue, Hull Avenue, Mueller Street and Borden Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on January 21, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Burrough Avenue, Falkner Street, Van Sinderen Street, Van Dyke Street, Fisk Avenue, Falkner Street, Monteverde Avenue, Hull Avenue, Mueller Street and Borden Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated March 1, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

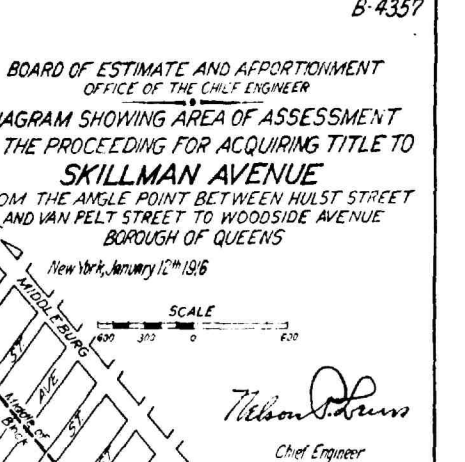
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JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

Skillman Avenue from the angle point between Hulst Street and Van Pelt Street to Woodside Avenue, Borough of Queens.

Resolved, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed enlarged area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding is as shown on the following diagram:

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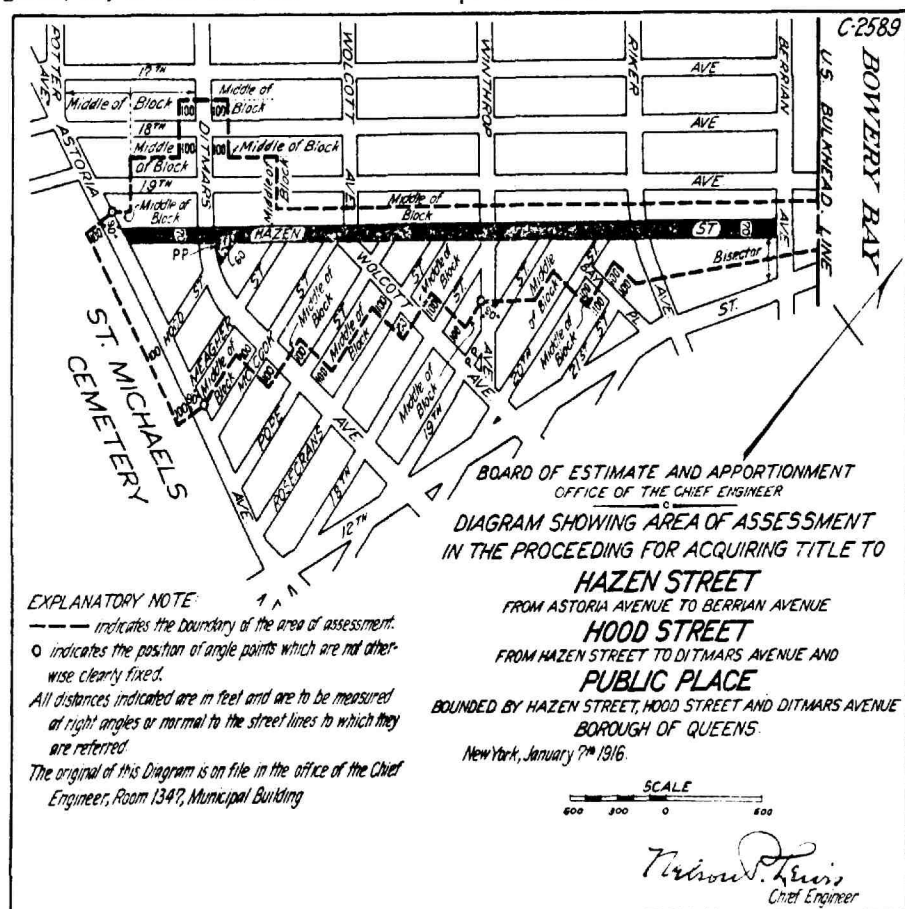
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on January 21, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Hazen Street from Astoria Avenue to Berrian Avenue, Hood Street from Hazen Street to Ditmars Avenue, and the Public Park bounded by Hazen Street, Hood Street and Ditmars Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, February 18, 1916.

Dated February 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of Midwood Street from Nostrand Avenue to New York Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on January 21, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Midwood Street from Nostrand Avenue to New York Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated December 9, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of February, 1916.

Dated February 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on January 21, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering a Tentative Plan showing proposed changes in the lines and grades of Riverside Drive Extension from West 165th Street to Dyckman Street, together with changes in the adjacent street system affected thereby, and a proposed plan for an extension of Riverside Drive from Dyckman Street to Harlem River Ship Canal, and a street and park system for the adjacent territory in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; the said Tentative Plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and date of January 11, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board hold an informal hearing on the said Tentative Plan at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on February 18, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated February 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. f4,16

Notices of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting for approval the following:

1. Proposed certificate modifying certificate of March 19, 1913, to the New York Municipal Railway Corporation for additional tracks.
2. Proposed certificate modifying certificate of March 19, 1913, to the New York Municipal Railway Corporation for elevated railroad extensions.

—which consideration was, by resolution adopted December 10, 1915, fixed for December 17, 1915, and was continued from time to time until the meeting of January 31, 1916, when it was continued until this day, was continued until Friday, February 11, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and

where all citizens interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.
JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, February 4, 1916. f7,11

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting for approval resolution adopted by said Commission December 21, 1915, amending the route and general plan of construction for the Third Avenue Route, so as to provide for a passageway and station approach in and under Pine Street for a distance of about 160 feet from the westerly building line of Nassau Street to connect the Broad Street station of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Line, with the new Equitable Building, which consideration was, by resolution adopted December 28, 1915, fixed for January 7, 1916, when it was continued until January 14, 1916, and then continued until this day, was continued until Friday, February 11, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M. in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all citizens interested will have 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, January 28, 1916. j31,f11

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to law that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held December 17, 1915, the following petition was received:

New York, December 8, 1915.
TO THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:
The Manhattan Refrigerating Company hereby applies to the Board for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate conduits and pipes within the following described district in the Borough of Manhattan:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue 110 feet 8 1/4 inches north of the northerly line of West 14th Street, measured along the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence easterly through private property and across Tenth Avenue and Ninth Avenue on a line parallel with the northerly line of West 14th Street to a point formed by the intersection of said parallel line with the easterly line of Lot 13 in Block 738; thence southerly along the easterly line of Lot 13 to the northerly line of West 14th Street; thence southerly from the last named point across West 14th Street to the southerly line thereof at its intersection with the easterly line of Lot 17 in Block 629; thence southerly along the easterly line of Lots 17 and 4 to the northerly line of West 13th Street; thence southerly on a straight line across and along West 13th Street and Gansevoort Street to a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Gansevoort Street and the westerly line of West 4th Street; thence southerly along the westerly line of West 4th Street to the northerly line of Horatio Street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Horatio Street to a point 99 feet west of the westerly line of West 4th Street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Lot 43 of Block 627 to the northerly line of Lot 54 of Block 627; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 54, 55, 56 and 59 of Block 627 to the westerly line of Lot 37 of Block 627; thence northerly along the westerly line of Lot 37 to the northerly line of Lot 59; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 59 to the westerly line of Lot 28 of Block 627; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 28 to the easterly line of Hudson Street; thence westerly across Hudson Street to the westerly line thereof at its intersection with the southerly line of Lot 12 of Block 627; thence westerly along the southerly line of Lot 12, 8 and 7 to the easterly line of Lot 2 of Block 627; thence southerly along the easterly line of Lot 2 to the southerly line of Lot 2; thence westerly along the southerly line of Lot 2 to the easterly line of Greenwich Street; thence westerly across Greenwich Street to the westerly line thereof at its intersection with the southerly line of Lot 57 of Block 643; thence westerly along the southerly line of Lot 57 to the easterly line of Lot 63 of Block 643; thence northerly along the easterly line of Lot 63 to the northerly line of Lot 63; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 69, 70 and 71 of Block 643 to the westerly line of Lot 71; thence southerly along the westerly line of Lot 71 to the southerly line of Lot 40 of Block 643; thence westerly along the southerly line of Lot 40 to the easterly line of Washington Street; thence westerly across Washington Street on a prolongation of the southerly line of Lot 40 to the westerly line of Washington Street; thence southerly along the westerly line of Washington Street to the center line of Horatio Street; thence westerly along the center line of Horatio Street to

the easterly line of West Street; thence northerly along the easterly line of West Street and the easterly line of Tenth Avenue to the southerly line of Little West 12th Street; thence westerly on a prolongation of the southerly line of Little West 12th Street to the center line of Tenth Avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Tenth Avenue to its intersection with a prolongation of the northerly line of West 13th Street; thence westerly on a prolongation of the northerly line of West 13th Street to a prolongation of the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue, thence northerly along the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue to a point or place of beginning, for the purpose of furnishing refrigeration to consumers.

THE MANHATTAN REFRIGERATING COMPANY, By T. A. ADAMS, Pres.
Dated Dec. 8, 1915.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.:
On this 8th day of December, 1915, before me appeared T. Albeus Adams, known to me, and known to me to be the President of the Manhattan Refrigerating Company, and who alleges that he has read the foregoing petition and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be made upon information and belief, and as to these matters he believes them to be true. T. A. ADAMS.

J. F. WHIRLAN, Notary Public, Queens Co., No. 1347. Certificate filed in New York County, No. 153, New York Register No. 6263. Term Expires March 30, 1916.

—and at the meeting of January 14, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the MANHATTAN REFRIGERATING COMPANY, dated December 8, 1915, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held December 17, 1915.

Resolved, that in pursuance of law this Board sets Friday, the eleventh day of February, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, that the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least twice in two daily newspapers in the City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
New York, January 14, 1916. j31,f11

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Union Railway Company of New York City has, under date of December 13, 1915, made application to this Board for a modification of the terms and conditions of the contract dated September 9, 1915, granting a franchise for the construction, maintenance and operation of street surface railway extensions upon and over the Willis Avenue Bridge and upon and along various streets and avenues in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, and Chapter 467 of the Laws of 1914, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on December 17, 1915, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as January 14, 1916, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Tribune" and "Evening Mail" newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the proposed modification and amendment of said contract of September 9, 1915; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the consent or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby consents to certain modifications in the terms and conditions of the said contract of September 9, 1915, such modified terms and conditions being fully set forth and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying such terms and conditions as modify or alter said contract of September 9, 1915, which said contract otherwise remains unchanged as to all the other terms and conditions expressed therein, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.
This contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of February, 1916, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, By a contract dated September 9, 1915, by and between the City and the Company, said Company was granted the right to construct, maintain and operate certain street surface railway extensions in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, one of said extensions being upon and over the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches and upon and along East 125th Street and other streets in the Borough of Manhattan; and

WHEREAS, Section 2. Eleventh, of said contract of September 9, 1915, provides that the portion of the railway therein authorized in the Borough of Manhattan shall be operated by underground electric power and the portion of said railway in the Borough of The Bronx and upon the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches may be operated by overhead electric power; and

WHEREAS, The Company has, by a petition dated December 13, 1915, applied to the Board for an amendment of said Section 2. Eleventh, of said contract of September 9, 1915, by permitting the use of overhead electric power upon a portion of the route authorized in the Borough of Manhattan, to wit, upon and along East 125th Street for a distance of approximately one hundred and ninety (190) feet west of First Avenue;

NOW, THEREFORE, In consideration of the sum of fifty dollars (\$50), to be paid by the Company to the City on or before March 1, 1916, and of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

SECTION 1. The parties hereto hereby consent, subject to the provisions and conditions hereinafter set forth, to certain modifications and amendments in and to said contract of September 9, 1915, said modifications and amendments to be as follows:

The first paragraph of said Section 2. Eleventh, of said contract of September 9, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Eleventh—The portion of said railway in the Borough of Manhattan, except on East 125th Street for a distance not exceeding two hundred (200) feet west of First Avenue, shall be operated by underground electric power substantially similar to the system of underground electric power now used by the street surface railways in the Borough of Manhattan; provided that any other power may be used, except locomotive steam power, horse power or overhead electric power, which may be lawfully used, approved by the Board and consented to by the abutting property owners in accordance with the provisions of law and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York. The portion of said railway in the Borough of The Bronx and upon the Willis Avenue Bridge and its approaches and on East 125th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a distance not exceeding two hundred (200) feet west of First Avenue, may be operated by overhead electric power substantially similar to the overhead electric system now in use by street surface railways in the Borough of The Bronx; provided that any other power may be used, except locomotive steam power or horse power, which may be lawfully used, approved by the Board and consented to by the abutting property owners in accordance with the provisions of law and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York."

SECTION 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions:

All the terms, provisions and conditions contained in said contract dated September 9, 1915, excepting those which are herein expressly amended or modified, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By _____ Mayor.
Attest: _____ City Clerk.
UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY,
By _____ President.

[SEAL.]
Attest: _____ Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)
Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the proposed franchise and the adequacy of the compensation to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, are as specified and fully set forth in the said contract dated September 9, 1915, as amended by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the consent to such modifications and alterations.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modifications and alterations as applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published in full for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, February 11, 1916, in the City Record, together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the consent of the City to certain modifications and amendments in and to the terms and conditions of the said contract of September 9, 1915, such modifications and amendments being fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, February 11, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee, during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, February 11, 1916, in the "Tribune" and the "Evening Mail," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Dated New York, January 14, 1916. j24,f11

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Invitation to Contractors.

Installation of Tracks for a Portion of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE installation of tracks for a portion of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, New York City, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District, acting in behalf of The City of New York, at the office of the said Commission at 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 24th day of February, 1916, at twelve (12) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the said Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The portion of the said Rapid Transit Railroad for which said tracks are to be installed consists of three parts designated Lexington Avenue Line, Jerome Avenue Line and 149th Street Loop, and described as follows:

Lexington Avenue Line: Beginning under Park Avenue in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, between 38th Street and 41st Street; and thence extending northerly under Park Avenue to a point at or near 41st Street; thence curving northeasterly under Park Avenue, City property, 42d Street and private property to a point in Lexington Avenue near 43d Street; thence extending northerly under Lexington Avenue to the Harlem River, and thence under the Harlem River to the Borough of The Bronx; thence northerly under private property and Park Avenue to Mott Avenue and 138th Street.

Jerome Avenue Line: Beginning at Mott Avenue and 138th Street in the Borough of The

Bronx and extending thence northerly under Mott Avenue, Franz Sigel Park, City property and cross streets to a point in River Avenue near 157th Street; and thence northerly over River Avenue and Jerome Avenue to a point near Woodlawn Road.

149th Street Loop: Beginning under Mott Avenue near 146th Street in the Borough of The Bronx and extending thence under Mott Avenue, 146th Street, Walton Avenue, Gerard Avenue and City property to points in 149th Street between Walton Avenue and Mott Avenue.

The Contractor will not be required to furnish or install electrical or signal material or apparatus. The City will furnish to the Contractor certain materials which are to form a part of the completed tracks. The Contractor shall handle and transport the materials supplied by the City and shall furnish all other labor and materials for the complete installation of the tracks.

The Contractor must begin work on the Jerome Avenue Line and on the Lexington Avenue Line within 30 days after the delivery of the contract and must complete the tracks on the Jerome Avenue Line within 6 months after the delivery of the contract and must complete the tracks on the Lexington Avenue Line and the 149th Street Loop within 9 months after the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, February 3, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f5,24

Installation of Tracks for the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE installation of tracks for White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of The Bronx, New York City, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District, acting on behalf of The City of New York, at the office of said Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 10th day of February, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by said Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Rapid Transit Railroad for which said tracks are to be installed is briefly described as follows: Beginning in Boston Road, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, between East 178th Street and 179th Street, and thence curving over Boston Road to a point in the block bounded by Boston Road, East 179th Street, Bronx Street and West Farms Road; thence continuing easterly and northeasterly through said block and over Bronx Street and over the Bronx River and over City property and cross streets to a point in East 180th Street between Bronx Park Avenue and Morris Park Avenue; thence extending northeasterly and northerly over City property between Bronx Park Avenue and Westchester and Boston Railroad and over Unionport Road and City property to Birchall Avenue; and thence continuing northerly over Birchall Avenue and White Plains Road to a point in White Plains Road near East 241st Street.

The Contractor will not be required to furnish or install electrical or signal material or apparatus. The City will furnish to the Contractor certain materials which are to form a part of the completed tracks. The Contractor shall handle and transport the materials supplied by the City and shall furnish all other labor and materials for the complete installation of the tracks.

The Contractor must begin work within 30 days after the delivery of the contract and must complete all work within 4 months after the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, January 25, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f26,f10

Part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of Section No. 2-A of Route No. 12, a part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 10th day of February, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Section No. 2-A of Route No. 12 is to be a two-track subsurface railroad extending under Flatbush Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, from Prospect Park Plaza to Mahone Street.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be generally by tunneling, but partly by excavation from the surface.

The Contractor must within 20 months from the delivery of the contract complete the Railroad and such other work covered by the contract as may be necessary to put the Railroad in condition for operation and must complete all other work covered by the contract within 24 months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, January 24, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f26,f10

Hearing on Form of Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC Hearing will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 14th day of February, 1916, at ten-thirty o'clock A. M., upon the pro-

posed terms and conditions of an agreement modifying Contract No. 4, namely, the operating contract between the City of New York, acting by the Commission, and the New York Municipal Railway Corporation, so as to provide a tunnel connection between the Broadway, Manhattan, subway and the new rapid transit lines in the Borough of Queens, the said tunnel extending under the East River from 60th Street, Manhattan, to North Jane Street, Queens.

Copies of the said agreement may be obtained at the office of the said Public Service Commission for fifty cents each.

Dated, New York, January 27, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f29,f14

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC Hearing will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 14th day of February, 1916, at ten-thirty o'clock A. M., upon the proposed terms and conditions of a contract for the construction of the 239th Street Yard of Route No. 18, the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad.

The said part to be constructed is to be a railroad yard built in open cut, and a two-track approach thereto built in open cut, on embankment and on steel construction, on private property in the Borough of The Bronx, bounded by White Plains Road, East 239th Street, Nereid Avenue and Baychester Avenue, and also including certain reconstruction of the main line of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad.

Copies of the said contract may be obtained at the office of the said Public Service Commission for one dollar each.

Dated, New York, January 27, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f29,f14

FIRE DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Fire Department, Dept of Public Charities, Dept of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRUGS, CHEMICALS AND REAGENTS; TOBACCO, WINES AND LIQUORS; LABORATORY APPARATUS, HOSPITAL AND SURGICAL SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1916.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per ounce, pound or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or class as stated in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

DEPT. OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPT. OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SUPREME COURT — FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 ADEE AVENUE, from Boston Road to the bulkhead line of the Hutchinson River, as shown on Section 44 of the Final Maps, Borough of The Bronx, as amended so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 12, 1912, and approved by the Mayor December 18, 1912, changing the lines of Adee Avenue at Gun Hill Road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for the purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 2nd day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 1st day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 3rd day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 6th day of March, 1913, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Burke Avenue and Adee Avenue, as these streets are laid out westerly from Throop Avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Boston Road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Boston Road, and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Burke Avenue and Adee Avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Gun Hill Road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Gun Hill Road; thence southeasterly and parallel with Gun Hill Road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Hammersley Avenue and Adee Avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Hammersley Avenue and Adee Avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Hutchinson Avenue; thence easterly at right angles to Hutchinson Avenue to the intersection with the bulkhead line of Hutchinson River, as indicated on Section 44 of the Final Maps of the Borough; thence southwesterly along the said bulkhead line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Hutchinson Avenue and passing through a point on its westerly side where it is intersected by a line midway between Adee Avenue and Arnou Avenue, as these streets are laid out east of Gun Hill Road; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Hutchinson Avenue to the intersection with its westerly side; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Adee Avenue and Arnou Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Adee Avenue and Arnou Avenue, as these streets are laid out at Bouck Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Adee Avenue and Arnou Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Boston Road; thence northwesterly at right angles to Boston Road a distance of 100 feet thence northwesterly and always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Boston Road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 1st day of March, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 638 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, February 4th, 1916.
JOSHUA A. BRIGGS, Chairman; GEO. P. BARTLEY, HENRY L. HOFFEN, Commissioners of Estimate. JOSHUA A. BRIGGS, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f10,29

Filing Bill of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST 210TH STREET, from Jerome Avenue to Wayne Avenue; WAYNE AVENUE, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill Road; TRYON AVENUE, from Reservoir Oval West to Gun Hill Road, all of which are in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of February, 1916, 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 10th, 1916.
PETER J. EVERETT, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f10,23

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 HAVILAND AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to Zerega Avenue; NUNE, from Virginia Avenue to Zerega Avenue; of BLACKROCK AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek; of CHATTERTON AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek, and of WATSON AVENUE, from Clasons Point Road to Havemeyer Avenue, and from the Unnamed Street west of Zerega Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, dated August 11, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on August 17, 1914, so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 6, 1913, and approved by the Mayor November 13, 1913, which a change was made in the harbor lines heretofore fixed for Westchester Creek, involving a slight change in the lengths of Watson Avenue, Blackrock Avenue and Chatterton Avenue in the easterly block, the proceeding as amended providing for the acquisition of title to HAVILAND AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to Zerega Avenue; WATSON AVENUE, from Clasons Point Road to Havemeyer Avenue, and from the Unnamed Street west of Zerega Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek; BLACKROCK AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek, and CHATTERTON AVENUE, from Virginia Avenue to the Bulkhead Line of Westchester Creek as the foregoing streets are now laid out upon the map or plan of The 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of February, 1916, 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated New York, February 8th, 1916.
WILFRED H. WARNER, JOHN DAVIS, JAMES W. O'BRIEN, Commissioners of Estimate; WILFRED H. WARNER, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. f8,18

Filing Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Fiers Old Nos. 27 and 28, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by the City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to those certain bulkheads, dock or wharf properties on or near the southerly line of South Street, in said Borough and City, between former Pier Old No. 26 and Pier Old No. 27, and between Piers Old No. 27 and Old No. 28, and between Pier Old No. 28 and the westerly line of the property formerly acquired by The City of New York for the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of February, 1916, at 10:30 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, February 1st, 1916.
GEORGE E. WELLER, JOHN C. HACKETT, JAMES J. COOGAN, JR., Commissioners of Estimate.
WILLIAM H. JASPER, Clerk. f1,11

In the Matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the northerly side of EAST 168TH STREET, between TELLER and FINDLAY AVENUES, in the 23rd Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated January 17, 1916, and entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on January 18, 1916, 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 in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 19th day of November, 1916, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that a description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

All those lots, pieces and parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situated on the northerly side of East 168th Street, between Teller and Findlay Avenues, in the 23rd Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East 168th Street with the easterly line of Findlay Avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Findlay Avenue 280 feet; thence easterly and parallel with East 168th street 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Findlay Avenue 5 feet; thence again easterly and again parallel with East 168th street 100 feet to the westerly line of Teller Avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Teller Avenue 275 feet to the northerly line of East 168th street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East 168th street 200 feet to the easterly line of Findlay Avenue, the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less; being the premises known as Lot No. 45, Block 2436, Section 9 of the Tax Maps of the Borough of The Bronx. —and each and every owner of or person interested in said real property having any claim or demand on account thereof is hereby required to file his written claim or demand, 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 16th day of February, 1916, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1743, 17th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the said 16th day of February, 1916, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, January 31, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f31,f10

In the Matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of JENNINGS STREET between UNION AVENUE and PROSPECT AVENUE, in the 23rd Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated January 17, 1916, and entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on January 18, 1916, 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 in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 19th day of November, 1916, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that a description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

All those lots, pieces and parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances there-

unto belonging, situated on the southerly side of Jennings Street between Union Avenue and Prospect Avenue, in the 23rd Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Jennings Street with the westerly line of the lands of Public School 40, and running thence southeasterly along the westerly line of the lands of Public School 40 to the southeasterly corner of Lot No. 15, Block 2969, Section 11 of the Tax Map of the Borough of The Bronx; thence westerly along the southerly line of said Lot No. 15 182.98 feet; thence northwesterly along the westerly line of said Lot No. 15 74.03 feet; thence northeasterly along the northerly line of said Lot No. 15 54.67 feet; thence again northwesterly and again along the westerly line of said Lot No. 15 92.50 feet to the southerly line of Jennings Street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Jennings Street 16 feet; thence southeasterly along the westerly line of Lot No. 16 100 feet; thence easterly along the northerly line of Lot No. 15 50 feet; thence northwesterly along the westerly line of Lot No. 18 100 feet to the southerly line of Jennings Street; thence easterly along the southerly line of Jennings Street 53.91 feet to the westerly line of the lands of Public School 40, the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less; being the premises known as Lots Nos. 15, 18 and 19, Block No. 2969, Section 11 of the Tax Maps of the Borough of The Bronx.

—and each and every owner of or person interested in said real property having any claim or demand on account thereof is hereby required to file his written claim or demand, 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 16th day of February, 1916, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1743, 17th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the said 16th day of February, 1916, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, January 31, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j31,f10

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. JAMES STREET, from Maurice Avenue to Broadway, CORONA AVENUE, from Maurice Avenue to Broadway, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 21, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on January 29th, 1916, HARRY I. HUBER, ROBERT B. LAWRENCE and HARRY R. GELWICKS, ESQs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order HARRY I. HUBER, ESQ., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said HARRY I. HUBER, ROBERT B. LAWRENCE and HARRY R. GELWICKS, ESQs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the City of New York on the 15th day of February, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, February 2nd, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. f2,14

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BURROUGH AVENUE, from Borden Avenue to Woodside Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 21, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on January 29, 1916, William D. Llewellyn, Charles B. Bretzfelder and Edgar F. Hazleton, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William D. Llewellyn was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William D. Llewellyn, Charles B. Bretzfelder and Edgar F. Hazleton, Esqrs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens in the City of New York on the 15th day of February, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 2nd, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f2,14.

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 JAY AVENUE, from Willow Avenue to Mueller Street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 21, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on January 29th, 1916, Eugene V. Daly, Emil Francke and Abraham D. Van Sieten, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Eugene V. Daly, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Eugene V. Daly, Emil Francke

and Abraham D. Van Sieten, Esqrs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens; at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens in the City of New York on the 15th day of February, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 2nd, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f2,14

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 BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated January 21, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on January 29, 1916, Herman Knobloch, George Mann and Thomas F. Doyle, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Herman Knobloch was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Herman Knobloch, George Mann and Thomas F. Doyle, Esqrs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens in the City of New York on the 15th day of February, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 2nd, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f2,14

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 UNION STREET, from New York Avenue to Rochester Avenue, and from Ralph Avenue to East New York Avenue, in the 24th and 29th Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of February, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 17th day of February, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of February, 1916, 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 February, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 18th day of December, 1914, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the north by a line always midway between Union Street and Eastern Parkway and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Rochester Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rochester Avenue; on the south by a line always midway between Union Street and President Street and by the prolongation of the said line; and on the west by the easterly line of New York Avenue.

2. Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of East New York Avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Union Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Union Street, and running thence southerly along a line parallel with Tapsco Street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of East New York Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to East New York Avenue; thence southwesterly and parallel with East New York Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 260 feet southerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Union Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Union Street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Union Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Ralph Avenue as this street is laid out between East New York Avenue and Eastern Parkway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ralph Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Ralph Avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Union Street and passing through the point of beginning; thence easterly along the said line parallel with Union 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 Esti-

mate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of February, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23rd day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1916.

Dated, New York, January 28th, 1916.
JAMES A. BLANCHFIELD, DAVID HIRSH-FELD, Commissioners of Estimate, JAMES A. BLANCHFIELD, Commissioner of Assessment, ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. j28,f15

SUPREME COURT—THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Filing Report.

In the Matter of the Application of the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, etc.

ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, SECTION 17, PARCEL 868. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the separate report filed on December 28, 1915, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster, of William M. Chadbourne, Cornelius I. LeFever and J. Charles Snyder, who were duly appointed Commissioners in the above entitled proceeding by orders of the Supreme Court, dated April 4, 1914, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster on April 27, 1914, and dated April 24, 1915, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster on April 24, 1915, will be presented to this Court at a Special Term thereof to be held in and for the Third Judicial District at the County Court House in the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, N. Y., on the 19th day of February, 1916.

And that The City of New York will move for the confirmation of the said report.

And for such other and further relief as may be just and proper, reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose each and every recommendation and computation included in said report.

Dated, New York, January 18, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. j26,f19

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

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

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

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate 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 the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

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

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street and the openings of the main sewer in 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 day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

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

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

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

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

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

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

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

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.