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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar of Hearings, Commencing June 3, 1918.

Thursday, June 6, 1918—2:30 p. m.—Room 2528—Case No. 2293—Queens Borough Gas and Electric Company—"Application for approval of increase in rates for gas"—Whole Commission. 2:30 p. m.—Room 2528—Case No. 2294—Queens Borough Gas and Electric Company—"Application for approval of increase in rates for electric service"—Whole Commission.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, June 4, 1918, 1:30 o'clock P.M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Alfred E. Smith, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen		
Robert L. Moran	James R. Ferguson	Frank Mullen
Vice-Chairman	August Ferrand	Frank A. O'Brien
Edward Atwell	Joel Fowler	John J. O'Rourke
Alexander Bassett	Jacob W. Friedman	Clarence Y. Palitz
Abraham Beckerman	Matthew G. Fullum	Charles A. Post
James A. Bell	John S. Gaynor	William F. Quinn
Clifford S. Bostwick	Edward V. Gilmore	Stephen F. Roberts
Alexander Braunstein	James A. Hatch	William C. Rosenberg
Charles A. Buckley	Charles H. Haubert	John J. Ryan
Samuel J. Burden	Adolph Held	Frank J. Schmitz
Maurice A. Burke	George Hilkemeier	Peter Schweickert
Maurice S. Calman	Michael J. Hogan	Fred Smith
Edward Cassidy	William P. Kenneally	Arnon L. Squiers
William T. Collins	Francis P. Kenney	Michael Stapleton
William W. Colne	Algernon Lee	Joseph W. Sullivan
Edward W. Cox	John McCann	Baruch C. Vladeck
Frank A. Cunningham	John F. McCourt	William K. Walsh
Edward W. Curley	William P. McGarry	Thomas A. Williams
John Diemer	Charles A. McManus	John Wirth
Bernard E. Donnelly	James F. McNulty	Augustus M. Wise
Charles W. Dunn	Thomas W. Martin	Barnet Wolff
Bruce M. Falconer	James J. Molen	Louis J. Zettler
Thomas M. Farley	Charles J. Moore	

Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond, by John E. Bowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Henry Bruckner, President, Borough of The Bronx, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works.

Edward Riegelmann, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by Joseph Fennelly, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Frank L. Dowling, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of May 28, 1918.

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

No. 561.

A Designation.

To the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

I hereby designate Edward J. Haligan as Official Stenographer for the session of the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, June 4, 1918.

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 562.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish Various Grades of Positions in the Department of Public Markets.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, June 3, 1918.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of five resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 31, 1918, relative to the establishment and abolishment of various positions, as follows:

Department and Position.		Rate of Compensation. Incumbents.	
<i>Establishment.</i>			
		Per annum.	
Cal. No. 54C	Public Markets—		
	Messenger	\$1,200 00	One
	Bookkeeper	1,140 00	One
	Auto Truck Driver	1,020 00	One
Cal. No. 60B	President, Borough of Richmond—		
	Topographical Draftsman	1,380 00	One
		Per diem.	
Cal. No. 73C	Plant and Structures—		
	Foreman Riveter	\$6 50	One
<i>Abolishment.</i>			
		Per annum.	
Cal. No. 79B	Central Purchase Committee—		
	Examiner of Purchase and Supplies, effective July 1, 1918.....	2,160 00	One
<i>Establishment.</i>			
Cal. No. 83C	Commissioner of Accounts—		
	Secretary to Commissioner	\$1,800 00	One
<i>Abolishment.</i>			
	Efficiency Engineer	6,000 00	One

I also transmit copies of the reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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 of grades of position in the Department of Public Markets, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Messenger	\$1,200 00	One
Bookkeeper	1,140 00	One
Auto Truck Driver	1,020 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

May 24, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of requests of Department of Public Markets for transfer of funds and for permission to fill vacant positions, as follows:

Modification of Schedule.

Meeting of:	Calendar No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
May 17, 1918	83	275	To transfer the sum of \$1,960 from Schedule No. 287, Contingencies, to schedule No. 275, in order to provide for the salaries of additional new positions of Messenger, at \$1,200; Bookkeeper, at \$1,140, and Auto Truck Driver, at \$1,020, from June 1, 1918. Provision having been made recently for the purchase, sale and distribution of foodstuffs, this force is necessary to provide for carting, distribution and accounting for the same. It will be necessary to establish the grade of these positions pursuant to provisions of section 56 of the Charter.

Vacancies.

Direct Reference No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
331A	275	To fill four vacant positions of Stenographer and Typewriter at \$960 each, by the transfer of Margaret McNamee and Adelaide Alexander, receiving \$840 each, from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; Mollie Rothstein, now receiving \$900, from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and Henrietta Simon, now receiving \$900 from the Tenement House Department.
331B	275	To fill a vacant position of Laborer at \$3 per day, by appointment of William J. McMahon, at the same rate.
331C	275	To fill vacant position of Stenographer and Typewriter at \$1,320, by the transfer of Miss Rose Klauser, from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at the same rate.

The Committee finds that the filling of these positions is necessary to the proper conduct of the work of the Department, and recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions granting the request. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; JOSEPH FENNELLY, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 563.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish the Grade of Clerk in the Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, June 3, 1918.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 31, 1918, recommending the establishment of the grade of position of Clerk, at \$2,400 per annum, in the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, for one incumbent.

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

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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 of the grade of position in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to those heretofore established, to be effective as of June 1, 1918, as follows:

Position	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	\$2,400 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
May 27, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of requests made by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for modification of a salary schedule and establishment of an additional grade of position, as follows:

Modification of Schedule and Establishment of Position.

No.	Proposed Action.
550	To eliminate positions of Clerk, 1 at \$2,340 and 1 at \$1,200, and to add a Clerk, at \$2,400, and balance unassigned at \$1,140.

The purpose of this modification is to promote Mr. Neil Curtin, who is on an eligible list which expires June 3, 1918.

This change requires establishment, pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grade of position of Clerk, at \$2,400, for one incumbent.

The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions granting the requests. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; EDWARD RIEGELMANN, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 564.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Secretary to the Commissioner of Accounts and to Abolish the Position of Efficiency Engineer in the Office of the Commissioner of Accounts.

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 Commissioner of Accounts of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Secretary to Commissioner	\$1,800 00	One

—and further recommends the abolishment of the following position in said office:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Efficiency Engineer	\$6,000 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
May 24, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of requests made by the Commissioner of Accounts for permission to fill vacancies and for modification of a salary schedule, involving establishment and abolishment of a position, as follows:

Vacancies.

Direct Reference No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
335	210	Examiner of Accounts, at \$1,980, to be filled at same rate by appointment, exempt, of Augusta Regozin.
342A	210	Examiner of Accounts, at \$3,060, to be filled at same rate by appointment, exempt, of Gerald Morrell.
342B	210	Clerk, at \$1,800, to be filled at same rate by transfer of Thomas W. O'Connell, from President, Borough of Brooklyn.
350	210	Clerk, at \$420, to be filled at \$360, by person certified for appointment by Civil Service Commission.

Establishment and Abolishment of Positions and Modification of Schedule.

Meeting of:	Calendar No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
May 17, 1918	82	210	Recommending to Board of Aldermen establishment of position of Secretary to Commissioner, at \$1,800, for one incumbent, and abolishment of position of Efficiency Engineer, at \$6,000, for one incumbent. Modifying salary schedule to include position of Secretary to Commissioner, at \$1,800, the necessary funds being provided by eliminating position of Efficiency Engineer, at \$6,000, scheduling \$4,200 as Balance Unassigned (not available).

The Committee finds that approval of these requests is necessary to the proper conduct of the work of the office and therefore recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; JOSEPH FENNELLY, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 565.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Abolish the Grade of Position of Examiner of Purchase and Supplies, Central Purchase Committee.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the position of Examiner of Purchase and Supplies, established for the Central Purchase Committee, pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, at the rate of \$2,160 per annum, be abolished from and after July 1, 1918.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
May 17, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of requests made by the Secretary to the Central Purchase Committee for abolishment of a position and modification of a salary schedule as follows:

Abolishment of Position.

Meeting of:	Cal. No.	Proposed Action.
April 26, 1918	180	Recommending to Board of Aldermen the abolishment of the grade of position of Examiner of Purchase and Supplies at \$2,160, for one incumbent.

Modification of Schedule.

Meeting of:	Cal. No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
April 26, 1918	184-C	3005	Eliminating position of Examiner of Purchase and Supplies at \$2,160 and scheduling amount as Balance Unassigned.

The Secretary to the Central Purchase Committee states that the purpose of his

request is to adjust the salary schedule of the office so as to conform more accurately with the services needed.

The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions granting the requests. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; JOSEPH FENNELLY, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 566.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Topographical Draftsman in the Office of the President, Borough of Richmond.

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 of the grade of position in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Topographical Draftsman	\$1,380 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
May 24, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of the requests of the President of the Borough of Richmond for the establishment of a new position and for permission to fill a vacant position, as follows:

Establishment of Position.

Meeting of:	Cal. Schedule No. No.	Proposed Action.
May 17	76 759	To establish the grade of Topographical Draftsman at \$1,380, to provide for the increased rate approved by the Board May 10, 1918, for Harry W. Decker.

Vacancy.

Direct Reference No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
352	760	To fill a position of Sewer Inspector at \$115 a month in the Engineering Bureau, by Civil Service appointment.

The Committee finds that the filling of this position is necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the department, and recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions (2) approving the requests. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; JOSEPH FENNELLY, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 567.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Foreman Riveter in the Department of Plant and Structures.

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 Plant and Structures of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Foreman Riveter	\$6 50	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 31, 1918. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
May 24, 1918.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends approval of requests made by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures for modification of two personal service schedules, for permission to fill vacant positions and for the establishment of grade of position, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, as follows:

Modification of Schedules.

Meeting of:	Cal. No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
May 17, 1918	111A	2758C 2761	To increase the wages of Pavers from \$5 to \$6 per day, and Rammers from \$4 to \$5 per day, which are the prevailing rates since April 1, 1918. The cost of \$507.50, schedule No. 2761, is to be provided by the Comptroller by issue of special revenue bonds, pursuant to subdivision 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter. The cost in schedule No. 2758CR is to be provided by reducing the allowance for Laborer at \$3 per day by 213 1/3 days.

Vacancies.

Direct Reference No.	Schedule No.	Proposed Action.
353A	2759	Stationary Engineman at \$5 per day, to be filled by four appointments at the same rate, three for a period of 12 weeks and one for a period of six weeks, to act as substitutes during the vacation periods of regular employees.
353B	2784	Auto Engineman at \$1,020, to be filled by seven appointments at the same rate, for a period not to exceed six months each, to date from June 1, 1918, to act as substitutes during the vacation periods of the 33 regular employees.

Establishment of Grade of Position.

Meeting of:	Cal No.	Proposed Action.
May 17, 1918	98	To establish one position of Foreman Riveter at \$6.50 per day. The force employed on the Riverside Drive Viaduct will be transferred from the President, Borough of Manhattan, and it is necessary to establish the position in the Department of Plant and Structures in order to retain the same employee.

The Committee on Salaries and Grades recommends the adoption of the attached resolutions approving the requests. Respectfully,

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen; FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan; JOSEPH FENNELLY, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

No. 568.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Request for Authority to Purchase 50,000 Gallons of Fuel Oil Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, May 29, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Permission is hereby requested to purchase in the open market with-

out public letting, about 50,000 gallons of fuel oil at an estimated amount not to exceed \$7,500.

The fuel oil is required to operate Lutz heaters in repairing asphalt pavements by the burner method. It appears that in order to obtain this material, the Federal requirements compelled us to apply to the National Petroleum War Committee at Washington, D. C., who in turn has referred us to a concern which is in a position to furnish the oil required, and which, I am informed is willing to supply our requirements.

In order that we may secure this material for the purpose for which it is required while the opportunity is so favorable, I would respectfully request your immediate consideration. Very truly yours,

FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Alderman McCann offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase in the open market without public letting, 50,000 gallons of fuel oil at a total cost not to exceed \$7,500.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 569.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Request for Authority to Rent Lutz Heaters Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, May 29, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Permission is hereby requested to contract without public letting, for the services of Lutz Heaters at an estimated cost not to exceed \$6,500.

The heaters are to be used for repairs to asphalt pavements by the burner method, and have been successfully used by this Department for the past two years.

It is estimated that there will be about 130,000 yards of pavement to be resurfaced during 1918, at a cost of 5 cents per square yard, which will entail an expense of about \$6,500.

Your favorable consideration is respectfully requested. Very truly yours,

FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Alderman McCann offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized and empowered to contract without public letting for the services for Lutz Heaters, at a cost not to exceed \$6,500.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Central Purchase Committee:

No. 570.

Central Purchase Committee—Request for Authority to Purchase Forage Without Public Letting.

City of New York, Central Purchase Committee, Municipal Building, May 31, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Gentlemen—I respectfully request your permission to purchase in the open market, without public letting, forage in an amount not to exceed \$2,797.50. On April 1st, a contract opening of bids was held by the Central Purchase Committee for delivering forage to the Department of Public Charities during the months of April, May and June. At this opening prices were submitted by only one concern, and as they were exorbitant, the bid was rejected and steps taken to purchase forage in the open market. This committee was exceedingly fortunate in this respect as we were able to purchase a three months' supply in the open market for immediate delivery at prices considerably lower than bid prices, affecting a saving of \$815.21 for the City of New York.

Below, in table form, is shown the items purchased in the open market as compared with cost if purchased according to bid price, also the amount of money saved:

	Open Market Purchase.		If Purchased According To Price Bid At Contracts. Opening.		Saving.
Oats, 49,000 lbs.....	at \$0 035	\$1,715 00	at \$0 0404	\$1,979 60	\$264 60
Hay, 48,450 lbs.....	at 015	726 75	at 0237	1,148 26	421 51
Straw, 14,150 lbs.....	at 012	169 80	at 0168	237 85	68 05
Bran, 6,800 lbs.....	at 024	163 20	at 0325	231 00	57 80
Oilmeal, 650 lbs.....	at 035	22 75	at 04	26 00	3 25
		\$2,797 50		\$3,612 71	\$815 21

In view of the foregoing facts, I trust your Honorable Board can see the way clear to grant this request. Very truly yours,

JOHN J. DALY, Acting Director.

Approved: JAMES A. HAMILTON, Chairman; DAVID HIRSHFIELD, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 571.

Central Purchase Committee—Request for Authority to Purchase Coal in an Amount Not to Exceed \$2,797.50 Without Public Letting.

City of New York, Central Purchase Committee, Municipal Building, May 31, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Gentlemen—I respectfully request your permission to purchase in the open market, without public letting, coal for all of the departments under the jurisdiction of His Honor, the Mayor, during the months of July, August and September, and if it be possible also during the remaining months of the year 1918. Due to unsettled war conditions and owing to the United States Government assuming the distribution and setting of price on coal, it has been practically impossible to contract for it in any large quantities, as, for example, I will illustrate:

To-day, May 31, 1918, an opening of bids was held for delivering coal to Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and to the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health. Of the forty-six items advertised for in this opening, bids were received on only eleven. The thirty-five remaining items were not bid upon. Practically all the eleven items bid upon were at figures higher than it is believed coal can be obtained in the open market.

From the above facts your Honorable Board can readily see the difficulty to be anticipated in purchasing coal for any City Department at public letting and for that reason we request that you grant permission for the purchase of the City's coal in the open market for the remaining of this year and the first three months of 1919.

Very truly yours,

JOHN J. DALY, Acting Director.

Approved: JAMES A. HAMILTON, Chairman; DAVID HIRSHFIELD, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 572.

Commissioner of Licenses—Request for Authority to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

City of New York, Department of Licenses, 57 Centre st., May 31, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Dear President—Will you kindly have introduced in the Board of Aldermen the following resolution requesting authority to draw on account of contingent expenses:

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying the expenses for the postage of all mail matter in the Department of Licenses, the Commissioner of Licenses may by requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding \$300. The Department of Licenses may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, within the appropriation, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid on the preceding draft has been accounted for to the Comptroller by the submission of certified vouchers, giving the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Very truly yours,

JOHN F. GILCHRIST, Commissioner.

Which, on motion of Alderman Kenney, was made a General Order for the day.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Van Name, by John E. Bowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—70.

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

No. 573.

President, Borough of The Bronx—Request for Authority to Purchase Tar Road Oil Without Public Letting.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d and Tremont aves., June 3, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan, N. Y. City:

Gentlemen—In accordance with the provisions of chapter 419 of the Greater New York Charter, I hereby request your approval of the purchase, without public letting, of the following material for the maintenance of the highways in the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1918:

113,750 gallons of tar road oil, at \$0.128 per gallon.

Owing to the present market condition it would be difficult to obtain bids at a public letting for this material at this time. Assurances have been had, however, that it can be purchased in open market, and I believe that it would be for the best interests of the City that your Board approve of the request, as above stated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM J. FLINN, Commissioner of Public Works.

In connection with the foregoing communication, the Vice-Chairman offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of The Bronx is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase 113,750 gallons of tar road oil, at \$0.128 per gallon.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Magistrates' Court:

No. 574.

City Magistrates' Courts—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,160, to Provide for Four Temporary Stenographers.

City of New York, City Magistrates' Courts, 300 Mulberry St., May 31, 1918.

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

Gentlemen—At the suggestion of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I respectfully request your Honorable Board that special revenue bonds be issued in the sum of twenty-one hundred and sixty dollars (\$2,160), to provide for four (4) temporary Court Stenographers for a period of three (3) months, beginning July 1, and ending Sept. 30, 1918, in order that the regular Court Stenographers in the City Magistrates' Courts may be given a reasonable vacation during the foregoing period.

The facts and circumstances pertinent to this request are fully set forth in the accompanying request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and the report to the Chief Clerk of the City Magistrates' Courts, which are hereto annexed and made a part of this request.

In the request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated May 2, 1918, three temporary Stenographers for four months were asked, but in view of the fact that the said Board has suggested that this request be made to your Honorable Board, and owing to the delay occasioned thereby, it is now desired that four Stenographers for three months be granted, in order that the vacation schedule for the regular Stenographers may begin July 1, 1918. This involves no additional cost.

It is respectfully urged that speedy action upon this request be taken.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM McADOO, Chief City Magistrate.

City of New York, City Magistrates' Courts, 300 Mulberry St., May 2, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

Gentlemen—I respectfully request that your Honorable Board provide funds, by transfer or otherwise, to permit the Board of City Magistrates to obtain the services of three temporary Court Stenographers for a period of four months, from June 1 to Sept. 30, 1918, inclusive.

These Stenographers are to be employed in the various City Magistrates' Courts in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond. This will entail an expense of twenty-one hundred and sixty dollars (\$2,160), which may be transferred from the Miscellaneous Account, Code No. 3048, Accruals of Salaries and Wages, 1918. If this is not possible, I would respectfully request that revenue bond funds in the amount of \$2,160, be issued and that our account No. 2932, Wages, Temporary Employees, be modified to conform with the above.

The Stenographers in the Magistrates' Courts get less vacation period than those of any other Court in Greater New York. Their work is of the most exacting character and the hours in the Courts are long. Each Stenographer has to do his turn in the Night Courts. The Courts do not close any day in the year, Sundays and holidays not excepted.

In 1916 and 1917, upon a similar request, the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment granted an allowance of four temporary Stenographers for a period of three months, it being the judgment of the Board that this would provide for a three weeks vacation for the Stenographers in these Courts. However, upon arranging the schedule for the summer vacation, it was found that the very best possible allowance of vacation time for each Stenographer was between fourteen to sixteen days in 1916, and sixteen to eighteen days in 1917.

It may be stated that the situation for the summer period of 1918 is in all respects similar to that of 1916 and 1917. It is estimated that the allowance of three temporary Stenographers for a period of four months will make possible a vacation of about three weeks for each of the regular Stenographers.

In order to demonstrate to your Honorable Board that a genuine effort has been made to provide a vacation for the Court Stenographers, a series of tentative schedules have been drafted in a report to the Chief Clerk of the Department, copy of which is hereto annexed and made a part of this request. An examination of this report will show that it is impossible, without the additional help requested, to provide a reasonable vacation during the summer months.

In view of the fact that the vacation period in these Courts commences on June 1, it is earnestly hoped that your Honorable Board will see its way clear to act favorably upon this request at an early date, in order that schedules may be arranged. Very respectfully, WILLIAM McADOO, Chief City Magistrate.

New York, April 18, 1918.

FRANK OLIVER, Esq., Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry St., New York City.

Dear Sir—Pursuant to your direction, Mr. Berl and myself have prepared a series of possible vacation schedules for the Magistrates' Court Stenographers, for the summer period of 1918, and in order to present the situation as clearly as possible, it will be necessary to set before you what each tentative schedule entails.

The Magistrates' Courts are in session 365 days in the year. They do not close Sunday or Holidays.

Schedule "A."

There are fourteen courts in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, to be covered by a full staff of eighteen Stenographers (assuming that the present vacancy is filled in time to make operative whatever schedule may be adopted).

By fixing the vacation period from May 1 to Oct. 31, utilizing every one of the eighteen Stenographers, it will be possible to give each Stenographer twenty-one (21) consecutive days' vacation, and a relief day out of every seven days, but providing for no reserve Stenographer to cover possible sickness or absence due to subpoenas or other cause. (This plan contemplated taking Miss Shuster from Headquarters and assigning her to the Traffic Court.)

Schedule "B."

This schedule, covering the period from June 1 to Oct. 4, provides for a vacation period of fourteen consecutive days, and at the same time providing one relief day in every seven days, but provides no reserve Stenographer.

Schedule "C."

By fixing the vacation period from June 1 to Sept. 30, utilizing the full staff of Stenographers as set forth in "A," it would be possible to give each Stenographer a vacation of twenty-one (21) consecutive days, followed or preceded by a straight assignment of 102 days' work, without any relief, or three periods of seven (7) days off, with intervening periods of approximately thirty-five days constant work, without relief. This plan, however, would provide for a reserve Stenographer.

Schedule "D."

Taking the period from June 16 to Sept. 30, and again utilizing the full staff, would provide a vacation of twenty-four (24) days, to be taken either in four periods at six (6) days, with intervening periods of eighteen (18) to twenty-four (24) working days, without relief, and no reserve Stenographer to cover emergency, or, if it is desired to take the twenty-four (24) days consecutively as a vacation, it will necessitate working eighty-four (84) days continuously, without relief.

The foregoing tentative schedules show the best possible provision that can be made with the present staff (including the appointment to fill present vacancy), without asking for additional help.

Schedule "E."

This schedule is the one put in operation during the summer period of 1917, which, with additional help of four substitute Stenographers for a period of three months, provides a vacation period of sixteen to eighteen days consecutively, and a relief day out of every seven days, and in addition provided for one reserve Stenographer. This reserve Stenographer, in addition to covering "Reserve," took regular periods of assignment in various courts during the vacation period. This plan provided for Miss Shuster covering as reserve.

None of the foregoing schedules provide for covering the Richmond Magistrates' Court during the vacation period of the Stenographer regularly assigned to that Court. The Brooklyn Stenographic staff, in arranging their vacation schedule, find themselves unable to cover this Richmond Court, and if it falls to the lot of the New York Stenographic staff to take up this relief in Richmond, it will necessitate a complete rearrangement of the Schedules A, B, C, D, involving further curtailment of time off, and imposing additional hardship on an already fully occupied staff.

It will readily be seen that the adoption of any one of the schedules A, B, C and D, involves not only the breaking up of the vacation period into three parts, with variously long periods of days of constant work without relief, but practically nullifies the beneficial character of a vacation, namely, the opportunity to leave the City for rest and change of scene for any length of time. It is out of the question for men with families to arrange their vacations, unless it is granted during the closed school season, and for one straight period.

It may be suggested further, that the character and volume of work done by the official Stenographers in the Magistrates Courts during the year require a high state of physical and mental efficiency, consequently the imperative need for a reasonable period of rest and recreation during the hot summer months, in order that they may return to duty better equipped for the important and exacting work of the fall and winter months.

It is, therefore, respectfully recommended that a request be made of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the granting of three additional Stenographers for a period of four months, at a cost of \$2,160.

In order that the schedule for the vacation period may be put in operation, it is respectfully suggested that this matter be presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the earliest possible moment. Respectfully submitted,

JAMES GRAHAM, Chairman, Stenographer's Committee; SAMUEL BERL, Assignment Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Education:

No. 575.

Board of Education—Request for Authority to Enter Into Contracts, Without Public Letting, for Such Work, Materials or Services Necessary and Incidental to the Prosecution of the Plan Devised by the United States Government to Prepare Drafted Men for War Service in Various Branches of Usefulness by the Use of Public School Buildings for Intensive Training During the Months of July and August Next.

Department of Education, City of New York, Board of Education, Park Ave. and 59th St., N. Y., May 31, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At the meeting of the Committee of the Whole of the Board of Education held on May 29, 1918, the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Education has been invited by the Federal Government to participate in the work of preparing drafted men for war service in various branches of usefulness requiring skilled labor; and

Whereas, It is planned that certain schools which possess the necessary vocational equipment shall be utilized for the intensive instruction and maintenance during the months of July and August of about 2,000, for which service, when rendered, the United States Government will pay approximately \$1.77 per capita per day. The transaction will represent a disbursement of about \$220,000, which will be returned to the Board of Education by the warrants of the Federal Government upon the presentation of duly approved vouchers; and

Whereas, The services required to be performed are in the nature of patriotic duty to the common welfare, safety and efficiency; involves in the end no expense to the Board of Education, and is of special or emergency character involving the most prompt action at all times and by all persons and agencies, in order that the services may be performed when required to be performed with alacrity and without delay, hindrance or formality; and

Whereas, The successful prosecution of this important function entrusted to this Board may be retarded or rendered difficult unless ordinary procedure be waived; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby respectfully, requested to authorize the Board of Education to enter into contracts without public letting, for such work, material or services as may be necessary and incidental to the prosecution of the plan devised by the United States Government to prepare drafted men for war service in various branches of usefulness requiring skilled labor by the use of public school buildings for intensive training during the months of July and August next.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 576.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Request for Authority to Purchase 15,000 Cubic Yards of Asphalt Wearing Surface Sand Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, June 3, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—Permission is hereby requested to purchase by open market order, without public letting, about 15,000 cubic yards of asphalt wearing surface sand at an estimated cost not to exceed \$18,750.

The material is required in the production of asphalt mixture, to be used in the repair of asphalt pavements.

The department is unable to enter a contract on account of the market conditions and Government restrictions which have not changed since the last exemption was granted.

In order that we may obtain some of this much needed material as soon as possible, I would respectfully urge your favorable consideration.

Yours very truly, FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan.

In connection with the foregoing communication Alderman McCann offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase in the open market, without public letting, asphalt wearing surface sand at a total cost not to exceed \$18,750.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 577.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Request for Authority to Purchase Refined Asphalt Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, June 3, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—Permission is hereby requested to purchase in the open market, without public letting, about 750,000 gallons of refined asphalt, at an estimated cost not to exceed \$97,500.

This material is required in the production of asphalt wearing surface mixture for repairs to asphalt pavements.

Upon investigation, I have ascertained that market conditions have not changed since the last exemption was granted by your Honorable Board.

Dealers are still reluctant to bind themselves by contract to furnish any great quantity of materials which the Government may commandeer at any time, and we are, therefore, compelled to obtain our requirements from time to time, and in such quantities as may be available.

Your favorable consideration is respectfully requested. Yours very truly,

FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Borough of Manhattan.

In connection with the foregoing communication Alderman McCann offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase in the open market, without public letting, refined asphalt at a total cost not to exceed \$97,500.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

On motion of the Vice-Chairman, the Board assumed the business of Special Orders.

S. O. 50 (Int. No. 461).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Docks to Purchase an Automobile Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on April 23, 1918 (Minutes, page 109), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Docks for authority to purchase an automobile without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Commissioner of Docks, Mr. Murray Hulbert, stated to the Committee he proposed purchasing a special make of auto and there would be no advantage in advertising for bids. He further stated that the amount, \$2,860, is insufficient and should be increased to \$3,800. Inasmuch as the Commissioner intends to purchase a special make of auto, the Committee is of the opinion that advertising is unnecessary and recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Docks be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase an automobile, in the open market without public letting, the cost thereof not to exceed three thousand eight hundred dollars (\$3,800).

JOHN McCANN, THOMAS M. FARLEY, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, EDWARD W. COX, CHARLES J. MOORE, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, JOHN F. MCCOURT, JOHN J. RYAN, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, April 20, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—I herewith request that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen authorizing and empowering the Commissioner of Docks to purchase in open market, without public letting, an automobile for the use of the Department of Docks and Ferries, the cost thereof not to exceed \$2,860. Very truly yours,

MURRAY HULBERT, Commissioner of Docks.

After discussion by the Commissioner of Docks, the Vice-Chairman, Aldermen Held, Colne, McGarry and Falconer, Alderman Gilmore moved the previous question. The President put the question "Shall the main question be now put?"

Which was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Bell, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McManus, McNulty, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—53.

Negative—Aldermen Beckerman, Bostwick, Braunstein, Calman, Ferrand, Held, Lee, McGarry, Martin, Vladeck and Wolff—11.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 578 (G. O. No. 75).

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 the President—ELLIS V. LEVY, 940 Simpson st., Bronx; endorsed by L. L. LEVY and E. V. Gilmore. By Alderman Beckerman—REUBEN WEINBERG, 24 Avenue C, Manhattan; endorsed by N. Lichtblau and C. Rieft.

By Alderman Bostwick—CHAS. A. STRAUSS, 580 W. 161st st., Manhattan; endorsed by H. Dongan and M. Solomoni. GEORGE W. S. O'BRIEN, 417 W. 156th st., Manhattan; endorsed by I. J. Campbell and E. A. Smith. THOMAS R. COGAN, 371 Edgecombe ave.; endorsed by G. W. F. O'Brien and E. A. Smith.

By Alderman Braunstein—JOSEPH M. PALEY, 1915 Daly ave., Bronx; endorsed by G. S. Rice and A. Lodholz. KATHRINE M. PETRIE, 4564 Park ave., Bronx; endorsed by A. E. Sheridan and F. A. Zeisler. SAMUEL ZIMMERMAN, 2106 Clinton ave., Bronx; endorsed by H. Pouker and A. S. Fraser. ISRAEL H. ZINOVY, 1125 Forest ave., Bronx; endorsed by M. Nussbaum and W. Isenburgh.

By Alderman Buckley—MORTIMER E. ROSENBAUM, 2860 Valentine ave., Bronx; endorsed by A. E. Morford and I. L. Mayer. WILLIAM MEYER, 651 W. 179th st., Manhattan; endorsed by V. F. Goeren and H. Kaempf. ALBERT L. HETZER, 2419 Jerome ave., Bronx; endorsed by D. W. Bowden and G. D. Welde.

By Alderman Burden—MICHAEL J. REIDY, 76 Hoyt ave., L. I. City, Queens; endorsed by G. Hilkemeier and E. W. Cox. EDWARD C. McPHARLAN, 3039 Madison ave., Man.; endorsed by J. J. McElhearn and J. J. Conway.

By Alderman Colne—WALTER E. WARNER, 96 Lefferts pl., Bklyn.; endorsed by B. L. Flekhy and A. S. Tully.

By Alderman Cox—FREDA FRITSCHER, 1001 Seneca ave., Queens; endorsed by A. J. Luiser and O. Reichardt. ANDREW GOETZ, 835 Fresh Pond rd., Queens; endorsed by E. W. Cox and S. F. Roberts.

By Alderman Dunn—MOSES NELSON, 5310 11th ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by W. D. Sullivan and B. Cohen. GEORGE FRANCIS LACEY, 639 53d st., Bklyn.; endorsed by C. H. Naumark and T. F. Moran.

By Alderman Friedman—THOS. H. McGARRY, 500 W. 179th st., Man.; endorsed by W. F. Cronin and P. Hayes.

By Alderman Fullum—RALPH FRANCIS IZZO, 93 Garfield pl., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. C. L. Daly and D. Joyce.

By Alderman Gilmore—AMBROSE O. NEAL, 419 E. 84th st., Man.; endorsed by F. Florlacher and M. A. Burke.

By Alderman Hatch—NELLIE TURNER, 2 W. 34th st., Man.; endorsed by J. S. Smith and J. W. Muller. JAMES A. GAFFNEY, 63 Perry st., Man.; endorsed by R. H. Malone and W. J. Collins.

By Alderman Lee—ABRAHAM PEARLMAN, 919 Tiffany st., Bronx; endorsed by L. Herchler and L. Levene. DANIEL HANDLER, 45 2d ave., N. Y. City; endorsed by M. Berger and I. Frankenberg. CHARLES L. ORNSTEIN, 61 Delancy st., Manhattan; endorsed by B. B. Greller and P. Glickman.

By Alderman McCann—FRANK FISCHERMANN, 353 W. 53d st., Manhattan; endorsed by H. D. Manning and J. J. McBride.

By Alderman McManus—THOMAS E. NESS, 504 W. 46th st., Manhattan; endorsed by J. Sittler and A. McPherson.

By Alderman Moore—ALBERT H. SEAMAN, 128 Norwood ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. Kapp and C. J. Bode. Which was laid over.

No. 579.

Resolution Directing the Committee on General Welfare to Prepare and Report an Ordinance Providing for the Licensing of Restaurants, Etc.

By Alderman Collins—

Resolved, That the Committee on General Welfare be and it hereby is instructed to present to the Board an ordinance or ordinances to carry into effect the recommendations of the Hon. Richard Enright, Police Commissioner, with reference to the licensing of restaurants, etc., as set forth in the communication of his Honor the Mayor under date of June 3, 1918, attached hereto.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, June 3, 1918.

Hon. ROBERT L. MORAN, 1486 St. Lawrence ave., Bronx, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—The Mayor has received a communication from the Police Commissioner suggesting the advisability of enacting an ordinance requiring all restaurants, furnished room houses and flats to obtain licenses, and by his direction I am enclosing a copy thereof.

The Mayor approves the suggestion of the Police Commissioner, and feels that the enactment of such an ordinance is essential in the interest of good city government. For this reason he asks your cooperation to the end that these places may be brought under proper police supervision. Very truly yours,

GROVER A. WHALEN, Secretary to the Mayor.

City of New York, Police Department, April 25, 1918.

Hon. JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor, City of New York, City Hall, N. Y.:

My dear Mr. Mayor—For the proper enforcement of the law and for the proper control of vice in this City, particularly during war time, I respectfully recommend that an ordinance be enacted requiring that all restaurants and chop suey restaurants, furnished room houses and flats be required to obtain a license, in order that they may be brought under proper police supervision.

In many restaurants in this City cabaret shows are in operation, which are practically theatrical performances, and as it is necessary for theatres and common shows to obtain a license, there is no reason why the restaurants which run cabaret shows should not be required to pay a special license therefor. In addition to this all restaurants should be licensed in order that the Police Department and the Department of Health may have better supervision and control in their respective spheres.

The furnished room house and so-called furnished flats, which are rented to prostitutes and pimps, are virtually houses of assignment and the owners and lessors of those places receive very high rentals therefor. If the law required these people to obtain a license it would, of course, bring the matter immediately to the attention of the authorities, and in effect would be a prohibition against the use of such places.

Very truly yours,

R. E. ENRIGHT, Police Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

By Alderman Moran—HARRY HOLZINGER, 790 Dawson st., Bronx; endorsed by C. L. Halberstadt and J. Rosenberg.

By Alderman Mullen—BERNARD LIBERMAN, 301 W. 150th st., Manhattan; endorsed by H. Cohn and M. Perlmuter. WILLIAM O. NICCOLLS, 117 W. 141st st., Manhattan; endorsed by J. C. Hawkins and C. F. A. French.

By Alderman Palitz—ADOLPH PUSKIN, 890 Fox st., Bronx; endorsed by M. Malamata and J. J. Schmukler.

By Alderman Rosenberg—JACOB LESKNER, 206 W. 119th st., Manhattan; endorsed by G. H. Ott and P. Roth.

By Alderman Ryan—JOHN CLINTON RHODES, 1462 E. 15th st., Bklyn.; endorsed by M. H. Trehan and A. I. Anderson. I. JOSEPH ROSE, 2066 E. 14th st., Bklyn.; endorsed by A. David and H. C. Turk. ADOLPH HAEDRICH, 1213 Avenue L, Bklyn.; endorsed by R. H. Bosse and W. A. Cook. JOHN JAMES GORDON, 1832 Bath ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by W. J. Mackin and W. F. Paal. JOHN F. MURPHY, 144 Chester ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by P. A. Lee and W. A. Fields.

By Alderman Schmitz—CHARLES B. DUFF, 11 Case st., Elmhurst, L. I.; endorsed by R. P. Weber and J. Barbe.

By Alderman Smith—EUGENE C. EGAN, 429 Quincy st., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. J. Sexton and W. V. Rosbotham.

By Alderman Squiers—ALFRED F. UPSON, 1036 Lincoln pl., Bklyn.; endorsed by H. Taylor and L. Barton Case. FLORENCE L. EARL, 1169 Flatbush ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by H. A. Gaston and J. L. McMann. SAMUEL HORWITZ, 1608 President st., Bklyn.; endorsed by G. Wiener and H. Durio. EUGENE E. VAN CLEET, 1359 Noststrand ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by M. M. Sherman and J. F. Fitzgerald. ABRAM FOSTER WINFIELD, 2210 NEWKIRK ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. W. Bondreau and J. H. Phair. A. LLOYD LOTT, 30 Linden ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. W. Redmond and F. M. Mackey.

By Alderman Sullivan—MARY LEHRER, 347 Rodney st., Bklyn.; endorsed by G. C. Stout and A. Marshall.

By Alderman Williams—JOHN J. CANNON, 118 W. 103d st., Manhattan; endorsed by E. V. Gilmore and J. F. McCourt. WILLIAM PATRICK BARRETT, 107 W. 101st st., Manhattan; endorsed by G. A. Schaefer and W. F. McEllen. DAVID FRIEDMAN, 215 W. 100th st., Manhattan; endorsed by C. C. Peters and J. C. Brand.

By Alderman Wise—MICHIGAN C. BROWN, 49 W. 134th st., Manhattan; endorsed by F. McCabe and I. L. Frieberg.

By Alderman Wolff—HAROLD RAYFIEL, 66 Thatford ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by J. Halpern and Henry Hoffman. ABRAHAM W. SLEPIAN, 616 Howard ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by I. W. Ellman and A. S. Olshansky. ABRAHAM ROSENBLUM, 171 Sackman st., Bklyn.; endorsed by B. S. Milman and I. Rottenberg.

By Alderman Zettler—JOHN BAYER, Jr., 243 Irving ave., Bklyn.; endorsed by C. J. Hellesheimer and C. W. Sie-richs.

No. 580.

Resolution Requesting the Commissioner of Health to Inform the Board as to What Action Has Been Taken in Securing an Adequate Supply of Milk for Young Children During the Summer Months.

By Alderman Gilmore—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Health be and he hereby is requested to inform the Board as to what steps are being taken by City and private agencies to secure an adequate supply of milk for young children during the summer months, together with any recommendations on the subject that he may deem advisable to make.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Subsequently Alderman Wolff moved that the vote by which the foregoing proposition was adopted be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

No. 581.

Resolution Authorizing the President of the Borough of The Bronx to Purchase Coal Without Public Letting.

By the Vice Chairman—

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of The Bronx is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase coal in the open market without public letting at a total cost not to exceed thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000).

Which, on his motion, was made a Special Order for the day.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 582.

Resolution Recalling from His Honor the Mayor Resolution (Int. No. 505) Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the Purchase of Fire Hose.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration a resolution now in his hands (Int. No. 505), providing for special revenue bonds for the purchase of fire hose.

Which was adopted.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor and is as follows:

Int. 505.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 188), the annexed request of the Fire Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, \$142,770, for the purchase of fire hose, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is an annual request, and your Committee believes the Department estimate is reasonable and recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and forty-two thousand seven hundred and seventy dollars (\$142,770), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Commissioner for the purpose of purchasing fire hose.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1918.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, W. F. QUINN, B. E. DONNELLY, JOHN DIEMER, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, JAMES J. MOLEN, EDWARD V. GILMORE, ROBERT L. MORAN, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, May 9, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith, for the consideration of the Board of Aldermen, communication dated May 7, from the Fire Commissioner, approved by the Mayor, requesting an authorization of \$142,770 special revenue bonds for the purchase of 94,950 feet of fire hose of various sizes. Very truly yours,

GROVER A. WHALEN, Secretary to the Mayor.

Fire Department, City of New York, May 7, 1918.

Hon. JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor of the City of New York:

Sir—It is requested that the Board of Aldermen authorize a special revenue bond issued to the amount of \$142,770, for the purchase of 94,950 feet of fire hose of various sizes as shown in the subjoined table, which also gives the estimated cost per foot, estimated cost for each size and total estimated cost:

	1½-inch. (Feet.)	2½-inch. (Feet.)	3-inch. (Feet.)	3½-inch. (Feet.)
Quota	57,650	432,250	103,150	33,200
On hand and due	36,550	451,100	138,600	28,900
Shortage	21,100	18,850	35,450	4,300
Eight years old	1,050	62,150	53,750	6,900
Net shortage	22,150	43,300	18,300	11,200
Estimated cost per foot.....	\$0 60	\$1 20	\$2 40	\$3 00
Totals	\$13,290 00	\$51,960 00	\$43,920 00	\$33,600 00

22,150 ft. of 1½-inch Fabric at \$0.60 per ft.....	\$13,290 00
43,300 ft. of 2½-inch Fabric at \$1.20 per ft.....	51,960 00
18,300 ft. of 3-inch Rubber at \$2.40 per ft.....	43,920 00
11,200 ft. of 3½-inch Rubber at \$3.00 per ft.....	33,600 00
	\$142,770 00

The hose situation in the Fire Department for some time back has been in somewhat perilous condition. During the past winter there were times when grave danger existed and serious fire loss was narrowly averted. Unless adequate provision is made to procure hose, and at once, a situation will develop that may be a source of very great danger. At the present time there is a shortage of 94,950 feet, taking into account that hose more than eight years old is unsafe for further use.

Long experience of the Fire Department has shown that after hose has been in use for eight years it is no longer safe or reliable. There are, of course, many instances where hose has been serviceable for more than eight years. This long service, however, is more than offset by the fact that many lengths of hose, on which the guarantee has expired, do not last eight years.

Up to about seven years ago hose manufacturers guaranteed their product against defective material and workmanship for a period of four years. Thereafter this department found it necessary to reduce the guarantee period to three years as contractors would not bid if a longer guarantee were exacted.

When it is remembered that the Fire Commissioner is willing to assume that hose is serviceable for a period of five years beyond the time which contractors consider it safe to guarantee hose, it will be admitted that fixing the service limit at eight years is about as far as it is wise or safe to go.

Getting fire hose is becoming more difficult every day. Manufacturers are confronted with many difficulties in procuring material, and skilled labor is at a premium. No matter how willing manufacturers may be, procuring fire hose will become more of a problem daily for Fire Departments.

The United States Government is a very large user of fire hose and its orders are commands and must be cared for by manufacturers to the exclusion of all other business; hence the importance of trying to procure deliveries, or at least make a contract at the earliest moment so as to reduce to a minimum the probabilities of being set back because of Federal Government orders or prior orders from other sources.

Assuming that favorable action on this request be taken at the next meeting of your board, it would be at least a month before bids could be opened for furnishing

host. The very earliest delivery that could be hoped for would be sixty days thereafter, and then only in limited quantities; thus it would be three months before any hose would be delivered and three months hence the shortage will be greater than it now is.

The general opinion among hose manufacturers is that the price of hose will continue to rise and that the procuring of yarn for making the hose jackets will become increasingly difficult. Some manufacturers are of the opinion that it will be necessary, within a short time, to procure a United States Government certificate before any yarn can be obtained from the mills.

That there will be much difficulty in procuring sufficient to meet the needs of this department, even under the most favorable conditions that may exist, cannot be questioned. It is, therefore, urged that prompt and favorable action be taken on this request to assure having a supply sufficient to meet any contingency that may arise and be protected against the possibility, in fact, the probability, that six months hence hose manufacturers may be declining orders, no matter how attractive a price the City may be willing to pay.

My experience during the past four months has convinced me that the procuring of any high grade manufactured product is one of the most serious problems that this department will have to contend with at least during the period of the war.

While this request is only for funds to take care of the current yearly requirements, I am strongly of the opinion that it would be a very wise precaution for your board to authorize an issue of \$100,000, in addition to the amount requested, which would insure the department's being well equipped in this important respect for the next three years.

This department is beset with so many problems and difficulties which require constant, and, in many cases, immediate attention, that it would greatly relieve the situation if the hose problem were properly covered for a long period and other pressing matters could receive the attention that their importance demands.

Not only would this very important requirement be properly cared for as stated, but a great saving would also be effected. From the information I have been able to gather, it is possible to assure your honorable board that \$100,000, available now, will permit contracting for a quantity of hose that would cost at least \$125,000 if making a contract were delayed a year. Respectfully,

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Fire Commissioner.

On motion of Alderman Kenney, the vote by which the foregoing resolution was adopted, was reconsidered, and the paper was on his motion recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

No. 583.

Resolution Relative to the Working Hours of Employees in the Department of Street Cleaning.

By Alderman Farley—

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that:

No. 1. No employee of the Department of Street Cleaning shall be required to work for a period longer than eight hours in any one day of twenty-four hours, unless he be compensated for each hour constituting such overtime at the rate of time and a half, such overtime to be calculated upon the basis of a working day of eight hours duration, and of three hundred and thirteen working days in one year.

No. 2. No employee of the Department of Street Cleaning will be required to work more than six days in any consecutive seven days, except in the case of snow fall or other emergency, and in such case such employee shall be compensated for each day at the rate of time and a half.

Which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries.

No. 584.

Resolution Requesting the Fire Commissioner to Restore the System of Leaves to the Members of the Department as It Existed Prior to June 1, 1918.

By Alderman Haubert—

Whereas, The City of New York possesses the finest fire fighting force in the world;

Whereas, Up to June 1st last the members of the fire department received four twelve-hour leaves and six twenty-four hour leaves each month;

Whereas, Pursuant to an order recently issued by the Fire Commissioner and Chief of said Department, which order went into effect June 1st, the said members of said Department receive only three thirty-six hour leaves each month;

Whereas, Said order is unduly drastic and materially curtails the time off of said members, that it has caused great dissatisfaction among them, because they are now required to work nine consecutive days out of ten, because of the high cost of living and equipment and because it deprives many of them from being with their families or opportunity for recreation during said nine day period, because they obtain their meals at irregular intervals and unusual hours, all of which will have a tendency to affect their temperament, ability and effectiveness as fire fighters;

Whereas, Many members of the department have become discouraged and have applied for retirement, others have resigned and probably more will do likewise unless said order is reasonably modified or rescinded, and thereby the effectiveness of the department will be considerably reduced;

Therefore, be it Resolved, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York: That the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York be and he hereby is respectfully requested to restore the system of leaves to the members of the fire department as it existed immediately prior to June 1, 1918.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Subsequently Alderman Quinn moved that the vote by which the foregoing proposition was adopted be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

No. 585 (Ord. No. 56).

An Ordinance to Provide for the Public Health, Comfort, Convenience and Welfare by Authorizing the Appointment in Each Election District of a City Agent.

By the Vice-Chairman—

AN ORDINANCE to Provide for the Public Health, Comfort, Convenience and Welfare by Authorizing the Appointment in Each Election District of a City Agent.

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

Section 1. Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances relating to administrative provisions is hereby amended by adding thereto a new article to be Article 15, entitled, "City Agents," and to read as follows:

ARTICLE 15.

City Agents.

§271. City agents, appointment, and duties—

1. Each member of the board of aldermen of the City of New York shall appoint for each election district in his aldermanic district a city agent who shall be a voter of the election district for which such agent is appointed and who shall serve without compensation. The term of office of a city agent shall be for a period of six months from the first day of July, nineteen hundred and eighteen. The term of office of a city agent appointed on and after January first, Nineteen hundred and nineteen, shall be for a period of one year from the first day of January of the year in which such agent is appointed. The alderman shall file with the city clerk the names of the city agents serving within his aldermanic district, within twenty days after their appointment. The clerk of the board of aldermen shall act as a clearing agency for the activities of all city agents.

2. Each alderman may refer any matter or inquiry affecting his aldermanic district to any city agent of such district and the city agent shall report thereon to the alderman. The board of aldermen may refer any matter or inquiry to any city agent or agents and the city agent or agents shall report thereon to the clerk of the board. It shall be the duty of the city agent to observe and report to the alderman of his district, or to the clerk of the board of aldermen, all matters relating to the health, comfort, convenience and welfare of the people of his election district; the manner in which all provisions of law and ordinance are enforced in his election district; and the manner in which various public institutions and agencies concerned with the public health, comfort, convenience and welfare are performing their functions in his election district; and to recommend to the alderman of his district, or the clerk of the board of aldermen what steps will in his opinion promote the effectiveness of such institutions or agencies.

3. Each alderman may call, and, upon the petition of any ten city agents within an aldermanic district requesting a meeting of the city agents of that district, it shall be the duty of the alderman of that district to call, a meeting of all the city agents of his district. The alderman shall fix the time and place for such meeting and give notice by mail to all city agents within his district, stating the subject matter to be considered at such meeting.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of the Committee on Finance—

No. 480.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the Veteran Corps of Artillery, New York, for Special Revenue Bonds, \$200, to Provide for the Services of the Artillery Corps Band and Drum Corps on Decoration Day, May 30, 1918.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 30, 1918 (Minutes, page 205), the annexed request of the Veteran Corps Artillery, New York, for special revenue bonds, \$200, to provide for the services of the Artillery Corps' band and drum corps on Decoration Day, May 30, 1918, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee having reconsidered this matter concludes that it has no authority to grant the request as all funds for such purposes are allotted to certain recognized organizations, and, therefore, in accordance with the opinion contained in the annexed report of the investigating bureau of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it recommends the request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, B. E. DONNELLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, JAMES J. MOLEN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Finance.

The Veteran Corps of Artillery of the State of New York, Commandants' Office, Armory, Park Avenue and 34th Street, New York City, May 3, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Dear Mr. President—On Memorial Day of the Grand Army of the Republic, May 30, 1918, his Honor the Mayor and other officials of the City will review the parade from Soldiers' Monument, Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan.

It has been customary, on particular request of the Memorial Committee, G. A. R., for the Veteran Corps of Artillery of the State of New York to have a guard of honor at the reviewing stand as peculiarly appropriate to the occasion, this historic corps being, by law, a "separate and distinct corps" in the organized active militia of our State from the lately federalized National Guard, and preserved, with its "accustomed privileges," in every militia organizing act of Congress from May 8, 1792, to the the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, both inclusive. * * *

The reviewing stand at Soldiers' Monument, Riverside Drive, on Memorial Day usually accommodates two thousand guests, including many United States, State and City officials and foreign consuls general and others distinguished in public life, and the seating of these takes time.

The necessity of having a band there with the guard of honor to play while waiting arrival of the regular army, navy, militia and civic associations in the parade, and the drum corps to receive properly a President of the United States, a Governor, a Commanding General, a foreign officer of rank, has made it incumbent on the corps to assume every year such expense to do honor to the occasion in our great imperial republican city.

We have, as you can see, been at so much individual corps expense during the year now closing in our City's service to do its behests, that I beg that you now take over this Memorial Day expense and appropriate \$200 for the corps' band and drum corps service, and trust that this requests will be favorably considered.

The appropriation sought this year by the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic is totally distinct from that preferred above and has nothing to do with it.

I take pleasure in saying, however, that although their request this year is larger than that of last year, made unavoidable by increase in cost of labor and material for reviewing stands, I have gone carefully over the request of those honest and patriotic G. A. R. Veterans and trust they will be accorded what they ask.

Respectfully,

ASA BIRD GARDINER, Commandant, Bvt. Major General, S. N. Y.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, Room 1300, May 17, 1918.

No. 480—Veteran Corps of Artillery, New York—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$200, to Provide for Services of Artillery Corps Band and Drum Corps on Decoration Day, May 30, 1918.

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

Sir—In accordance with your request of May 9, 1918, and an assignment made May 15, 1918, I have examined into this matter.

Appropriations to defray the cost of various observances on Memorial Day are made under authority of section 245 of the Greater New York Charter, which reads as follows:

"The Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall have power in its discretion to annually include in its final estimate such sum as it may deem proper for the due observance of Memorial Day to be expended by the memorial committee of the Grand Army of the Republic and by the United Spanish War Veterans and Army and Navy Union and Army and Navy Veterans in the various boroughs of said City, or in such other manner as to the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall seem proper."

From the foregoing it would appear that there is no specific authority to provide an appropriation direct to the Veteran Corps Artillery for the purpose of providing for the services of Artillery Corps, band and drum corps. It is possible that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment could have included same in the 1918 Budget under the terms of the last sentence of the law. This corps, however, did not make a request for an appropriation in the 1918 Budget.

There were appropriations aggregating \$12,158.46 provided in the 1918 Budget to the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic, the United Spanish War Veterans, the Army and Navy Union and the Army and Navy Veterans, under authority of the above mentioned law. In order to meet additional expense by these committees there are a number of requests pending for special revenue bonds. These committees employ bands. The committee in charge of the exercises in Manhattan state that they did not employ the Artillery Corps Band on Memorial Day last year.

Respectfully,

THOS. P. SMITH, JR., Examiner.

Which report was accepted.

No. 549.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the Police Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, \$7,000, to Pay Salaries of Ten Policewomen from June 1, 1918, to December 31, 1918.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 260), the annexed request of the Police Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, \$7,000, to pay salaries of ten policewomen, from June 1, 1918, respectfully

REPORTS:

That your Committee has been reliably informed that these funds have been provided from other sources. It, therefore, recommends the request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, B. E. DONNELLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, JAMES J. MOLEN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, May 24, 1918.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—It is respectfully requested that special revenue bonds be issued in the sum of \$7,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the salaries of ten policewomen from June 1st, 1918, to December 31st, 1918, and to enable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, under the provisions of law, to establish the position of policewoman and to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint such policewomen when such position is established; the policewomen, when so appointed, to be exempt from civil service examination under the provisions of chapter 651 of the Laws of 1917.

His Honor, the Mayor, has consented to this application. Respectfully,

JOHN A. LEACH, Acting Police Commissioner.

Which report was accepted.

No. 550 (S. O. 68).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$600, for the Purchase of Coal by the Sheriff, New York County.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 261), the annexed request of the Sheriff of New York County for Special

Revenue Bonds; \$600, for the purchase of coal for use in the County Jail, respectively

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, and basing its conclusions on the annexed report of the investigating bureau of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of six hundred dollars (\$600), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff, New York County, for the purpose of purchasing coal for use in the county jail for the balance of the year. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before Dec. 31, 1918.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, B. E. DONNELLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, JAMES J. MOLEN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Finance.

Sheriff's Office, New York County, 51 Chambers Street, New York, May 22nd, 1918.

To the Honorable ALFRED E. SMITH, President, the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City, N. Y.:

My Dear Mr. President—The enclosed application to the Board of Aldermen is made upon the suggestion of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to whom I applied last week for an additional appropriation for the purchase of coal for the county jail, to cover the remainder of this year.

The supply now on hand is already practically exhausted.

May I invoke your aid for speedy action upon the request to the Board of Aldermen? Respectfully yours,

DAVID H. KNOTT.

Sheriff's Office, New York County, 51 Chambers Street, New York, May 22nd, 1918.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request your Honorable Board to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under section 188 of the Charter, the issuance of special revenue bonds in the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600) for the purchase of coal required in the county jail for the remainder of the current year, the budget appropriation for 1918 having already been exhausted.

Respectfully yours, DAVID H. KNOTT, Sheriff of New York County.

Office of the Secretary, Room 1300, June 1, 1918.

No. 550—*Sheriff, New York County—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$600, for the Purchase of Coal for Use in the County Jail.*

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen: Sir—In accordance with your request, I have investigated this matter, and report thereon as follows:

The allowance in the 1918 budget to the Sheriff for the purchase of fuel supplies is \$650, based on an estimated consumption of 72 2-9 tons at \$9 per ton, as requested by the Sheriff in his departmental estimate.

Of this appropriation there is at present a balance of only \$8.12. Since January 6th, tons, costing \$641.88, or an average price of \$9.97 per ton, was delivered, nearly all of which has been consumed. The Sheriff estimates his requirements for the balance of the year at 60 tons at an average price of \$10 per ton. From April 17, 1917, to the end of the year there was delivered about 56 tons, 40 tons of which was delivered in October and December. The present estimate is based on a need for 40 tons for the last three months of the year and for 20 tons from now until the fall. The latter is to be used principally for cooking purposes. The price per gross ton of egg coal on the last lot delivered was \$9.80. The requested price of \$10 appears reasonable. Respectfully,

THOS. P. SMITH, Examiner.

No. 559.
Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to Set Aside Certain Property as Community Gardens.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 267), the annexed resolution requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to set aside certain property as community gardens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, your Committee is in full accord with the purpose of the resolution, and recommends the adoption of the said resolution.

Whereas, It is provided in section 205 of the City Charter that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund "shall have power to assign to use for any public purpose any city property, for whatsoever purpose originally acquired, which may be found by the Department having control thereof to be no longer required for such purpose," and

Whereas, It is desirable at the present time that every foot of ground be used for the cultivation of the soil, be it therefore

Resolved, By the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

1. That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they are hereby requested to turn over to the Department of Parks in any borough such property as the Commissioner of Parks in any borough may certify as available for use as community gardens and which in the opinion of the said Commissioners of the Sinking Fund is not available for any other city purpose.

2. That the said Department of Parks be allowed to retain jurisdiction over such property for the above specified purpose until the said Commissioners of the Sinking Fund see fit to withdraw it for other city purposes.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, B. E. DONNELLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, JAMES J. MOLEN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

Which, on motion of Alderman Lee, was made a Special Order for the day.

After discussion by Aldermen Squiers, Falconer, Lee and Wolff the Vice-Chairman moved the previous question.

The President put the question, "Shall the main question be now put?"

Which was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Donnelly, Dunn, Farley, Ferguson, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Roberts, Ryan, Schweickert, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; President Dowling; the Vice-Chairman; the President—57.

Negative—Aldermen Falconer, Gaynor, Moore, Quinn and Squiers—5.

No. 560 (S. O. 69).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$13,500, to Carry on the Work of the Children's Year Under the Supervision of the Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defense.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 267), the annexed resolution for special revenue bonds, \$13,500, for the purpose of carrying on the work of the Children's Year under the supervision of the Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defense, respectfully

REPORTS:

Whereas, The Government of the United States, through its Children's Bureau and Council of National Defense, has outlined a programme having as its object a nationwide effort to protect the lives and health of young children during the second year of the war and to make it a "Children's Year" throughout the country, to the end that everything possible might be done to reduce the infant mortality rate, and

Whereas, This programme is, through the Child Welfare Department of the Women's Committee of the Council of National Defense, being placed before the Child Welfare Committee of each local council; and

Whereas, In the City of New York the Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defense is the agency designated to carry on this important task;

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 \$13,500, the proceeds thereof to be used by the Mayor's Committee of

Women on National Defense for the purpose of carrying out the programme of the United States Government for what is known as "Children's Year," having as its object the conservation of the lives and health of young children, and the saving in this City of the lives of at least 4,700 children under five years of age. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1918; and be it further

Resolved, That the heads of City departments, Borough officers, social, civic and labor organizations and citizens generally be and they hereby are urged to co-operate with the Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defense, in order that it may successfully perform this great humanitarian task, which is of such vital importance to the City, State and Nation.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$13,500 for the purpose of carrying on the work of Children Year, under the supervision of the Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defense. This plan was inaugurated by the United States Government and was brought forward by the Council of National Defense and Federal Children Bureau. The purpose of the plan is to protect the health and general welfare of the young children of the city during the period of the war.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, B. E. DONNELLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, JAMES J. MOLEN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, ALGERNON LEE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, W. F. QUINN, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Reports of the Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 537 (G. O. 76).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish the Grades of Positions of Junior Assistant and Assistant Engineer in the Law Department.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 21, 1918 (Minutes, page 227), the annexed resolution to establish the grades of positions of Junior Assistant and Assistant Engineer in the Law Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution is to permit these incumbents to be advanced in grade, as a result of a promotion which they passed successfully. There is no increase in compensation.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held May 17, 1918, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Law Department of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, effective as of May 16, 1918, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Junior Assistant	\$1,680 00	One
Assistant Engineer	1,740 00	One

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

JAMES R. FERGUSON, JOHN F. McCOURT, EDWARD W. COX, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, MATTHEW G. FULLUM, WILLIAM K. WALSH, BARNET WOLFF, FRED SMITH, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 555 (G. O. 77).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish the Grades of Positions of Paver and Rammerman in City Departments.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 263), the annexed resolution to establish the grades of positions of Paver and Rammerman in City Departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution merely provides for the payment for the prevailing rate of wages to these employees.

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held May 24, 1918, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of Section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment in City departments of the grades of positions in addition to those heretofore established, effective as of April 1, 1918, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Paver	\$6 00	Unlimited
Rammerman	5 00	Unlimited

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

JAMES R. FERGUSON, JOHN F. McCOURT, EDWARD W. COX, MATTHEW G. FULLUM, BARNET WOLFF, WILLIAM K. WALSH, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, FRED SMITH, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

Reports of the Committee on Public Letting—

No. 535.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize the President, Borough of Richmond, to Purchase Bituminous Road Surfacing Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 21, 1918 (Minutes, page 226), the annexed request of the President, Borough of Richmond, for authority to purchase bituminous road surfacing without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Assistant Commissioner Bowe appeared before the Committee and stated that owing to the Federal Control it is impossible to obtain bids for these supplies, and further, that by a recent ruling supplies can only be had on order of the Fuel Director.

Your Committee accordingly recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President, Borough of Richmond, is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase 20,000 gallons of bituminous road surfacing material, without public letting, at an estimated cost of 13 cents per gallon.

JOHN McCANN, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, CHARLES J. MOORE, JOHN F. McCOURT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, EDWARD W. COX, THOMAS M. FARLEY, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Bureau of Highways, Borough Hall, Staten Island, May 21, 1918.

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

Gentlemen—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, we hereby request permission of the Board of Aldermen to purchase bituminous road surfacing material without public letting.

We have been informed that on account of the demand by the United States Government for various ingredients in the composition of said surfacing material no company would enter into any contract during the balance of the current year.

It is therefore incumbent upon this department to obtain this class of surfacing material at the earliest possible moment, and it is earnestly requested that the necessary permission be granted to purchase 20,000 gallons at the estimated cost of 13 cents per gallon. Very truly yours,

JOHN E. BOWE, Acting President, Borough of Richmond.

Which, on motion of Alderman McCann, was made a Special Order for the day.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman,

Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

No. 539 (S. O. 70).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Docks to Contract for Insuring Ferryboats Operated by the City Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 21, 1918 (Minutes, page 231), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Docks for authority to contract without public letting for insuring of ferryboats operated by the City, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Commissioner Hulbert appeared before the Committee and explained the reason for this request, and that bids were asked for and none received. The attached memorandum submitted by the Commissioner explains the matter in detail.

Your Committee believing it to the City's interest to grant the request, recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Docks is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for insuring ferryboats operated by The City of New York at a cost not exceeding \$64,500.

JOHN McCANN, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, CHAS. MOORE, JOHN F. McCOURT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, EDWARD W. COX, THOMAS M. FARLEY, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, May 20, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City.

Sir—I transmit herewith memorandum in relation to the policy of carrying for the benefit of the City of New York, Fire, Accident and Collision insurance on the ferryboats operated by the City.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen adopt a resolution authorizing and empowering me as Commissioner of Docks, to enter into a contract without public letting for insuring ferryboats belonging to the City of New York at a cost not to exceed \$64,500, pursuant to Proposition "B" contained in the said memorandum.

Respectfully yours, MURRAY HULBERT, Commissioner of Docks.

May 18, 1918.

Memorandum in relation to insurance of ferryboats.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held July 8, 1907, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Commissioner of Docks to secure and carry for the benefit of the City of New York fire, accident and collision insurance on the ferryboats which are now or may hereafter be operated by the City.

Insurance was accordingly secured and carried on ferryboats operating on the Municipal Ferries between the foot of Whitehall Street, Manhattan, and the 39th Street, Brooklyn, and St. George, Staten Island, until July 16, 1914, when it was discontinued by the previous City Administration.

In my opinion it is absolutely necessary that the ferryboats should be insured. They are, owing to the nature of their construction and operation, subject to unforeseen damage which must be repaired immediately if the successful operation of the ferries is to be continued.

The preparation of contracts, the approval of forms by the Corporation Counsel, advertising, awarding, attaching certificates and approval of sureties by the Comptroller consumes about two months, even if these preliminaries are pushed vigorously, and in the meantime the damaged boats are lying idle, which means a serious derangement of the ferry service.

The dry docks in this port are now working to their full capacity night and day and extraordinary wages are paid to workers. Besides the natural increase in the number of commercial craft in this harbor, there is an ever increasing number of United States Army and Navy vessels requiring repairs and overhauling, which will make the dry dock repair situation daily more acute. I am informed that in the near future it will be impossible to secure bids on a contract calling for a lump sum for repairs to vessels, including ferryboats, so that no damage can be made good by contract after advertised bids except on a cost and percentage basis, which means that all such work must be done practically without public letting. In my opinion, the best way to overcome these difficulties is to insure the ferryboats. In the past when insurance was carried, the companies upon notice of damage immediately ordered the boats to a dry dock and the work was expeditiously completed.

A tentative proposition for fire, marine and collision insurance on the ferryboats belonging to the City has been received as follows:

	Proposition A.		Proposition B.	
"Manhattan"	\$300,000	\$7,500	\$400,000	\$8,000
"Brooklyn"	300,000	7,500	400,000	8,000
"Bronx"	300,000	7,500	400,000	8,000
"Queens"	300,000	7,500	400,000	8,000
"Richmond"	300,000	7,500	400,000	8,000
"Mayor Gaynor"	300,000	7,500	400,000	8,000
"Bay Ridge"	200,000	5,000	275,000	5,500
"Nassau"	200,000	5,000	275,000	5,500
"Gowanus"	200,000	5,000	275,000	5,500
	\$2,400,000	\$60,000	\$3,225,000	\$64,500

It will be noted that the quotations above involve a lower rate under Proposition "B", which is based upon insuring each of the boats for a larger amount than they have heretofore been insured for. Owing to the increased cost of labor and material, the boats cannot be replaced or rebuilt in case of total loss for the amounts set forth in Proposition "A."

It will also be noted that Proposition "B" provides for \$825,000 more insurance than is provided for in Proposition "A" for a premium only \$4,500 in excess of that quoted in Proposition "A." \$100,000 additional insurance is provided for the six large boats and \$75,000 additional insurance is provided for the three small boats. These amounts of insurance can be collected in case of total loss by fire or marine disaster.

Boat insurance rates are governed largely by the amount of insurance carried in proportion to the reproducible value, hence the lower rates for the larger amounts of insurance.

The City has heretofore insured these boats at rates varying from \$1.53 to \$2.11. In view of the fact that the losses sustained by the City heretofore have consisted entirely of damage to the boat by collision, etc., and that if these boats were to be damaged during the ensuing year to the same extent physically, it would cost the insurance companies twice as much to make the repairs at the present time as it cost them while the former insurance existed, it is apparent that the rates quoted above are much lower than the City has heretofore paid.

The policies which it is proposed to furnish will cover all the hazards included in the former policy with additional features of coverage, as follows:

"Loss or damage to hull or machinery through negligence, bursting of boilers, breakage of shafts or any latent defect in the machinery or hull or from other causes."

The policies formerly used restricted coverage of this nature unless caused by stranding.

In brief, the advantages which will be gained by insuring the ferryboats are as follows:

- (1) The City will not be liable for damages resulting from collision or accident.
- (2) It enables this Department to make immediate repairs to damages in excess of \$1,000, and avoids the delays under the present system caused by the preparation and advertising for contracts, and in addition the obtaining of appropriations by the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
- (3) It affords the public the quickest relief in the matter of bringing transportation service back to normal.
- (4) The adjustment of claims against the Municipal ferryboats are more readily made and greatly facilitated through the medium of the insurance adjusters.

For your information I submit herewith a statement of the most recent collision and accidents to the ferryboats:

		Estimated Damage to Ferryboats	Estimated Damage to Other Boats
Aug. 18, 1917	Ferryboat "Mayor Gaynor" in collision with the Murray		\$5,265 00
Nov. 25, 1917	Ferryboat "Manhattan," lost propeller.....	\$6,000 00	
Nov. 27, 1917	Ferryboat "Gowanus" in collision with schooner, "Priscilla"	200 00	3,240 00
Dec. 13, 1917	Ferryboat "Richmond" in collision with S. S. "Boston"	5,250 00	13,000 00
Feb. 3, 1918	Ferryboat "Brooklyn" in collision with tug "Leader"		2,500 00
Feb. 3, 1918	Ferryboat "Gowanus" in collision with tug "H. McCord"		4,780 00
		\$11,450 00	\$28,785 00

The amount of damage liable to occur in any one year is problematical, but it is reasonable to assume that the cost of insurance will be in excess of the claims paid, but there is always the risk of a disaster or complete loss.

The inconvenience and delay caused by public letting is exemplified in the case of the ferryboat "Manhattan" which was out of use from November 25, 1917, to March 6, 1918, due to loss of propeller wheel and consequent damage to the tail shaft. In this case, after all the preliminaries had been gone through, extending over a period of some months, the contract was advertised and no bids received, which made it necessary to obtain permission from the Board of Aldermen to award this work without public letting. Meanwhile the loss of the services of the boat made it impossible to maintain the schedule.

The loss of the services of the ferryboat "Manhattan" made it necessary to place the ferryboat "Mayor Gaynor" on the Staten Island Division. As this boat is comparatively small-built for the 39th Street service,—it has not the speed of the larger boats and the result was the disruption of the running schedule.

A resolution was adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, May 9, 1918, approving of the policy of authorizing this Department to secure and carry for the benefit of the City, fire, accident and collision insurance on its ferryboats.

Which was laid over.

No. 553 (S. O. 71).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize the Board of Education to Purchase Sewing Machines and Necessary Equipment Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 28, 1918 (Minutes, page 262), the annexed request of the Board of Education for authority to purchase sewing machines and necessary equipment without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Commissioner of Education, Mr. F. D. Wilsey, appeared before the Committee and stated the reason for this request is, that past experience has proven it to be the City's interest to purchase such equipment direct from the manufacturers, as not only are the best machines obtained, but also better prices than by advertising.

Your Committee accordingly recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Education is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase foot-power sewing machines, special power sewing machines and tables for the same, equipped with necessary shafting, pulleys, guards, etc., without public letting, at a cost not exceeding \$16,600.

JOHN McCANN, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, CHAS. MOORE, JOHN F. McCOURT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, EDWARD W. COX, THOMAS M. FARLEY, Committee on Public Letting.

Board of Education of The City of New York, Office of the Secretary, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, May 23, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Education held on the 22d inst., the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

"Whereas, To properly equip the new Manhattan Trade School for Girls, at 22d street and Lexington avenue, Borough of Manhattan, which is now approaching completion, it is necessary to purchase a large number of sewing machines; and

"Whereas, From past experience in furnishing this line of equipment, it is deemed for the best interests of the City, not only in obtaining the best machines for special purposes, but also better prices, to purchase direct from the manufacturers; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, requested to authorize the Board of Education of the School District of the City of New York to purchase direct from the manufacturers, without public letting, foot power sewing machines, special power sewing machines and tables for the same, equipped with necessary shafting, pulleys, guards, etc., in a sum to not exceed sixteen thousand six hundred dollars (\$16,600.)"

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

Which was laid over.

Reports of the Committee on Buildings—

No. 246.

Report of the Committee on Buildings in Favor of Filing an Ordinance to Amend the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Public Buildings.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on February 13, 1918 (Minutes, page 401), the annexed ordinance to amend section 72 of article 4 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances relating to public buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That at the request of the introducer the Committee recommends the ordinance be placed on file.

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision b of section 72 of article 4 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, in relation to public buildings.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. Subdivision b of section 72 of article 4 of chapter 5 of the code of ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

b. Every other public building over 40 feet in height, or exceeding 5,000 square feet in area, or 12,000 square feet when facing on 2 streets.

2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

WM. P. KENNEALLY, CHAS. J. MOORE, WM. P. MCGARRY, FRANK A. O'BRIEN, JOEL FOWLER, JACOB W. FRIEDMAN, ALEXANDER BRAUNSTEIN, AUGUSTUS M. WISE, Committee on Buildings.

Which report was accepted.

No. 352.

Report of the Committee on Buildings in Favor of Filing an Ordinance to Amend the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Changes in the Occupancy of Buildings.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on March 12, 1918 (Minutes, page 603), the annexed ordinance to amend subdivision 4 of section 5 of article 1 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to the changes in the occupancy of buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this ordinance was supplemented by Int. No. 376, which was reported favorably March 26, 1918, and subsequently adopted by the Board. Your Committee, therefore, recommends the ordinance be placed on file.

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 4 of section 5 of article 1 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to changes in the occupancy of buildings.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York as follows: Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 5 of article 1 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding thereto a new clause, as follows:

Nothing in this section shall prevent the issuance by the superintendent of buildings of a certificate of occupancy for the reception of persons for medical or

charitable care or treatment, for any now existing building erected of non-fireproof construction as defined by subdivision 3 of section 71 of article 4 of this chapter, not exceeding 40 feet in height or 5,000 square feet in area, and enclosed on at least three sides by an open court as defined by section 135 of article 7 of this chapter, such court to be not less than 20 feet in width at all points.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

WM. P. KENNEALLY, CHAS. J. MOORE, WM. P. MCGARRY, FRANK A. O'BRIEN, JOEL FOWLER, JACOB W. FRIEDMAN, ALEXANDER BRAUNSTEIN, AUGUSTUS M. WISE, Committee on Buildings.

Which report was accepted.

No. 519.

Report of the Committee on Buildings in Favor of Filing Resolution Relative to Superintendents of Buildings in Regard to Shut-off Valves.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 261), the annexed resolution relative to Superintendents of Buildings in regard to shut-off valves, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the several Superintendents of Buildings appeared before the Committee and were unanimous in the statement that the provisions of the Code regulating shut-off valves were being explicitly enforced, and that cause for complaint is very remote:

Your Committee, therefore, recommends the resolution be placed on file.

Whereas, Complaint is made that section 601 of article 29 of chapter 5 of Ordinances relating to shut-off valves is not being complied with, neither as to factories, office buildings nor dwellings, to safeguard life and property of the occupants; therefore be it

Ordered, That the Superintendent of Buildings in each of the boroughs of the City of New York shall, within thirty (30) days from the date hereof, make a report to this Board of the number and class of buildings, factories, office buildings and dwellings, that have failed to comply with said section 601 of article 29 of chapter 5 of Ordinances, in order that such measures may be taken as to this Board may seem best advisable.

WM. P. KENNEALLY, CHAS. J. MOORE, WM. P. MCGARRY, FRANK A. O'BRIEN, JOEL FOWLER, JACOB W. FRIEDMAN, Committee on Buildings.

Which report was accepted.

No. 455.

Report of the Committee on Buildings in Favor of Filing Request of the International Art Service for Repeal of the Ordinance Requiring the Printing of Floor Plans in Theatre Programmes.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on April 23, 1918 (Minutes, page 106), the annexed request of the International Art Service for repeal of the ordinance requiring the printing of floor plans in theatre programmes, respectfully

REPORTS:

That your Committee has given this matter careful consideration and is of the opinion that it would be unwise to comply with the request, which is to permit removal of the printed floor plans from theatre programmes.

The purpose of such plans is to enable the audience to find a way out of the buildings in case of a catastrophe, and, believing that too many safeguards for the protection of life cannot be provided, your Committee recommends the request be placed on file.

WM. P. KENNEALLY, CHAS. J. MOORE, WM. P. MCGARRY, FRANK A. O'BRIEN, JOEL FOWLER, JACOB W. FRIEDMAN, ALEXANDER BRAUNSTEIN, AUGUSTUS M. WISE, Committee on Buildings.

International Art Service, 33 West 42d Street, New York City, April 11, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—We enclose herewith copy of a letter which we addressed, on March 21, to Hon. John F. Hylan, Mayor of New York City, which is self-explanatory. On March 22 this letter was acknowledged by the Mayor's Executive Secretary, who stated that it was being sent to the Fire Commissioner for attention, and on March 30 Hon. Thomas J. Drennan, Fire Commissioner, informed us in writing that he did not believe that he could be of any assistance in the matter "as the requirement is mandatory under the provisions of article 25, section 527, subdivision 13, of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances."

For this reason we are taking the liberty of bringing the matter to your attention, and would ask that you read and consider the contents of our letter to the Mayor and hope that you may see your way clear to take such action as will bring this matter to the attention of the Board of Aldermen and result in the repeal of the ordinance requiring the printing of floor plans in theatre programmes.

We feel justified in making this request because, as pointed out in our letter to the Mayor, the printing of these floor plans serve no useful purpose whatever and is of no service to the public, and constitutes a heavy financial burden upon the theatrical interests and the programme publishers in this City. Very truly yours,

INTERNATIONAL ART SERVICE, A. F. WIENER, President.

March 21, 1918.

Hon. JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor, New York City:

Dear Mr. Mayor—We are writing to call your attention to a needless burden imposed upon the theatrical business of this City by a Fire Department regulation requiring the publication of floor plans of theatres and motion picture houses in all theatrical programmes. The ostensible purpose of this regulation is to place before the patrons of the various theatres information by which they can determine the location of fire exits.

As a matter of fact, it is safe to say that nobody ever studies these printed plans for that or any other useful purpose. All theatrical programmes carry or should carry the notice which appears at the top of page 4 of the Rialto Revue enclosed. In all theatres fire exits are plainly marked by red lights and it is the universal custom of the theatre going public to note, when they take their seats, the location of the fire exits nearest to them. In any event it would be difficult, if not impossible, for the theatre-goer to determine, by even a careful study of the floor plans printed in the programme, just where he or she might be sitting with reference to fire exits; and it would, of course, be absolutely impractical, in case of fire or panic, to turn to the page upon which the plans appear and study out the location of fire exits.

We believe it is true that these plans serve no useful purpose whatever. We have taken this matter up with officials of the Fire Department, and they are unable to give any good reason for the continued publication of these plans. They realize that they are of no use to the public and state to us that they recognize them as an expensive nuisance to the theatrical business and to the programme publisher.

In the programme we are enclosing herewith, for example, a whole page is devoted to these plans, and that page, if sold for advertising purposes, would produce a revenue of \$100 a week. You will observe that this imposes upon the theatre a burden which in this particular case amounts to \$5,200 worth of space per year. We do not think this burden should be longer borne, and we assure you that relief from it would constitute a favor to the theatrical business which would be most highly appreciated and which would work no harm to any body.

We have been unable to find any reason for the publication of these floor plans or diagrams, except that in case of fire or other trouble in the theatre, the Fire Commissioner desires to have at his immediate disposal diagrams showing the floors of the theatre and the fire exits. We suggest that this might be brought about in a much more satisfactory way by requiring each theatre to have on file in their box offices and place on file with the Fire Department, large floor diagrams which would give, in much clearer and more useful form, the information desired.

We ask that you have this matter taken up by the proper officials and shall be glad to give you or them any further facts or information which may be desired. We shall highly appreciate such attention as you may find it possible to give this matter, and remain, yours very respectfully,

INTERNATIONAL ART SERVICE, A. F. WIENER, President.

Which report was accepted.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

S. O. 62 (Int. No. 548).

Resolution to Provide for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the Amount of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) for the Purpose of Continuing the Audit of Accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears by the Comptroller.

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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof

to be used by the Comptroller for the purpose of continuing the audit of accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears by the Comptroller.

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 18, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I herewith transmit a resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen, whereby the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will be requested to authorize the issuance of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$25,000 for the purpose of providing funds to meet the additional expenses entailed by the work of completing the audit of the accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears covering the period from January 1, 1917, down to March 31, 1918, on which date Mr. Daniel Moynahan, the late Collector, died.

The mandatory provisions of section 154 of the Charter imposed upon the Comptroller the duty of making an audit of these accounts, as may be noted from the following excerpt therefrom:

"Whenever a receiver of taxes or any deputy receiver, or a collector of assessments and arrears or any deputy collector shall cease to hold office, and within one year thereafter, it shall be the duty of the comptroller to examine the accounts of such receiver or collector or deputy, and if found correct to cause a certificate to that effect to be filed with the bond of such officer, and such certificate so filed shall be a full discharge and satisfaction of the conditions of such bond and the lien or liens thereby created."

In a communication addressed to you, dated January 21, 1918, requesting the issuance of \$30,000 of special revenue bonds for the purpose of providing funds to meet the additional expenses necessary for the efficient prosecution and completion of the work of auditing the accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears covering the period from January 1, 1910, to December 31, 1916, I stated that:

"This work of audit is being conducted by means of a thorough detailed examination of all transactions within the period referred to as reflected on the tax rolls and assessment records, etc. * * * in all of the five Boroughs."

—and that it was also contemplated later on to carry the period of audit down to December 31, 1917.

Mr. Moynahan's death and the Charter provisions with respect to what must be done when a Collector of Assessments and Arrears shall cease to hold office, makes it now imperative upon the Comptroller to provide for such an examination of the late Collector's accounts, as will enable a certificate to be given which shall be a full discharge and satisfaction of the conditions of the Collector's bond and the lien or liens thereby created. To enable this to be done most effectively and at the least possible cost, it is very desirable that the present organized staff or temporary employees, who have been engaged in this work during the past ten months, be continued. A close and careful estimate of the amount necessary indicates that approximately \$25,000 will be required. I therefore respectfully request the issuance, under subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, of special revenue bonds for this purpose and to the amount stated. The attached resolution, if adopted, will provide for and meet the necessary requirements.

I also transmit herewith copy of a report made to me on this subject by Mr. Duncan MacInnes, Chief Accountant; Mr. Robert B. McIntyre, Supervising Statistician and Examiner, and Mr. H. H. Rathen, Auditor of Receipts of the Department of Finance. Respectfully,

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Transmitted herewith:

Resolution providing for issuance of \$25,000 special revenue bonds to provide for continuing the audit of the accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Report dated May 18, 1918, re audit of accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be used for the purpose of providing additional funds for the continuance of the audit of the accounts to March 31, 1918, of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears now being made to December 31, 1916, as required by section 154 of the Greater New York Charter. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1918.

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 18, 1918.

Subject: Audit of the Accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears from January 1, 1917, to March 31, 1918.

Hon. CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—The undersigned Committee, which was appointed by you early in January to consider and report upon the continuance of the audit of the books and accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, hereby respectfully reports that the audit of these accounts to December 31, 1916, is approaching completion in all of the Boroughs with the exception of the Borough of Brooklyn, as will be more particularly specified in a subsequent report which will fully describe the work that has been done and the period covered, which in many instances of taxes and also of assessments, has gone back for years prior to consolidation.

Mr. Moynahan Died March 31, 1918.

Mr. Daniel Moynahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears, died on March 31, 1918. He was appointed to the office on August 20, 1906. Mr. Moynahan's death makes it necessary that the audit of the accounts of his office be continued covering the period down to March 31, 1918, inclusive.

Section 154 of the Charter provides that:

"Whenever a receiver of taxes or any deputy receiver, or a collector of assessments and arrears or any deputy collector shall cease to hold office, and within one year thereafter, it shall be the duty of the comptroller to examine the accounts of such receiver or collector or deputy, and if found correct, to cause a certificate to that effect to be filed with the bond of such officer, and such certificate so filed shall be a full discharge and satisfaction of the condition of such bond and the lien or liens thereby created. * * *"

In the report which we made to you under date of January 15, 1918, we stated that the continuation of the audit then recommended contemplated the attainment of the following results:

(1) The verification of all transactions from January 1, 1910, to and including December 31, 1916, as shown on the tax rolls and assessment lists, and the absolute reconciliation of the lists and rolls transmitted during said period with the related accounts kept in the Borough ledgers. This means that with respect to all tax rolls (which also include water rents) and all assessment lists transmitted for collection to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears since January 1, 1910, not only will all the transactions affecting such rolls and lists be verified, but also that the amount of unpaid items will be absolutely established.

(2) With respect to tax rolls and assessment lists transmitted to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears prior to January 1, 1910, and subsequent to January 1, 1898, the work contemplated will result in the verification of all transactions that occur between January 1, 1910, and December 31, 1916, and in addition thereto the securing, with respect to each separate list and roll, of a statement showing the unpaid liens as of December 31, 1916.

As previously stated herein, this work is drawing to a close, with the exception of the Borough of Brooklyn, where the complexities of the situation and the very large number of assessments have made the work more difficult and time-consuming. Attention was called to this situation in our previous report, wherein we pointed out that the additional time which would be required to complete the audit in the Borough of Brooklyn, was due to the records in use in that Borough being substantially different in procedure from those used in any of the other four Boroughs, and to accomplish the same results as will be elsewhere attained, will require the greater time indicated. The reconciling and adjusting entries to bring the controlling ledger accounts into agreement with the outstanding taxes, assessments and water rates as established on the rolls would be subsequently completed by accountants of this Department.

Additional Appropriation of \$25,000 Needed to Complete Audit.

To complete the work of auditing the accounts of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears down to the date of Mr. Moynahan's death, an examination, which is made mandatory by the provisions of section 154 of the Charter, will require an additional appropriation of approximately \$25,000. It will only be possible to complete the work stated in the thorough manner in which it should be and keep within the appropriation stated by the use of the present organization, the personnel of which has

become, through the experience gained during nearly twelve months past, expert in this particular and important work.

This approximation of the expenditure which will be required is based on a close estimate of the number of bookkeepers and machine operators, the number of machines, the cost of paper and cards, and the time which will probably be required to complete the audit. To do this work in the most effective and expeditious manner, and at the least possible cost, it will be necessary to augment the present temporary staff from 24 to 27 Bookkeepers, these to be paid \$4 per diem; to increase the number of Tabulating Operators from 10 to 19, to be paid \$2.50 per diem, and to rent 7 punching machines, 6 tabulating machines, and 6 sorting machines—an increase of 5 machines over the number at present in use. It is estimated that the work will take five months to complete, and the total personal service, the rented machines, the cost of paper and cards, etc., will approximate \$25,000.

Annual Collections Aggregate from \$27,000,000 to \$31,000,000.

During last year, the Collector of Assessments and Arrears was charged with accounting for \$79,224,485.20 of taxes, assessments and water rates, and the collections thereon, as reported by him and deposited with the Chamberlain, aggregated \$25,184,010.13, with approximately \$2,000,000 more for interest on these arrears. The cancellations of these liens reported during the year amounted to \$1,395,789.20.

In 1916, the collections of taxes, assessments and water rates reported by the Collector of Assessments and Arrears and deposited with the Chamberlain, amounted to \$23,139,721.27, and the cancellations reported aggregated \$2,221,298.05, with approximately \$3,000,000 additional as interest.

There are upwards of 8,200 assessment lists in the Collector's office in the different boroughs, and every year's tax levy since consolidation has still unpaid items, together with unpaid items of levies preceding 1898.

Comparatively Small Cost of Audit.

The foregoing figures will give some indication of the comparatively small cost of making a thorough audit, which, under all circumstances should be made, and which is evidently contemplated by the Charter, which provides that if, after the examination of the accounts of the Collector, the Comptroller finds these to be correct, he shall cause a certificate to that effect to be filed with the bond of the Collector:

"* * * and such certificate so filed shall be a full discharge and satisfaction of the conditions of such bond and the lien or liens thereby created."

This audit, when completed to March 31, 1918, will establish absolutely the outstanding and unpaid balances of taxes, assessments, and water rates appearing on the rolls as of said date; thus not only setting forth the assets of the City consisting of these liens, but determining the basic figures upon which future, and preferably continuing current audits of the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears and also of the Receiver of Taxes should be conducted.

We therefore respectfully urge in the interest of economy that provision be made for continuing the present organization, which has been making the audit of these accounts, until the completion thereof by bringing the work down to the date hereinbefore stated, viz., March 31, 1918. Respectfully,

DUNCAN MACINNIS, Chief Accountant; R. B. MCINTYRE, Supervising Statistician and Examiner; H. H. RATHYEN, Auditor of Receipts; Committee.

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 Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Van Name, by John E. Bowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; President Riegelmann, by Joseph Fennelly, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Dowling; the Vice-Chairman—71.

S. O. 63 (Int. No. 488).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$215,000, for the Removal of Ashes, Street Sweepings and Rubbish from the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 7, 1918 (Minutes, page 172), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for reduction of issue of special revenue bonds, \$250,000, to dispose of ashes, street sweepings, etc., by reducing the amount to \$215,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, the Committee believes these funds are necessary, and basing its conclusion on the annexed report of the investigating bureau of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$215,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for the purpose of meeting anticipated deficits in the budget appropriation for the final disposition of ashes and rubbish. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1918.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, EDWARD V. GILMORE, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JAS. J. MOLEN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, WM. P. KENNEALLY, Committee on Finance.

Department of Street Cleaning of the City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, New York City, May 3, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—Under date of April 2, 1918, this Department requested the Honorable Board of Aldermen to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$250,000 to dispose of ashes, street sweepings and rubbish deposited on the marginal streets adjacent to the City's dumping boards, amounting, approximately, to 251,000 cubic yards.

On March 22, 1918, a contract was entered into by the City with Jacob Fradus Contracting, Inc., to dispose of this material at ninety cents (90c) per cubic yard, but before entering into this contract the estimated amount of material to be disposed of was reduced by eliminating Delancey Street location, which approximated 12,000 cubic yards, thereby reducing the estimated amount of material to be disposed of to about 239,000 cubic yards, at ninety cents (90c) per cubic yard, or \$215,100.

This contract has been registered on the books of the Department of Finance as No. 49,382 and temporarily charged to the Account No. 2388.

In view of the above facts I would recommend that my request for special revenue bonds be reduced to read \$215,100, instead of \$250,000 formerly requested.

Yours truly,

A. B. MACSTAY, Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, Contract Supervision, May 21, 1918.

No. 401—Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$250,000 to Cover Expenses of Removal of Ashes and Rubbish Deposited in Marginal Streets Adjacent to the Dumping Boards.

No. 488—Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Request for Reduction of Issue of Special Revenue Bonds \$250,000 to Dispose of Ashes, Street Sweepings, Etc., by Reducing the Amount to \$215,000.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen: Sir—In accordance with your request I have investigated the above matter and report thereon as follows:

On March 2, 1918, Dailey and Ivins who had a contract for the final disposition of ashes and rubbish in Manhattan and The Bronx for a period terminating on January 1, 1919, abandoned their contract. Owing to the failure of the contractors, both before and after March 2, 1918, to provide scows to receive the refuse, the City was obliged to dump piles of ashes at various places in the marginal streets along the North and East Rivers. These piles of ashes are now being removed by the Jacob Fradus Contracting Company, Inc., under a contract made by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning on March 23, 1918.

In his letter dated May 3, 1918, the Commissioner reduces his former request to \$215,000 on the ground that piles of ashes deposited on the marginal streets at

Delancey, Spring and Varick streets were removed by department employees thus reducing the quantity to be removed by the contractor, Jacob Fradus Contracting Company, Inc., from 251,000 cubic yards to 239,000 cubic yards.

The quantity of ashes and rubbish has been still further reduced by several fires which have occurred in the piles and by settlement of the rubbish. It is now believed that the quantity to be removed will be less than 160,000 cubic yards.

The cost of removing these piles of ashes is, however, only one of the extra expenses due to the failure of Dailey and Ivins and chargeable against their unfinished contract.

The Department of Street Cleaning is carrying on the work of disposal of ashes and rubbish by hiring tugs, scows and laborers. It is, however, paying laborers \$3.00 per day where the prices of the contract made in 1913 were based on wages of \$1.75 per day for laborers; it pays \$15 per day for hired scows where the prices of 1913 and 1914 were from \$4.50 to \$5 per day. Coal, rope and other supplies have doubled or tripled in price.

The appropriation in the budget for 1918 for final disposition was based on the prices to be paid under the contract and it is evident that much more than the amount of \$215,000 requested will be necessary to make up the deficiency in the budget for final disposition of ashes and rubbish in 1918.

It would therefore seem that this appropriation of \$215,000 should not be for the specific purpose of removal of piles of ashes, but should be for the purpose of providing, in part, to meet the anticipated deficit in the budget appropriation for the final disposition of ashes and rubbish. Respectfully,

W. H. ROBERTS, Assistant Engineer.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Squiers, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Van Name, by John E. Bowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; President Riegelmann, by Joseph Fennelly, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Dowling; the Vice-Chairman—64.

S. O. 64 (Int. No. 506).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing the Board of Education to Purchase Coal Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 190), the annexed request of the Board of Education for authority to purchase coal without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That owing to the Federal control of the marketing and distribution of coal, your Committee believes there would be no advantage in advertising for bids, and, therefore, recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Education is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, without public letting, 65,000 gross tons of coal for schools in the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. MCCOURT, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, JOHN J. RYAN, AUGUST FERRAND, THOMAS M. FARLEY, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Education, City of New York, Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, May 9, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Education held on the 8th inst., the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, The Superintendent of School Supplies reports that it is impossible to obtain bids for coal for schools in the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond; be it

"Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby requested, in accordance with the provisions of Section 419 of The Greater New York Charter, to authorize and empower the Board of Education to purchase 65,000 gross tons of coal for schools in the Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, without public letting."

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

S. O. 65 (Int. No. 508).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to Purchase Brooms Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 191), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for authority to purchase brooms without public letting respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject it believes the request reasonable. The attached letter of application explains the reasons in detail.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase 1,500 dozen black bass push brooms, without public letting, at an expense not to exceed \$13 per dozen; total cost \$19,500.

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. MCCOURT, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, JOHN J. RYAN, AUGUST FERRAND, THOMAS M. FARLEY, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, New York City, May 13, 1918.

Hon. ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, I hereby request permission of the Board of Aldermen to purchase without public letting 1,500 dozen black bass push brooms, at an expense not to exceed \$13 per dozen, amounting to \$19,500. The reason for this request is as follows:

The departmental estimate for the 1918 budget requested an allowance of 48,000 push brooms with scrapers, at 83.1-3 cents each, totaling \$40,000. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment reduced this to 39,881 brooms, at 58.1-3 cents each, a total of \$23,250.62, the reduction below the department estimate being \$16,749.38.

Formerly these push brooms were procured from the Department of Correction and the State Prison; but at present neither of said departments is able to furnish us with any brooms. The Prison Department have informed us that they will not be able to furnish us with any brooms for a period of ninety days. In the meantime it is imperative that we have 1,500 dozen brooms to carry on our work until such time as the State Prison will be able to meet our demands. The lowest price quoted in the market at present is \$1.08 1-3 per broom. Yours truly,

A. B. MACSTAY, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore,

Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

S. O. 66 (Int. No. 530).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Plant and Structures to Purchase Lumber Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 21, 1918 (Minutes, page 224), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Plant and Structures for authority to purchase lumber without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject it believes the request reasonable. The attached letter of application explains the reasons in detail.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Plant and Structures is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase in the open market, without public letting, lumber to the amount of \$5,000.

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, PETER SCHWEICKERT, JOHN J. RYAN, AUGUST FERRAND, THOMAS M. FARLEY, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Plant and Structures, City of New York, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., May 20, 1918.

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

Gentlemen—Funds have been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for repaving and reconstructing the roadways of the Brooklyn bridge between the anchorages. In this work it is contemplated that the present spruce plank wearing surface will be replaced by a wood block pavement, supported on yellow pine timbers. The present 4-inch tee rail will be replaced by a 7-inch girder rail, supported by ties, which, in turn, are supported by steel stringers.

Owing to the difficulty in obtaining the material for this new construction, it will be necessary to maintain the present plank wearing surface. If this plank is to be obtained by contract, I am of the opinion that it will be almost impossible to have it delivered in time to keep these roadways in proper condition, and, perhaps, the lack of material may be the means of closing the roadways to vehicular traffic.

I, therefore, request your Honorable Board to grant me permission, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, to purchase in open market, without public letting, lumber to the amount of \$5,000, with funds from schedule of the budget of 1918, entitled "2770TB, Materials."

Your early attention is respectfully requested. Yours truly,

JOHN H. DELANEY, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

S. O. 67 (Int. No. 534).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing the Commissioner of Correction to Repair the Steamboat "Thomas M. Mulry" Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 21, 1918 (Minutes, page 226), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Correction for authority to repair the steamboat "Thomas M. Mulry," without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject it believes the request reasonable. The attached letter of application explains the reasons in detail.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Correction is hereby authorized and empowered to contract for necessary repairs to the steamer "Thomas M. Mulry," without public letting, at a cost not to exceed \$2,710.83.

JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. McCOURT, GEORGE HILKEMEIER, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WILLIAM K. WALSH, JOHN J. RYAN, AUGUST FERRAND, THOMAS M. FARLEY, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Correction of The City of New York, Commissioner's Office, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York, May 16, 1918.

ALFRED E. SMITH, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—The approval of your Honorable Board is hereby requested to the expenditure without public letting of \$2,710.83 for emergent repairs to the steamer "Thomas M. Mulry," of the Department of Public Charities. These repairs were necessitated by a collision on January 14, 1918, when the steamer "Correction" of this department accidentally struck the smaller vessel while attempting to land at the City Hospital Dock. This collision was not caused by any negligence on the part of the employees of either vessel, but was due entirely to the ice jam which infested the harbor of this City at that time, and which was responsible for the shipping transportation in New York City being demoralized during the past winter worse than ever before in its history.

Immediately after the accident, it was deemed advisable by the engineers of both departments to make immediate repairs to the "Mulry," as she was in a sinking condition. Accordingly, the firm of James Tregarthen & Son Company was prevailed upon to make room upon their drydock so that the repairs could be made.

They agreed to do this at a sacrifice to themselves, because they had performed many previous repair jobs for both departments and felt that undertaking a repair job under such conditions would prove that they were ready and willing to accommodate The City of New York in any emergency.

The bill for the above work amounted to \$2,622.42, and in addition there was a smaller invoice for new piping, etc., amounting to \$88.41, which comprises the total amount before mentioned.

I trust that your Honorable Board will take immediate and favorable action upon this request. Yours respectfully

JAMES A. HAMILTON, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; the Vice-Chairman—67.

GENERAL ORDERS.

G. O. 73 (Int. No. 509).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Examiner of Accounts in the Office of the Commissioner of Accounts.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 191), the annexed resolution to establish the grade of position of Examiner of Accounts in the office of the Commissioner of Accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the purpose of this resolution is to establish the rate of \$2,600, now being paid incumbents, and to abolish the grades at \$3,060.

Your Committee agrees with the recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and recommends the adoption of said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held May 10, 1918:

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 Commissioner of Accounts,

of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, to be effective as of January 19, 1918, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Examiner of Accounts	\$2,600 00	Two

—and the abolishment of the grade of position of Examiner of Accounts at \$3,060 for two incumbents.

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

JAMES R. FERGUSON, FRED SMITH, WILLIAM K. WALSH, MATTHEW G. FULLUM, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, BARNET WOLFF, JOHN F. McCOURT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Van Name, by John E. Bowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—70.

G. O. 74 (Int. No. 511).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Establish the Grades of Positions of Bricklayer and Cement Mason in City Departments.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 14, 1918 (Minutes, page 194), the annexed resolution to establish the grades of positions of Bricklayer and Cement Mason in City departments, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this resolution provides for the payment of the prevailing rates for this work.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held May 10, 1918:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, to be effective as of January 1, 1918, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Bricklayer	\$6 50	Unlimited
Cement Mason	5 60	Unlimited

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.

JAMES R. FERGUSON, FRED SMITH, WILLIAM K. WALSH, MATTHEW G. FULLUM, STEPHEN F. ROBERTS, BARNET WOLFF, JOHN F. McCOURT, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Atwell, Bassett, Beckerman, Bell, Bostwick, Braunstein, Buckley, Burden, Burke, Calman, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Diemer, Donnelly, Dunn, Falconer, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Fowler, Friedman, Fullum, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hatch, Haubert, Held, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, Lee, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McManus, McNulty, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Brien, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Roberts, Rosenberg, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Smith, Squiers, Stapleton, Sullivan, Vladeck, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise, Wolff, Zettler; President Van Name, by John E. Rowe, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by W. Augustus Shipley, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Bruckner, by William J. Flynn, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—70.

Alderman Gilmore 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, June 11, 1918, at 1.30 o'clock p.m.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Eligible Lists Promulgated May 29, 1918.

Promotion to Foreman, Grade 2. President, Borough of Manhattan.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—

1. George Murray, 375 Cherry st., 86.33.

Bureau Highways—

1. Frederick Keller, 241 Montrose ave., Bklyn., 84.65.

2. Albert Scherick, 455 W. 44th st., 79.87.

Bureau Sewers—

1. John N. Blair, 355 E. 134th st., 84.

2. Joseph Goldstein, 446 E. 57th st., 81.74.

Promotion to Chief Marine Engineer. Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau of Ferries—

1. Walter B. Hoffman, 652 45th st., Bklyn., 83.95.

2. John H. O'Higgins, 622 48th st., Bklyn., 83.36.

3. Edgar C. Layman, 244 New York ave., Bklyn., 83.

4. Chas. F. Bissinger, 565 E. 51st st., Bklyn., 81.45.

5. Darius Gallagher, 418 E. 57th st., 81.17.

6. John White, 42 Bresberger ave., Woodhaven, L. I., 77.90.

7. Frank H. Schubert, 530 E. 156th st., 77.40.

8. Timothy J. Harrington, 58 Taft ave., New Brighton, 76.45.

Promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grade E. Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau of Mechanical Engineering—

1. Herman Martens, 550 W. 157th st., 80.08.

Promotion of Superintendent. Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau of Superintendence—

1. Levi H. Harrison, 261 W. 21st st., 81.29.

Promotion to Architectural Draughtsman, Grade D. Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau Engineering—

1. Hugh F. McLaughlin, 153 W. 97th st., 81.20.

Promotion to 4th Grade Clerk, Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau of Administration—

1. Timothy J. Slattery, 457 Court st., Bklyn., 90.04.

Bureau of Superintendence—

1. Clarence I. Goudey, 1340 71st st., Bklyn., 84.63.

Bureau of Ferries—

1. Denis Hennessy, 370 85th st., Bklyn., 83.98.

Bureau of Accounts—

1. James A. Molloy, 366 W. 25th st., 83.56.

2. Joseph A. Cronin, 1339 Bristow st., Bronx, 80.50.

3. Edward J. Sullivan, 1652 72d st., Bklyn., 79.67.

Promotion to Chainman and Rodman, Grade C, Department of Docks and Ferries.**Bureau of Engineering—**

1. Alex. J. Zinner, 1726 45th st., Bklyn., 90.50.
2. Mark T. Hayes, 1241 3d ave., 88.64.
3. Daniel A. Crowley, 258 William st., 84.14.
4. Ralph H. Baxter, 1756 Walton ave., Bronx, 83.
5. James P. Quinn, 503 W. 59th st., 82.14.
6. Frank J. Burke, 3246 Kingsbridge ave., Bronx, 82.07.
7. John T. Birmingham, 129 W. 56th st., 81.50.
8. Thomas F. Lynch, 907 Freeman ave., Bronx, 81.14.
9. August Strittmatter, 1007 Forest ave., Bronx, 80.64.

Promotion to 3d Grade Stenographer and Typewriter, Department of Docks and Ferries.**Bureau of Administration—**

1. Louis Sass, 38 Louona ave., Corona, L. I., 87.34.

Bureau of Ferries—

1. Frank J. Hanlon, 1110 Washington ave., Bronx, 86.55.

Bureau of Engineering—

1. Thomas J. Kearns, 121 Kosciusko st., Bklyn., 85.47.

Promotion to 3d Grade Clerk, Department of Docks and Ferries.**Bureau of Superintendence—**

1. Martin S. Mulvihill, 180 Decatur st., Bklyn., 86.78.

Bureau of Ferries—

1. Frank J. Hanlon, 1110 Washington ave., Bronx, 83.65.

Promotion to 2d Grade Clerk, Board of Water Supply.**Bureau of Engineering, City Aqueduct Department—**

1. Joseph H. Byrne, 85 N. Elliott pl., Bklyn., 83.60.

Headquarters Department, Executive Division—

1. Fiore J. DeBraggio, 400 E. 47th st., 83.14.

Promotion to Foreman, Grade 2, Board of Water Supply.**Engineering Bureau, Southern Aqueduct—**

1. Harry F. Turnier, 42 Central ave., White Plains, 87.10.
2. John Linnin, 4 Osborn st., White Plains, 80.10.

Promotion to 2d Grade Foreman Machinist, Fire Department.**Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond—**

1. Eugene C. Kelly, 1431 University ave., Bronx, 88.90.
2. John K. Fennelly, 584 Lincoln pl., Bklyn., 85.80.
3. Henry T. Tierney, 2328 Bedford ave., Bklyn., 82.60.

Promotion to Foreman Painter, Grade 2, Fire Department.**Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond—**

1. John Hinchley, 501 W. 164th st., 86.60.
2. Jacob W. Lander, 30 W. Fillmore ave., Corona, 84.60.
3. Charles L. Kennedy, 2148 Newbold ave., Bronx, 83.70.
4. John McVeady, 733 Van Nest ave., Bronx, 80.80.

Promotion to Foreman Machinist, Grade 3, Department of Plant and Structures.

1. Gustav Weithas, 211 Nicholas ave., Bklyn., 85.90.
2. Thomas F. Miller, 47 Hicks st., Bklyn., 84.30.
3. George E. Baker, 204 Cleveland st., Bklyn., 83.20.
4. Lawrence J. O'Brien, 1887 Vyse ave., Bronx, 83.20.
5. James W. Henderson, 154A Hull st., Bklyn., 82.90.
6. Morris C. Klein, 5406 New Utrecht ave., Bklyn., 79.62.
7. Peter A. Quigley, 3610 Broadway, 78.40.

Promotion to Assistant Foreman, Grade 1, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Chief Engineer, Water Supply, Westchester County.

1. Arthur B. Mathews, Mount Kisco, Westchester County, 88.27.
2. Edward Burke, Pleasantville, N. Y., 88.10.
3. Samuel Mitchell, Croton Lake, Westchester County, 88.
4. Joseph Kelly, Prospect ave., Tarrytown, N. Y., 87.
5. Thomas P. Halsted, Yorktown Heights, Westchester County, 85.60.
6. John Marks, Croton Lake, Westchester County, N. Y., 84.
7. Thomas F. Cullen, Ossining, Westchester County, N. Y., 83.50.
8. Peter Leonard, Croton Falls, Westchester County, N. Y., 83.50.
9. Curtis A. Bird, Hawthorn, N. Y., 82.10.
10. William Brearton, Croton Falls, Westchester County, N. Y., 81.60.
11. Allen J. Banker, Croton Lake, Westchester County, 80.
12. Jeremiah Gorman, Jr., Bedford Village, Westchester County, 79.50.

Promotion to 4th Grade Stenographer and Typewriter, Police Department.

1. Harry V. Russell, 240 Centre st., Room 206, Police Headquarters, 87.09.

Nurse (Female).

1. Margaret M. O'Neill, 107 W. 93d st., 89.80.
2. Nella M. Larsen, Lincoln Hospital, Bronx, 89.20.
3. Madeleine Mair, 16 Arden st., 89.20.
4. Harriette G. Dewey, 169 W. 80th st., care of Wylie, Nurses, 88.20.
5. Ruth Ina Stickland, Lincoln Hospital, Bronx, 87.
6. Frances Kaufman, 841 Beck st., 86.40.
7. Marian A. Bowne, 489 9th st., Bklyn., 84.80.
8. A. Louise Fling, 116 St. James pl., Bklyn., 84.80.
9. Edna M. Benjamin, 1228 Pacific st., Bklyn., 84.40.
10. Ethyll M. Dooley, 232 Claremont ave., Bklyn., 84.20.
11. Jeanne B. Ward, Willard Parker Hospital, E. 16th st., 83.80.
12. Nellie C. Galyeau, Jackson ave., Queens, L. I., 83.60.
13. Katherine E. McKinley, 8 Hillside Court, Jamaica, 83.40.
14. Eva M. Ryan, 213 Lafayette ave., Bklyn., 83.40.
15. Stella Fuchs, 102 Lefferts pl., Bklyn., 83.
16. Elsie C. Zellenka, 1816 74th st., Bklyn., 82.80.
17. Martha M. Franklin, 28 W. 104th st., 82.60.
18. Margaret O'Dare, N. Y. City Home, Blackwell's Island, 82.40.
19. Harriet Delehanty, 426 DeKalb ave., Bklyn., 82.20.
20. Jennie A. Karpas, 152 W. 118th st., 82.20.
21. Marguerite Cilleruelo, 116 St. James pl., Bklyn., 81.80.
22. Alice S. Thomas, 984 Morris ave., Bronx, 81.60.
23. Minnie O'Shatz, 460 Hancock st., Bklyn., 81.60.
24. Ada B. Smith, 38 S. 24th st., Flushing, 81.60.
25. Mary J. LeCavalier, 235 W. 109th st., 81.40.
26. Anna I. Hubbell, 6828 4th ave., Bklyn., 81.20.
27. Essie P. Whaley, 186 W. 135th st., 80.80.
28. Winifred A. Rogers, 106 W. 61st st., 80.60.
29. Blanche M. Coleman, 205 Madison st., Flushing, 80.60.
30. Ethel M. McCann, 2156 Cortelyou rd., Bklyn., 80.
31. Alice J. Morrissey, 524 2d st., Bklyn., 79.80.
32. Carrie M. Weeks, 2024 80th st., Bklyn., 79.60.
33. Florence I. Shanahan, 371 14th ave., Astoria, L. I., 79.20.
34. Anna F. Fogarty, 545 W. 144th st., 79.20.
35. Marg. Boone Quarles, 2008 Fulton st., Bklyn., 79.20.
36. Genevieve L. Dunn, 71 W. 124th st., 78.80.
37. Alberta E. Leiter, 184 Prospect Park W., Bklyn., 78.40.
38. Katherine Phillips, 269 W. 140th st., 78.40.
39. Grace E. Garland, 517 Park pl., Bklyn., 78.
40. Lillian G. Williams, 545 W. 144th st., 77.80.
41. Dora W. Adams, 185 E. 117th st., 77.60.
42. Sarah A. Coogan, 213 Lafayette ave., Bklyn., 77.60.
43. Jessie B. Ki bourn, 215 Clarkson ave., Bklyn., 76.80.
44. Fannie G. Blackburn, 1884 Arthur ave., Bronx, 76.80.
45. Evelyn B. Ricketts, 8 W. 92d st., 76.80.
46. Mildred A. Parsons, 557 W. 124th st., 76.60.
47. Jeanette C. DeMicelli, 1471 Rosedale ave., Bronx, 76.60.
48. Marie M. Petersen, 717 55th st., Bklyn., 76.20.
49. Gertrude H. Wells, 661 E. 32d st., Bklyn., 76.20.
50. Marie C. Dalton, 158 W. 65th st., 76.
51. Martha B. U. Spencer, 13 Schenectady ave., Bklyn., 76.
52. Annie S. Read, 75 Post ave., 75.60.
53. Rachael A. Thomas, 620 Lenox ave., care Solomon, 75.60.
54. Helen M. Jamison, 414 E. 4th st., Bklyn., 75.40.
55. Mary E. Harte, 304 E. 90th st., 75.
56. Ruth M. Cunningham, Glen Cove, L. I., 75.
57. Katherine E. Rudolph, 630 Bergen ave., Bronx, 74.60.
58. Emily Carnegie, 870 E. 21st st., Bklyn., 74.40.
59. Alma G. Leary, 51 4th ave., Bellaire, L. I., 74.20.
60. Abbie M. Degnan, 1024 Trinity ave., Bronx, 74.
61. Annie K. Faulberg, 798 St. Johns pl., Bklyn., 73.40.
62. Marion B. Newcomb, 178 80th st., Bklyn., 73.40.
63. A. E. Dodge, 64 He-kimer st., Bklyn., 73.
64. Elizabeth M. Tausey, 321 E. 42d st., 73.

65. Isabella McCreesh, 123 E. 60th st., 72.80.
66. Marie M. D'Amato, 1715 E. 13th st., Bklyn., 72.80.
67. Mary E. Boyd, 186 W. 135th st., 72.60.
68. Mary A. Pendergast, 92 Morningside ave., 72.60.
69. Mary A. Magee, 131 E. 34th st., 72.
70. Rose T. Mullholland, 807 Union st., Bklyn., 71.60.
71. Katherine Berman, 95 Madison st., Bklyn., 71.60.
72. Katherine M. Honan, 152 E. 54th st., 71.40.
73. Catherine E. Burke, 157 Garfield pl., Bklyn., 71.20.
74. Dora Eldridge, 161 W. 76th st., 71.20.
75. Jane L. Clifford, 131 E. 34th st., 70.80.
76. Ellen M. Hughes, Manhattan State Hospital, Wards Island, N. Y., 70.

Inspector of Supplies and Repairs, Grade 3.

1. John J. F. Doyle, 246 Sackett st., Bklyn., 89.
2. George C. Gilsey, 47 E. 88th st., 86.40.
3. Algernon B. Comins, 561 Delafield ave., West New Brighton, S. I., 84.40.
4. Harry T. Booth, 565 E. 7th st., Bklyn., 84.40.
5. Michael Cavanagh, 590 Sanford ave., Flushing, 82.40.
6. George P. Gaines, 335 E. 166th st., 82.40.
7. Joseph McDonough, 930 Prospect pl., Bklyn., 81.40.
8. Timothy J. Slattery, 457 Court st., Bklyn., 81.20.
9. Eugene O'gur, 7 Flushing ave., Astoria, L. I., 80.80.
10. Joseph F. Kelly, 2627 Webster ave., Bronx, 80.80.
11. Robert J. Rooney, 1243 Simpson st., Bronx, 80.60.
12. Alfred H. Eccles, 76 Hoyt ave., Astoria, L. I., 80.40.
13. Sander Partegas, 124 E. 108th st., 80.
14. Lawrence Leib, 1921 Morris ave., Bronx, 80.
15. Richard D. Woods, 1 Ashland pl., Bklyn., 79.80.
16. Eugene J. Shields, 1008 Putnam ave., Bklyn., 79.60.
17. Abraham Bloom, 15 W. 117th st., 79.60.
18. Robt. E. Bissett, 469 W. 163d st., 79.60.
19. Thomas J. Hartan, 4436 Chichester ave., Richmond Hill, L. I., 79.40.
20. Michael A. Cardo, 2153 Belmont ave., 79.40.
21. James F. Hayden, 1613 45th st., Bklyn., 79.20.
22. Phinea Rotrosen, 2137 Vyse ave., 78.80.
23. Bruce A. MacKenzie, 970 E. 179th st., 78.60.
24. Louis Snell, 4176 Brandon ave., Woodhaven, 78.40.
25. Sidney W. Brewster, Marine Barracks, Bklyn. Navy Yard, 78.40.
26. James A. Starrs, 9 Banta st., Elmhurst, L. I., 78.40.
27. Emil F. Fischer, 611 Concord ave., Bronx, 78.40.
28. Wm. J. Lonergan, 442 E. 122d st., 78.40.
29. Arthur Gasson, 174 W. 89th st., 78.40.
30. Ralph Schwartz, 313 E. 72d st., 77.80.
31. Alexander S. Dennehy, 188 Winthrop st., Bklyn., 77.80.
32. Daniel J. Cahalane, 202 Westervelt ave., New Brighton, 77.60.
33. Charles C. Carroll, 674 Academy st., 77.40.
34. Sigmund Schuler, 1051 College ave., Bronx, 77.20.
35. Lawrence F. Murray, 422 Pleasant ave., 76.80.
36. John S. Lasch, 2392 Valentine ave., Bronx, 76.80.
37. Newton W. Leidy, 213 Congress st., Bklyn., 76.80.
38. Edward J. Matthews, Graham Court, Graham and 5th aves., Astoria, 76.80.
39. Wm. H. Rahmann, Ossining, N. Y., 76.80.
40. Joseph E. Mullin, P. O. Box 121 Floral Pk., L. I., 76.80.
41. Bernard G. Pilger, 1729 Ralph st., Ridgewood, 76.60.
42. Eugene S. Mintram, Farmingdale, L. I., 76.40.
43. Edward B. Kelly, 123 E. 90th st., 76.20.
44. Emanuel Salinger, 990 Leggett ave., Bronx, 76.20.
45. Frank W. Cann, 541 49th st., Bklyn., 76.
46. Abraham N. Flamm, 500 Warwick st., Bklyn., 75.80.
47. Olivett G. Forman, 238 Eldert st., Bklyn., 75.60.
48. William R. Hudner, 122 Chestnut st., Flushing, 75.40.
49. Frederic Flores, 5 Straiton ave., Arverne, L. I., 75.40.
50. Ernest Winter, 507 W. 139th st., 75.40.
51. Roman P. Kanski, 675 Vanderbilt ave., Bklyn., 74.80.
52. Joseph A. Brady, 525 E. 118th st., 74.60.
53. Frank B. Morrell, 1419 Park pl., Bklyn., 74.60.
54. Russell R. Brown, 689 Macon st., Bklyn., 74.
55. James T. Brady, 427 Charlotte pl., Bklyn., 74.
56. Allan B. Wood, 50 Court st., Bklyn., 74.
57. Ferdinand E. F. Kaiser, 17 Mt. Olivet ave., Middle Village, L. I., 73.80.
58. Harry T. Newman, 466 Irving ave., Bklyn., 73.60.
59. Henry W. S. Bangert, 81 Ackroyd ave., Jamaica, 73.60.
60. Eugene Prager, 819 E. 169th st., 73.40.
61. Lucien Coquet, 1372 Ogden ave., Bronx, 73.20.
62. James J. Mulligan, 844 Church st., Richmond Hill, 73.20.
63. Arthur F. J. Starrs, 9 Banta st., Elmhurst, L. I., 73.20.
64. Henry A. Stadler, 437 Beach ave., Classon pt., Bronx, 73.
65. John J. Lewis, 2267 Creston ave., Bronx, 73.
66. W. J. Marrin, 138 E. 32d st., Bklyn., 73.
67. Wm. Heimann, Jr., 9 Greenpoint ave., Woodside, 72.80.
68. Chas. M. Montgomery, 456 E. 143d st., 72.80.
69. George A. Beatty, 49 Sterling st., Bklyn., 72.80.
70. Frank A. Birch, 2340 University ave., 72.80.
71. Louis Borner, Jr., 28 Hemlock st., Bklyn., 72.40.
72. Philip Holz, Otisville, Orange Co., N. Y., 72.40.
73. Neil O'Callaghan, 323 Avenue O, Bklyn., 72.20.
74. James Marsh, Box 361 Oyster Bay, L. I., 72.
75. Frederick J. Fetter, 1718 Garfield st., Bronx, 72.
76. Joseph E. Taggart, 137 Nagle ave., 71.80.
77. Henry Z. Harrison, 61 W. 117th st., 71.80.
78. Arthur Viertel, 604 E. 84th st., 71.80.
79. Frederick Liebich, 1571 Avenue A, 71.20.
80. Joseph Monds, 28 Locust ave., Rockville, Center, 70.
81. Ralph C. Connor, 1844 62d st., Bklyn., 70.
82. Henry D. Drewes, 320 N. Curtis ave., Richmond Hill, L. I., 70.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1918.**

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

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

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

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

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Armory Board.				
69636	12-14-17	5-10-18	P. J. O'Rourke Electrical Engineering Co., Inc.	\$225 00
69606	3-26-18	5-22-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	314 00
69623	4-23-18	5-22-18	Nicholas J. Schery	467 00
68546	2-7-18	5-20-18	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.	32 50
68531	2-27-18	5-20-18	Bernard Karsch's Sons	34 00
63594	3-26-18	5-21-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	144 00
68541	2-1-18	5-7-18	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	484 35
68538	2-1-18	5-20-18	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	555 98
68537	2-19-18	5-20-18	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	145 31
68540	2-14-18	5-20-18	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	287 55
68533	2-22-18	5-20-18	William J. Olvany	698 00
68532	3-31-18	5-20-18	Fraser & Berau, Inc.	135 00
69065	4-19-18	5-21-18	Agent & Warden of Sing Sing Prison.	50 70
69634	3-27-18	5-22-18	Emil Lazansky	38 00
68524	3-30-18	5-20-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	34 45
68525	9-29-17	5-20-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	53 50
68543	4-8-18	5-20-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
68542	3-29-18	5-20-18	Bacon Coal Co.	88 50
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
63809	1-17-18	5-7-18	Regal Rubber Tire Works	206 55
44905	12-24-17	3-21-18	The Fairbanks Company	460 00
70361	4-22-18	5-24-18	The Abbott Press	41 75
68427	4-1-18	5-20-18	The Jamieson & Bond Co.	423 00
70388	4-18-18	5-24-18	The Hospital Supply Co.	6 00
Department of Plant and Structures.				
66672		5-15-18	Public Service Commission	84 50

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68188		5-18-18	Nutley Contracting Co.....	128 00	31656		47805	2- 8-18	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	1,069 00
65933		5-23-18	A. J. & J. J. McCollum, Inc.....	36 40	68109			5-18-18	Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of Herman Sacks Roofing & Contracting Co., Inc.	128 63
72284		5-29-18	County Court, Queens County.	5 00				5-18-18	Wm. J. Olvany	769 01
69953		5-23-18	County Court, Kings County.	107 60	68016			5-18-18	R. J. Donovan Co. of N. Y., Inc.....	152 23
		5-22-18	Municipal Court of the City of New York.	103 53	61545	1-30-18		5- 3-18	Louis S. Gimbel	204 10
70178	2-15-18	5-22-18	Brockton Heel Co., Inc.....	39 00	68060	4- 7-16		5-18-18	Saverno Products Co., Inc.....	255 87
70175	5-14-18	5-28-18	City Magistrates' Courts.	14 00	68059			5-18-18	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	163 82
71750		5-28-18	Frank Oliver, Chief Clerk.....	5 00	67605	1-28-18		5-17-18	A. Pearson's Sons	143 00
7741		5-15-18	Wilho Hedman	5 00	67565		47024	5-17-18	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.....	527 50
7742		5-15-18	Levin Aghamalian	10 00	68820	3-24-18		5-21-18	Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of Harry A. Jimmerson	130 00
7743		5-15-18	Albin Wala	25 00	68851			5-21-18	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.....	145 54
7744		5-15-18	Dek Foon	20 00	68807	12-26-17	47028	5-21-18	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	100 00
7745		5-15-18	Edward B. Reinius	15 00	68932		46504	5-21-18	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	2,466 97
7746		5-15-18	Anees A. Shibley	20 00	68865		48632	5-21-18	Columbia Graphophone Co.....	426 96
7747		5-15-18	Edward Schoen	5 00	70599	4-11-18		5-24-18	Service Contracting Co.....	20 00
7748		5-15-18	James J. Tully	65 00	70600	4- 8-18		5-24-18	Moore Trucking Co., Inc.....	28 00
8548		5-28-18	Samuel Meratchnik	18 00	70601	4- 8-18		5-24-18	M. J. Nevins	67 50
8104		5-22-18	Edward W. Krantz	225 00	71548	12-31-17		5-28-18	Institute Hall	100 00
		5- 7-18	Maurice Fishberg	177 30	71547	12-31-17		5-28-18	Metropolitan Temple	55 00
64017		4-18-18	Arnold Sayer	25 00	69304		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	320 17
54781		5-27-18	Finn Bros.	446 59	69317		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	323 51
67561	4-24-18		Supreme Courts.	5 00	69315		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	510 01
67274		5-16-18	N. Y. Edison Co.....	5 00	69314		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	276 64
8504		5-27-18	Anton Miller	5 00	69313		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	372 43
8550		5-28-18	Anton Miller	3 25	69318		47699	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	536 80
69309	4-30-18	5-22-18	County Clerk, Queens County.	468 70	69319		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	587 03
69209	4-25-18	5-22-18	County Clerk, Kings County.	95 76	60213		47695	5-22-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	569 83
69210	4-12-18	5-13-18	Royal Law Ptg. Co.....	15 00	69514	2-25-18		5-22-18	John Gelsion	705 00
65665	5- 1-18	5-13-18	Hall's Photo Studio	468 70	72151	12- 1-17		5-29-18	Jacob Jacowiz	64 29
		5-13-18	Victor Typewriter Supply Co.	95 76	71549	12-31-17		5-28-18	Great Kills Moravian Church.....	55 00
			Hunter College.	15 00	71550	12-31-17		5-28-18	Good Templar's Hall.....	55 00
71790		5-28-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.	\$67 37	71546	12-31-17		5-28-18	St. Anselm's Hall.....	110 00
71820	2-16-18	5-28-18	Chas. E. Merrill Co.	5 22	71545	12-31-17		5-28-18	Y. M. C. A., Harlem Branch.....	240 00
71822	3- 8-18	5-28-18	B. F. Bowen & Co.	10 80	68846	3- 7-18		5-21-18	Lignum Carpenter Works.....	24 37
71824		5-28-18	F. C. Stechert Co., Inc.	13 95	68849			5-21-18	Lignum Carpenter Works.....	55 77
71825	2-16-18	5-28-18	Wireless Press, Inc.	14 40	68847			5-21-18	Lignum Carpenter Works.....	86 74
71826	2-12-18	5-28-18	World Book Co.	4 07	71574	1-10-18		5-28-18	Charles Scribners Sons.....	21 76
71827	2-20-18	5-28-18	John Wiley & Sons, Inc.	9 00	71572	1-22-18		5-28-18	Educational Pub. Co.....	2 70
71807	3-25-18	5-28-18	American Book Co.....	67 43	68873	11- 7-17		5-21-18	A. W. King	55 90
71823	3-19-18	5-28-18	G. E. Sterhert & Co.	78 48	71610	10-11-17, 10-12-17		5-28-18	American Technical Society	60
71802	2-16-18	5-28-18	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	1 00	71656	1-18-18		5-28-18	University of the State of N. Y.....	3 25
71803	2-27-18	5-28-18	Henry Holt & Co.	80 00	68108	2-18-18		5-18-18	Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of American Ornamental Iron Works.....	25 93
71800	2-26-18	5-28-18	Longmans, Green & Co.	10 80	68852			5-21-18	Benjes & Stiefel.....	42 00
71830	2-28-18	5-28-18	Postal Telegraph, Cable Co.	3 29	71528			5-28-18	American District Telegraph Co.....	20 20
			College of the City of New York.		71496			5-28-18	Samuel R. Brick, Deputy Supt. of School Bldgs.	32 05
68275		5-20-18	Standard Envelope Co.	\$130 25	71662	12- -17		5-28-18	Western Union Tel. Co.....	7 04
70863	4- 6-18	5-24-18	Herman Behr & Co., Inc.	17 00	73118			6- 1-18	John W. Davis, Director.....	20 12
70865	3-20-18	5-24-18	Hull, Grippen & Co.	7 43	73129			6- 1-18	A. W. Ross, Deputy Supt. of School Bldgs.	90 10
70856	3-30-18	5-24-18	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	24 54	73102			6- 1-18	Marietta Martin	5 60
70857	4- 6-18	5-24-18	Eimer & Amend	24 10	73110			6- 1-18	C. M. Morgan, Deputy Supt. of School Bldgs.	31 04
70853		5-24-18	Tower Bros. Stationery Co.	17 45	73105			6- 1-18	Mary B. Riss.....	3 90
70871	3-22-18	5-24-18	Tower Bros. Stationery Co.	3 00	73072			6- 1-18	Albert Strauss	15 00
70850	4- 5-18	5-24-18	Elsworth Press, Inc.	12 50	73067			6- 1-18	Frances E. Moscrip, Inspector of Classes for Blind	124 70
54257	2-15-18	5-15-18	A. H. Denny	41 25	73115			6- 1-18	Rose Feldman	55
69541		5-22-18	Board of City Record.	\$799 70	73073			6- 1-18	Joseph P. Hanify	40 50
69010		5-21-18	P. J. Collison & Co.	417 84	73104			6- 1-18	Marion S. Webb	11 55
70874		5-28-18	Autocar Sales Co.	8 23	72153			5-29-18	Maude McCain, Co-ordinator	67 70
			Department of Correction.		72120		40060	5-28-15	Harry Silverman, Assignee of Samuel Rappaport	677 00
66255		5-14-18	Bank of United States, assignee of Frank J. Murray & Co., Inc.	\$10,849 26	155318		40060	12- 2-14	Harry Silverman, Assignee of Samuel Rappaport	720 00
51009	3-30-18	4- 8-18	John Campbell	150 00	71020		47695	5-27-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	20 24
70212	3-20-18	5-23-18	Bramhall, Deane Co.	266 25	69520	3-30-18		5-22-18	J. L. Fries	72 50
70209	4-17-18	5-23-18	General Supply & Equipment Corp..	342 02	70289		46011	5-23-18	Jandous Electric Equip. Co., Inc.....	778 00
70224	3-21-18	5-23-18	National Lead Co.....	920 00	70294	4-25-18		5-23-18	Department of Parks	324 08
70202	5-16-18	5-23-18	Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co., Inc.	1 40	70293	4-25-18		5-23-18	Department of Parks	399 75
70237	4- 2-18	5-23-18	Department of Correction	3 60	70288		47907	5-23-18	National Regulator Co.....	756 00
70238	2- 7-18	5-23-18	Harry L. Green	23 00	70284		44620	5-23-18	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.....	1,605 00
70254	3-29-18	5-23-18	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	9 00	70292		47672	5-23-18	J. M. Knopp	970 58
70255	11-16-17	5-23-18	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	9 67	68891			5-21-18	B. E. Giroer	56 06
70216	5- 6-18	5-24-18	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	38 25	68888	1-29-18		5-21-18	T. F. Ford	47 00
70217	4-12-18	5-23-18	Hull, Grippen & Co.	13 62	68884	1- 1-18		5-21-18	T. J. Tuomey Co.....	44 63
70246	5-14-18	5-23-18	North End Garage Corp.	40 29	69887		48063	5-23-18	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc...	9,254 37
70223	4-18-18	5-23-18	American Laundry Machinery Co. ...	20 20	69886		48352	5-23-18	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc...	7,571 42
70203	4-30-18	5-23-18	Mutual Towel Supply Co.	9 00	69885		48063	5-23-18	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc...	3,804 39
70236	4- 3-18	5-23-18	Walworth Mfg. Co.	15 00	69884	4-30-18	48063	5-23-18	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc...	4,909 91
			District Attorney, Kings County.		69888	5-13-18	48350	5-23-18	Clark & Wilkins Co.....	266 00
8508		5-27-18	Fred C. Dennington	\$82 33	68890	2-14-18		5-21-18	Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of Garbutt & Co.....	40 83
8510		5-27-18	Ralph S. Breaker	37 50	69506	4- 5-18		5-22-18	Anatomic Seating Co.....	26 00
8507		5-27-18	John B. Campbell	25 00	73509				Department of Finance.	
8512		5-27-18	Pinkerton's National Detective Agcy.	19 95				6- 3-18	Thomas G. Patten, Postmaster.....	830 10
8509		5-27-18	William Wise & Son	10 00					Fire Department.	
8506		5-27-18	A. Gracia	5 00	69374	4-30-18		5-22-18	Winfield Coal Co.....	163 35
			District Attorney, Bronx County.		69441	4-30-18		5-22-18	Jurgen, Rathjen Co.....	135 01
69221	5-13-18	5-22-18	Hecla Press	\$122 30	66061		47627	5-14-18	Hewitt Rubber Co.....	6,403 80
			District Attorney, New York County.		68135		47627	5-18-18	Hewitt Rubber Co.....	3,250 00
68345		5-20-18	Walter J. Jones	\$686 85	69461	2- 5-18		5-22-18	International Motor Co.....	740 00
71767		5-28-18	S. J. Donleavy	25 00	69439	3-29-18		5-22-18	Rudolph Reimer	423 52
71768		5-28-18	Peter Nemeth	25 00	49110		47732	4- 2-18	Royal Co. of N. Y., assignee of Motta Cont. Co.	248 80
70189		5-23-18	American Law Book Co.....	12 00	69435	4-30-18		5-22-18	M. L. Bird Co.....	286 90
			Department of Docks and Ferries.		69396	4-30-18		5-22-18	Fordham Stone Renovating Co.....	245 00
71739	5-14-18	5-28-18	John B. Astell & Co.	\$142 20	69392	3-14-18		5-22-18	S. W. Merritt Co.....	66 00
68616	4-27-18	5-20-18	Patton Paint Co.....	475 00	69457	4-22-18		5-22-18	Knickerbocker Supply Co.....	67 00
68607		5-20-18	Cooney, Eckstein & Co., Inc.....	1,943 03					Department of Health.	
68624	4-27-18	5-20-18	Bradstreet Co., Inc.....	150 00	70039			5-17-18	William Farrell & Son.....	1,102 45
			Board of Elections.		70050			5-23-18	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.....	178 43
70015	5-20-18	5-23-18	P. J. Collison & Co.....	\$248 50	68267		48880	5-20-18	Shults Bread Co.....	505 80
50353		4- 5-18	Brooklyn Day	546 40	68268		48888	5-20-18	S. D. Woodruff & Sons.....	422 33
50357		4- 5-18	Brooklyn Jewish Daily News.....	90 44	70047	1-29-18		5-23-18	S. I. Garage, Inc.....	2 34
72849		5-31-18	Harry W. Taylor, Clerk.....	400 00	70052	4-22-18		5-23-18	Watters Laboratories	6 75
			Department of Education.		70053	4-25-18		5-23-18	Mersfelder & White	9 00
69511	8-28-17	5-22-18	Agent & Warden of Auburn Prison...	\$2,057 50	70054			5-23-18	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.....	2 38
68896		5-21-18	Underwood Typewriter Co.....	1,637 50	70404	2- 1-18		5-24-18	Oliver Typewriter Co.....	1 15
68786		5-21-18	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	1,995 00	70400			5-20-18	Bligh & Engel, Inc.....	14 20
68788		5-21-18	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.....	1,050 00	70401			5-24-18	Lunny & Handibode	8 30
69515		5-22-18	P. H. McCarthy	151 00	70398	3-23-18		5-24-18	T. J. Murphy Iron Works.....	5 50
69513	3-29-18	5-22-18	Gertrude Scheidlinger, Assignee of M. Barash	113 00	69295	3-11-18			Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.	
70286		5-23-18	Otis Elevator Co.....	9,000 00	71342			5-22-18	Columbia Storage Warehouses.....	207 00
70285		5-23-18	Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	625 00	70478	5- 4-18			Law Department.	
68826	3-18-18	5-21-18	B. Diamond	245 00				5-27-18	Martin L. Bodkin	50 00
68787		5-21-18	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co...	252 50				5-22-18	Eagle Spring Water Co.....	60
69504	10-23-15	5-22-18	Agent & Warden of Clinton Prison...							

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Miscellaneous.					48442	4-1-18	Fred B. Scoralick	136 00	
72587	5-29-18	Bushwick Hospital	441 05		48461	4-1-18	B. Nicoll & Co.	1,177 80	
72583	5-29-18	Brooklyn Home for Consumptives	2,711 50		58421	2-28-18	White Plains Produce Market	162 64	
72589	5-29-18	Colored Orphan Asylum and Assn. for the Benefit of Colored Children in The City of N. Y.	4,097 50		47901	2-1-18	Chester Smith	210 96	
72590	5-50-18	Flushing Hospital & Dispensary	1,491 74		45411	12-1-17	W. F. Chambers & Sons	124 22	
72591	5-29-18	House of Mercy	987 67		57657	2-28-18	Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	25 00	
72592	5-29-18	Hope Farm	2,264 80		516-18	George Roth & Son	296 20		
72593	5-29-18	Jewish Maternity Hospital	1,644 95		55866	3-1-18	George Roth & Son	335 51	
72594	5-29-18	Montefiore Home & Hospital for Chronic Diseases	15,367 60		48438	4-1-18	George Roth & Son	421 76	
72595	5-29-18	St. Catharines Hospital	2,317 74		57655	3-1-18	Joslin Carpenter Co.	20 25	
72596	5-29-18	Society for the Aid of Friendless Women & Children	101 37		31426	2-7-18	L. Sonneborn Sons, Inc.	63 76	
72597	5-29-18	St. Josephs Hospital, Queens	341 00		36609	2-26-18	Elmer H. Miller	102 96	
72598	5-29-18	Wayside Home	252 99		41357	2-7-18	Ossining Garage Co.	138 67	
72240	5-29-18	N. Y. Railways Co.	24 00		48660	4-1-18	V. K. Garrison	2 50	
72241	5-29-18	Walton Contracting Co.	5 00		55876	4-18-18	Chester Smith	262 35	
72671	5-29-18	New Amsterdam Casualty Co.	140 00		Public Administrator, Queens County.				
72672	5-29-18	Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co.	100 00		5-21-18	Randolph White	\$100 00		
72673	5-29-18	Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland	75 00		Bronx Parkway Commission.				
72478	5-29-18	American Surety Co. of N. Y.	116 25		5-22-18	Bronx Record & Times	\$3 84		
72483	5-29-18	Royal Indemnity Co.	62 50		Department of Parks.				
72484	5-29-18	American Surety Co. of N. Y.	12 50		5-22-18	Pierce, Butler & Pierce Mfg. Corp.	\$169 02		
72485	5-29-18	National Surety Co.	30 00		5-17-18	Douglas Bros. Hardware Co.	239 44		
72479	5-29-18	National Surety Co.	225 00		5-18-18	Thomas M. Blake	1,727 52		
71460	5-28-18	Joseph Amrhein	6 21		5-22-18	Bloodgood Nurseries	826 45		
71459	5-28-18	John Zainckowski	20 31		5-22-18	Grand Central Market	242 79		
71461	5-28-18	Collector of Assessments and Arrears	67 92		5-17-18	Olin J. Stephens	17 30		
72608	5-29-18	M. B. Newmark	1 00		5-22-18	B. Turecamo Contracting Co., Inc.	42 00		
72609	5-29-18	Arnold T. Ghegan	55 00		5-22-18	Barrett Co.	47 58		
72610	5-29-18	Arnold T. Ghegan	36 00		5-22-18	Scranton & Lehigh Coal Co.	79 95		
72611	5-29-18	Arnold T. Ghegan	397 00		Police Department.				
72612	5-29-18	Arnold T. Ghegan	47 00		5-20-18	Thomas R. Were	\$800 00		
72613	5-29-18	Chas. A. Schrag	51 00		5-8-18	Francis M. A. Leach	161 00		
72614	5-29-18	Irad T. Lane	11 00		5-24-18	Conner, Fendler & Co.	63 18		
72615	5-29-18	Edward Lyons	11 00		5-24-18	Victor Welding Works	4 50		
72616	5-29-18	A. W. Eckhoff	9 00		5-24-18	S. Cohen	14 00		
72617	5-29-18	Albert J. Shannon	52 00		5-14-18	J. W. Gasteiger & Son, Assignee of			
72618	5-29-18	Albert J. Shannon	49 00		Gustave C. Stelle	136 00			
72619	5-29-18	Albert J. Shannon	9 00		5-23-18	C. I. Davids & Son	503 00		
72620	5-29-18	Clara Birner	19 00		5-23-18	Nelson Brothers	133 20		
72629	5-29-18	John Woodenbury	57 75		5-23-18	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	660 84		
72630	5-29-18	Christ Pfeiderer	16 80		5-20-18	Rudolph Reimer	68 95		
72631	5-29-18	Alfred W. Erickson	14 70		5-10-18	Bay Ridge Coal Co.	45 00		
72632	5-29-18	John Kane	6 00		President of the Borough of Manhattan.				
72633	5-29-18	M. C. O'Brien	158 00		4-29-18	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	295 38		
72634	5-29-18	W. H. Kirkwood	8 00		5-17-18	Walton Contracting Co.	2,970 00		
72635	5-29-18	Wm. Figgis	13 00		5-21-18	Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co.	-555 13		
72636	5-29-18	Arthur Nichols	2 00		5-21-18	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc.	299 99		
72637	5-29-18	Ellen Callahan	2 00		5-21-18	United States Wood Preserving Co.	179 26		
72638	5-29-18	Thomas E. Rogers	32 00		5-15-18	Asphalt Construction Co.	1,023 89		
72605	5-29-18	Receiver of Taxes	1 15		5-15-18	Astoria Contracting Co.	137 60		
72599	5-29-18	Realty Associates	5 00		5-21-18	John Simmons Co.	320 06		
72600	5-29-18	Realty Associates	4 00		5-21-18	American Blower Co.	125 00		
72601	5-29-18	Realty Associates	5 33		5-21-18	Charles L. Craig, Comptroller of The City of N. Y., Trustee for Account of Street Opening Fund	3,926 25		
72602	5-29-18	Receiver of Taxes	3 30		5-21-18	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	983 00		
72603	5-29-18	Receiver of Taxes	1 15		5-21-18	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	300 00		
73576	6-3-18	Hartland S. West	554 79		5-21-18	Michael J. Rooney	18 30		
73574	6-3-18	Edgar F. Luckenbach	3,328 77		5-21-18	John Wanamaker, N. Y.	11 25		
73573	6-3-18	Salomon Bros. & Hutzler	8,321 92		5-27-18	Germania Bank, City of N. Y., Assignee of The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	32 76		
73577	6-3-18	M. Olivia Sage	6,657 53		5-21-18	Frederick W. Burnham	95 00		
73572	6-3-18	Bankers Trust Co., N. Y. City, as United States trustee of the European Accident Insurance Co., Ltd., of London, England, under deed of trust dated April 15, 1916	2,219 18		5-21-18	John A. Casey Co.	23 21		
73566	6-3-18	Salomon Bros. & Hutzler	375,000 00		5-21-18	David Shuldiner, Inc.	30 65		
73567	6-3-18	Edgar F. Luckenbach	150,000 00		5-21-18	James Gallagher's Sons	3 00		
73568	6-3-18	Cecil C. Blumenthal	50,000 00		5-21-18	Nason Manufacturing Co.	6 50		
73571	6-3-18	Bankers Trust Co., N. Y. City, as United States trustee of the European Accident Insurance Co., Ltd., of London, Eng., under deed of trust dated April 15, 1916	100,000 00		5-21-18	Sherwin-Williams Co.	30 50		
73570	6-3-18	M. Olivia Sage	300,000 00		5-21-18	Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	35 75		
73575	6-3-18	Cecil C. Blumenthal	1,109 59		5-21-18	United States Wood Preserving Co.	50 43		
73569	6-3-18	Hartland S. West	25,000 00		5-21-18	Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co.	95 10		
73565	6-3-18	Charles L. Craig as Comptroller and Alfred J. Johnson as Chamberlain	21,775 65		5-21-18	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	8 10		
73564	6-3-18	Charles L. Craig as Comptroller and Alfred J. Johnson as Chamberlain	1,000,000 00		5-21-18	Aztec Asphalt Co., Inc.	16 45		
72623	5-29-18	William P. Halsted	10 50		5-21-18	Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co.	18 60		
72624	5-29-18	William P. Halsted	7 35		5-21-18	David Shuldiner, Inc.	25 95		
72625	5-29-18	Gustave Lebett	9 00		President of the Borough of The Bronx.				
72626	5-29-18	Albert Gluszek	19 00		5-15-18	Streat Coal Co., Inc.	654 40		
72627	5-29-18	James Reilly	13 00		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.				
72628	5-29-18	James Reilly	13 00		5-17-18	Francis M. A. Leach	1,933 75		
72482	5-29-18	Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co.	12 50		5-23-18	Robbins, Ripley Co.	335 65		
72480	5-29-18	Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co.	2 50		5-23-18	J. P. Duffy Co., Assignee of Ward & Tully, Inc.	3,309 52		
72481	5-29-18	United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co.	5 27		5-23-18	Conklin & Foss Co.	8,258 40		
72476	5-29-18	Frederick A. Ware & Vincent Gilroy	268 35		5-17-18	E. E. Rutter	133 00		
73884	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt	500,000 00		5-29-18	James J. Byrne	31 50		
73882	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund of the City of N. Y.	1,236,818 43		5-23-18	Calvin Tompkins	1,059 32		
73883	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn	296,145 55		5-17-18	William B. Sing Co.	22 80		
73885	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt	2,013 70		President of the Borough of Queens.				
73886	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn	681 54		5-17-18	Wm. T. Maxwell	603 71		
73887	6-4-18	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund of the City of N. Y.	12,503 73		5-20-18	John J. Mead Co.	103 00		
46066	3-25-18	B. Nicoll & Co.	\$578 50		5-16-18	Cutting, Larson Co., Inc., Oldsmobile Co. of N. Y.	972 00		
56448	4-19-18	American Express Co.	3 81		5-15-18	Peace Bros.	221 65		
58424	4-24-18	Yerks & Co.	10 50		5-15-18	Ajax Drainage Contracting Corp.	320 89		
47885	1-25-18	Yerks & Co.	5 50		5-17-18	Hastings Pavement Co.	303 58		
47871	1-4-18	Warburton Ave. Book & Art Co., Inc.	18 78		5-6-18	Ajax Drainage Contr. Corp.	3,155 20		
56417	3-13-18	Biber Bros., Inc.	3 02		5-20-18	Borough Asphalt Co.	470 60		
56469	2-8-18	Whitson's Garage	6 40		5-20-18	Borough Asphalt Co.	663 85		
55880	4-18-18	Sneed & Mathews	540 48		5-15-18	Peace Brothers	4,320 21		
					5-20-17	A. P. W. Paper Co.	360 50		
					5-20-18	Angelo Paino	3,876 00		
					5-22-18	Roberts Numbering Machine Co.	36 00		
					5-16-18	Davega's	37 50		
					5-16-18	Jamaica Battery & Engineering Co.	28 14		
					3-1-18	Woodside Garage, Inc.	25 00		
					5-24-18	Newtown Register	62 44		
					5-15-18	Marshall Contracting Co., Inc.	58 18		
					5-21-18	Dennis Shugrue	80 00		
					5-21-18	W. A. Duncan	80 00		
					5-25-18	Madison Avenue Garage	80 00		
					5-20-18	W. F. Sheehan Co., Inc.	34 00		
					5-20-18	A. Pearson's Sons	77 00		
					President of the Borough of Richmond.				
					5-24-18	Banks Law Pub. Co.	15 00		
					5-24-18	Jas. Thompson & Sons	4 25		
					5-28-18	Samuel W. Benedict	25 00		
					Public Service Commission.				
					5-23-18	D. C. Serber	10,062 40		
					5-13-18	Penn. Mary Steel Co., successor to American Iron & Steel Mfg. Co.	1,305 30		
					4-2-18	E. E. Smith Contracting Co.	2,334 51		
					5-23-18	John B. Roberts, assignee of Louis Wechsler	18,770 58		

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70261	46635	5-23-18	Chase, Roberts & Co.	399 00	70508	5-7-18	5-24-18	William Babor	47 50
70261	48383	5-23-18	A. W. King	13,405 34	70509	3-18-18	5-24-18	Herring, Hall, Marvin Safe Co.	3 50
70259	45726	5-23-18	Mason & Hanger, MacArthur Bros., Inc., assignee of Mason & Hanger Co., Inc.	17,969 09	70507	4-23-18	5-24-18	Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.	1 03
70262	47688	5-23-18	Bethlehem Steel Products Co.	13,754 00	70547	4-1-18	5-24-18	Beith & Reilly Co.	19 30
70263	43354	5-23-18	Bethlehem Steel Products Co.	13,275 90	70546	4-25-18	5-24-18	L. Barth & Son	8 00
70266	49446	5-23-18	John B. Roberts	4,289 25	70545	5-2-18	5-24-18	Alexander Propper & Co.	27 92
70256	47610	5-23-18	Thomas Crimmins Contracting Co.	12,571 78	70543	5-11-18	5-24-18	Empire Sales Co.	21 40
70258	45727	5-23-18	Mason & Hanger, MacArthur Bros., Inc., assignee of MacArthur Bros. Co.	15,024 63	70540	5-4-18	5-24-18	Agent & Warden of Sing Sing Prison.	65 00
66912		5-14-18	Paw Ptg. Co.	230 22	70537		5-24-18	Cahn Sales Co.	2 88
72699		5-29-18	F. W. Seybel & Wm. A. Knapp, executors of the estate of D. E. Seybel, deceased, and assignees of his devisees	83 33	70536	4-17-18	5-24-18	Western Electric Co., Inc.	3 25
72692		5-29-18	Philip Greenblatt	90 00	70517	11-30-17	5-24-18	American Steel Wool Mfg. Co., Inc.	14 64
72703		5-29-18	Weinbros Real Estate Co., Inc.	266 66	71615		5-28-18	N. Y. Telephone Co.	24 10
72695		5-29-18	National Railway Publication Co.	75 00	72832		5-31-18	James A. Donegan	10 00
72689		5-29-18	Mrs. Mary Childs	40 00	72811		5-31-18	Daniel J. Griffin, Sheriff	110 35
72704		5-29-18	Childs Co.	125 00	70464		5-24-18	Ross Garage & Taxi Co., Inc.	24 00
72690		5-29-18	First Const. Co. of Brooklyn	125 00	69477	49169	5-22-18	Geo. N. Reinhardt & Co.	576 82
72698		5-29-18	U. S. Trust Co. of N. Y., trustee for the estate of E. J. Donnell, deceased.	45 00	65760	48978	5-13-18	Thomas Lenane	483 16
72688		5-29-18	Title Guarantee & Trust Co. of Brooklyn, executor of the estate of Margaret V. McNulty, A. W. Cherrington, agent	20 00	69487	38795	5-22-18	Columbian Rope Co.	249 71
72700		5-29-18	Schaefer Co.	83 33	69125	5-13-18	49382	Jacob Fradus Contracting, Inc.	14,784 04
72701		5-29-18	W. C. Schirmer, executor of estate of Wm. Schirmer, deceased	25 00	69478		49056	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	3,035 52
72696		5-29-18	Ellen A. O'Connell	150 00	68768	5-1-18	5-21-18	Smith-Worthington Co.	25 00
72695		5-29-18	Lee Bros. Storage & Van Co.	60 00	68394	49169	5-20-18	Geo. N. Reinhardt & Co.	4,733 14
72687		5-29-18	Chauncey Real Estate Co., Ltd.	20 00	68395	49169	5-20-18	Geo. N. Reinhardt & Co.	2,554 70
72691		5-29-18	Robert Gair Co.	182 29	69988	4-16-18	5-23-18	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	594 90
72686		5-29-18	M. Becker	20 00	69970	5-3-18	5-23-18	C. G. Braxmar Co.	103 50
72694		5-29-18	Lockwood Const. Co.	45 00	69983	5-1-18	5-23-18	Linen Thread Co.	345 00
65229		5-10-18	J. H. Burton & Co., Inc.	56 05	69981		5-23-18	Atlantic Insulated Wire & Cable Co.	198 80
72702		5-29-18	Charles H. Baechler, as attorney in fact for Thomas Scott	55 00	69989	2-5-18	5-23-18	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	143 00
69730	4-1-18	5-22-18	Equitable Blue Print Co.	549 62	70010		5-23-18	Moran Towing & Transportation Co.	1,767 00
69728		5-22-18	Deutscheimer & Ochs	116 00	70009		5-23-18	John C. Hoefling	252 00
69715		5-22-18	Benj. H. Tyrell	359 88	69467	38795	5-23-18	F. P. Eastman	2,625 00
69737	4-18-18	5-22-18	Geo. J. Schnatz Iron Works, Inc.	84 00	66149		5-14-18	John P. Canavan	9 47
69711	5-1-18	5-22-18	Glenwood Garage	20 40	69348	4-16-18	5-22-18	George Douglass	143 43
69732	3-30-18	5-22-18	Lithoprint Co., Inc.	66 18	36055		7-15-17	Charles Meads & Co.	3,010 50
69717		5-22-18	Powers Photo Engraving Co.	16 28	47571		3-16-17	Charles Meads & Co.	744 50
69739	5-8-18	5-22-18	Weinstock & Sons, Inc.	45 48	72301		5-29-18	Elizabeth McDowell	20 00
69740	5-3-18	5-22-18	Wilkinson Bros. & Co.	35 75	72293		5-29-18	Degnon Contracting Co., or Parker & Aaron, Attys.	1,678 56
69727	2-15-18	5-22-18	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	19 50	69343	5-10-18	5-22-18	J. E. Butterworth	325 00
69721		5-22-18	Baron Printing Co.	37 26	72300		5-29-18	Isaac Purdy	210 00
Department of Public Charities.					69995		5-23-18	John T. Brady & Co.	2,981 70
65005	4-15-18	5-22-18	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.	\$7,169 73	69994		5-23-18	Coffin Valve Co.	6,427 02
62044	49096	5-3-18	Columbus Trust Co., assignee of Granite City Soap Co., Inc.	1,650 01	67507		5-16-18	N. De Stefano	880 38
70099	4-15-18	5-23-18	Conron Bros. Co.	1,006 32	70635		5-24-18	President of the Borough of Richmond	5,237 00
68478	48020	5-20-18	Eugene Frank	2,232 67	56516		5-19-18	Oil Machinery & Supply Co.	142 25
68477	48020	5-20-18	Eugene Frank	2,109 82	68950	4-25-18	5-21-18	Remington Typewriter Co.	135 84
68486	45704	5-20-18	Snare & Triest Co.	350 00	72604		5-29-18	Receiver of Taxes, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1 15
57332	48662	4-22-18	F. S. Banks & Co.	17,886 11	72606		5-29-18	Receiver of Taxes, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1 15
69116		5-21-18	P. F. Larkin & Co.	262 50	72607		5-29-18	Anthony T. Pfaffler	18 00
68489	48997	5-20-18	Lewis DeGroff & Son	1,070 64	70080		5-24-18	Brewster Garage & Livery	15 00
68479	47275	5-20-18	N. Y. Const. Co.	2,064 60	68219		5-18-18	Samuel Van Wickler	117 00
68493	49318	5-20-18	Country Milk Co., Inc.	10,200 83	68713		5-20-18	Asbury Elliott	19 96
70094	48980	5-23-18	L. Crocco & Sons	2 84	68218		5-18-18	William Briggs	117 00
46213	44659	5-25-18	Geo. L. Hild Co., Inc.	6,001 52	67500		5-16-18	William M. Sullivan	75 00
55461	3-30-18	5-20-18	John Campbell	150 00	70079	5-1-18	5-23-18	Westchester Lighting Co.	125 65
69096		5-17-18	John L. Schmadeke, Inc.	836 01	68959	1-31-18	5-21-18	Warwick Valley Light & Power Co.	74 57
57998		4-23-18	East River Mill & Lumber Co.	704 00	68960	2-28-18	5-21-18	Warwick Valley Light & Power Co.	60 21
70123	2-19-18	5-23-18	Grand Central Market	179 20	68961	3-30-18	5-21-18	Warwick Valley Light & Power Co.	59 27
70147	4-30-18	5-23-18	Standard Oxygen Co.	235 75	70081	4-18	5-23-18	Wells, Fargo & Co. Express	66
70145		5-23-18	Powers-Weightman-Rosengarten Co.	607 90	70077	5-1-18	5-23-18	C. J. Dunning & Son	6 80
70136		5-23-18	Institution Equipment Co., Inc.	1,680 00	70075	5-1-18	5-23-18	Joseph T. Ryerson & Son	9 23
70128		5-23-18	Aseptic Products Co.	872 50	70074	4-22-18	5-23-18	Graton & Knight Mfg. Co.	12 00
70135	4-22-18	5-23-18	Hoffman V. La Roche Chemical Wks.	263 65	70073		5-23-18	William L. Blumberg & Co.	9 83
70129	4-17-18	5-23-18	F. S. Banks & Co.	149 10	70072	5-15-18	5-23-18	Monarch Tire Co., Inc.	21 96
70124		5-23-18	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	184 66	70070	5-7-18	5-23-18	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	28 00
70141	5-7-18	5-23-18	Merck & Co.	132 00	70069	5-8-18	5-23-18	Wilson & Co.	15 00
70151		5-23-18	Peter A. Stackwell	110 00	70065	4-30-18	5-23-18	M. R. Baxter's Son	11 40
70515	1-31-18	5-24-18	Frederick Loeser & Co., Inc.	2 00	70082	5-14-18	5-23-18	Wells, Fargo & Co. Express	65
70511	5-13-18	5-24-18	E. J. Stanley	11 00	70068	4-25-18	5-23-18	Paige & Jones Chemical Co., Inc.	31 50
					70087		5-23-18	Adams Express Co.	1 13
					70086	2-18	5-23-18	Yorkville Auto Supply Depot, Inc.	2 00

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1918.

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

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
74392		Board of Aldermen. Alfred E. Smith, Pres. of Aldermen	\$200 00
		Armory Board.	
74486	2-18-18	A. & W., Clinton Prison	\$17 00
74487	3-12-18	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison	31 87
74488	4-20-18	Stanley & Patterson	36 60
74489	4-12-18	Stanley & Patterson	42 78
74490	3-23-18	William R. Thompson	30 00
74491	4-26-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	7 35
74492	4-19-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	27 25
74493	4-25-18	Remington Typewriter Co.	153 90
74494	5-6-18	Geo. B. Granger Co., Inc.	11 55
74495	4-26-18	Annin & Co.	6 25
74496	4-30-18	Stanley & Patterson	8 40
74458	2-13-18	International Time Recording Co.	57 60
74459	4-15-18	P. J. McConnon	99 84
74460	11-27-17	Rocap & Poole	58 56
74461	4-26-18	P. J. McConnon	39 56
74462	12-21-17	William J. Olvany	48 90
74463	5-14-18	A. Pearson's Sons	84 88
74464	11-26-17	William J. Olvany	150 73

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74465	4-10-18	Werner & Windolph	5 25
74466	4-10-18	Werner & Windolph	13 43
74467	3-1-18	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	435 56
74468	4-11-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
74469	4-5-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
74470	4-11-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
74471	4-11-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
74472	4-12-18	Bacon Coal Co.	87 50
74473	3-13-18	John F. Schmadeke	237 81
74474	5-1-18	Peerless Towel Supply Co.	3 14
74475	4-1-18	Peerless Towel Supply Co.	3 14
74476	3-11-18	Remington Typewriter Co.	4 00
74477	4-19-18	Underwood Typewriter Co.	90
74478	4-10-18	Philip Hans	2 40
74479	4-19-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	20 00
74480	4-19-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	69 62
74481	4-12-18	McKesson & Robbins	9 45
74482	5-6-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	67 35
74483	4-26-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	53 65
74484	4-19-18	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	5 50
74485	3-29-18	Perfection Chemical Co.	18 50
74308		Board of Child Welfare. Robt. W. Heberd	\$50 00
74534	5-31-18	Board of Standards and Appeals. N. Y. & Bklyn. Towel Supply Co.	\$2 75
74533	6-4-18	Wm. Wirt Mills	7 73
74317		County Court, Kings County. Hall's Photo Studio	\$19 80
74318		Bklyn. Blue Print Works	3 30
74310		County Court, Bronx County. L. J. LeRolle	\$10 00
74311		N. Y. Tel. Co.	21 83
74312		National Equipment Co.	7 00
74313		Robt. A. Cools	1 50

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74314		Albert Ehler	42 00
74315		H. B. Harris	6 65
74316		Geo. A. Daly	9 00
74381	4-9-18	Court of General Sessions. Holtz & Freystedt Rest. & Wine Co., Inc.	\$66 60
74382	5-21-18	Lafayette Rest. & Lunch Room	13 00
74342	3-20-18	Hunter College. Thos. Holland & Sons	\$6 03
74343	4-8-18	Herman Sacks	16 30
74344	4-10-18	Philip & Paul	1,982 00
74345	1-25-18	Geo. H. Beck & Sons	50 06
74346	3-26-18	Chas. J. Bogue Electric Co.	25 60
74347	2-23-18	H. Tasoff	44 61
74348	1-26-18	Herman Auskultat	136 52
74319	3-20-18	Keuffel & Esser	41 04
74320		Galindo Mfg. Co.	12 00
74321	3-11-18	Eimer & Amend	261 54
74322	2-1-18	Consolidated Gas Co.	5 00
74323	2-1-18	John Church Co.	18 00
74324	1-25-18	Milton Bradley Co.	38 11
74325	3-11-18	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	206 02
74326	4-22-18	Jas. R. Barrie	28 50
74327	3-2-18	Diehl Mfg. Co.	6 08
74328	4-22-18	Narragansett Machine Co.	15 12
74329	3-2-18	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.	4 50
74330	3-15-18	Scientific Equipment Co.	292 85
74331	3-23-18	Voland & Sons	39 60
74332	3-28-18	Oxford University Press	7 20
74333	3-11-18	Crocker-Wheeler Co.	150 52
74334	3-12-18	Library Bureau	12 91
74335	2-19-18	Library Bureau	44 55
74336	3-9-18	Saml. Lewis	62 28

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74337	2-1-18 Bloomingdale Bros.	71 90	74745	3-7-18 Agent & Warden, Auburn		74585	Henry Bruns et al.	780 54
74333	4-13-18 Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co..	7 50		Prison	1,550 00	74586	Carlo Bentivoglio	792 49
74339	2-29-18 John Wanamaker	18 00	74746	4-26-18 F. A. Hardy & Co.	16 25	74587	Cono Boccia	907 05
74340	1-2-18 John Wanamaker	6 00	74547	4-21-18 Nason Mfg. Co.	22 00	74588	Elizabeth E. Stewart	386 44
74341	4-1-18 John A. O'Dowd	107 03	74548	4-24-18 A. F. Brombacher & Co.	1 85	74589	Frederick F. Stevens	442 06
Board of City Record.			74549	4-19-18 Edward R. Sadew Co., Inc.	93 50	74590	Frederick F. Stevens et al..	485 76
74367	48909 M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	\$9,083 75	74550	12-27-17 Clafins, Inc.	3 15	74591	Albert J. Smith	4,043 55
Department of Education.			74551	3-5-18 Best Foundry Co., Inc.	20 40	74592	Vincent Statile	253 85
74384	Chas. L. Craig, Custodian		74552	4-10-18 William Hunrath	10 50	74593	Abraham Silverstone et al..	2,957 64
	Teachers' Retirement Fund.	\$680 75	74553	4-8-18 Link Belt Co.	8 10	74594	Edwin Sands	4,842 25
74383	Chas. L. Craig, Custodian		74554	3-30-18 John P. Kane Co.	13 20	74606	Fleisher & Weitman	19 48
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	2,050 94	74555	3-23-18 Edison Elec. Appliance Co.,		74607	W. F. Brenner	84
	tem			Inc.	5 20	74517	Brooklyn Children's Aid So-	
74385	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74556	3-22-18 Troy Laundry Mach. Co.,			ciety for Seaside Home....	416 66
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	5 70		Ltd.	25 00	74518	Brooklyn Society for the	
	tem		74557	3-9-18 Fulton Cornice & Skylight			Prevention of Cruelty to	
74386	Charles L. Craig, Custodian			Wks.	510 00	74519	Children	3,916 66
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	11,058 77	74558	4-10-18 Kny-Scheerer Corp.	7 25		Bronx County Society for	
	tem		74559	5-6-18 G. E. Stechert & Co.	6 50		the Prevention of Cruelty to	
74387	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74560	4-26-18 Paul B. Hoeber	1 80		Children	1,270 83
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	44 95	74561	3-31-18 Brooklyn Bridge Freezing &		74520	House of Mercy	820 49
	tem			Cold Storage Co.	5 49	74521	Jamaica Hospital	537 55
74388	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74562	2-28-18 Wilson & Wilson	11 76	74522	Mission of the Immaculate	
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	33,446 81	Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County.				Virgin for the Protection of	
	tem		74508	Conrad Bechtoldt	\$3 65		Homeless & Destitute Child-	
74389	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74509	Nathan H. Beck	4 45	74523	ren	19,523 92
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	3 56	74510	Edward Berliner	4 35		Methodist Episcopal Hospital	
74390	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74511	Abraham J. Eilperin	4 15		in the City of Bklyn.	381 95
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	8,777 54	74512	Abraham E. Benjamin	4 25	74524	St. John's L. I. C. Hospital	1,626 04
	tem		74513	Everett E. Ryan	4 10	74525	St. John's Guild	1,875 00
74391	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74514	Miles J. Riley	3 55	74526	St. Anthony's Hospital	9,450 40
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	14 81	74515	Paul Cahill	4 05	74527	St. Joseph's Hospital, N. Y.	
	tem		74516	William L. McGuire	3 80		City	9,992 30
74393	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		Law Department.			74528	Seaside Home for Crippled	
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	29 76	74366	Wm. P. Burr	\$372 91		Children	208 33
74394	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		Miscellaneous.			74529	St. Agnes' Hospital for	
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	85	74368	S. Tuttle's Sons & Co.	\$15 16		Crippled and Atypical Child-	
74395	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74355	Quintino Ramo	1,158 60	74530	ren	4,211 59
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	114 43	74356	Gustav Rosenberg	310 09		Mount Sinai Hospital of The	
74396	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74357	Property Realization Corp..	2,369 80	74531	City of N. Y.	5,183 40
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	21 38	74358	Rostoff Co.	2,251 33	74608	Volunteer Hospital	837 90
	tem		74359	Vincenzo Pucci et al.	1,035 52	74609	Lena Isaacson	60
74397	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74360	Evangelo K. Polites	27 53	74610	Robert Wilkins	20 00
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	60 84	74361	Louis Petersen	199 13	74611	Emma Ribber	6 00
74398	Charles L. Craig, Custodian		74362	Realty Assoc.	3,074 72	74612	Anna Selkirk	15 00
	Teachers' Retirement Sys-	33,340 99	74363	Realty Assoc.	4,739 06		Edmund B. Barnum, Ad-	
	tem		74364	Realty Assoc.	4,776 64		ministrator of the Est. of	
			74365	Realty Assoc.	2,644 58	74613	Charlotte E. Barnum, Decd.	95 67
			74349	Trustees, Dept. of Health..	4,154 00	74614	Minnie G. Blackwell	105 00
			74350	Treasurer of State of N. Y.	1,666 00	74615	Rebecca A. Shields	15 67
			74351	Harvard Apparatus Co.	5 80	74616	Maida McDonald	52 00
			74352	Relief & Pension Fund of		74617	J. Schottland	43 56
				Dept. of Street Cleaning; A.			Clara R. Fleming	67 08
74613	42683 Wm. Young Plumbing Co..	\$2,400 30		MacStay, Comm., as treas.	12,500 00	Central Purchase Committee.		
74619	42686 Wm. Young Plumbing Co..	1,815 38	74353	Relief & Pension Fund of		74399	6-1-18 John J. Daly	46 78
74563	3-22-18 E. Leitz, Inc.	15 00		the Dept. of Street Clean-		Bronx Parkway Commission.		
74564	3-28-18 Palo Co.	19 00		ing; A. B. MacStay, Com-		74400	W. H. Nevius	\$7 65
74565	N. Y. Bottling Co., Inc.	6 00		missioner	1,330 60	74401	Meta Photo Co.	76 73
74566	4-18-18 Lehn & Fink, Inc.	2 40	74354	Lutheran Cemetery	3,751 10	74402	N. Y. Title Insurance Co..	298 58
74567	4-20-18 Watters Laboratories	3 30	74605	Henry Knapp of Dayton, O.,		74403	Geo. Howard, Inc.	8 22
74568	3-30-18 Frank J. Murray Co., Inc..	156 75		& Paula Wolz of the County		74404	George R. Hilty	87 61
74569	3-28-18 Lenz Apparatus Co., Inc..	15 89		of N. Y., as administrator &		74405	James T. Landreth	196 93
74570	3-29-18 Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	4 50		administratrix of the estate		74406	J. B. Mitchie	50 00
74571	2-16-18 J. C. Mitchell	19 98		of Agnes Knapp, decd.	19 96	74407	Mary C. Hyatt	220 62
74572	4-5-18 Palo Co.	21 40	74595	Saranac Realty Co.	846 43	74408	Daily Argus	9 00
74573	3-2-18 E. Leitz, Inc.	21 49	74596	Anna Scholz	313 24	74409	American Blue Print Co.	29 02
74574	4-18-18 Kny-Scheerer Corp.	21 00	74597	Jacob Thaler	1,977 51	Department of Plant and Structures.		
74575	4-8-18 Eimer & Amend	4 74	74598	Frank Weller	2,356 20	74369	5-6-18 John F. Schmadeke, Inc.	379 23
74576	4-30-18 Hannah Blum	14 04	74599	Fred C. Wist	705 65	74370	5-16-18 Independent Pneumatic Tool	
74737	3-6-18 Agent & Warden, Sing Sing		74600	Armanda Vella	199 13		Co.	4 57
	Prison	175 26	74601	Maria Cristina Aievoli et al.	573 11	74371	5-14-18 Wm. Zinsser & Co.	449 23
74738	2-28-18 Agent & Warden, Clinton		74602	Margaret A. Whitby	638 83	74372	5-21-18 Thos. Paulson & Son, Inc..	4 38
	Prison	1,398 00	74603	Ida Aievoli	573 11	74373	5-7-18 A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	52 08
74739	3-21-18 Eureka Mower Co.	39 86	74604	Jas. Holland et al.	1,982 16	74374	C. W. Keenan	15 62
74740	4-26-18 Herman Kornahrens, Inc.	1 92	74582	Arnold Fisch	938 73	74375	5-10-18 H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	5 25
74741	4-30-18 John Simmons Co.	4 49	74583	Transit Development Co.	458 49	74376	5-15-18 J. M. Kohlmeier	19 04
74742	3-20-18 A. G. Belden & Co.	6 00	74584	Minnie Anderson	1,141 38	74377	5-15-18 Oriental Rubber & Supply	
74743	4-5-18 Swan & Finch	5 25					Co., Inc.	162 16
74744	3-28-18 Globe-Wernicke Co.	7 68				74378	5-3-18 S. W. Merritt Co.	16 00



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

ACCOUNTS, COMMISSIONER OF—
Municipal Bldg., 12th fl. Phone, Worth 4315.

ALDERMEN, BOARD OF—
Clerk's Office, Municipal Bldg., 2nd fl. Phone, Worth 4430.

President's Office, City Hall. Phone, Cortlandt 6770.

AMBULANCE SERVICE, BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 10th fl. Phone, Worth 748.

Armulance Calls, Spring 3100.

ARMORY BOARD—
Municipal Bldg., 8th fl. Phone, Worth 594.

ART COMMISSION—
City Hall. Phone, Cortlandt 1197.

ASSESSORS, BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 8th fl. Phone, Worth 29.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS—
26th st. & 1st ave. Phone, Mad. Sq. 8800.

BRONX, PRESIDENT BOROUGH OF—
3rd and Tremont aves. Phone, Tremont 2680.

BROOKLYN, PRESIDENT BOROUGH OF—
Clerk's Office, 2nd floor, Borough Hall.

Public Works, 2nd floor, Borough Hall.

Highways, 5th & 12th floors, 50 Court st.

Public Bldgs. and Offices, 10th fl. 50 Court st.

Sewers, 9th floor, 215 Montague st.

Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.

Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Substructures, 215 Montague st.

Telephone, Main 9100.

CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE—
Municipal Bldg., 12th fl. Phone Worth 4227.

CHAMBERLAIN—
Municipal Bldg., 8th fl. Phone, Worth 4227.

CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER—
Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Open all hours of the day and night. Phone, Worth 3711.

CHILDREN'S COURT—
137 E. 22nd st. Phone, Gramercy 3611.

Brooklyn—102 Court st. Phone, Main 8611.

Bronx—355 E. 137. Phone, Melrose 9092.

Court Mondays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

Queens—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Phone, Jamaica 2624.

Court Tuesdays and Fridays.

Richmond—Bank Bldg., New Brighton. Phone, Tomp. 2190.

Court held Wednesdays.

CHILD WELFARE, BOARD OF—
City Hall. Telephone, Cortlandt 4127.

CITY CLERK—
Municipal Bldg., 2nd fl. Phone, Worth 4430.

CITY COURT—
32 Chambers st. Phone, Cortlandt 122.

Court opens 10 a.m. Trial Term, Part I, opens 9.45 a.m. Special Term Chambers 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS—
General Office, 300 Mulberry st. Phone, Spring 9420.

All Courts open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., except Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

Manhattan and The Bronx.

First District—110 White st.

Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—2nd ave. and 1st st.

Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st and Sylvan pl.

Sixth District—162nd st. & Brook ave., Bx.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.

Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.

Night Court for Women—125 Sixth ave.

Night Court for Men—151 E. 57th st.

Domestic Relations (Man.)—151 E. 57th st.

Domestic Relations (Bronx)—1014 E. 181st st.

Municipal Term—Room 500 Municipal Bldg.

Traffic Court—301 Mott st.

Brooklyn.

General office, 44 Court st. Phone, Main 7411.

First District—318 Adams st.

Fifth District—Williamsburg Bridge Plaza.

Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snyder ave.

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

Ninth District—5th ave. and 23rd st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—402 Myrtle ave.

Municipal Term—2 Butler st.

Queens.

First District—115 5th st., L. I. City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.

Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

Richmond.

First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

CITY RECORD, BOARD OF—
Supervisor's office, Municipal Bldg., 8th floor.

Distributing Division, 123-127 Worth st.

Telephone, Worth 3490.

CORRECTION, DEPARTMENT OF—
Municipal Bldg., 24th fl. Phone, Worth 1610.

COUNTY CLERK, BRONX—
Civil Records, 161st st., and 3rd ave.

Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave.

Telephone, Melrose 9266.

Office hours 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY CLERK, KINGS—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Main 4930.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY CLERK, NEW YORK—
County Court House. Phone, Cortlandt 5388.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY CLERK, QUEENS—
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Phone, Jamaica 2608.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY CLERK, RICHMOND—
Richmond. Telephone, New Dorp 28.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY COURT, BRONX—
Tremont & Arthur aves. Phone, Trem. 3205.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS—
120 Schermerhorn st. Phone, Main 4930.

Court opens at 10 a.m. Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

COUNTY COURT, QUEENS—
Court House, L. I. C. Phone, H'ters Pt. 596.

Clerk's office, Phone, Jamaica 551.

County Judge's office—336 Fulton st., Jamaica.

Phone, Jamaica 551.

Court opens at 10 a.m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, Aug. and Sept., and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p.m.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE, RICHMOND—
Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond, Phone, New Dorp 235.

Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George. Phone, Tomp. 1000.

Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, held second Monday in March, and first Monday in October. Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, held first Monday in May and first Monday in December. Special Terms without Jury, held Wednesdays except during the last week in July, the month of August and the first week in September.

The Surrogate's Court is held on Mondays and Tuesdays at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesdays at Richmond, except during the sessions of the County Court. No Court is held in August.

COURT HOUSE BOARD—
Municipal Bldg., 20th fl. Phone, Worth 3222.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, BRONX—
Tremont & Arthur aves. Phone, Trem. 1100.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, KINGS—
66 Court st. Telephone, Main 2954.

9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Saturdays to 1 p.m.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, NEW YORK—
Centre & Franklin sts. Phone, F'klin 2304.

9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Saturdays to 1 p.m.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, QUEENS—
Court House, L. I. C. Phone, H'ters Pt. 3871.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, RICHMOND—
Borough Hall, St. George. Phone, Tomp. 50.

DOCK AND FERRIES, DEPARTMENT OF—
Pier "A," North River. Phone, Rector 300.

EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF—
Park ave. & 59th st. Phone, Plaza 5580.

ELECTIONS, BOARD OF—
General Office, Municipal Bldg., 18th floor.

Telephone, Worth 1307.

Bronx—442 E. 149th st. Phone, Melrose 336.

Brooklyn—435 Fulton st. Phone, Main 1932.

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

Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton.

Phone, Tompkinsville 1000.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, BOARD OF—
Secretary's office, Municipal Building, 13th floor. Phone, Worth 4560.

FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF—
Telephone, Worth 1200.

Comptroller's Office—Municipal Bldg., 5th fl.

Deputy Comptrollers, Municipal Bldg., 7th fl.

Receiver of Taxes—
Manhattan—Municipal Bldg., 2nd floor.
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Tele-
phone, Tremont 140.
Brooklyn—503 Fulton. Phone, Main 7056.
Queens—5 Court Square, L. I. City. Tele-
phone, Hunters Point 3386.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Tele-
phone, Tompkinsville 1000.
Assessments and Arrears—
Manhattan—Municipal Bldg., 3rd floor.
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Tele-
phone, Tremont 47.
Brooklyn—503 Fulton. Phone, Main 8340.
Queens—Court Square, L. I. City. Tele-
phone, Hunters Point 1553.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Tele-
phone, Tompkinsville 1000.
FIRE DEPARTMENT—
Municipal Bldg., 11th fl. Phone, Worth 4100.
Brooklyn—365 Jay st. Telephone, Main 7600.
GENERAL SESSIONS, COURT OF—
Centre & Franklin sts. Phone, F'klin 1201.
Court opens at 10:30 a.m. Clerk's office open
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF—
Centre and Walker sts. Phone, Franklin 6280.
Bronx—731 3d ave. Phone, Tremont 1975.
Brooklyn—Willoughby and Fleet sts. Tele-
phone, Main 4720.
Queens—372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Phone,
Jamaica 1200.
Richmond—514 Bay st., Stapleton. Phone,
Tompkinsville 440.
INEBRIETY BOARD OF—
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, Spring 2990.
JURORS, BRONX, COMMISSIONER OF—
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, Tremont 3700.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
JURORS, KINGS, COMMISSIONER OF—
381 Fulton st. Telephone, Main 330-331.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
JURORS, NEW YORK, COMMISSIONER OF—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Worth 241.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
JURORS, QUEENS, COMMISSIONER OF—
Court House, L. I. C. Phone, H'ters Pt. 963.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
JURORS, RICHMOND, COMMISSIONER OF—
Village Hall, Stapleton. Phone, Tompk., 81
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
LAW DEPARTMENT—
Main office—Municipal Building, 16th floor.
Telephone, Worth 4600.
Brooklyn, 153 Pierpont. Phone, Main 2948.
Street Openings, Bureau of—
Main office—Municipal Building, 15th floor.
Telephone, Worth 1380.
Brooklyn—166 Montague. Phone, Main 5916.
Queens—Municipal Building, L. I. City.
Telephone, Hunters Point 3886.
Penalties, Bureau for the Recovery of—
Municipal Bldg., 15th fl. Phone, Worth 4600.
Personal Taxes, Bureau for Collection of Ar-
rear—
Municipal Bldg., 17th fl. Phone, Worth 4600.
LICENSES, DEPARTMENT OF—
57 Centre st. Telephone, Worth 9600.
Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Phone, Main 1497.
Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton.
Telephone, Tompkinsville 1000.
Licensed Vehicles, Division of—517 W. 57th
st. Telephone, Columbus 6387.
Public Employment Bureau—53 Lafayette st.
Phone, Franklin 6100. Branch offices: 341
E. 68th st.; phone, Rhineland 772. 436
W. 27th st.; phone, Chelsea 1937.
MANHATTAN, PRESIDENT BOROUGHS OF—
Municipal Building, 20th floor.
Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor.
Asst. Com'r of Public Works, 21st floor.
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor.
Bureau of Public Bldgs. & Offices, 20th floor.
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor.
Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor.
MAYOR'S OFFICE—
City Hall. Telephone, Cortlandt 1000.
MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION—
Municipal Bldg., 14th fl. Phone, Worth 1580.
MUNICIPAL COURTS—
Clerk's office and office of the President, Jus-
tice, 254 Madison st. Phone, Orchard 4300.
Clerk's offices open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.;
Saturdays to 12 noon.
Manhattan
1st Dist.—146 Grand st. Phone, Spring 9611.
1st Dist. (Add'l part)—6th ave., and 10th st.
Phone, Chelsea 2513.
2nd Dist.—264 Mad. st. Phone, Orchard 4300.
3d Dist.—314 W. 54. Phone, Columbus 5450.
4th Dist.—207 E. 32. Phone, Mur. Hill 4358.
5th Dist.—2565 B'way. Phone, Riverside 4006.
6th Dist.—155 E. 88. Phone, Lenox 4343.
7th Dist.—360 W. 125. Phone, M'side 6334.
8th Dist.—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Phone,
Harlem 9350.
9th Dist.—59th st. & Madison ave. Phone,
Plaza 3873.
Bronx
1st Dist.—1400 Williamsbridge rd., West-
chester. Phone, Westchester 457.
2nd Dist.—Washington ave. and 162nd st.
Phone, Melrose 3042.
Brooklyn
1st Dist.—State & Court sts. Phone, Main
7091.
2nd Dist.—495 Gates av. Phone, Bedford 504.
3rd Dist.—6 Lee ave. Phone, Wmsburg 550.
4th Dist.—14 Howard ave. Phone, Bushwick
4323.
5th Dist.—5220 3rd ave. Phone, Sunset 3907.
6th Dist.—235 Dufield st. Phone, Main 376.
7th Dist.—31 Penn. ave. Phone, E. N. Y. 904.
Queens
1st Dist.—115 5th st., L. I. C. Phone, Hunt-
ers Pt., 1420.
2nd Dist.—B'way & Court st., Elmhurst.
Phone, Newtown 87.
3rd Dist.—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Phone
Evergreen 395.
4th Dist.—Town Hall, Jamaica. Phone, Ja-
maica 86.
Richmond
1st Dist.—Lafayette ave., and 2nd st., New
Brighton. Phone, Tompkinsville 503.
2nd Dist.—Village Hall, Stapleton. Phone,
Tompkinsville 313.
MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY—
Municipal Bldg., 5th fl. Phone, Worth 1072.
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturdays to 1 p.m.
PARKS, DEPARTMENT OF—
Manhattan and Richmond office, and Park
Board—Municipal Building, 10th floor. Tele-
phone, Worth 4850.
Brooklyn—Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park.
Telephone, South 2300.
Bronx—Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.
Telephone, Tremont 2640.
Queens—The Overlook, Forest Park, Rich-
mond Hill. Telephone, Richmond Hill 2300.
PAROLE COMMISSION—
Municipal Bldg., 25th fl. Phone, Worth 2254.
PLANT AND STRUCTURES, DEPT. OF—
Municipal Bldg., 18th fl. Phone, Worth 380.
PLUMBERS, EXAMINING BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 9th fl. Phone, Worth 1800.
POLICE DEPARTMENT—
240 Centre st. Telephone, Spring 3100.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, BRONX—
2808 Third ave. Telephone, Melrose 9816.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS—
44 Court st. Telephone, Main 2840.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, NEW YORK—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Worth 3406.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS—
362 Fulton st., Jamaica. Phone, Jamaica 223.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, RICHMOND—
Port Richmond. Phone, West Brighton 704.
PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF—
Municipal Bldg., 10th fl. Phone, Worth 4440.
Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn St.
Bklyn. Telephone, Main 2977.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Tele-
phone, Tompkinsville 1000.
PUBLIC MARKETS, DEPARTMENT OF—
Municipal Bldg., 23rd fl. Phone, Worth 1800.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—
120 Broadway. Telephone, Rector 7500.
Open at all times, including Sundays and holi-
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QUEENS, PRESIDENT BOROUGHS OF—
68 Hunters Pt. ave., L. I. C. Phone, Hunters
Pt. 5400.
RECORDS, KINGS, COMMISSIONER OF—
Hall of Records, Bklyn. Phone, Main 6988.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
RECORDS, N. Y., COMMISSIONER OF—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Worth 3900.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
REGISTER, BRONX COUNTY—
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, Tremont 6694.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY—
Hall of Records, Bklyn. Phone, Main 2830.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
REGISTER, NEW YORK COUNTY—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Worth 3900.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS, BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 7th fl. Phone, Worth 1200.
RICHMOND, PRESIDENT BOROUGHS OF—
New Brighton. Phone, Tompkinsville 1000.
SHERIFF, BRONX COUNTY—
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, Tremont 6600.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SHERIFF, KINGS COUNTY—
50 Court st. Telephone, Main 6845.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SHERIFF, NEW YORK COUNTY—
51 Chambers st. Telephone, Worth 4300.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SHERIFF, QUEENS COUNTY—
Court House, L. I. C. Phone, H'ters Pt. 3766.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SHERIFF, RICHMOND COUNTY—
Richmond. Telephone, New Dorp 120.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SINKING FUND, COMMISSIONERS OF—
Municipal Bldg., 7th fl. Phone, Worth 1200.
SPECIAL SESSIONS, COURT OF—
Manhattan—Centre and Franklin sts. Tele-
phone, Franklin 3983.
Brooklyn—171 Atlantic av. Phone, Main 4280.
Queens—Town Hall, Jamaica. Phone, Jamaica
2620. Court held every Tuesday.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Phone,
Tompkinsville 324. Court held Wednesdays.
Bronx—Tremont and Arthur ave. Phone
Tremont 6056. Court held every Thursday.
Probation Bureau, Municipal Bldg., 3rd fl.
Phone, Franklin 3983.
Courts open at 10 a.m.
STANDARDS AND APPEALS, BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 9th fl. Phone, Worth 184.
STREET CLEANING, DEPARTMENT OF—
Municipal Bldg., 12th fl. Phone, Worth 4240.
SUPREME COURT, APPELLATE DIVISION—
First Dept.—Madison ave. and 25th st. Phone
Madison Square 3840. Court open from
2 p.m. to 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.
Second Dept.—Borough Hall, Bklyn. Phone
Main 1392. Court open from 1 p.m. to
5 p.m. Friday, Motion Day. Court open
from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
**SUPREME COURT, FIRST JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT—**
Civil Division—Chambers st. Phone, Cort-
landt 4580. Court opens at 10 a.m.
Criminal Division—Centre and Franklin sts.
Phone, Franklin 6064. Court opens at 10:30
a.m. Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to
4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
Bronx County—161st st. and 3rd ave. Phone,
Melrose 9721. Court opens at 10 a.m.
Clerk's office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.,
Saturdays to 12 noon.
**SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT—**
Kings County—26 Court st. Phone, Main
5460. Court opens at 10 a.m.
Kings County, Appellate Term—503 Fulton st.
Phone, Main 7452. Court opens at 10 a.m.
Queens County—Court House, L. I. City.
Phone, Hunters Pt. 3896.
Richmond County—Trial Term held at Court
House, Richmond. Phone, New Dorp 28.
Special Terms held at Borough Hall, St.
George. Phone, Tompkinsville 1000. Clerk's
office open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturdays to
12 noon.
SURROGATE'S COURT, BRONX COUNTY—
1918 Arthur ave. Telephone, Tremont 776.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SURROGATE'S COURT, KINGS COUNTY—
Hall of Records, Bklyn. Phone, Main 3954.
Court opens at 10 a.m. Clerk's office open
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SURROGATE'S COURT, N. Y. COUNTY—
Hall of Records. Telephone, Worth 3900.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
SURROGATE'S COURT, QUEENS COUNTY—
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Phone, Jamaica 397.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays to 12 noon.
TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, DEPT. OF—
Municipal Bldg., 9th fl. Phone, Worth 1800.
TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BOARD—
Municipal Bldg., 13th fl. Phone, Worth 4227.
TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT—
Municipal Bldg., 19th fl. Phone, Worth 1526.
Bronx—391 E. 149. Phone, Melrose 7107.
Brooklyn and Queens—503 Fulton st., Bklyn.
Telephone, Main 3825.
WATER SUPPLY, BOARD OF—
Municipal Bldg., 22nd fl. Phone, Worth 3150.
WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY—
Municipal Bldg., 23rd, 24th and 25th floors.
Telephone, Worth 4320.
Brooklyn—50 Court st. Phone, Main 3980.
Bronx—Tremont & Arthur ave. Phone, Tre-
mont 3400.
Queens—Jackson ave., L. I. C. Phone,
Hunters Pt. 3500.
Richmond—St. George. Phone, Tomp. 840.
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, BUREAU OF—
Municipal Bldg., 3rd fl. Phone, Worth 1498.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Alder-
manic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at
1:30 p.m.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the
Board of Aldermen.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment
meets in Room 16, City Hall, Fridays at 10:30
a.m.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet
in Room 16, City Hall, on Thursdays at 11 a.m.,
at call of the Mayor. JOHN KORB, Secretary.
Board of Review (Fire Department).
The Board of Review meets in Room 1100,
Municipal Building, on Tuesdays, Wednesdays
and Thursdays at 2:30 p.m.

Board of Revision of Assessments.
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets
in Room 737, Municipal Building, Manhattan,
upon notice of the Secretary.
JOHN KORB, Secretary.

Board of Appeals.
The Board meets every Tuesday at 10 a.m. in
Room 919, Municipal Building.
JOHN P. LEO, Chairman.

Board of Standards and Appeals.
The Board meets in Room 919, Municipal
Building, every Thursday at 10 a.m.
JOHN P. LEO, Chairman.

Board of City Record.
The Board of City Record meets in the City
Hall at call of the Mayor.
PETER J. BRADY, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale of Unclaimed Property.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the 25th public auction sale, consisting of
unclaimed property, watches, chains, fobs, pins,
rings, bracelets, lockets, clothing, knives, spoons,
robes, suit cases and contents, pocket-books,
hand-bags, razors, pocket-knives, clocks, rugs,
shoes, tools, household goods, hardware, um-
brellas, etc., etc., will be held in the Trial Room
at Police Headquarters, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn,
at 10 a.m., on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918,
RICHARD E. ENRIGHT, Police Commis-
sioner. m29,j12

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of
New York, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn, for the fol-
lowing property now in custody, without claim-
ants: 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 Patrol-
men of this Department.

RICHARD E. ENRIGHT, Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of
New York, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, for the fol-
lowing property now in custody without claim-
ants: 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.

RICHARD E. ENRIGHT, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND
STRUCTURES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at
his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until
2 p.m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1918.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
WHITE LEAD AND RED LEAD TO THE
DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUC-
TURES.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the
material and for the complete performance of
the contract will be sixty (60) calendar days
after the date of certification of the contract by
the Comptroller of the City.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit
in the sum of not less than one and one-half
per cent. (1½%) of the amount of the bid.
The amount of security to guarantee the faith-
ful performance of the contract will be thirty
per cent. (30%) of the total amount for which
the contract is awarded.

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to
reject all the bids, or all bids on any item,
should he deem it to the interest of the City so
to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be ob-
tained at the office of the Department of Plant
and Structures.

JOHN H. DELANEY, Commissioner.
Dated, June 3, 1918. 15,17
See General Instructions to Bidders on
last page, last column, of the "City Record."

STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION—
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Resolutions Adopted.

Whereas, the C. Klinck Packing Co., of East
Buffalo, N. Y., has made application to this Com-
mission for a variation from the provisions of
section 8-a of the Labor Law in so far as the
same applies to male adults employed in its
power house at East Buffalo, N. Y.; and

Whereas, an investigation made by the Super-
vising Inspector in the district wherein this plant
is located shows that the process of manufacture
is necessarily continuous in order to keep the
refrigeration in the meat cooler at the required
temperature, this company being engaged in the
meat packing business; and

It appearing that the employees affected by this
variation work in three shifts of eight hours
each day, therefore

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Com-
mission, That the C. Klinck Packing Co., of East
Buffalo, N. Y., be and it hereby is granted a
variation from the provisions of section 8-a of
the Labor Law to permit three (3) engineers,
one engineer helper, five (5) firemen and two
(2) coal passers to work seven (7) days per
week but not to exceed eight hours per day
except when changing shifts. A list of said em-
ployees and their schedule of hours to be posted
in said plant. It is understood that this vari-
ation applies to male adults only.

Dated, May 29, 1918.
STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:
I, WILLIAM S. COFFEY, Secretary of the

State Industrial Commission of the State of New
York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have com-
pared the foregoing copy of a resolution with
the original thereof, duly adopted by the State
Industrial Commission on the 29th day of May,
1918, and duly filed in the office of said Com-
mission, and that the same is a true and correct
copy and transcript of said resolution and of the
whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of the State
Industrial Commission this 3d day of June,
1918. W. S. COFFEY, Secretary. j6

Whereas, the Solvay Process Co., of Syra-
cuse, N. Y., has made application to this Com-
mission for a modification of the variation here-
tofore granted said Company from the provisions
of section 8-a of the Labor Law to permit certain
of said employees to work twelve hours per day
for a limited period; and

Whereas, it has been shown that this request
is made to cover the period between July 5, 1918,
and Aug. 12, 1918, to enable each man employed
on these three shifts to have a vacation period of
seven days; and it appearing that these men

are to receive pay for twelve hours' work for
the time when so employed, therefore

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Com-
mission, That the variation from the provisions
of section 8-a of the Labor Law heretofore
granted to the Solvay Process Co., of Syracuse,
N. Y., be modified for the period between July
5, 1918, and Aug. 12, 1918, inclusive, to permit
the first shift to begin a seven-day vacation fol-
lowing the regular thirty-two hours off at the
change of shifts, the other two shifts to work
twelve hours each day with twelve hours' pay
during the week the first shift is on vacation.
At the end of the seven days' vacation the first
shift is to return to work, and all of the em-
ployees on each shift are to work the regular
eight-hour shift for one week, at the expiration
of which time the men employed on the second
shift are to be given a seven-day vacation
period, the other two shifts to work twelve
hours each day with twelve hours' pay during
the week the second shift is on vacation. At
the end of the seven days' vacation the second
shift is to return to work, and all of the em-
ployees on each shift are to work the regular
eight-hour shift for one week, at the expiration
of which time the men employed on the third
shift are to be given a seven-day vacation period,
the other two shifts to work twelve hours each
day with twelve hours' pay during the week the
third shift is on vacation. At the expiration of
said period all employees are to return to the
regular eight-hour shifts as per variation granted.
Dated, May 29, 1918.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, WILLIAM S. COFFEY, Secretary of the
State Industrial Commission of the State of New
York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have com-
pared the foregoing copy of a resolution with
the original thereof, duly adopted by the State
Industrial Commission on the 29th day of May,
1918, and duly filed in the office of said Com-
mission, and that the same is a true and correct
copy and transcript of said resolution and of the
whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of the State
Industrial Commission this 31st day of May,
1918. W. S. COFFEY, Secretary. j6

(SEAL)

Whereas, the Simonds Mfg. Co., of Lockport,
N. Y., has made application to this Commission
for a variation from the provisions of section
8-a of the Labor Law in so far as the same
applies to seventy-five (75) men employed in its
said plant; and

Whereas, an investigation made by the Super-
vising Inspector in charge of the district shows
that this Company is under contract with the
United States Government to furnish certain
war materials, and that the work being done is
not necessarily continuous; and

It appearing that H. W. Reed, Lieutenant-
Colonel, Ordnance Department, has requested
this Commission to grant said variation, there-
fore

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Com-
mission that variation be and it hereby is granted
the Simonds Mfg. Co., of Lockport, N. Y., in so
far as the same applies to seventy-five men in
the employ of said Company and engaged on
work for the United States Government. This
variation to be effective immediately and to con-
tinue until Oct. 1, 1918, and if at the expiration
of said time the emergency still exists certificate
of emergency to be furnished by either the Sec-
retary of War or Secretary of Navy.

Dated, May 29, 1918.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, WILLIAM S. COFFEY, Secretary of the
State Industrial Commission of the State of New
York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have com-
pared the foregoing copy of a resolution with
the original thereof, duly adopted by the State
Industrial Commission on the 29th day of May,
1918, and duly filed in the office of said Com-
mission, and that the same is a true and correct
copy and transcript of said resolution and of the
whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of the State
Industrial Commission this 31st day of May,
1918. W. S. COFFEY, Secretary. j6

(SEAL)

Whereas, the Luzerne Chemical Co., of Pitts-
ton, Pa., has made application to this Com-
mission for a variation from the provisions of
section 8-a of the Labor Law in so far as
the same applies to three firemen in the Com-
pany's plant at Long Eddy; and

Whereas, an investigation by the Supervising
Inspector in charge of the district wherein this
plant is located shows that this Company is
manufacturing wood alcohol at its plant at Long
Eddy; and

It appearing that the manufacture of wood
alcohol is necessarily continuous and that these
three firemen are working in three shifts of
eight hours each, therefore

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Com-
mission, That variation from the provisions of
section 8-a of the Labor Law be granted the
Luzerne Chemical Co. to permit three firemen
employed at their plant at Long Eddy, N. Y.,
to work seven days per week, but not more than
eight hours in any one day except when chang-
ing shifts. A list showing the names of said
men and the hours of labor to be noted in said
factory. This resolution to be effective imme-
diately.

Dated, May 29, 1918.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, WILLIAM S. COFFEY, Secretary of the
State Industrial Commission of the State of New
York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have com-
pared the foregoing copy of a resolution with
the original thereof, duly adopted by the State
Industrial Commission on the 29th day of May,
1918, and duly filed in the office of said Com-
mission, and that the same is a true and correct
copy and transcript of said resolution and of the
whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of the State
Industrial Commission this 31st day of May,
1918. W. S. COFFEY, Secretary. j6

(SEAL)

Whereas, the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.,
through its attorneys, Messrs. O'Brien, Board-
man, Parker, Harper & Fox, has made applica-
tion to this Commission for a variation from the
provisions of section 8-a of the Labor Law to
permit the men employed by said Company in its
shops in the Borough of Queens, City of New
York, and known as the "Sunnyside Yard," to
work seven (7) days per week; and

Whereas, investigation made by the Supervising
Inspector in the district wherein said shops
are located shows that the work being done is
not necessarily continuous; and

It appearing that the United States Railroad
Administration, through its counsel, John Barton
Payne, has advised this Commission that the
need of labor in the repair shops in connection
with the operation of railroads is imperative, and
has requested that such variation be granted,
therefore

Be it resolved by the State Industrial Com-
mission that the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. be
granted a variation from the provisions of sec-
tion 8-a of the Labor Law in so far as the same
applies to the men employed in its "Sunnyside

Yard," Borough of Queens, New York City, as follows: Engine House Employees—10 machinists, 5 electricians, 2 locomotive inspectors, 2 air brake inspectors, 1 blacksmith's helper, 1 gang leader, 8 machinists' helpers, 5 electricians' helpers, 2 air brake machinists, 2 blacksmiths, 2 painters. Yard Employees—2 machinists, 2 carpenters, 15 battery men.

This variation to become effective immediately and to permit the employment of said men seven (7) days per week for the duration of the war. Dated, May 29, 1918.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, WILLIAM S. COFFEY, Secretary of the State Industrial Commission of the State of New York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original thereof, duly adopted by the State Industrial Commission on the 29th day of May, 1918, and duly filed in the office of said Commission, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State Industrial Commission this 31st day of May, 1918. W. S. COFFEY, Secretary. (SEAL) j6

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,400 LOCKS AND 4,200 BRASS ATTACHMENT SCREWS FOR TWIN FIRE ALARM POSTS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be sixty (60) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or a trust company in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company, signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, or corporate stock or other certificate of indebtedness of any nature issued by the City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of Thirty Dollars (\$30).

Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract. Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

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

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

Dated, June 4, 1918. THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Fire Commissioner. j6,17

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of Manhattan Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE TAX 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 Aug. 23, Oct. 18, Dec. 13, 1917, and Jan. 24, 1918, has been continued to

THURSDAY, OCT. 3, 1918.

at 2.30 p.m., pursuant to section 1032 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the third floor of the Municipal Building (Room 310), Manhattan.

THOMAS A. BRANIFF, Acting Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j6,13,20,27,jy3,10,17,24,31,a7,14,21,28,s4,11,18 25,62.

Notice of Continuation of Brooklyn Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF TAX LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Brooklyn, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of July 25, Sept. 19, Nov. 21, Dec. 19, 1917, Feb. 20 and June 5, 1918, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9, 1918.

at 2.30 p.m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Manhattan Building, 503 Fulton st., Bklyn.

THOMAS A. BRANIFF, Acting Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j6,13,20,27,jy3,10,17,24,31,a7,14,21,28,s4,11,18 25,62.

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

FIRST WARD.

PACKARD ST.—SEWER, from Greenpoint ave. to Queens Boulevard. Area of assessment affects blocks 41 and 47.

SECOND WARD.

HANCOCK ST. (DURVEY ST.)—SEWER, from Wyckoff ave. to the Evergreen Branch of the L. I. R. R. Area of assessment affects blocks 2820 and 2821.

MAURICE AVE.—SEWER, from Toledo st. to Chicago st., with a temporary connection to the Toledo st. sewer. Area of assessment affects blocks 939 and 940.

PROSPECT AVE.—SEWER, from Woodbine st. to Linden st. Area of assessment affects blocks 2581, 2582, 2584, 2585, 2586 and 2589.

THIRD WARD.

FORBES ST. (18TH ST.)—SEWER, from California ave. to Franconia ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 142 and 143.

FOURTH WARD.

FERRIS ST. (85TH RD.)—SEWER, from Ferry st. to Yarmouth st. Area of assessment affects blocks 16 and 17.

HATCH AVE.—SEWER, from Chichester ave. to Atlantic ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 125, 361 and 365.

PARK AVE. (101ST ST.)—SEWER, from Jamaica ave. to Ferris pl. Area of assessment affects blocks 45, 88, 159, 160 and 177.

RIDGEWOOD AVE.—SEWER, from Herald ave. to Rockaway Beach Branch of the L. I. R. R.; and HERALD AVE.—SEWER, from Ridgewood ave. to Maple st. Area of assessment affects blocks 87, 129, 241, 242, 247, 248, 253, 154 and 256.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 28, 1918, and entered May 28, 1918, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before July 27, 1918, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., and on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller. Dated, New York, May 28, 1918. j4,14

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE JULY 1, 1918, ON Registered and Coupon Bonds and Stock of The City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 851), Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre sts., Manhattan.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable July 1, 1918, will be closed from June 15, 1918, to July 1, 1918. CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller. Dated, June 1, 1918. j1,29

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Manhattan, 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, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., acquired for the extension of 7th ave., from Greenwich ave. to Carmine st., for the widening of Varick st. from Carmine st. to Franklin st., and for the extension of Varick st. from Varick st. to West Broadway, Manhattan, 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, Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held Sept. 24, 1913, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1918.

at 11 a.m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows: Parcel 15C—Part of St. John's Chapel, 40-46 Varick st., Manhattan. Cut 12.36 feet on north side by 12.21 feet on south side.

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, Manhattan, until 11 a.m. on the 21st day of June, 1918, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within 24 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 24 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 June 21, 1918," and must be delivered or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a.m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Manhattan, 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."

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller. Dated, May 31, 1918. j5,21

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

Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Baker (Barnes) ave., from St. Ouen pl. to Bronx pl. (Cranford ave.), Borough of The Bronx, 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, Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held May 23, 1918, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 1918.

at 11 a.m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows: Parcel No. 16—Wire fence. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 7—Stone wall. Upset price, \$2. Parcel No. 22—Part of two and one-half story frame house 750 St. Ouen pl. Cut 26.5 feet on front of porch by 1.8 feet on south side of bay window. Also part of one and one-half story frame barn. Cut 13 feet front and rear. Upset price, \$500.

THE PURCHASERS OF THE ABOVE PARCELS WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN

THE CELLARS AND EXCAVATIONS REMAINING WITHIN THE LINES OF THE STREET AFTER THE REMOVAL OF THE PARTS OF THE BUILDING WITH GOOD CLEAR MATERIAL TO THE EXISTING SURFACE OF THE STREET ADJOINING.

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, Manhattan, until 11 a.m. on the 18th day of June, 1918, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder, within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within 24 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 24 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 June 18, 1918," and must be delivered or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a.m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Manhattan, 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."

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller. City of N. Y., Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 27, 1918. j1,18

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

Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Damage Parcel No. 146 of the Blackrock ave. proceeding, Borough of The Bronx, 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, Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held May 23, 1918, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1918.

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

Parcel No. 146—Part of two-story frame building on south side of Blackrock ave., 100 feet east of Olmstead ave. Cut 6 feet on east side by 6.2 feet on west side. Also part of one-story frame building adjoining. Cut 5.9 feet on east and west sides. Upset price, \$50.

THE PURCHASER OF THE ABOVE PARCEL WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN THE CELLARS AND EXCAVATIONS REMAINING WITHIN THE LINES OF THE STREET AFTER THE REMOVAL OF THE PARTS OF THE BUILDING WITH GOOD CLEAR MATERIAL TO THE EXISTING SURFACE OF THE STREET ADJOINING.

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, Manhattan, until 11 a.m. on the 17th day of June, 1918, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within 24 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 24 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 24 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 June 17, 1918," and must be delivered or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a.m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Manhattan, 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."

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller. City of N. Y., Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 27, 1918. j1,17

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000. When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

Construction.

One company on a bond up to \$25,000. Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Paving.

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

CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller.

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

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Departments of Public Charities and Health, and Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1237, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p.m., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FISH AND CLAMS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1918, as stated in the schedule.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at Room 1320, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ROYAL S. COPELAND, Commissioner.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. j6,18

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Elections at Room 1840, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COPIES OF THE LISTS OF SPECIAL ENROLLED VOTERS OF THE YEAR 1918 IN THE ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the said lists and the performance of the contract shall be ten (10) calendar days after the delivery of the last copy to the contractor.

Delivery will be required to be made to the general and various Borough offices of the Board of Elections in such quantities as is shown in the specifications and schedule.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 2 1/2% of the amount of the bid, in cash or certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the General Office of the Board of Elections, Room 1840, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Dated, June 3, 1918.

JOHN R. VOORHIS, MOSES M. McKEE, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON, Commissioners of Election.

S. HOWARD COHEN, Chief Clerk. j4,14

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

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

MONDAY, MAY 27, 1918, TO TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 1918,

for the position of

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER, GRADE 2.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Transcription, 7; 70 per cent. required. Letter, 3. General average, 70 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Duties—The duties of incumbents of these positions are to take symbolic notes of and to typewrite work which may include technical, scientific, legal or other matter recognized as difficult dictation, and to perform incidental clerical work.

Requirements—Three letters will be dictated to the candidates, the dictation of each letter being completed in one minute. Each letter will contain one hundred words. Each candidate may select any one of the three letters for transcribing. Each candidate will be permitted to hand in only one transcript. In rating, accuracy, exactness, correctness of form, neatness, freedom from interlineations, alterations, etc., will be considered.

Candidates must furnish their own notebooks, typewriting machines, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines, nor will any allowance be made where machines are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

All examinations are open to both men and women unless otherwise stated.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary of Grade 2 is from \$600 to but not including \$1,200 per annum. Usual salary on appointment, \$720 per annum.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

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

m27,j18 CHARLES I. STENGLE, 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 MAY 21, 1918, TO WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918,**

for the position of **TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAFTSMAN, GRADE "C."**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Technical, 7; 75 per cent. required. Experience, 3; 70 per cent. required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties—Topographical Draftsman of this grade are assigned to various offices of the City. They are required to prepare plans, sketches, charts and maps and to make computations, studies and elementary designs pertaining to the particular Department to which they are appointed. They may be assigned to the supervision of small groups of Draftsmen of a lower grade.

Requirements—Candidates must have a thorough knowledge of topographical drawing and elementary design. They must have one year's experience as a Draftsman, Designer or Engineering Assistant or in a similar capacity such as to fit them for work of this character. They must be familiar with surveying and plotting and computations incidental to construction and other engineering work.

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

The salary ranges from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per annum. Entrance salaries have been made at \$1,320 per annum, and this amount may be named for future appointments.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

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

m21,j12 CHARLES I. STENGLE, 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, MAY 20, 1918, TO TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1918,**

for the position of **MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT, GRADES 4 AND 5.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1918, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; 70 per cent. required. Oral, 3; 70 per cent. general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties—Persons appointed as a result of this examination will assist in the administration of large hospitals under the jurisdiction of The City of New York.

Requirements—Candidates must be licensed to practice medicine in the State of New York and must have had at least two years' administrative experience in hospitals, or the equivalent.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Department of Public Charities at Salaries from \$2,400 to \$3,000 per annum, with maintenance. There are excellent opportunities for promotion. Salary, Grade 4, \$2,400 to \$3,000 per annum; salary, Grade 5, \$3,000 per annum and over.

There is one vacancy in the Board of Inebriety at Warwick, N. Y., at \$2,580 per annum, with maintenance.

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

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

m20,j11 CHARLES I. STENGLE, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan New York City, from **THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1918, TO FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,**

for the position of **HOSPITAL CLERK, GRADE 2.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Letter, 3; Handwriting, 3; Arithmetic, 4; 70 per cent. general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for the examination must be filed on a general blank.

Duties—Persons appointed from the eligible list resulting may be called upon to perform services besides those of a strictly clerical nature, such as attending to the telephone switchboard, interviewing applicants, etc. The hours of service are not fixed, and are likely to be long—from 8 to 12 hours a day—and the offices are generally kept open Saturday afternoons, Sundays and holidays.

Transfers to other departments except for similar service in hospitals will not be granted.

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

All examinations are open to both men and women unless otherwise stated.

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

There are occasional vacancies in the Departments of Health and Public Charities.

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.

m16,j7 CHARLES I. STENGLE, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918.

FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 33D ST., FROM 500 FEET WEST OF 9TH AVE. TO 10TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

- Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 2.
- Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.
- Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.
- Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 630.
- Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 30.
- Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.
- Item 12. Relaying bluestone flagging, square feet, 200.
- Item 13. New granite header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 14. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 15. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.
- Item 16. Concrete, cubic yards, 220.
- Item 24. Granite block pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for one year from date of completion, square yards, 1,100.
- Item 27. Relaying old granite block pavement, square yards, 20.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with his bid, or before the time of making the same, sample and affidavit, or the letter in regard to sample and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF VESEY ST., FROM WASHINGTON ST. TO WEST ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

- Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.
- Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.
- Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, 360 linear feet.
- Item 7. New 6-inch granite corner curb, 70 linear feet.
- Item 8. Old curb, 160 linear feet.
- Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, 10 square feet.
- Item 11. New bluestone flagging, 10 square feet.
- Item 12. New granite header, 10 linear feet.
- Item 13. Temporary header, 10 linear feet.
- Item 14. Brick masonry, 3 cubic yards.
- Item 15. Concrete, 190 cubic yards.
- Item 23. Granite block pavement (no guarantee), 920 square yards.
- Item 24. Granite block pavement in approaches, 20 square yards.
- Item 26. Old bluestone flag to be relaid, 50 square feet.
- Item 27. Receiving basin, Type "A," 1.
- Item 28. 12-inch vitrified pipe basin connection, complete, 50 linear feet.
- Item 29. Rock excavation for sewer appurtenances, 5 cubic yards.

The time allowed for the completion of the work shall be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security to be deposited will be \$1,800, and the amount of deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, at or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavits, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MERCER ST., FROM 3D ST. TO 4TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

- Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.
- Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.
- Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 360.
- Item 7. New 6-inch granite corner curb, linear feet, 40.
- Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 90.
- Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.
- Item 10. Platform flag cut to line, linear feet, 80.
- Item 12. New granite header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 13. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 14. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.
- Item 15. Concrete, cubic yards, 130.
- Item 23. Granite block pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 1 year from date of completion, square yards, 640.
- Item 24. Relaying old granite block pavement, square yards, 40.
- Item 26. Bluestone flagging relaid, square feet, 100.

The time allowed for the full completion of this work shall be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, at or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 33D ST., FROM 9TH AVE. TO A POINT 500 FEET WEST, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

- Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.
- Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.
- Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 360.
- Item 7. New 6-inch granite corner curb, linear feet, 40.
- Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 90.
- Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.
- Item 10. Platform flag cut to line, linear feet, 80.
- Item 12. New granite header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 13. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 14. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.
- Item 15. Concrete, cubic yards, 130.
- Item 23. Granite block pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 1 year from date of completion, square yards, 640.
- Item 24. Relaying old granite block pavement, square yards, 40.
- Item 26. Bluestone flagging relaid, square feet, 100.

The time allowed for the full completion of this work shall be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, at or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 33D ST., FROM 9TH AVE. TO A POINT 500 FEET WEST, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

- Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.
- Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.
- Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.
- Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 360.
- Item 7. New 6-inch granite corner curb, linear feet, 40.
- Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 90.
- Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.
- Item 10. Platform flag cut to line, linear feet, 80.
- Item 12. New granite header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 13. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.
- Item 14. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.
- Item 15. Concrete, cubic yards, 130.
- Item 23. Granite block pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 1 year from date of completion, square yards, 640.
- Item 24. Relaying old granite block pavement, square yards, 40.
- Item 26. Bluestone flagging relaid, square feet, 100.

The time allowed for the full completion of this work shall be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900). Deposit with bid to be 1 1/2% of total amount of bid.

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope, in which to enclose the bid, 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 Room 18 at the office of the said President.

Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.

Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.

Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.

Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.

Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 910.

Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 50.

Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.

Item 12. New granite header, linear feet, 10.

Item 13. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.

Item 14. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.

Item 15. Concrete, cubic yards, 320.

Item 17. Sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 5 years from date of completion, square yards, 1,600.

Item 26. Bluestone flagging relaid, square feet, 300.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,200, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, at or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to sample and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed for the contract for which he desires to bid, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded separately for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

FRANK L. DOWLING, President.

Dated, May 31, 1918. m31,j12

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

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 100,000 WOOD PAVING BLOCKS, 3 INCHES WIDE BY 3 1/2 INCHES DEEP, AT LOCATIONS DESIGNATED IN THE CONTRACT.

The time allowed for the performance of each contract is until Dec. 31, 1918.

The points of delivery will be as called for in the foregoing contracts.

The amount of security required for each contract will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required with each bid shall be in an amount of not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specification or schedules annexed to the foregoing contract, 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 all the supplies called for by such contract at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the form of specifications and contract may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan. FRANK L. DOWLING, President.

Dated, May 31, 1918. m31,j12

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Correction at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1237, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY-GOODS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before July 15, 1918.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at Room 1320, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, JAMES A. HAMILTON, 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.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Richmond at his office, Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon on

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1918,

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING COAL TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, ETC.

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:

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIXTY-FIVE (65) TONS OF RANGE COAL TO COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE, RICHMOND; VILLAGE HALLS AT STAPLETON AND NEW BRIGHTON; FOUR HUNDRED (400) TONS OF BUCKWHEAT COAL, NO. 2 TO BOROUGHS HALL, ST. GEORGE, S. I. EACH TON TO CONSIST OF 2,000 LBS. AND TO BE DELIVERED AS DIRECTED.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 120 days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900). Deposit with bid to be 1 1/2% of total amount of bid.

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope, in which to enclose the bid, 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 Room 18 at the office of the said President.

Item 1. New sewer manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.

Item 2. New sewer manhole covers, 1.

Item 3. New sewer manhole rings, 1.

Item 4. New water manhole heads and covers, complete, 1.

Item 5. New 5-inch bluestone curb, linear feet, 910.

Item 8. Old curb, linear feet, 50.

Item 9. Concrete sidewalk, Class A, square feet, 100.

Item 12. New granite header, linear feet, 10.

Item 13. Temporary header, linear feet, 10.

Item 14. Brick masonry, cubic yards, 3.

Item 15. Concrete, cubic yards, 320.

Item 17. Sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 5 years from date of completion, square yards, 1,600.

Item 26. Bluestone flagging relaid, square feet, 300.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,200, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, at or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to sample and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before July 31, 1918.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

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

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at Room 1320, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

BELLEVEUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, JAMES A. HAMILTON, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ROYAL S. COPLAND, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m.,

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1918,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL FOR WHOLLY AND FULLY COMPLETING THE ABANDONED CONTRACT OF WM. GUGGOLZ CONSTRUCTION CO. FOR A COMFORT STATION AT THE ATHLETIC FIELD IN PELHAM BAY PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty-five (45) calendar days.

The amount of the security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The security deposit with the bid is Fifty Dollars, and must be in certified check or cash. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zborovski Mansion, Claremont Park, Bronx. WILLIAM F. GRELL, President; JOHN N. HARMAN, JOSEPH T. HENNESSY, ALBERT C. BENNINGER, Commissioners of Parks.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER (LONG LEAF YELLOW PINE).

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1918, deliveries to begin as required on June 15, 1918.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract price. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1 1/2 per centum of the amount of the bid.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules per 1,000 feet B. M., 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 entire 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 may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.

Dated May 27, 1918. m29,j10

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

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1918,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the completion of this contract will be on or before August 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the completion of this contract will be on or before August 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the completion of this contract will be on or before August 31, 1918.

The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be 30 per cent. of the contract price.

The amount of the deposit to be made with the bid will be not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in separate envelopes. Bids must be submitted for all items in each Borough. Awards, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder for the total of all items for each Borough. Bids on separate items will not be considered.

The attention of bidders is directed to the contents of "Special Instructions to Bidders" attached to the proposal to bids.

Bidders will state the price of each item in the

schedules, per 100 pounds, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

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

Blank forms of bids and proposals may be obtained at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

A. B. MacSTAY, Commissioner.

Dated, May 22, 1918. m24,j6

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at his office, 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunterspoint Avenue, L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1918.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, AND FOR CURBING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN WEBSTER AVENUE, FROM A POINT ABOUT 50 FEET WEST OF HOPKINS AVENUE TO A POINT ABOUT 100 FEET EAST OF SUNSWICK STREET, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars.

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

350 cubic yards of embankment, in excess of excavation.

1,000 linear feet of cement curb, reset.

130 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

4,600 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

100 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk, retrenched and relaid.

550 cubic yards of concrete.

3,300 square yards of asphalt block pavement, including mortar bed, sand joints and one (1) year's maintenance.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALTIC CONCRETE UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 6TH STREET, WEST BOULEVARD AND NORTH BOULEVARD FROM 1ST AVENUE TO COLLEGE AVENUE; ALSO IN 4TH AVENUE FROM 9TH STREET TO 10TH STREET, ALL IN THE THIRD WARD (COLLEGE POINT).

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000) Dollars.

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

1,950 cubic yards of concrete.

200 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified sewer pipe in place.

1 catch basin completed, as per plan.

11,500 square yards of completed asphaltic concrete pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, and five (5) years' maintenance).

7,000 linear feet of cement concrete curb with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH IMPROVED GRANITE BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN ROCKAWAY BEACH BOULEVARD, FROM EASTERN AVENUE TO REMSEN AVENUE, FIFTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty Thousand (\$40,000) Dollars.

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

1,000 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

760 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

4,550 square yards improved granite block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints, and one (1) year's maintenance).

850 cubic yards of concrete in place within the railroad franchise area.

5,000 square yards of improved granite block pavement (laid within the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints, and no maintenance).

50 square yards of vitrified block pavement relaid.

250 square yards of water bound macadam pavement restored.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN GRAND AVENUE FROM HOPKINS AVENUE TO CRESCENT STREET, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty Thousand (\$20,000) Dollars.

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

1,600 linear feet of new bluestone curb set in concrete.

1,600 linear feet of old curb redressed and reset in concrete.

1,200 cubic yards of concrete.

7,100 square yards of asphalt block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, sand joints and five (5) years' maintenance).

4 catch basins to be adjusted.

10 square yards of asphalt block pavement, including concrete foundation, mortar bed and sand joints, to be relaid.

7,100 square yards of old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 5. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FIRST AVENUE FROM WASHINGTON AVENUE TO GRAHAM AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirteen Thousand (\$13,000) Dollars.

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

1,300 linear feet of new bluestone curb set in concrete.

1,300 linear feet of old curb redressed and reset in concrete.

740 cubic yards of concrete.

4,450 square yards of asphalt block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, sand joints, and five (5) years' maintenance).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per cubic yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President, Borough of Queens.

Dated, June 3, 1918.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens, at his office, 4th floor of the Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunterspoint Ave., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1918.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FOREST AVE. FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF WOODBINE ST. TO THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF PUTNAM AVE. (MEASURING ALONG EASTERLY SIDE), SECOND WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

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

350 linear feet of new bluestone curb, set in sand.

150 linear feet of old curb, redressed and reset in sand.

1 basin inlet to be rebuilt.

2,150 square yards of old stone block pavement to be purchased, taken up and removed by the contractor.

360 cubic yards of concrete in place.

1,500 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) years' maintenance.

650 square yards of asphalt block pavement, including mortar bed and five (5) years' maintenance.

10 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (under maintenance), to be restored, including 6-inch concrete foundation and binder course.

10 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (out of maintenance), to be restored, including 6-inch concrete foundation and binder course.

10 square yards of vitrified block pavement to be relaid, including sand bed.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FULTON AV. FROM THE BOULEVARD TO STEVENS ST., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seventy-five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500).

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

700 linear feet of new bluestone curb set in concrete.

250 linear feet of old curb, redressed and reset in concrete.

200 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

1,150 square yards of wood block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, bituminous joints and five (5) years' maintenance).

45 cubic yards of concrete, in place, within the railroad franchise area.

250 square yards of wood block pavement (laid within the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, bituminous joints, and no maintenance).

10 square yards of asphalt block pavement restored, including concrete foundation, mortar bed and sand joints, and no maintenance.

3 catch basins adjusted.

1,150 square yards of old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 4TH ST., FROM VERNON AVE. TO JACKSON AVE., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

200 linear feet of new bluestone curb set in concrete.

200 linear feet of old curb, redressed and reset in concrete.

135 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

800 square yards of wood block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, bituminous joints, and five (5) years' maintenance).

500 square yards old stone block pavement, taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN FULTON AVE. AND MAIN ST., FROM STEVENS ST. TO VAN ALST AVE., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

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

2,000 linear feet of new bluestone curb set in concrete.

2,000 linear feet of old curb redressed and reset in concrete.

650 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

3,900 square yards of wood block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, bituminous joints and five (5) years' maintenance).

150 cubic yards of concrete, in place, within the railroad franchise area.

850 square yards of wood block pavement (laid within the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, bituminous joints, and no maintenance).

50 square yards of old stone block pavement to be relaid, including sand bed and sand joints.

50 square yards of asphalt block pavement (out of maintenance), to be relaid, including 6-inch concrete foundation, mortar bed and sand joints.

20 square yards of asphalt block pavement (under maintenance), to be relaid, including 6-inch concrete foundation, mortar bed and sand joints.

20 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (under maintenance), to be restored, including 6-inch concrete foundation and binder course.

3 catch basins to be adjusted.

3,900 square yards of old stone block pavement taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE ROADWAY SPACE AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 88TH AVE. (MAPLE ST.), FROM 102ND ST. (FREEDOM AVE.) TO 104TH ST. (OXFORD ST.), FOURTH WARD; ALSO FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 88TH AVE. (MAPLE ST.), FROM 102ND ST. (FREEDOM AVE.) TO 104TH ST. (OXFORD ST.), FOURTH WARD, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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

300 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,000 linear feet cement concrete curb, furnished and set, with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

275 square feet old cement sidewalk relaid.

2,900 square feet cement sidewalk, furnished and laid, and one (1) year's maintenance.

2 catch basins adjusted.

3 sewer manholes adjusted or rebuilt (not to be bid for).

1 tree to be removed.

11 trees to be replanted.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN CARVER ST., FROM FLUSHING AVE. TO NEWTOWN AVE., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

900 linear feet of new bluestone curb, set in concrete.

900 linear feet of old curb, redressed and reset in concrete.

410 cubic yards of concrete.

2,450 square yards of asphalt block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including mortar bed, sand joints and five (5) years' maintenance).

10 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (out of maintenance), to be restored, including 6-inch concrete foundation and binder course.

NO. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN MARC PL., FROM GRAND AVE. TO NEWTOWN AVE., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

350 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing, and

five per cent. of the amount of security required for the contract bid upon.
 Dated, New York, May 29, 1918.
 m29,j10 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.
 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education of The City of New York, at Room 2800, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1918,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR SANITARY ALTERATIONS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 2, 20, 27, 39, 43, 64, 83, 92, 122, 140, 161, 179 AND HIGH SCHOOL OF COMMERCE.

The time allowed to complete the work of each school will be fifty (50) consecutive working days, excepting for P. S. 2 and P. S. 92, for each of which the time allowed to complete the work will be forty (40) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 2, \$800; P. S. 20, \$700; P. S. 27, \$600; P. S. 39, \$700; P. S. 43, \$600; P. S. 64, \$1,200; P. S. 83, \$700; P. S. 83, \$600; P. S. 92, \$500; P. S. 122, \$1,600; P. S. 140, \$600; P. S. 161, \$800; P. S. 179, \$1,400; H. S. of C., \$800.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon. Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the temporary Estimating Room, 6th floor, Brooklyn Branch of the Board of Education, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
 Dated, May 31, 1918. m31,j12

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education of The City of New York, at Room 2800, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 19, 72, 120, 149, 166 AND EASTERN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the work on each item for each school will be as follows:

P. S. 19, fifty-five (55) consecutive working days.

P. S. 72, fifty-five (55) consecutive working days.

P. S. 120, fifty-five (55) consecutive working days.

P. S. 149, forty (40) consecutive working days.

P. S. 166, sixty (60) consecutive working days.

E. D. H. S., sixty (60) consecutive working days.

—as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 19, \$500; P. S. 72, \$1,000; P. S. 120, \$600; P. S. 149, \$600; P. S. 166, \$1,000; E. D. H. S., \$1,200.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid shall be submitted for each school, and separate awards will be made thereon.

FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT OFFICE AND STORAGE BUILDING, 131 LIVINGSTON ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

FOR ITEM 3, FURNITURE, AT BOYS' VOCATIONAL SCHOOL (CARY BUILDING), JAY AND NASSAU STS., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

FOR FURNITURE, ETC., FOR VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the work on all school's will be sixty (60) consecutive working days as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

The bid to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools, and award will be made thereon at a lump sum as one item.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the temporary Estimating Room, 6th floor, Brooklyn Branch of the Board of Education, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
 Dated, May 25, 1918. m25,j7

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education of The City of New York, at Room 2800, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR LUNCH ROOM AND KITCHEN EQUIPMENT; ALSO LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT IN THE MANHATTAN TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, ON THE NORTH-WESTLY CORNER OF LEXINGTON AVE. AND E. 22D ST., MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the temporary Estimating Room, 6th floor, Brooklyn Branch of the Board of Education, 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
 Dated, May 25, 1918. m25,j7

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education of The City of New York, at Room 2800, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,

Various Boroughs.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR USE OF MECHANICS (HEATING DIVISION, BUILDING BU-

REAU), IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1918.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and for the performance of the contract is by or before Dec. 31, 1918, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required shall be not less than thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the bid accepted.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the amount of the bid.

No deposit received on fractional parts of a dollar.

Note.—In case the aggregate cost of all items or classes awarded to any one contractor is less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), no bond or written contract will be necessary for such contractor.

The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to pages 1, 2 and 3 of the printed specifications and contract.

Blank forms, specifications and form of contract may be obtained or seen at the temporary Estimating Room, 6th floor, Brooklyn Branch of the Department of Education, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
 Dated, May 25, 1918. m25,j7

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education of The City of New York, at Room 2800, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,

Various Schools.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NEW PIANOS FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be one hundred and thirty (130) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars (\$100) on each instrument on each item.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each item, and separate awards will be made thereon.

Bidders must state in the bid what action is to be supplied, and the length of the Grand Pianos.

IMPORTANT.

Each bid must be accompanied by a statement showing the average prices obtained by the bidder in his wholesale trade, for instruments of like grade, size and quality as those he at this time bids for. The average to be compiled from the record of wholesale sales made during the three months next prior to the date of the bid.

The statement shall be in the form of an affidavit, made by one of the firm submitting the bid; and shall be accompanied by a certificate furnished by a Certified Public Accountant, to the effect that he has examined the books or records of wholesale sales made in the time aforesaid, and finds from same that the prices given in the affidavit are true, after all discounts or rebates have been deducted therefrom, and giving the net average prices as hereinbefore called for.

The statement and certificate shall be placed in a sealed envelope, which shall be marked "Price List" and shall be marked with the name of the bidder. This shall be enclosed in the envelope containing the bid at the time that the same is submitted to the bid clerk.

The contents of the statements so submitted will not 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 and called for will be considered as informal and invalid, and by reason of such failure the bid so unaccompanied will be so adjudged and treated.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank form prepared by the Superintendent of School Buildings, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specification, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the temporary estimating room, sixth floor, Brooklyn Branch of the Board of Education, 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
 Dated, May 25, 1918. m25,j7

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

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees or the Curator of the College of the City of New York, at Room No. 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1918.

FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED FOR PLASTERING, PAINTING AND KALSMINING AT THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 139TH ST. AND CONVENT AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The time allowed for doing and completing the work is ninety (90) consecutive working days.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of a certified check or cash in the sum of \$50 as security for execution of contract.

The bond required for the faithful performance of the contract is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

Blank forms of the contract and specifications and bid sheet may be obtained at the office of the Curator, Room No. 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave.

GEORGE MCANENY, Chairman, Board of Trustees; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary, Board of Trustees; BERNARD M. BARUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, LEE KOHNS, CHARLES E. LYDECKER, WILLIAM F. McCOMBS, MOSES I. STROOCK, CHARLES H. TUTTLE, ARTHUR S. SOMERS, Board of Trustees.
 R. V. DAVIS, Curator.
 Dated, May 29, 1918. m29,j10

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING

PNEUMATIC TIRES, INNER TUBES AND SOLID RUBBER TIRES.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is until Dec. 31, 1918.

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.

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. Award, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder on each class.

Blank forms of bid, proposal and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Commissioner.
 Dated, May 23, 1918. m23,j6

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1918,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GASOLINE.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 1, 1918.

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.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City in sum not less than 1½ per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the unit price, as called for in the schedule of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. Award, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder on the entire class.

Blank forms of bid, proposal and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Commissioner.
 Dated, May 23, 1918. m23,j6

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., on or before Tuesday, July 2, 1918, at 11 a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claim for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Manhattan.

6023. W. 163d st., south side, from Fort Washington ave. to about 140 feet west.

A343. 3d ave. from 60th st. to 79th st.

A344. 6th ave. from 35th st. to 42d st.

Borough of Richmond.

6019. Portland pl., from Fairmount ave. to Brighton ave.

Borough of Queens.

5681. Yale ave., from Jamaica ave. (Fulton st.) to Hillside ave., Fourth Ward.

6006. 86th (Brandon) ave., south side, from 109th st. to 110th st., Fourth Ward.

6007. 11th ave., west side, between Broadway and a line 400 feet northerly, First Ward.

6008. Barton pl., north side, between Wentworth (Wilson) ave. and Boerum ave., Third Ward.

6009. Weirfield st., from Wyckoff ave. to the L. I. R. R., Second Ward.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5775. Albemarle rd., from Ocean Parkway to E. 5th st.

5780. 20th ave., from 79th st. to 80th st.

6011. Beverley rd., from Bedford ave. to Rogers ave.

6012. 54th st., from 9th ave. to Fort Hamilton Parkway.

6013. Hegeman ave., from Alabama ave. to Malta st.

6014. Hegeman ave., from Malta st. to Louisiana ave.

6015. Snediker ave., from Newport st. to New Lots ave.

6016. Snediker ave., from Dumont ave. to Riverdale ave.

6017. Thatford ave., from Riverdale ave. to Newport st.

6018. Rockaway Parkway, from Glenwood rd. to Conklin ave.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, ANDREW T. SULLIVAN, MAURICE SIMMONS, Board of Assessors.
 June 4, 1918. j4,6,11,13,18,20,25,27

Completion of Assessments.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

5988. Basin adjacent to the northwest corner of 88th st. and Central Park West. Affecting Block 1202.

5989. Basins adjacent to the southeast and southwest corners of 59th st. and Lexington ave. Affecting Block 1313.

5990. Alteration and improvement to sewer in 43d st. between 5th ave. and 6th ave., and basins on Fifth ave. at the northwest corner 29th st., northeast corner 32nd st.; southeast corner 33rd st.; northwest corner 27th st.; southwest corners 28th st. and 30th st.; northeast corners 31st st. and 33rd st.; and southwest corner 44th st. Affecting Blocks 829, 831, 861, 862, 863, 1258 and 1259.

5991. Basins adjacent to the northwest corner of 5th ave. and 34th st. Affecting Block 836.

5992. Basin at the southeast corner of 5th ave. and 138th st. Affecting Block 1762.

5993. Basins at the northeast and southeast corners of 192nd st. and St. Nicholas ave. Affecting Block 2161.

5994. Basins on Broadway at the northeast corners of 121st st., 122nd st. and 123rd st.; the northwest corners of 122nd st., 125th st. and 127th st.; and the southwest corner of 125th and 127th st. Affecting Blocks 1976, 1977, 1978, 1993, and 1995.

5996. Alteration and improvement to sewer in 121st st. between Third ave. and the summit east. Affecting Blocks 1785 and 1786.

5997. Repair of sidewalk at No. 340 E 62nd st. Affecting Block 1436, Lot 33.

Borough of Richmond.

5889. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Kissel ave. from Castleton ave. to Forest ave., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 132, 133 and 135.

Borough of Queens.

5781. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks on the south side of Sanford ave., between 149th pl. (Wilson ave.) and Murray st., Third Ward. Affecting Block 122.

5917. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks on the easterly side of Fourth st., from Polk ave. to Stryker ave., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 434 and 437.

5973. Laying crosswalks on the south side of Potter ave. across Goodrich st., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 107 and 119.

5974. Regulating, paving and curbing 14th ave. between Graham ave. and Broadway, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 213 and 216.

5976. Regulating and grading the sidewalk space and laying sidewalk on the east side of Beach 94th st. between the Boulevard and a line about 800 feet southerly, Fifth Ward. Affecting Block 36, Lot 5.

5981. Basin on the westerly side of Guion ave. about 375 feet north of Brandon ave., Fourth Ward. Affecting Block 170.

5982. Basins on Glasser st. at the southeast corners of Wilton ave. and Sandoz st. Affecting Blocks 2904 and 2913, Second Ward.

5983. Basins on the north and east corners of Madison st. and Woodward ave., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2536 and 2537.

5984. Basin on the northwest corner of Metropolitan ave. and Brevoort st., Fourth Ward. Affecting Block 147.

5985. Basin on the easterly corner of Mill st. and Franklin st., First Ward. Affecting Block 196.

5986. Basin on the northeast corner of Sedgwick st. and Catalpa ave., Second Ward. Affecting Block 2626.

5987. Basins on Nelson (Nott) ave. at the northeast corners of Van Buren st., Lowery st. and Bragaw st., and at the southeast and southwest corners of Van Pelt st., First Ward. Affecting Blocks 78, 87, 98, 120 and 127.

5998. Basins on Fairview ave. at the easterly corner of Gates ave. and at the northerly corner of Putnam ave., Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2531 and 2540.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, July 2, 1918, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, ANDREW T. SULLIVAN, MAURICE SIMMONS, Board of Assessors.
 June 1, 1918. j1,12

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notices of Public Hearings.

or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of East 41st street and East 42nd street from Park avenue to Lexington avenue, and of Park avenue from East 40th street to East 42nd street, and the grade of the viaduct in Park avenue extending from East 40th street to the high level street on the northern side of East 42nd street, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 17, 1918 (Cal. No. 8), 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 East 41st street and East 42nd street from Park avenue to Lexington avenue, and of Park avenue from East 40th street to East 42nd street, and the grade of the viaduct in Park avenue extending from East 40th street to the high level street on the northern side of East 42nd street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated December 8, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 14th day of June, 1918.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j1,12

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 grade of West 33rd street from 5th avenue to 7th avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 17, 1918 (Cal. No. 27), 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 West 33rd street from 5th avenue to 7th avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated September 27th, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 14th day of June, 1918.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j1,12

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 East 59th street from 5th avenue to 2nd avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 17, 1918 (Cal. No. 28), 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 East 59th street from 5th avenue to 2nd avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated September 27, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 14th day of June, 1918.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j1,12

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 street system heretofore laid out within the territory bounded by Harris avenue, the U. S. Pier and Bulkhead Line of the East River, Babbett street and Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on May 17, 1918 (Cal. No. 112), 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, deem-

ing it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the street system heretofore laid out within the territory bounded by Harris avenue, the U. S. Pier and Bulkhead Line of the East River, Babbett street and Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated December 8, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 14, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 14th day of June, 1918.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. j1,12

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

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

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1918.

NO. 1. FOR COMPLETING THE CONTRACT WHICH WAS EXECUTED BY WILLIAM BAKER, INC., ON APRIL 19, 1916, AND DECLARED ABANDONED ON APRIL 16, 1918, FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN WESTCHESTER AVENUE, FROM EXISTING SEWER AT WESTCHESTER SQUARE TO BLONDELL AVENUE; BLONDELL AVENUE, BETWEEN WESTCHESTER AVENUE AND POPLAR STREET; THE PROPERTY OF THE N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. CO., BETWEEN POPLAR STREET AND SACKET AVENUE; SACKET AVENUE, BETWEEN HERING AVENUE AND EASTCHESTER ROAD; EASTCHESTER ROAD, BETWEEN SACKET AVENUE AND SEYMOUR AVENUE; SEYMOUR AVENUE, BETWEEN EASTCHESTER ROAD AND ALLERTON AVENUE; ALLERTON AVENUE, BETWEEN SEYMOUR AVENUE AND WILSON AVENUE; WILSON AVENUE, BETWEEN ALLERTON AVENUE AND ADEE AVENUE; ADEE AVENUE, BETWEEN WILSON AVENUE AND THROOP AVENUE; THROOP AVENUE, BETWEEN ADEE AVENUE AND BURKE AVENUE; BURKE AVENUE, BETWEEN THROOP AVENUE AND WHITE PLAINS ROAD, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

17 linear feet of double concrete sewer 7' 3" x 8' 0".
563 linear feet of single concrete sewer 12' 0" x 8' 0".
1,593 linear feet of single concrete sewer 11' 3" x 8' 0".
772 linear feet of single concrete sewer 10' 9" x 8' 0".
601 linear feet of single concrete sewer 9' 6" x 8' 0".
664 linear feet of single concrete sewer 9' 3" x 8' 0".
277 linear feet of single concrete sewer 7' 6" x 8' 0".
1,137 linear feet of single concrete sewer 7' 3" x 8' 0".
760 linear feet of single concrete sewer 7' 6" x 7' 0".
536 linear feet of single concrete sewer 7' 0" x 7' 0".
246 linear feet of single concrete sewer 4' 3" x 5' 0".
1,388 linear feet of single concrete sewer 4' 0" x 4' 9".
520 linear feet of single concrete sewer 3' 9" x 4' 6".
260 linear feet of single concrete sewer 3' 6" x 4' 3".
258 linear feet of single concrete sewer 3' 6" x 4' 0".
21 linear feet of single concrete sewer 3' 3" diameter.
139 linear feet of single concrete sewer 3' 0" diameter.
407 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 30 inch.
80 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 24 inch.
83 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 20 inch.
190 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 18 inch.
567 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 15 inch.
1,030 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer 12 inch.
1,100 linear feet of basin connections.
1,000 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inch to 24 inch.
1,080 spurs for house connections.
5850 linear feet of risers.
99 manholes.
27 receiving basins, type B.
4 receiving basins, type C.
2 inlets, type C.
30,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.
500 cubic yards of concrete, class B.
205 cubic yards of concrete, class C.
10,000 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.
10,000 feet (P. M.) of timber sheeting.
3,325 linear feet of guard rail.
200 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

The attention of bidders is called to the fact that the portions of the sewers and appurtenances built by the original contractors have not as yet been accepted by the City; the cost of all labor and materials necessary to clean, point up and complete the sewers and appurtenances in accordance with the requirements of the specifications shall be covered by all the prices bid on all the items for which prices are bid.

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 proper performance of the contract will be two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or certified check of 5 per cent. of the amount of the bond required as security for the proper performance of the contract bid for.

Blank forms of bids, 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.

m29,j11 HENRY BRUCKNER, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notice of 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,

No. 49 Lafayette st., Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 13th day of June, 1918, at 10.30 a. m., upon the proposed terms and conditions of the form of contract for the supply and erection of structural steel for a part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad, Route No. 8, Section No. 6.

Copies of the said form of contract may be obtained at the office of this Commission for \$1 each.

Dated, New York, May 28, 1918.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. m29,j13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC hearing will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, No. 49 Lafayette st., Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 13th day of June, 1918, at 10.30 a. m., upon the proposed terms and conditions of the form of contract for construction of a Railroad Duct Line for part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad (Whitlock and Westchester Avenues).

Copies of the said form of contract may be obtained at the office of this Commission for \$1 each.

Dated, New York, May 28, 1918.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. m29,j13

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR—
CONTRACT NO. 1.—REMOVING CERTAIN EXISTING LAUNDRY MACHINERY, ETC., LOCATED IN THE DIFFERENT LAUNDRY BUILDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND INSTALLING, SETTING UP AND REPAIRING OF SAME IN THE NEW LAUNDRY BUILDING AT THE KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

CONTRACT NO. 2.—REMOVING AND CONNECTING UP CERTAIN ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND INSTALLING OTHER ELECTRICAL APPARATUS, MAKING ALL ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS AND FURNISHING NEW MOTORS, CONTROLLERS, SWITCHES, ETC., FOR THE MACHINERY MOVED BY CONTRACT NO. 1.

CONTRACT NO. 3.—FURNISHING AND INSTALLING, COMPLETE IN ALL DETAILS, STERILIZER.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of each contract is ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars on Contract No. 1; Two Thousand Dollars on Contract No. 2, and One Thousand Dollars on Contract No. 3.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

The bidder shall state a separate price for each contract described and specified for which he desires to bid, as each contract is entire and for a complete job. The award of contract, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder for Contracts Nos. 1, 2 and 3 respectively.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen. BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.

Dated, June 5, 1918. j5,17
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR GENERAL REPAIRS TO ROOF CONSTRUCTION, REMOVING SLATE AND LAYING ASBESTOS ROOF ON THE OLD LAUNDRY BUILDING AT THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

The Security required will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Thirty Dollars (\$30) 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, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where specifications may be seen.

BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.
Dated May 31, 1918. m31,j11
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE STEAMBOAT "THE BRONX."

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE STEAMBOAT "WILLIAM H. WICKHAM."

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work on each contract described and specified, as each 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, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where specifications may be seen.

BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.
Dated, May 29, 1918. m29,j10
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

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

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RELAYING SLATE ROOF ON THE INCURABLE HOSPITAL (WARDS F1 AND F2) IN THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF NEW PLASTER CEILINGS IN THE FEMALE BARRACKS AND MALE BARRACKS IN THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive calendar days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified for each contract, as each 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, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where specifications may be seen.

BIRD S. COLER, Commissioner.
Dated, May 27, 1918. m27,j7
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Application to Court to Condemn Property.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, whenever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the widening of ROSEDALE AVE. on its westerly side, between Gleason ave. and Westchester ave., in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN AP plication will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, held in and for the County of Bronx, at the County Court House, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be acquired for such improvement, ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and to have the cost of such improvement assessed by the said Court as hereinafter set forth, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to the real property required for the widening of Rosedale ave. on its westerly side between Gleason ave. and Westchester ave., in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. The real property, title to which is proposed to be acquired, is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Westchester ave., distant 203.165 feet easterly from the intersection of said line and the eastern line of Noble ave.; thence easterly along said southern line of Westchester ave. 0.387 feet to the western line of Rosedale ave., as legally acquired; thence southerly along said western line of Rosedale ave. 477.928 feet to the northern line of Gleason ave.; thence westerly along said northern line of Gleason ave. 0.567 feet; thence northerly 477.856 feet to the point of beginning.

The widening of Rosedale ave. is shown on "Map showing a widening of Rosedale ave. on its westerly side between Gleason ave. and Westchester ave. Amendment to Section 39," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on Sept. 29, 1917; in the office of the Register of the County of Bronx on Sept. 29, 1917, as Map No. 271, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on Sept. 29, 1917, in pigeon-hole 273.

Land required for the widening of Rosedale ave. is located in block 3760 of section 14 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 9th day of November, 1917, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be the parcels designated on the books of the Department of Taxes and Assessments as lot No. 35, block No. 3760, Borough of The Bronx.

Dated, New York, June 6, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of N. Y. i6,17

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made, and entitled:

"In the Matter of the Application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to KINGSBRIDGE ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to the Harlem River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road."

—so as to empower the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed therein to award compensation for damages caused by the closing and discontinuance of portions of Kingsbridge road, situated in Blocks 3202, 3205 and 3259, in said Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, pursuant to Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PUR suant to Section 14 of Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in behalf of The City of New York, will make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held at the County Court House of the County of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for an order empowering the Commissioners heretofore appointed in the above entitled pro-

ceeding to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any (in all cases where such compensation has not been heretofore ascertained and determined), which should justly be made and legally awarded pursuant to the said Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, to all owners, parties and persons interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements, or interests taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by and in consequence of the abandonment, discontinuance and closing of portions of Kingsbridge road, situated in Blocks 3202, 3205 and 3259 in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which premises are more particularly described as follows:

Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Davidson avenue distant 2.30 feet southerly from the intersection of said line and the southern line of Kingsbridge road as legally opened; thence southerly along said western line of Davidson avenue 51.21 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 96° 28' 20" to the right, 86.32 feet; thence still westerly, deflecting 7° 30' 00" to the right, 55.56 feet to said southern line of Kingsbridge road; thence easterly along said southern line of Kingsbridge road 121.33 feet; thence still easterly, deflecting 8° 09' 00" to the right, 17.22 feet; thence still easterly 4.09 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Kingsbridge road and the eastern line of Davidson avenue as legally opened; thence easterly along said southern line of Kingsbridge road 153.58 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 159° 37' 07" to the right, 152.95 feet; thence westerly, deflecting 17° 12' 03" to the right, 27.52 feet to the eastern line of Davidson avenue; thence northerly along said eastern line of Davidson avenue 37.46 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the prolongation of the northern line of Kingsbridge road distant 200.16 feet westerly from the intersection of said line and the western line of Heath avenue as legally opened; thence westerly along said western prolongation of the northern line of Kingsbridge road 20.41 feet; thence northerly, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 75.69 feet radius tangent to preceding course 116.95 feet; thence northeasterly tangent to the preceding course 50 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 176° 51' 07" to the right, 50 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 1° 47' 00" to the left, 16.70 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 11° 12' 00" to the left, 10 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 18° 12' 00" to the left, 10 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 10° 20' 00" to the left, 10.0 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 5° 09' 00" to the left, 10.0 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 5° 26' 00" to the left, 20.0 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 4° 42' 00" to the left, 10.0 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 6° 35' 00" to the left, 10.0 feet; thence still southeasterly 33.48 feet to the point of beginning.

The eastern portions of Kingsbridge road are shown on "Map of Peter Valentine Homestead Farm," filed in Westchester County on July 29, 1854, as Map No. 231.

The western portion is known as Kingsbridge road and is an old street for many years in use. The closed portions of Kingsbridge road are located in Blocks 3202 and 3205 of Section 11 and Block 3259 of Section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, May 25, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m25,j6

Notice of Appointment.

In the Matter of the Application of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to owners abutting on HUNTS POINT ROAD, for damages caused by the closing of portions of Hunts Point road, situated in Blocks 2763 and 2765, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated May 3, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 6, 1918, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of ascertaining the compensation which should justly be made to owners abutting on Hunts Point rd. for the damages caused by the closing of portions of Hunts Point rd., situated in Blocks 2763 and 2765, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for the purpose of performing the duties required of us by chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

All parties and persons interested in such lands, tenements, premises, rights, easements, or interests taken or affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed, by and in consequence of the closing of portions of Hunts Point rd., situated in Blocks 2763 and 2765, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, with such affidavits and other proofs as the owner or claimant may desire, within ten (10) days after the date of this notice, and that we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our office on the 18th day of June, 1918, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants in relation thereto, and examine the proofs in support of such claim or claims, and such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners or claimants or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, June 5, 1918.
JOHN B. COLEMAN, WM. BONDY, JOHN P. DUNN, Commissioners.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j5,j15

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 FORT SCHUYLER RD., from the easterly boundary of lands acquired for West Farms rd., at Westchester Creek to Shore Drive, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on Oct. 16, 1913, and as further amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated April 21, 1915, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on April 22, 1915, the proceeding as amended providing for the acquisition of title to Fort Schuyler rd., from the easterly boundary line of the lands heretofore acquired for West

Farms rd., at Westchester Creek to Morris Lane, as said Fort Schuyler rd. is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated May 31, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 31, 1918, John F. Frees was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above, entitled proceeding.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the said order, dated May 31, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 31, 1918, the said John F. Frees will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held in and for the County of Bronx at the County Court House, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1918, 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 his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, June 6, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of N. Y. j6,j17

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 NEWTON AVE., from W. 253d st. to W. 260th st., in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated Nov. 2, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on Nov. 8, 1917, so as to empower the Commissioners of Estimate heretofore appointed therein to award compensation for damages caused by the closing and discontinuance of Albany Post rd., in said 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, pursuant to chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated May 28, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 28, 1918, Charles V. Halley, Jr., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Charles C. Marrin, resigned.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the said order, dated May 28, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 28, 1918, the said Charles V. Halley, Jr., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held in and for the County of Bronx at the County Court House, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of June, 1918, 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 his qualifications to act as such Commissioner.

Dated, New York, June 3, 1918.
WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of N. Y. j3,j17

Notice to File Claims.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRONX BOULEVARD (although not yet named by proper authority), from old Boston Post road to East 242nd street (Demitt avenue), in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated May 16, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 21, 1918, so as to empower the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed to award compensation for damages caused by the closing and discontinuance of old White Plains road, Park Entrance, old Thwaites place, and old Boston road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, pursuant to Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated May 16, 1918, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on May 21, 1918, we, Henry A. Friedman, Frank A. Spencer, Jr., and John P. Dunn, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment heretofore appointed in the proceeding to open Bronx Boulevard, were further empowered, pursuant to Section 14 of Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which should justly be made and legally awarded pursuant to Chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895, for the damages suffered by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of old White Plains road, Park Entrance, old Thwaites place, and old Boston road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, the same being more particularly set forth and described as follows:

OLD WHITE PLAINS ROAD.

Parcel "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Reiss place and the western line of Barker avenue; thence southerly along said western line of Barker avenue 119.78 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 171° 13' 58.3" to the right, 25.07 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 7° 01' 51" to the left, 94.71 feet to said southern line of Reiss place; thence easterly along said southern line of Reiss place 29.87 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Thwaites place distant 215.27 feet easterly from the intersection of said line and the eastern line of Bronx Park East; thence easterly along said southern line of Thwaites place 43.42 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 62° 39' 44.8" to the right 35.80 feet; thence still southeasterly, deflecting 13° 31' 01" to the right, 108.41 feet to the western line of Barker avenue; thence southerly along said western line of Barker avenue 22.04 feet to the northern line of Reiss place; thence westerly along said northern line of Reiss place 43.44 feet; thence northerly 170.19 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Thwaites place distant 68.78 feet westerly from the intersection of said line and the western line of Barker avenue; thence westerly along said northern line of Thwaites place 46.92 feet; thence northwesterly, deflecting 63° 15' 34.5" to

the right, 47.35 feet; thence still northwesterly, deflecting 8° 09' 05" to the right 25.88 feet; thence still northwesterly, deflecting 4° 54' 15" to the right, 22.08 feet; thence still northwesterly, deflecting 4° 15' 00" to the right, 25.73 feet; thence still northwesterly, deflecting 6° 41' 10" to the right, 26.20 feet; thence still northwesterly, deflecting 6° 21' 16" to the right, 16.99 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 3° 54' 30" to the right, 16.02 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 1° 45' 35" to the right, 87.03 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 1° 21' 05" to the left, 89.81 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 2° 16' 20" to the left, 25.62 feet; thence easterly, deflecting 73° 38' 05" to the right 0.40 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 80° 45' 45" to the left, 11.43 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 0° 45' 20" to the left, 190.30 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 0° 17' 45" to the right, 72.35 feet; thence still northerly, deflecting 13° 58' 10" to the right, 24.01 feet; thence northeasterly, deflecting 15° 37' 20" to the right, 70.41 feet; thence still northeasterly, deflecting 4° 30' 55" to the right, 100.01 feet; thence still northeasterly, deflecting 3° 34' 30" to the right 38.83 feet to the southern line of Waring avenue; thence easterly along said southern line of Waring avenue 3.50 feet to the western line of Barker avenue; thence southerly along said western line of Barker avenue 66.98 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 37° 02' 50" to the right 40.64 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 5° 28' 25" to the left, 50.19 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 13° 31' 09" to the left, 22.47 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 0° 44' 26" to the right, 44.98 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 12° 07' 46" to the left 50.08 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 5° 46' 59" to the left, 50.61 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 0° 56' 20" to the left, 101.49 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 2° 45' 34" to the right, 50.40 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 3° 28' 18" to the right, 137.90 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 1° 12' 40" to the right, 112.02 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 24° 20' 40" to the left 71.16 feet; thence easterly, deflecting 85° 17' 39" to the left, 2.16 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 90° 02' 55" to the right 41.28 feet; thence still southerly 32.31 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Olmville avenue distant 219.41 feet southerly from the intersection of said line and the southern line of Mace avenue; thence southerly along said western line of Olmville avenue 93.22 feet; thence southerly, deflecting 28° 26' 00" to the right 14.11 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 7° 18' 00" to the left 175.14 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 12° 31' 05" to the right 49.63 feet; thence still southerly, deflecting 0° 44' 53" to the right 85.27 feet to the northern line of Waring avenue; thence westerly along said northern line of Waring avenue 54.47 feet to the eastern line of Barker avenue; thence northerly along said eastern line of Barker avenue 2.08 feet; thence northeasterly, deflecting 37° 44' 30" to the right 57.64 feet; thence still northeasterly, deflecting 13° 31' 48" to the left, 149.53 feet; thence still northeasterly 222.15 feet to the point of beginning.

PARK ENTRANCE.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Bronx Park East distant 120.17 feet southerly from the intersection of said line and the southern line of Waring avenue; thence southerly along said eastern line of Bronx Park East 25.79 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 71° 16' 23" to the left, 86.04 feet; thence still southeasterly, deflecting 12° 16' 00" to the right 45.0 feet; thence northerly, deflecting 100° 14' 11" to the left, 24.01 feet; thence northwesterly 135.57 feet to the point of beginning.

OLD THWAITES PLACE.

Parcel "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Thwaites place and the western line of

Barker avenue; thence westerly along said southern line of Thwaites place 42.34 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 117° 20' 15" to the left 35.80 feet; thence easterly, deflecting 83° 13' 25" to the left 27.66 feet to said western line of Barker avenue; thence northerly along said western line of Barker avenue 22.10 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Thwaites place distant 19.69 feet westerly from the intersection of said line and the western line of Olmville avenue; thence westerly along said northern line of Thwaites place 163.74 feet; thence northeasterly, deflecting 159° 27' 20" to the right, 98.87 feet; thence southeasterly 79.16 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "C."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Olmville avenue with the southern line of Thwaites place, as shown on Section 31 of the Final Maps of the Borough of The Bronx filed February 21, 1911; thence easterly along the southern line of said Thwaites place 43.36 feet; thence southeasterly, deflecting 25° 59' 39.8" to the right, along the northeastern line of Old Thwaites place 109.82 feet to the western line of Boston Post road (Westchester turnpike); thence southerly, deflecting 86° 14' 12" to the right, along last mentioned line 50.11 feet to the southwestern line of Old Thwaites place; thence northwesterly, deflecting 93° 45' 48" to the right 136.97 feet along the southwestern line of Thwaites place to the eastern line of Olmville avenue; thence northerly along last mentioned line 34.484 feet to the point of beginning.

OLD BOSTON POST ROAD.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Boston road (acquired as White Plains road) distant 405.88 feet southerly from the intersection of the southern line of Astor avenue with the western line of White Plains road; thence southerly along the western line of Boston road (White Plains road) 98.10 feet to the western line of Old Boston Post road (Westchester turnpike); thence northerly along last mentioned line 98.04 feet to the point of beginning.

Old White Plains road, Park Entrance, Old Thwaites place and Old Boston Post road are located in Blocks 4337, 4339, 4340, 4341 and 4425 of Section 16 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

All parties and persons interested in the said lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements or interests therein taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed, by and in consequence of the discontinuance and closing of the said old White Plains road, Park Entrance, old Thwaites place and old Boston road, as above described, and shown in the said petition of The City of New York, and having any claim or demand on account thereof (and who have not been awarded damages or whose claims for damages are not now being ascertained and determined by us, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 15th floor, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the owners or claimants may desire, within ten (10) days after the date of this notice, and we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our office on the 14th day of June, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners and claimants in relation thereto and examine the proofs in support of such claim or claims, and such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners or claimants, or in behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
JOHN P. DUNN, HENRY A. FRIEDMAN,
Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j1,j12

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 PUTNAM AVENUE WEST, from West 233rd street to Van Cortlandt Park South, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

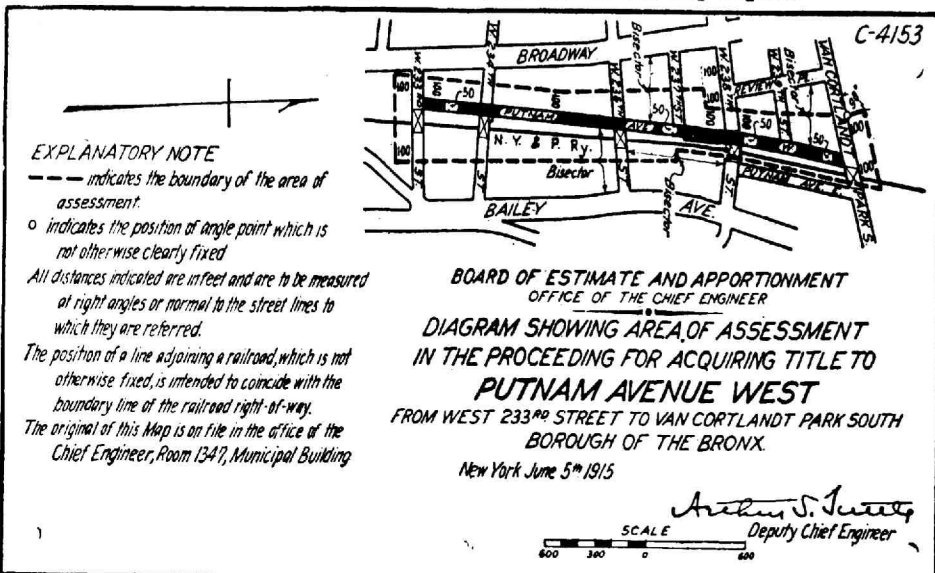
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, 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 17th day of June, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 20th day of June, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 19th day of June, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 17th day of June, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 20th day of June, 1918, 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 1st day of October, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



Fourth.—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and 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 19th day of June, 1918.

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

Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23rd day of July, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

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

Dated, New York, May 22, 1918.
MAURICE S. COHEN, BERNARD J. ISECKE, JAMES F. DELANEY, Commissioners of Estimate; MAURICE S. COHEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. m25,j12

Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the real property required for the opening and extending of FURMAN AVENUE, from Dasher Avenue to East 236th Street, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term 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 June, 1918, at 10.15 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for taxation in accordance with the certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses with the certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, June 1, 1918.
WILLIAM F. BURR, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. j1,12

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORT SCHUYLER ROAD from the easterly boundary of lands acquired for West Farms road at Westchester Creek to Shore Drive, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 16th day of October, 1913, by excluding therefrom that portion of Fort Schuyler road lying south of Morris Lane, thereby making the proceeding relate to Fort Schuyler road from the easterly boundary line of the land acquired for West Farms road at Westchester Creek to Morris Lane, and as further amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 22nd day of April, 1915, so as to relate to Fort Schuyler road from the easterly boundary line of land acquired for West Farms road at Westchester Creek to Morris Lane, and to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1914, in which an adjustment is effected in the line of Fort Schuyler road between Whittemore Avenue and a point near Coddington Avenue, this being intended to make the westerly line of the street coincide with the easterly boundary line of St. Raymond's Cemetery, the proceeding as now amended providing for the acquisition of title to Fort Schuyler road from the easterly boundary line of the land heretofore acquired for West Farms road at Westchester Creek to Morris Lane as said Fort Schuyler road is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partial 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 for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of June, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, May 28, 1918.
EDWARD D. DOWLING, ALFRED B. HALL, CHAS. C. MARRIN, Commissioners of Estimate; ALFRED B. HALL, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOSEPH J. SQUIER, Clerk. m28,j8

SUPREME COURT—SECOND 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 EAST NEW YORK AVENUE, from Canarsie Avenue to Pitkin Avenue; LEFFERTS AVENUE, from the westerly line of Utica Avenue to East New York Avenue; UTICA AVENUE, from Lefferts Avenue to East New York Avenue; LINCOLN ROAD, from Nostrand Avenue to Canarsie Avenue, in the 26th 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, 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 the office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 19th day of June, 1918, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of June, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 19th day of June, 1918, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of June, 1918, at 2 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 27th day of June, 1912, 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. Beginning at a point on a line midway between Lefferts Avenue and Sterling Street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Nostrand Avenue, and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Lefferts Avenue and Sterling Street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Troy Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Troy Avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Troy Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Montgomery Street and Malbone Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Montgomery Street and Malbone Street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Schenectady Avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Schenectady Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Carroll Street and Crown Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Carroll Street and Crown Street to the intersection with a line distant 800 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of East New York Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to East New York Avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line parallel with East New York Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between St. Johns Place and Lincoln Place; thence easterly along the said line midway between St. Johns Place and Lincoln Place to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Barrett Street and Saratoga Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Barrett Street and Saratoga Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 800 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of East New York Avenue as laid out westerly from Pitkin Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to East New York Avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with East New York Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Sutter Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sutter Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Sutter Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Rutland Road as this street is laid out between the East 98th Street and Remsen Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rutland Road; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Rutland Road and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Rutland Road as this street is laid out westerly from Remsen Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rutland Road; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Rutland Road to the intersection with a line midway between Troy Avenue and East 45th Street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Troy Avenue and East 45th Street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Rutland Road and Rutland Road; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Rutland Road and Rutland Road and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line parallel with Nostrand Avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Nostrand Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

2. Bounded on the east by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Nostrand Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Nostrand Avenue; on the south by a line midway between Midwood Street and Rutland Road; on the west by a line midway between Nostrand Avenue and Rogers Avenue; and on the north by a line midway between Sterling Street and Lefferts Avenue.

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, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 29th day of June, 1918.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, as 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 31st day of July, 1918, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, May 31st, 1918.
EUGENE J. GRANT, GEORGE J. S. DOWLING, EDWARD LYONS, Commissioners of Estimate; EUGENE J. GRANT, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOSEPH A. SOLOVEI, Clerk. m31,j17

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Sale of Privilege.

THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, AT HIS office at Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, will sell at auction to the highest bidder, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918,

commencing at 11 a. m.
THE PRIVILEGE AT THE BROOKLYN TERMINAL OF THE 39TH ST. FERRY, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TO VEND, SELL AND FURNISH FRUITS, SANDWICHES, PIES, MILK, COFFEE, TEA, ICE CREAM, SODA WATER AND ANY OTHER SOFT DRINKS OR OTHER ARTICLES WHICH MAY AT ANY TIME BE INCLUDED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, BUT WILL NOT ALLOW THE SALE OF NEWSPAPERS, BOOKS, PERIODICALS, CONFECTIONERY, ORANGEADE, CIGARS OR TOBACCO.

This privilege is included to the use of the stand on the lower floor of the terminal building, which stand is the property of The City of New York. Coffee and tea may be made upon the premises, but, with this exception, no cooking of any kind will be allowed.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.
1. The privilege is to be exercised under and according to the terms, conditions and limitations of an agreement to be entered into with the Commissioner of Docks as hereinafter required, for a term beginning at noon on June 15, 1918, and continuing up to noon on May 1, 1919. A copy of the form of agreement may be examined at the above office.

2. Bidding shall be upon the basis of an aggregate compensation to The City of New York for the privilege, for the above term, payable in advance in four equal sums on the 15th day of June and on the 1st day of August

and November, 1918, and the 1st day of February, 1919, respectively, to the Commissioner of Docks, at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., Manhattan.

3. The Commissioner of Docks reserves the right to reject or to before noon on June 10, 1918, any or all bids if, in his judgment, he deems it to be for the best interest of The City of New York so to do, and return the deposit or deposits made to such bidder or bidders. No person will be accepted as a successful bidder who is delinquent on any contract with The City of New York. No bid will be received from any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon any debt or contract or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to The City of New York.

4. The successful bidder shall present at the time of the sale either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies of The City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Commissioner of Docks, or money, to the amount of not less than 25 per cent. of the amount bid, as security for carrying into effect the terms hereof. The deposit of the successful bidder, in the event of the award of the privilege, will be applied to the payment of the instalment of such fee or compensation first accruing under said agreement when executed, namely, for the period commencing June 15, 1918.

If the successful bidder, within five consecutive calendar days after being notified in writing that the agreement is prepared and ready for execution, neglects or refuses to execute said agreement with good and sufficient bond or obligation of a duly authorized surety company, approved by the Commissioner of Docks, in a sum equal to the annual rental, the deposit of said successful bidder will be forfeited to The City of New York as liquidated damages.

5. The Commissioner of Docks reserves the right to resell any privilege where the successful bidder fails, refuses or neglects to comply with the terms and conditions herein contained, and the bidder so failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with the terms and conditions of the sale shall be liable to The City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

6. Free transportation on the ferries will not be allowed with this privilege.

7. The successful bidder shall arrange with the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for any water required in connection with the privilege, and shall pay to said department the regular water charges for such water. All gas and electrical installation desired by the successful bidder on any lot shall be by and at the expense of the successful bidder, subject to the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and all gas and electricity used shall be paid for by the successful bidder.

MURRAY HULBERT, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated, May 29, 1918. j17

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

All bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, for which the work is to be done or the supplies are to be furnished. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.