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Thursday, November 12, 1914—10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1854—Yellow Taxicab Company and Mason-Seaman Transportation Company—"Investigation as to consolidation into Mason-Seaman Transportation Company and as to issue of securities by consolidation company"—Commissioner Wood. 11 a. m.—Room 305—R. T. 6002—Dock Contractor Company—John Gill et al., complainants—"Alleged violations of labor law"—Whole Commission. 11 a. m.—Room 305—R. T. 6317—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—"Rehearing as to proposed location of an express station on Second Avenue elevated line at 86th Street"—Whole Commission.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10.30 a. m. in the Committee Room.

Regular meeting of the Commission held every Tuesday and Friday at 12.15 p. m. in Room 310.

## Changes in Departments, Etc.

### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS. Manhattan and Richmond.

**Services Ceased—Laborers:** November 6, Alfred Meyer, 223 East 74th Street; Matteo Morico, 283 Mott Street; Alphonso Scala, 88 Mulberry Street; John Klein, 1677 Avenue C; Michael McKenna, 650 Amsterdam Avenue; Abraham Schainan, 526 East 81st Street; Frank Handy, 758 Third Avenue; John Cudihy, 171 Amsterdam Avenue; Vincenzo Sandilio, 2026 First Avenue; George Clark, 435 West 51st Street; Antonio Gianguzzi, 327 East 71st Street. **Gardeners:** John Morley, Riverdale; Harry Bayer, 61 Delancey Street; Adam Breidecker, 161 West 126th Street; Benjamin Druckerman, 10 East 28th Street.

### The Bronx.

**Appointed—Climbers and Pruners,** at \$2.50 per diem, November 7: Gerald S. Dowling, 2326 Bathgate Avenue; James E. Reilly, 3952 Park Avenue; Henry Greiner, 1856 Jerome Avenue; William Lawson, 28 East 5th Street, Brooklyn, at \$2.50 per diem, November 10. **Painters,** at \$4 per diem: November 4, Edward Roche, 308 East 82d Street; November 6, James W. Whitton, 385 East 15th Street,

Brooklyn; November 9, 1914, Clarence J. Liming, 15 Webster Place, Brooklyn.

### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

**Appointed—William Lathan,** 539 2d Street, Brooklyn, Temporary Laborer, at \$2.50 per day.

### TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

**Resigned—George R. Young,** 132 23d Street, Brooklyn, second grade Clerk; salary, \$600 per annum; November 2.

### BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

#### Bellevue Hospital.

**Appointments—Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 1, Frederic Gorham, \$240; Oct. 2, William Connolly \$240, Nellie Pils \$180, Frank Davis \$240. **Head Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 5, Joseph Reath \$480. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 6, David Madden \$240, Annie Barnes \$300; Oct. 7, William Porteous \$240, Jennie Easton \$180, Annie Neary \$180, Marie Davis \$180; Oct. 8, Lizzie Richmond \$180, Marie Murphy \$180, Lillian O'Connor \$192. **Employment Agent:** Robert Link, \$900. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 10, Mary Mechan \$180, Philip Tulon \$240, Margaret McManus \$240; Oct. 11, Bridget Anderson \$180, Patrick H. Higgins \$240, Oct. 12, Charles Cantwell \$240,

James R. Sherman \$240, James Williams \$240, Annie McEvoy \$180, Margaret Anderson \$180, Delia Mahoney \$180; Oct. 13, Mary Brassell \$180, Julia Karheamur \$180, Rose Donnelly \$180, Catherine McGuire \$180, Joseph Fullerton \$240; Oct. 14, Paul Bonn \$240, Mary Farrell \$180, Catherine Goodwin \$180, Ellen Lawrence \$180; Oct. 15, Kate Gaytens \$180, Helen Schactner \$180. **Head Pupil Nurses:** George Landis \$360, Nathan Romanoff \$240, Rose Crunnery \$180, Tessie Thanics \$216, Ethel Bletsch \$192; Oct. 16, John Hanley \$240, Helen Donnelly \$180, George Swasey \$240, Catherine Crossin \$180. **Hospital Helper:** Sept. 26, Birdie Gargan \$492. **Physician to Out Patients:** Oct. 1, James P. Hunt, \$300. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 10, Lizzie Black \$180; Oct. 1, Helen Barry \$240; Oct. 16, Blanche Hamilton \$180; Oct. 17, Barbara Lunger \$180, Margaret Powers \$180, Conrad Rinderknecht \$300, W. Porteous \$240, Rose Hovey \$180; Oct. 18, John Dobb \$240; Oct. 19, Bridget McCloskey \$180; Oct. 20, Charles Larivee \$240, Margaret Latimer \$180, Katie Ryan \$180, Jennie Boland \$180, Margaret Anthro \$180, Delia Wolf \$180, Nellie James \$180; Oct. 21, George H. Stark, \$240; Oct. 22, Hogo Schlossareck, \$240.

**Dismissals, Resignations, Etc.—Clerk:** Sept. 26, Max Cohn, \$540. **Hospital Helper:** Sept. 29, Birdie Gargan, \$192. **Clerk:** Sept. 30, Maurice Sukoff \$750. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 1, Joseph Kendrick \$240. **Employment Agent:** Oct. 2, Arthur W. Yergin \$900. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 3, Mary Hughes \$192. **Head Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 4, Cedric Head \$480. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 5, Kate McMahon \$300, Bridget Anderson \$180, Anna Rourke \$180, Marie Murphy \$180, John O'Brien \$240, Mary Carney \$180; Oct. 7, Rose Walters \$180, Mary Manning \$180; Oct. 8, Agnes Nelson \$180, Thomas Leddy \$240; Oct. 9, Kate Boyle \$240, James Clarke \$240, Frederick Klenk \$240; Oct. 10, Sophia Werner \$180, Agnes Clark \$180; Oct. 11, Patrick Purcell \$180, Margaret Donlan \$180, Fanny Evans \$180; Oct. 12, John Guitman \$240, Supxus Nelson \$240, Jennie Muesse \$180, Kate Britton \$180; Oct. 13, Mary Boylan \$180, Sarah McIntyre \$180, Jennie Bragen \$180, Mary Daly \$180, Katherine Lesler \$180, Delia Mahoney \$180; Oct. 14, John Hanley \$240. **Head Pupil Nurse:** Stephen Barrett \$360. **Hospital Helpers:** David Crothers \$240, Bridget O'Donnell \$180, Nora O'Donohue \$180, Mary Mahoney \$216, Bessie Keenan \$180; Oct. 15, James Williams \$240, Delia Stanton \$180, Anna Williams \$180; Oct. 16, Clara Border \$300; Oct. 17, Mary Gordon \$180, Harry Munroe \$240, Rose Hovey \$180; Oct. 18, Ellen Lawrence \$180, Blanche Hamilton \$180, Nora Daily \$180, Charlotte Osman \$180, Tessie Kirby \$240, Helen Donnelly \$180; Oct. 19, Loretto Halleran \$180, Vina Frost \$180; Oct. 20, James Bertram \$240.

**Appointments, Nurses' Home:** Trained Nurses: Oct. 11, Frederic Atwood \$600; Eleanor Riley \$600. **Pupil Nurse:** Florence Thayer \$96. **Trained Nurses:** Oct. 12, Ida Maurer \$600, Margaret Galery \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 12, Nan Tregg \$192; Oct. 13, Ella May \$240, Lilyie Hoets \$192, Lola Bennett \$192; Oct. 14, George MacLuchie \$240, Louis Nobeil \$240; Oct. 16, Kate Cheehan \$240; Oct. 17, Bessie Rooney \$240; Oct. 18, Kate Fredman \$192, John Grogan \$240; Oct. 21, Rose Rosenthal \$240, Peter Byron \$240.

**Resignations, Etc.—Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 11, Marie Wagner \$240, Helen Kane \$192; Oct. 12, Rose Phillips \$240, Anna Gibson \$192; Oct. 13, James Kelly \$240, James Donovan \$240, Lola Bennett \$192. **Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 12, Martina Lavin \$96. **Trained Nurse:** Oct. 7, Harry H. Hatch \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 15, Ellen May, \$240; Oct. 16, Cassie O'Donnell \$240; Oct. 17, Louis Nobeil \$240; Oct. 20, Kate Sheehan \$240, George MacLuchie \$240.

### Gouverneur Hospital.

**Appointments—Housekeeper,** Oct. 1, Agnes Fordham \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Mary McCall \$180, Jesse King \$240. **Trained Nurses:** Mary McGowan \$600, Sophie Viellimeir \$600. **Pupil Nurses:** Louise Brindley \$96, Alice Lendrum \$96, Annie Clark \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 2, Paul Nissen \$240; Oct. 3, George Brooks \$240; Oct. 5, Lubi Jancee \$180. **Pupil Nurses:** Oct. 6, Ethel Parish \$96, Susan Staples \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 7, George Mitchell \$240, Sam Goppman \$240; Oct. 8, Mary Justina \$180; Oct. 12, Frank Coyle \$240, Henry Hand \$240, Geo. Underhill \$300; Oct. 14, Nellie Riddle \$180; Oct. 15, Elizabeth Sullivan \$216, John Green \$240. **Pupil Nurses:** Oct. 16, Margaret Sullivan \$96; Oct. 19, Rose Goffman \$180; Oct. 20, Arthur Field \$300, Anna Murray \$180, Eugene Stanoff \$240.

**Resignations, Dismissals, Etc.—Hospital**

**Helpers:** Sept. 30, Agnes Fordham, \$240; Oct. 1, William Healy \$240; Oct. 2, James Cloonan \$240; Oct. 3, Mary McCarren \$180. **Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 5, Annie Sylvester \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Mary Keezer \$180, James McCarthy \$240. **Pupil Nurse:** Celia Foy \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 6, John Madigan, \$240; Oct. 9, Rose Bradey \$216; Oct. 10, Edward Wentz \$240; Oct. 11, Sylvester Moriarty \$240, Wilfred Noel \$240. **Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 15, Margaret Richardson \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 18, Paul Hjort \$360, Oct. 19, Rose Goffman \$180; Oct. 13, George Mitchell \$240.

**Salary Increases**—Hospital Helpers, from Oct. 1: From \$180 to \$216, Anna Wolfeil, Lizzie Johnson. From \$216 to \$240, Ida Smith, Louise Licher. From \$240 to \$270, Arthur Field, Louis Bentzen. From \$300 to \$360, Wilfred Pollard, Joseph Aird.

### Harlem Hospital.

**Appointments—Pupil Nurse:** Oct. 1, Gladys Buck, \$96. **Trained Nurse:** Florence Johnson, \$900. **Hospital Helpers:** Peter Undreiner, \$240; Oct. 2, Robert Doherty \$240, Daniel Collins \$240. **Trained Nurse:** Helen Wray \$600. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 5, Bridget Read, \$240. **Pupil Nurse:** Mary Rawling, \$96. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 6, Bernard Lynch, \$240. **Trained Nurse:** Oct. 6, Gudrun Gram, \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 8, James Hernon \$240; Oct. 9, James Murphy \$240; Oct. 12, Lizzie Parker \$180; Oct. 13, Catherine Fox \$180; Oct. 14, Fred Coggins \$240, Oct. 12, Daniel O'Connell \$240; Oct. 15, John Smith \$240. **Pupil Nurse:** Rita Guiterman, \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 19, Constance Fulgieri, \$180; Oct. 20, Gottfried Wuhrman \$240, Fred Conyer \$300.

**Resignations, Dismissals, Etc.—Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 1, John Flaherty \$240, Peter Undreiner \$40; Oct. 2, Nellie Menzies \$240, Philip Hanratty \$240. **Pupil Nurse:** Elizabeth Melcher, \$96. **Trained Nurse:** Oct. 5, Gudrun Gram \$600, Florence Dunlop \$600. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 7, Catherine Kittel \$180, Alexander Attridge \$240; Oct. 8, Harry Roach \$240, Thomas Kilmurray \$240; Oct. 11, Catherine Monohan \$180. **Trained Nurse:** Naomi Skoberg \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 13, James Murphy \$240; Oct. 14, John Donohue \$240. **Pupil Nurses:** Edith Outerbridge \$96; Oct. 15, Bertha Bruckacker \$96; Oct. 17, Catherine Leddy \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Catherine Fox \$180, Fred Klein \$240; Oct. 18, Joseph Prokof \$300, Carl Withey \$240, Marcus Judge \$240; Oct. 20, Joseph O'Brien \$240.

### Fordham Hospital.

**Appointments—Hospital Helpers:** Sept. 24, Anna Baumgardt \$180, Stephen Doyle \$240; Oct. 25, Robert Downing \$240. **Assistant Superintendent Training School:** Oct. 27, Beatrice Barber \$1,200. **Hospital Helper:** Oct. 28, Mary Minnis \$300. **Pupil Nurses:** Oct. 1, Muriel Andrews \$96, Ida Stapleton \$96, Robina McLeod \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 5, Patrick Quinlan, \$240; Oct. 6, Mamie McGuinness \$300; Oct. 12, Sophia Mohr \$180; Oct. 13, John Quinlan \$240; Oct. 14, Annie Wycklicker \$180; Oct. 15, Eliza Denzger \$180; Oct. 17, Agnes O'Kane \$300. **Stationary Engineer:** Oct. 20, Joseph P. Lynch, \$4.50 per diem. **Hospital Helpers:** Almeda Greenwood \$300, Thomas Splain \$240. **Pupil Nurses:** Oct. 22, Mildred Parsons \$96; Oct. 23, Amelia Winslow \$96.

**Dismissals, Resignations, Etc.—Assistant Superintendent Training School:** Sept. 26, Lulu Jones, \$1,200. **Hospital Helper:** Sept. 27, Sarah Purdy, \$300. **Trained Nurses:** Sept. 30, Clodia Johnson \$600, Julia Magee \$600. **Hospital Helpers:** Melchoir Beck \$240, Catherine Devine \$240; Oct. 4, Frank Burke \$240; Oct. 5, Mary Minnis \$300; Oct. 11, Margaret Black \$180; Oct. 12, Robert Downing \$240; Oct. 13, Agnes Lynch \$216; Oct. 14, Margaret Connolly \$240; Oct. 16, Mary McGuinness \$300. **State Engineer:** Oct. 19, Patrick J. Cowley, \$4.50 per day. **Hospital Helpers:** Agnes O'Kane \$300, Patrick Quinlan \$240. **Pupil Nurses:** Oct. 21, Martha MacDonald \$96; Oct. 22, Susan Fry \$96. **Hospital Helpers:** Oct. 23, Fred Devore \$240; Oct. 25, John Quinlan \$240. **State Engineer:** Joseph P. Lynch, \$4.50 a day.

**Salary Increases—Oct. 1, Hospital Helpers:** Rose Carroll, from \$180 to \$216; Annie Coghlin, from \$216 to \$240; Charles Jacobson and Peter Tricolis, from \$270 to \$300.

### Borough of The Bronx.

*Extract of Minutes of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District, Borough of The Bronx.*

Pursuant to call by President Mathewson the members of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District, met at Borough Hall, 177th Street and Third Avenue, on Tuesday, October 20, 1914, at 8 P. M.



Present—President Mathewson, Alderman Hamilton, Alderman Weil and Alderman Wilmot.

Minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as printed.

1289. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Fieldston Road, between West 253rd Street and West 252nd Street; and in Fieldston Road (both sides), between West 252nd Street and a point 300 feet north of West 250th Street, with a temporary connection in Fieldston Road, between West 253rd Street and West 254th Street; and in West 254th Street, between Fieldston Road and the existing sewer in West 254th Street, east of Fieldston Road, together with all work incidental thereto. Amended so as to read: For constructing sewers and appurtenances in Fieldston Road, between West 253rd Street and West 252nd Street; and in Fieldston Road (west side), between West 252nd Street and a point 300 feet north of West 250th Street, with a temporary connection in Fieldston Road, between West 253rd Street and West 254th Street; and in West 254th Street, between Fieldston Road and the existing sewer in West 254th Street, east of Fieldston Road, together with all work incidental thereto. Adopted as amended.

1293. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in West 256th Street, between Broadway and Sylvan Avenue; and in Sylvan Avenue, between that portion of West 256th Street extending east from Sylvan Avenue and that portion of West 256th Street extending west from Sylvan Avenue; and in West 256th Street, between Sylvan Avenue and Fieldston Road, together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until December 15th, 1914.

770. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Van Cortlandt Park South, between Broadway and Bailey Avenue; and in Bailey Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Park South and West 238th Street; and in Putnam Avenue East, between Van Cortlandt Park South and West 238th Street; and in West 238th Street, between Putnam Avenue East and Bailey Avenue, together with all work incidental thereto.

The resolution adopted by this Local Board on October 20, 1913, providing for the above entitled work was rescinded at this meeting.

774. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Van Cortlandt Avenue, between Albany Road and Sedgwick Avenue; and in Sedgwick Avenue, between Giles Place and Mosholu Parkway South; and in Bailey Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Avenue and Van Cortlandt Park South; and in Van Cortlandt Park South, between Van Cortlandt Avenue and Mosholu Parkway South; and in Mosholu Parkway South, between Sedgwick Avenue and Van Cortlandt Park South; and in Dickinson Place, between Sedgwick

Avenue and Van Cortlandt Park South; and in Saxon Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Park South and Sedgwick Avenue; and in Norman Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Park South and Sedgwick Avenue; and in Gouverneur Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Park South and Sedgwick Avenue; and in Bailey Avenue, between Van Cortlandt Avenue and a point about 220 feet north of West 238th Street; and in Cannon Place, between Bailey Avenue and the summit southerly therefrom; and in the Drainage Street, west of Van Cortlandt Avenue, between Albany Road and Bailey Avenue; and in Gale Place, between Bailey Avenue and Van Cortlandt Park South; and in Stevenson Place, between Sedgwick Avenue and Van Cortlandt Avenue, together with all work incidental thereto.

On the recommendation of the Chief Engineer the resolution of the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, 25th District, adopted on February 4th, 1913, providing for the construction of the above mentioned sewers was rescinded.

#### LAI D OVER MATTERS.

1220-A. To take up and relay flagging in front of the property designated on the Tax Map of The City of New York as Lots 128 and 129, Block 2865, situated on the north side of Featherbed Lane, said flagging beginning 438.5 feet from the northwest corner of Featherbed Lane and Jerome Avenue, extending 75 feet westerly, together with all work incidental thereto, in accordance with section 435 of the Greater New York Charter as amended. Filed.

1240. Regulating and paving with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation (permanent pavement) the roadway of Andrews Avenue, from Fordham Road to West 188th Street, setting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto. Denied.

1243. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in West 230th Street, between Corlear Avenue and Tibbett Avenue; and in Tibbett Avenue, between West 230th Street and West 231st Street; and in West 231st Street, between Corlear Avenue and Spuyten Duyvil Road, together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until November 24th, 1914.

1263. Acquiring title to the land necessary for Huxley Avenue, from West 260th Street to West 262nd Street. Laid over until December 15, 1914.

1276. Laying out on the Map of The City of New York change of grade of Fieldston Road, between West 252nd Street and a point near West 253rd Street. Withdrawn and filed.

On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Minutes of Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Held in Room 16, City Hall, Tuesday, October 27, 1914.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; George McAneny, President, Board of Aldermen; Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan; Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx; Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens; and Charles J. McCormack, President, Borough of Richmond.

The Mayor, Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, presided.

### Public Hearing of Taxpayers on the Budget for 1915 (No. 1).

(On September 25, 1914 (Cal. No. 50), the Board adopted a resolution fixing Monday, October 26, 1914, and Tuesday, October 27, 1914, for Hearings (under Section 226 of the Charter) of the Taxpayers of the City on the Budget for 1915 as tentatively prepared.)

The Secretary presented an affidavit of publication showing that the hearing had been duly advertised in the CITY RECORD.

The following persons addressed the Board:

Alfred J. Tally requested that provision be made for ten Female Probation Officers instead of five in the City Magistrates' Courts of the First Division.

Ellen D. Kelly requested that no action be taken toward the reduction of the number of Female Probation Officers in the City Magistrates' Courts of the Second Division.

Mary M. Lilly requested the reinstatement of five Female Probation Officers dropped from the Budget of 1914.

Stewart Browne, Chairman of the Budget Committee of the United Real Estate Owners Associations, directed attention to the fact that special mandatory laws did not affect all of the employees of the County courts and suggested that the Board reduce those salaries under its control. He referred also to the salaries paid to clerks and process servers in the District Attorney's office, New York County, which he considered were too high, and also to the compensation of certain employees of various City departments. He opposed increases in salaries in the Health Department, offered objection to the proposed appropriation for the Board of Inebriety, and to salaries fixed for various attaches of the Law Department. He stated that he did not consider the salaries paid in the Fire Department excessive, but suggested that the number of Deputy Chiefs might be reduced.

Henry Bloch, President of the United Real Estate Owners Associations, requested that the salaries of employees of the Kings County Court be reduced to the rates fixed by law. He suggested that the expenses of the Board of Elections could be reduced by the use of public school buildings and fire houses for polling places, for which use no rent would have to be paid. He suggested in the interests of economy that the appraisals of real estate for the City be made by the Tax Department.

Laurence M. D. McGuire, representing the Real Estate Board of New York, stated that the District Attorney of New York County asks for an increase of \$29,000, the District Attorney of Bronx County asks for \$95,000, making an increase of \$120,000; also stated that the appropriation for the District Attorney of New York County should be less, since Bronx County has taken a great deal of work from his office.

William Guerin requested that the Board add to the budget \$15,000 to increase the salaries of the Pilots in the Fire Department.

John J. Flynn requested increase for Platers in the Fire Department from \$4 to \$4.50 per diem.

Hon. Albert C. Benninger, representing the 67th Aldermanic District, requested that the temporary milk station in Ridgewood be maintained by the City.

Mrs. N. Weir spoke in favor of maintaining temporary milk station in Ridgewood. Dr. Abraham Korn objected to salaries paid to the Superintendent of Public Employment Bureau of the Department of Licenses, \$3,500, and to Deputy Commissioners, \$4,000, as too high.

D. Porter, representing Musicians of the City, objected to reduction in appropriation for music in the parks.

John J. Gordon objected to laborers doing work of attendants at comfort stations and baths under the jurisdiction of the Park Department, Manhattan and Richmond.

The Board then took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m. this day.

The Board re-convened at 2.15 p. m. with all the members present.

The following persons addressed the Board:

Mr. Stewart Browne, representing the United Real Estate Owners Associations, objected to certain specific items appearing in the tentative budget.

Mr. John J. Gordon stated that the Police Commissioner acknowledged that he had 102 men, including lieutenants, sergeants and patrolmen, doing attendants' work; and suggested that if this work were done by attendants a large sum of money would be saved annually. He stated, further, that he understood watchmen for steam rollers, Borough of Manhattan, would be laid off for three months during the year; also that they were paid \$600 per annum while in other departments they received \$900 per annum.

James P. Holland, President of the Central Federated Union, stated that Mr. Browne paid his Engineer \$2,500 for taking care of one building, while the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Charities has to take care of 300 buildings.

Edward P. Doyle, representing the Real Estate Board of New York, stated that the matter of the Department of Public Charities had been left in the hands of the Budget Committee with the recommendation that a policy of economy be followed.

Henry Bloch, President of the United Real Estate Owners Associations, objected to the sum of \$858,000 being spent for rent and requested that departments be compelled to move into the Municipal Building.

Harry Burman, representing the Metropolitan Protective Association of the Street Cleaning Department; Thomas Cole, representing the Metropolitan Protective Association of the Street Cleaning Department; James Farrell, employee of the Street Cleaning Department; Solomon Hecht, representing the Civil Service Chronicle; William Greenfield, employee of Street Cleaning Department; all in favor of an increase in wages of Sweepers and Drivers of the Department.

Charles Snyder, in behalf of the Assistant Foremen in the Street Cleaning Department, protested against reduction in grade of Assistant Foremen.

Ira J. Ettinger, representing United Real Estate Owners Associations, requested that number of Inspectors in the Building Department be reduced.

Alfred J. Tally suggested that the Civil Service Commission hold no more examinations until men are needed, and that the Civil Service laws be changed so that Messengers, etc., not needed in one department may be assigned to work where they are needed. Suggested that arrangements be made with subway contractors to employ laid off City employees. Opposed reduction of salaries of City employees as proposed by Mr. Browne. Asked that provision be made for one Assistant Engineer at \$3,000 in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for Gerald Griffin.

E. J. McIneny protested against low salary of \$600 paid to Watchmen; also protested against the President of the Borough of Queens employing Laborers to do Attendants' work, and requested that provision be made in the budget for necessary Attendants and Watchmen; also that provision be made for 63 Attendants in the Dock Department to take the place of other employees doing Attendants' work.

Judge Louis H. Reynolds requested retention of Female Probation Officers in the Magistrates' Courts, Second Division.

William Yates, representing Marine Engineers' Association, protested against reduction in operating forces of Municipal Ferries.

Rev. H. L. Bowlby, General Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of the United States, asked that employees on the Municipal Ferries be given a six-day week.

James P. Holland stated the men employed on the Municipal Ferries were in favor of a six-day week.

Matthew A. McConville, representing the United Portable Safety Engineers; also Pile Driving Engineers of the Dock Department; protested against tentative budget as not providing prevailing rate of wages for Pile Driving Engineers.

Val. T. Rybicki, representing Municipal Lodge No. 429, I. A. of M.; also representing Machinists employed by the City; protested against reduction of force in Dock Department.

Leo Belfi, in opposition to reduction of force in Dock Department.

William Bramley, representing International Association of Machinists, in opposition to reduction of force in Dock Department.

The Secretary presented the following communications:

Communication, dated October 26, 1914, from Mrs. Fannie Marmorstein, opposing the program of certain real estate organizations of cutting salaries and disallowing increases in the budget for 1915.

Communication from Alfred Smith, Samuel Simon and 278 others, petitioning the Board to grant a sum to the Board of Education sufficient to carry on the work of the evening recreation centers for young people.

Petitions signed by John W. Walsh and numerous others, protesting against the closing of the evening recreation centers conducted by the Department of Education, during the year 1915.

Communication, dated October 23, 1914, from Eleanor Hope Johnson, Chairman, Committee on Truancy, Local School Boards of Manhattan, urging that the Budget request of the Board of Education for the proper and complete establishment of the new Bureau of Attendance, be granted.

Communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, protesting against the proposed reduction of the salary of Anthony G. Hollis, Clerk in the Bureau of Gas and Electricity, from \$2,400 to \$2,100 per annum.

Communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, protesting against the elimination in the proposed Budget for 1915, of provision for three Wiremen now serving in the Bureau of Gas and Electricity at \$4.80 per day each, and requesting that their employment be continued at least until April or May 1, 1915.

Communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, calling attention to the omission in the Tentative Budget of provision for the position of Cashier in The Bronx, and requesting that the salary of this position be fixed at \$1,800 per annum, instead of \$2,500 as heretofore.

Communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply Gas and Electricity, requesting that the salary of Robert L. Albert, Clerk in the office of the Borough Engineer, Richmond (Code No. 2156TCW), be continued at \$1,500.

Petition of numerous citizens, rent payers and tax payers of the Greater Ridgewood section, Borough of Queens, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to grant an appropriation in order that the present milk station located in the Ridgewood Times Building, Myrtle Avenue and Cypress Avenue, may be taken over permanently by the Board of Health.

Communication, dated October 26, 1914, from John J. Kenny, requesting that the conditions existing in the Building Bureau of the Department of Education be investigated before the Budget is adopted.

Memorandum submitted by Valentine T. Rybicki, representing Machinists employed by The City, relative to the proposed appropriation for the Bureau of Mechanical Engineering in the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Communications from Rose Polokoff and Vivian Rinolls, requesting an appropriation for the continuance of evening recreation centers.

Petition of J. M. Evans and nine others, that the sum of \$30,000 be appropriated to the Department of Health for the purpose of abolishing mosquito-breeding places along Jamaica Bay, Sheepshead Bay and adjacent swamp lands.

Resolution adopted on October 20, 1914, by the General and Women's Committee of the Staten Island Civic League, protesting against the reduction of the appropriation for the maintenance of social centers under the Department of Education, below the figures of the appropriation for 1914.

Which communications, etc., were referred to the Committee on Tax Budget.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet Friday, October 30, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.



**Minutes of Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Held in Room 16, City Hall, Friday, October 30, 1914.**

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; George McAneny, President, Board of Aldermen; Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan; Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx; James A. Dayton, Acting President, Borough of Queens, and Charles J. McCormack, President, Borough of Richmond.

The Mayor, Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, presided.

**Approval of Minutes (Cal. No. 1).**

The Minutes of the meeting held October 16, 1914, were approved as printed in the CITY RECORD October 28, 1914.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS.****On Franchises.****Kings County Refrigerating Company (Cal. No. 2).**

The public hearing was opened on the form of contract for the grant of a franchise to the Kings County Refrigerating Company to construct, maintain and operate conduits along certain streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of supplying refrigeration to consumers in the Wallabout Market and the streets immediately adjacent thereto, and for the consent of this Board to the surrender and cancellation of a certain contract dated August 13, 1907, by and between the City and the Company, granting said Company a franchise to construct, maintain and operate conduits in and along certain streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The hearing was fixed for this day by resolution adopted October 2, 1914 (Cal. No. 3).

Affidavits of publication were received from the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle," the "Evening Post" and the CITY RECORD.

No one appeared in opposition to the proposed grant. George Dressler, President Wallabout Market Merchants' Association, appeared in favor. No one else desiring to be heard, the chair declared the hearing closed.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Kings County Refrigerating Company the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows to wit:

This Contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of 1914, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Kings County Refrigerating Company (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

Whereas, By contract dated August 13, 1907, by and between The City of New York and the Kings County Refrigerating Company, that Company was granted a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a conduit along certain streets in the Borough of Brooklyn for the purpose of supplying refrigeration to consumers located in such streets and in the lands of the Wallabout Market; and

Whereas, The Company, pursuant to said contract, deposited with the Comptroller of the City the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) as security for the performance of the terms and conditions of said contract; and

Whereas, The said Company has exercised its rights under the franchise so granted up to the present time; and

Whereas, The Company under date of July 25, 1914, applied to the Board for its consent to the surrender and cancellation of said franchise and for the grant of a franchise in substitution therefor:

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree, as follows:

Section 1. The said contract dated August 13, 1907, is hereby declared by the parties hereto to be null and void and of no effect as of November 1, 1914, and the City, upon the payment to it of all compensation up to November 1, 1914, at the rate fixed by said contract, regardless of the date when such payments are due and payable as provided in said contract, shall surrender and deliver to the Company the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), deposited as security under the said contract.

The grant herein contained, with the conditions thereof, shall in all respects be substituted for and take the place of all the rights and privileges granted by said contract of August 13, 1907, and the Company agrees to release and hereby does release to the City any and all rights acquired by the Company under said contract.

Section 2. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate certain pipes and conduits with the necessary branches and extensions therefrom, leading directly into private property and into property of the City in Wallabout Market for the sole purpose of supplying refrigeration to consumers. Provided that such conduits shall not be of greater size or dimension than shall be necessary to contain therein not more than two (2) pipes of an inside diameter not to exceed six (6) inches each, and the necessary insulation or covering for such pipes. Such pipes and conduits to be constructed and operated only beneath the surface of such of the streets, avenues and highways situate within the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, as are included within the districts bounded and described as follows:

**District Number 1.**

Bounded on the north by a line beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the center line of Clinton Avenue with the northerly boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands; thence along the said northerly boundary line of said Wallabout Market lands to the westerly line of Fleeman Avenue; thence along said westerly line of Fleeman Avenue to a point opposite the center line of C Street; thence along the center line of C Street to the center line of Washington Avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Washington Avenue, again intersecting the center line of C Street; thence along the center line of C Street and a prolongation thereof to the easterly boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands;

Bounded on the east by the easterly boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands;

Bounded on the south by a line beginning at the intersection of Flushing Avenue with a prolongation of the easterly boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands; thence along the center line of Flushing Avenue to a point opposite Block Number 1876; thence southerly across Flushing Avenue and into said Block Number 1876; thence westerly to the center line of Hall Street; said line within Block Number 1876 following lot lines and including in District Number 1 Lots Numbers 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25; thence along the center line of Hall Street to a point opposite the property of the Kings County Refrigerating Company; thence by an irregular line through Block Number 1875 to the center line of Washington Avenue, including in District Number 1 Lots Numbers 10, 14, 21, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 35 and 38 of Block Number 1875; thence southerly along the center line of Washington Avenue to a point opposite the southerly boundary line of Lot Number 41 of Block Number 1874; thence westerly across Washington Avenue and along said southerly line of Lot Number 41 to the westerly boundary line of said Lot Number 41; thence northerly in Block Number 1874 to the northerly line of said block and across Flushing Avenue to the center line thereof, including in District Number 1 Lots Numbers 30, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and a portion of Lot 20 in Block Number 1874; thence along said center line of Flushing Avenue to its intersection with the center line of Clinton Avenue.

Bounded on the west by the center line of Clinton Avenue and the westerly boundary line of the lands of Wallabout Market.

The block and lot numbers referred to above are those shown on the tax maps of the City.

Provided, however, that upon written application to the Board by the Company, the Board may, by resolution, extend the lines of District Number 1 hereinabove described to, all or any part of a district bounded and described as follows:

**District Number 2.**

Bounded on the north by the boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands. Bounded on the east by the boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands and the center line of Ryerson Street.

Bounded on the south by the center line of Park Avenue and the center line of Flushing Avenue.

Bounded on the west by the center line of Waverly Avenue, the center line of Clinton Avenue and the westerly boundary line of the Wallabout Market lands.

Both of which districts being more particularly shown—District Number 1 by full red lines, and District Number 2 by dashed red lines—on a map entitled:

"Map showing districts applied for by the Kings County Refrigerating Company Brooklyn, N. Y. to accompany petition dated July 25, 1914, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York."

—signed by P. M. Sayford, Treasurer, a copy of which is hereto annexed and made a part of this contract.

Should District Number 1 be extended as hereinbefore provided, then the terms and conditions of this contract shall apply to such extended district; provided that the Company shall without further consent of the Board and at the present time have the right and hereby agrees to construct, maintain and operate in and through District Number 2 such conduits and pipes as may be necessary to supply with refrigeration the premises of the Steel Drake Baking Company, known as Nos. 42-43-44-45-159-160 and 162 Wallabout Market, and to supply such premises. The Company shall also have the right to supply such other applicants as may have premises abutting on streets in which said conduits and pipes may be laid for the purpose of supplying said premises of the Steel Drake Baking Company.

Section 3. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—That said right to construct, maintain and operate said pipes and conduits shall be held and enjoyed by the Company for the term of fifteen (15) years from November 1, 1914, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of ten (10) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege. Such right and privilege to be valued as if the Company had not exercised the same for the said period of fifteen (15) years, and no allowance shall be made to the Company in such valuation by reason of such exercise.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two (2) years and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding ten (10) years shall be reasonable and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, but in no case shall the annual rate so fixed be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three (3) months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuation so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall in any event be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of the original term of this contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company each paying one-half thereof.

Second—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money:

(a) The sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) in cash within one (1) month after the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

(b) During the first term of five years an annual sum which shall be equal to two (2) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than five hundred dollars (\$500).

During the second term of five years, an annual sum which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than five hundred dollars (\$500).

During the third term of five years, an annual sum which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than seven hundred dollars (\$700).

The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be the total receipts from all business of furnishing refrigeration to consumers.

(c) In addition to the above payments the Company shall pay to the City:

An annual payment of ten cents (\$0.10) for each linear foot of pipe (where separately constructed) or conduit constructed within the limits of any street, avenue, highway or other property belonging to the City, excepting, however, such pipes or conduits as are constructed within the vault space or vault spaces of any building or buildings used or occupied exclusively by the Company for the purpose of its business.

An annual payment of two dollars (\$2) for each manhole constructed within the limits of any street, avenue, highway or other property belonging to the City.

The annual charges shall commence from November 1, 1914.

All annual charges as above shall be paid into the Treasury of the City on February 1 of each year and shall be for the amount due to December 31 next preceding. Provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between November 1, 1914, and December 31, 1914, shall bear to the whole of one year.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Third—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract (whether original or renewal), notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company providing for payments for refrigerating rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sub-lease of the rights or privileges hereby granted (whether original or renewal), or of any part thereof, or of any of the streets and avenues mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sub-lease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all conditions of this contract, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fourth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual, firm or other corporation a similar right or



privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions, over the same streets and avenues, or within the districts hereinbefore described.

Fifth—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything therein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Sixth—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination or forfeiture of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the pipes, conduits and appurtenances of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets, avenues or other property of the City, shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at the termination of this contract as above, the Board shall so order by resolution, the Company shall, upon thirty (30) days' notice from the Board, remove any and all of its pipes, conduits and appurtenances constructed pursuant to this contract and the said streets, avenues or other property of the City, shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Should the Company at any time discontinue the use of any pipes or conduits at any time constructed or used by it within either of the districts specified in this contract, the Company shall, at its own expense, immediately on such discontinuance remove such pipes or conduits from the streets and restore the surface of the streets to its original condition.

Seventh—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets and avenues in which the Company is hereby authorized to operate.

Eighth—All construction which shall be made under this grant shall be done in a manner solely upon the terms and conditions hereafter to be imposed by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, or their respective successors in authority. The said Company shall submit a working plan of construction to the said President and to the said Commissioner, which shall include and show in detail the method of construction of said pipes or conduits, connections, manholes and other appurtenances, and the mode of protection of all subsurface construction under the streets, avenues or other property of the City, in which the Company is hereby authorized to operate.

Ninth—Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage system, or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets, required on account of the construction or operation of the pipes or conduits of the Company, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Tenth—It is agreed that the right hereby granted shall not be in preference or in hindrance to public work of the City, and should the said pipes or conduits in any way interfere with the construction of public works in the streets, avenues or other property of the City, whether the same is done by the City directly or by a contractor for the City, the Company shall, at its own expense, protect or move the pipes, conduits and appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public work.

Eleventh—The Company shall bear the expense of keeping in repair for one year after it has been replaced, all pavement which may at any time be removed by said Company, either for the purpose of construction or for the repairing of the pipes or conduits and the appurtenances thereof.

Twelfth—The Company shall bear the expense of inspection which may be required by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and of all work of construction.

Thirteenth—The Company shall cause a test to be made of the pipes hereby authorized whether laid within conduits or separately whenever required by and under the supervision of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The conditions of such test shall be as follows:

- (a) If the test be made in the foundry where the pipes are manufactured, such pipes shall be subjected to a pressure of three hundred (300) pounds per square inch.
- (b) If the test be made in the field, of pipes in use or ready for use, such pipes shall be subjected to a pressure of two hundred (200) pounds per square inch.

A certificate showing that such a test has been made without injury to the pipes shall be executed by an officer of the Company, and indorsed by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and filed with the Board.

Fourteenth—The Company shall not charge consumers more than the following rates for refrigeration to be furnished to boxes properly insulated at a temperature not lower than 32 degrees Fahrenheit:

- Four (4) cents per month per cubic foot for boxes of not over 500 cubic feet.
- Two (2) cents per month per cubic foot for boxes of over 500 cubic feet, but less than 1,500 cubic feet.
- One (1) cent per month per cubic foot for boxes of 1,500 cubic feet and over.

These rates shall not apply to boxes located above the first floor of any building.

During the term of this contract the Board shall have absolute power to regulate the minimum and maximum rates, provided that such rates shall be reasonable and fair.

Fifteenth—The Company, upon the application for refrigeration of any person, firm or corporation whose premises are located within District Number 1, or if such district be extended as hereinbefore provided, then within such extended district, shall extend its pipes or conduits to such premises and furnish to said applicant refrigeration at the rates herein prescribed or at such rates as may be hereafter fixed by the Board as herein provided. The Company shall not be required, however, to furnish refrigeration to applicants whose premises are located above the first floor of any building.

Nothing contained in this subdivision shall affect the obligations of the Company, as hereinbefore contained, to extend its conduits and pipes outside the present boundaries of District Number 1, so as to furnish refrigeration to the premises of the Steel-Drake Baking Company, known as 42, 43, 44, 45, 159, 160 and 162 Wallabout Market.

Sixteenth—A correct map shall be furnished to the Board by the Company on the first day of February, 1915, showing the exact location of all pipes, conduits and manholes constructed, with reference to the street lines, the curb lines and the street surface, together with a statement of the total length of such pipes and conduits. On the same date of each succeeding year, during the term of this contract, a supplementary map shall be furnished the Board showing all pipes and conduits laid during the preceding year.

Seventeenth—The pipes and conduits hereby authorized shall be used only by the Kings County Refrigerating Company, and for no other purpose than supplying refrigeration.

Eighteenth—The Company shall submit a report to the Board not later than February 1, in each year, for the year ending December 31 next preceding, and at any other time, upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued; for cash; for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year.
11. Number of feet of pipe and conduit now laid.
12. The total amount expended for same.
13. Amount, kind and capacity of machinery now in use and required for operation.
14. The total amount expended for same.
15. Quantity of refrigeration produced during the year and the average price received for same.
16. Quantity used in Company's own warehouses.
17. Quantity furnished to outside consumers.

18. Number and location of warehouses occupied by the Company, exclusively or in part, and the extent of such occupation by the Company.

19. Number of outside consumers supplied.

20. Amounts paid by Company for damages to persons or property on account of construction and operation.

21. Total expenses of operation, including salaries.

—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Nineteenth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross receipts from the privileges granted under this contract, and on or before February 1 in each year shall make a verified report to the Comptroller of The City of New York of the business done by the Company for the year ending December 31 next preceding, in such form as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain the number of feet of pipe and conduit laid and the number of manholes constructed during the year, and also a statement of the gross receipts from all business of furnishing refrigeration to consumers, together with such other information and in such detail as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Twentieth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained or with any orders of the Board acting under the powers herein reserved, the franchise or consent herein granted may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel on notice of ten days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the pipes and conduits constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith. Any false entry in the books of the Company or false statement in the reports to the Comptroller as to a material fact knowingly made by the Company shall constitute such a violation or breach or failure to comply with the provisions herein contained as to warrant the forfeiture of the franchise.

Twenty-first—If the Company shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its pipes, conduits and appurtenances as herein provided in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board in case such pipes, conduits or appurtenances which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided for.

Twenty-second—The Company shall assume all liability for damages to persons or property occasioned by reason of the construction or operation of the pipes or conduits authorized by this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Twenty-third—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all of the terms and conditions of this contract and compliance with all orders of the Board, acting under the powers herein reserved, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the rendering of efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, the repairs of the street pavement and the maintenance of the property in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions, or compliance with such orders, or either or any of them, the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company; or in case of failure to observe the said terms and conditions of this contract, or its neglect or refusal to comply with any notice or direction of the Board, or other municipal officials, given or made pursuant to the terms of the contract, or under the authority of any laws or ordinances now or hereafter in force in such case and in any of these events, the Company shall pay to the City a penalty of one hundred dollars (\$100) for each violation, which sums may be deducted from said fund.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows:

The Board, on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or after a hearing appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, said Board shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to the Board to be just, and without legal procedure direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of five hundred dollars (\$500), and in default thereof this contract shall be canceled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City. These provisions for the recovery of penalties are in addition to the right to forfeit the franchise conferred by Section 3, Twentieth, of this contract.

Twenty-fourth—The grant of this franchise, so far as it shall affect the Wallabout Market lands, is and shall be subject to such further conditions, restrictions, agreement or consent as the Comptroller may see fit to impose or require, pursuant to the authority and control over the lands of the Wallabout Market vested in him by the Charter of the City.

Twenty-fifth—The words "notice" or "direction," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Twenty-sixth—The words "streets or avenues" and "streets and avenues," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean "streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, concourses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement," included in the districts hereinabove described, and under the surface of, or in which authority is hereby given to the Company to construct or maintain its pipes or conduits.

Twenty-seventh—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned or intended to be mentioned shall be transferred by law to any other Board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other Board, authority, officer or officers shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Section 4. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused



the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed; and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, By ..... Mayor.  
(Corporate Seal.)  
Attest: ..... City Clerk.  
KINGS COUNTY REFRIGERATING COMPANY, By .....  
President.  
(Seal.)  
Attest: ..... Treasurer.  
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Wires on White Plains Road and on Gun Hill Road, Borough of the Bronx (Cal. No. 3).

The public hearing was opened, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 525 and 527 of the Greater New York Charter, of all persons interested, in order that this Board may determine whether, in its opinion, the electrical conductors in White Plains Road between Gun Hill Road and 242d Street, and in Gun Hill Road between Webster Avenue and the Boston Post Road, shall be placed underground.

(At the meeting of October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 3), the hearing was continued until this day and the matter referred to the President of the Borough of The Bronx.) Edward P. Doyle appeared on behalf of the New York Edison Company.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 26, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—In connection with the request of the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the removal of the overhead wires and poles on White Plains Road from Gun Hill Road to 242nd Street, later amended so as to include Gun Hill Road, this Bureau submitted to the Corporation Counsel several forms of resolutions which it prepared for the purpose of submitting the same to the Board in order that the Board might register its conclusions at the close of the hearing, which was fixed for October 16, 1914. When the matter came up, however, it was referred to the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Since the making of the calendar for the meeting of October 16, this Bureau has had referred to it a communication of the Corporation Counsel suggesting the amendment of the forms of resolutions submitted to him in certain particulars. Among other amendments that he desired is a recital to the effect that the grade of the streets, avenues and highways which are the subject of this proceeding have been finally determined and established. In view of the necessity for inserting this, the question as to the establishment of these grades was investigated, and it was ascertained in the Bureau of Public Improvements of the Board that such final establishment had been had.

In order that the Board, when it comes to a conclusion on this matter, may have before it the means by which it may record its conclusions, I beg to submit herewith the four forms of resolutions as drafted with the amendments requested by the Corporation Counsel. These forms provide as follows:

1. For the removal of the overhead wires on both White Plains Road and Gun Hill Road.
2. For the removal of the overhead wires on White Plains Road only.
3. For the removal of the overhead wires on Gun Hill Road only.
4. The denial of the request on both avenues.

These forms are submitted merely to anticipate the conclusion that the Board may arrive at, at some future date, after the President of the Borough of The Bronx shall have reported back. Respectfully,

JOHN A. McCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx reported he had held hearings, but had not had an opportunity to look over the testimony, and at his request the hearing was continued until November 27, 1914.

#### Brooklyn City Railroad Company (Cal. No. 4).

The public hearing was opened on the application of the Brooklyn City Railroad Company for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railway upon and along Fresh Pond Road from the tracks of the so-called Lutheran Cemetery Line of said Company, to and connecting with the tracks of said Company on Myrtle Avenue, Borough of Queens.

The hearing was fixed for this day by resolution adopted October 2, 1914 (Cal. No. 56).

Affidavits of publication were received from the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle," the "New York Tribune" and the City Record.

No one appeared in opposition to or in favor of the proposed grant and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The matter was then referred back to the Bureau of Franchises.

#### REPORTS.

##### From Standing Committees.

##### Committee on Salaries and Grades.

#### Board of Estimate and Apportionment; Mayor's Commission on Pensions—Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 5).

The Secretary presented a communication dated September 17, 1914, from the Commission on Pensions requesting that provision be made for the payment of a Statistician with Special Knowledge of Economics, at \$2,000 per annum, and the substitution of a Clerk at \$900 for one at \$1,200 per annum; and the following report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, October 22, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 17, 1914, the Committee on Pensions requested an amendment to the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing expenditures from the Board's contingency account, to provide funds for the payment of a Statistician with special knowledge of economics, at the yearly rate of \$2,000, and for the substitution of a Clerk, at \$900, for one authorized at \$1,200.

It is desired to compensate Dr. Blakey at the rate of \$2,000 per annum from August 1, 1914. Dr. Blakey has been rendering his services gratuitously to the Committee since the latter part of June. Because of Dr. Blakey's knowledge of economics his work is regarded as of great value to the Committee, and his retention on a paid basis is therefore requested. The title of Pension Expert, already in use by the Commission, would be more appropriate than the one proposed, and a compensation at the rate of \$2,040 would be in line with standard rates.

The change of a Clerk, at \$1,200, to \$900, is requested in order to enable the Committee to promote a second grade Clerk, whose services are considered to be as satisfactory as would be those of a new Clerk at \$1,200.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request, with the change in title and compensation as stated above.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; GEORGE MCANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedule, as revised, under 45TC, Contingencies, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be effective as of August 1, 1914, as follows:

45TC Contingencies—	
General .....	\$53,887 28
Bureau of Records:	
Salaries, Regular Employees—	
Stenographer (male) .....	\$1,800 00
Typewriting Copyist (male), 2 at \$900.....	1,800 00

Telephone Operator .....	750 00	
Clerk .....	300 00	
Annual rate .....	\$4,650 00	2,800 00
Bureau of Contract Supervision:		
Salaries, Regular Employees—		
Examiner, 2 at \$3,000.....	\$6,000 00	
Expert Accountant .....	3,000 00	
Examiner .....	1,800 00	
Clerk .....	1,950 00	
Clerk .....	1,200 00	
Clerk .....	750 00	
Clerk, 2 at \$480.....	960 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter, 3 at \$900.....	2,700 00	
Photographer .....	1,200 00	
Electrical Engineer .....	4,000 00	
Assistant Engineer .....	5,000 00	
Assistant Engineer, 2 at \$4,500.....	9,000 00	
Assistant Engineer, 2 at \$2,400.....	4,800 00	
Assistant Engineer .....	2,100 00	
Mechanical Engineer .....	2,400 00	
Engineer Inspector, 2 at \$1,800.....	3,600 00	
Inspector .....	1,650 00	
Draftsman .....	1,650 00	
Annual rate .....	\$53,760 00	40,000 00

Bureau of Standards:		
Salaries, Regular Employees—		
Expert Accountant .....	\$4,000 00	
Expert Accountant .....	3,500 00	
Examiner .....	3,000 00	
Examiner .....	2,100 00	
Examining Inspector, Purchase and Supplies .....	1,800 00	
Salary and Grade Examiner, 2 at \$3,000.....	6,000 00	
Salary and Grade Examiner, 3 at \$2,400.....	7,200 00	
Salary and Grade Examiner, 2 at \$2,100.....	4,200 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$900.....	1,800 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$750.....	1,500 00	
Typewriting Copyist .....	750 00	
Clerk .....	900 00	
Clerk .....	480 00	
Clerk .....	300 00	
Draftsman, 3 at \$1,350.....	4,050 00	
Draftsman, 5 at \$1,200.....	6,000 00	
Chemist, 6 at \$1,800.....	10,800 00	
Balance Unassigned .....	600 00	
Annual rate .....	\$58,980 00	40,250 00

Bureau of Standards:		
Wages, Temporary Employees—		
Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$10 per day (406 days).....	\$4,060 00	
Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$8 per day (501 days).....	4,008 00	
Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$6 per day (242 days) .....	1,452 00	
Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$5 per day (38 days) .....	190 00	
Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$4 per day (161 days) .....	644 00	
Clerk, at \$300 per annum (1 month).....	25 00	
Mechanical Draftsman, at \$1,200 per annum (6 months 5 days) .....	614 00	
Architectural Draftsman, at \$1,200 per annum (9 months 15 days) .....	948 39	
Multigraph Operator, at \$3 per day (59 days).....	177 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$3 per day (30 days) .....	90 00	
Annual rate .....	\$12,208 39	12,090 39

Committee on Taxation:		
Executive Secretary, 7 months, at yearly rate of.....	\$4,000 00	
Stenographer and Clerk, 7 months at yearly rate of.....	1,500 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter, 7 months at yearly rate of .....	900 00	
Clerk, 7 months at yearly rate of.....	300 00	
Experts and traveling expenses thereof.....	7,500 00	
Contingencies and general expenses.....	2,000 00	
Annual rate .....	\$16,200 00	13,408 33

Pension Commission:		
Pension Expert at per annum rate.....	\$3,600 00	
Pension Expert at per annum rate.....	2,040 00	
Actuary at per annum rate.....	3,600 00	
Actuarial Clerk at per annum rate.....	1,500 00	
Structural Steel Draftsmen, 3 at \$1,500 at per annum rate .....	4,500 00	
Stenographer and Tabulator at per annum rate....	1,800 00	
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at \$900 at per annum rate .....	2,700 00	
Clerk, at per annum rate.....	900 00	
Tabulating Machine Operators, 3 at \$900 at per annum rate .....	2,700 00	
Clerks, Card Indexers, 2 at \$900 at per annum rate..	1,800 00	
Clerk, Card Indexer, 1 at \$720 at per annum rate...	720 00	
Clerks, 41 at \$600 at per annum rate.....	24,600 00	
Tabulating Machine Operators, 10 at \$600 at per annum rate .....	6,000 00	
Clerk, 1 at \$300 at per annum rate.....	300 00	
Annual rate .....	\$56,760 00	11,766 67
Balance Unassigned .....	10,740 00	
	\$67,500 00	

Equipment and Expense .....	4,866 07	
Mayor's Committee on Food Supply:		
Miscellaneous Expenses .....	\$500 00	500 00
		\$179,569 74

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Establishment of Grade of Position of Draftsman (Cal. No. 6).

(On June 26, 1914 (Cal. No. 31), the position of Draftsman was established at \$1,500 per annum on the recommendation of the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 73), the request of the Committee on City Plan for the establishment of the position at \$1,350 per annum, in substitution for the grade at \$1,500 per annum, theretofore established, was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 5, 1914, from the Committee on City Plan requesting the establishment of the grade of position of draftsman at \$1,350 per annum; and the following report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades recommending approval thereof:



City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, October 19, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On October 5, 1914, the Committee on City Plan requested the establishment for its office of the grade of position of Draftsman at \$1,350, for one incumbent. On October 9, 1914, the request was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon, under date of October 14, as follows:

"At the time of the organization of the office of the Committee on City Plan, certain positions deemed necessary for the office were established in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter. Among these was a position of Draftsman, at \$1,500. The Committee has temporarily secured the services of a Draftsman at \$1,350, who performs the duties of the position in a satisfactory manner. It is desired to engage him permanently at his present rate of pay."

In view of the foregoing statement we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

The following resolution was offered:

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, for the office of the Committee on City Plan of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Draftsman.....	\$1,350 00	1

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**President, Borough of Queens—Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 7).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated September 21, 1914, from the President of the Borough of Queens requesting modification of schedule for 1914; and the following report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, October 19, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Under date of September 21, 1914, the President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of a 1914 Wage Schedule in his office. On September 29, 1914, the matter was referred to this committee. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon as follows:

"In Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees, Care of Highways, No. 674TS, Roadways, Viaducts and Streets, Tax Levy and Special and Trust Fund Force, the line 'Stone Mason at \$4.50 per day' is reduced by 96 days; and the line 'Bricklayer at \$6 per day' is increased by 72 days. The Borough President of Queens states that he has more need of the services of a bricklayer than he has for those of a stone mason by reason of brick binder work to be done. No increase in compensation is involved."

In view of the above report we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedule, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, to be effective as of October 1, 1914, as follows:

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.		
Wages, Temporary Employees, Care of Highways.		
674TS Roadways, Viaducts and Streets, Tax Levy and Special and Trust Fund Force—		
Foreman at \$4 per day (6,571 days).....	\$26,284 00	
Assistant Foreman at \$3.25 per day (8,071 days).....	26,230 75	
Mechanic's Helper at \$3 per day (324 days).....	972 00	
Ship Carpenter at \$4.50 per day (415 days).....	1,867 50	
Carpenter at \$4.50 per day (521 days).....	2,344 50	
Steam Roller Engineer at \$4.75 per day (2,706 days).....	12,853 50	
Stone Mason at \$4.50 per day (329 days).....	1,480 50	
Flagger at \$3 per day (83 days).....	249 00	
Flagger at \$4.50 per day (192 days).....	864 00	
Paver at \$5 per day (4,025 days).....	20,125 00	
Rammer at \$4 per day (2,050 days).....	8,200 00	
Laborer at \$4 per day (303 days).....	1,212 00	
Laborer at \$3.50 per day (5,374 days).....	18,809 00	
Laborer at \$3 per day (7,587 days).....	22,761 00	
Laborer at \$2.50 per day (93,714 days).....	234,285 00	
Blacksmith at \$4 per day (556 days).....	2,224 00	
Blacksmith's Helper at \$3 per day (278 days).....	834 00	
Striper at \$3.50 per day (278 days).....	973 00	
Bricklayer at \$6 per day (296 days).....	1,776 00	
	\$384,344 75	
Tax levy allowance.....	\$359,594 75	
Special and Trust Fund allowance.....	24,750 00	
Total allowance .....	\$384,344 75	

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**Department of Education—Establishment of Grade of Position of Batteryman (Electrician) (Cal. No. 8).**

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 74), the resolution of the Board of Education, in this matter, was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 1, 1914, from the Secretary to the Board of Education transmitting resolutions adopted by said Board on September 30, 1914, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Batteryman (electrician), at \$4.80 per diem; and the following report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, October 6, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 30, 1914, the Board of Education requested establishment of the grade of position of batteryman at \$4.80 per day for two incumbents. In connection therewith we report as follows:

On May 8th your Board adopted a resolution requesting heads of City departments to pay employees having the title of electrician, wireman (electrician) and lineman (electrician) compensation at the rate of \$4.80 per day, beginning April 1, 1914. The intent of the resolution mentioned was to equalize the rate of wages paid to the foregoing employees in accordance with the prevailing rate of compensation paid to electricians.

In reference to this resolution the Superintendent of School Buildings of the Department of Education states that there are two persons in his employ having the title of batteryman who are in fact electricians and are performing the same work as those specifically mentioned in the resolution hereinabove referred to. They, too, should have their wages increased to \$4.80 per day.

To allow the payment to the batteryman in the Department of Education at the

rate of \$4.80, it is necessary to have the grade of position established pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

We recommend that the request be granted by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

The following resolution was offered:

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 Education of grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Day.	Number of Incumbents.
Batteryman (electrician).....	\$4 80	2

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**From Select and Special Committees.**

**Jamaica Avenue, from Myrtle Avenue to Metropolitan Avenue, Borough of Queens—Acquiring Title to Property Required for Widening (Cal. No. 9).**

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 66), the communication of the Public Service Commission in this matter was referred to the President of the Borough of Queens and the Chief Engineer of the Board.)

The Secretary presented the following reports from the President of the Borough of Queens and the Chief Engineer of the Board:

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, October 27, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Manhattan:

Gentlemen—On the 9th day of October, 1914, there was referred to the Chief Engineer and the President of the Borough of Queens a communication of the Public Service Commission regarding the proposed construction on Jamaica Avenue between the Brooklyn and Queens Borough line and Grand Avenue, Jamaica, of an elevated extension of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit system, and the necessity of securing a final decision regarding the ultimate width of said avenue now shown upon a tentative and special final map of the City at a width of 100 feet, whereas it exists now at irregular widths, varying from 60 to 70 feet. The proposed widening being, for economical reasons, irregular and not equally on both sides of the avenue, it is necessary now to determine the future treatment of this avenue in order that the elevated rapid transit structure may be located centrally as regards the side of said street.

Upon October 14, 1914, a public hearing was held in the Jamaica Town Hall before the Borough President of Queens and the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, that the sentiment of the property owners along the line of the proposed widening might be obtained. The sentiment expressed at this meeting was unanimously against the proposed widening, the objections raised being mainly as follows:

First—That Jamaica Avenue, from the Brooklyn Borough line to Myrtle Avenue, is shown upon the final maps, previously adopted, as holding to the existing lines at a width of 66 feet.

Second—That approximately 81 buildings will be partially or totally damaged—of which number 20 are brick, 18 brick-lined, and 43 of frame construction.

Third—That in nearly every case where the widening takes place the lots fronting upon Jamaica Avenue will be materially shortened in depth, which will no doubt result in a large consequential award for damage to these property owners.

Fourth—Due to the practically unanimous objection to this widening by the property owners directly interested, it is believed that even if this proceeding were initiated it could never be confirmed, as Section 986 of the Charter provides that "upon the hearing of the application for the confirmation of the Commissioners' report, if title to said lands shall not have been theretofore vested in The City of New York \* \* \* if persons who appear by the said reports to be interested either by assessment for benefit, or award for damages, to the amount of a majority in amount of the whole assessments and awards, shall appear and object to further proceedings upon the said reports, the court shall order the proceeding to be discontinued."

Therefore, in view of the facts hereinbefore recited, I believe that the widening of Jamaica Avenue is impracticable, and I desire to report that, in my opinion, the lines of Jamaica Avenue, as now shown upon the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, should be changed to agree with the lines existing upon the ground.

Respectfully,

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

Report No. 14107.

October 28th, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York:

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 9th, a communication from the Secretary of the Public Service Commission relative to the physical widening of Jamaica Avenue in connection with the construction of an elevated transit line from Crescent Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Jamaica, was referred to the President of the Borough of Queens and to the Chief Engineer of the Board.

The President of the Borough of Queens has, under date of October 27th, submitted a report to the Board in which he has referred to a public hearing held by him and myself in the Jamaica town hall, to the unanimity of opposition on the part of those present to the widening of Jamaica Avenue, and to the provisions of section 986 of the Charter which would make it impossible to secure the confirmation of a report of commissioners of estimate and assessment in a title proceeding if the owners of property representing a majority in amount of the assessments and awards shall object. He concludes his report with the statement that, in view of the facts which he has recited, the widening of Jamaica Avenue to lines already laid down upon the city map is impracticable and that the map or plan of the Borough of Queens should be so changed as to make the lines of Jamaica Avenue conform with those now existing upon the ground.

My understanding of the facts agrees in all respects with the statement of the President of the Borough of Queens and I realize, as he does, that in view of the strong opposition to any widening of Jamaica Avenue it would be impossible to sustain an opening proceeding. The Board has had a demonstration of the futility of trying to do so in the case of Ridgewood Avenue, where the laying out and acquisition of what would be a most important street, eighty feet in width, had to be abandoned on account of this opposition.

I wish, however, to supplement the report of the Borough President by calling the attention of the Board to the lack of progress made in developing a comprehensive plan for the Borough of Queens owing to the long delay between the tentative and final mapping of streets which are designed to be important traffic arteries and the initiation of proceedings to acquire title to such streets. During this interval buildings are likely to be erected within the proposed lines of the streets which would enormously increase the cost of their acquisition. In reports submitted to the Board by me, from time to time, I have urged that special final maps should be prepared for what will undoubtedly become the arterial streets of the Borough of Queens or other portions of the city which are yet undeveloped, including in these new streets the existing highways, widened and straightened as may be necessary, and that title proceedings should be promptly begun and the land necessary for such streets should be acquired before additional buildings are erected and before the land values are increased. When such final mapping and title proceedings are deferred it becomes increasingly difficult to provide such arteries as are obviously necessary for the proper development of the large areas in the outlying boroughs. Very large sums have been expended, first in preparing final maps and then in making damage maps, all of which are lost if the proceedings have to be abandoned owing to violent opposition on the part of the property owners.

When the Board authorized the expenditure of very large sums for the improvement of the arterial highways of the Borough of Queens I urged that as a condition precedent to such appropriations the President of the Borough be required to submit



to the Board special maps fixing the future lines of these streets, giving them such width as their ultimate importance made obviously necessary and that the Board then institute opening proceedings. This policy was not followed and although considerably more than a million dollars has been expended on improving the old roads of the Borough of Queens, creating an admirable system of well paved thoroughfares, in no single instance have the future lines of these streets been fixed and the land necessary for them been acquired. The inevitable result will be that title proceedings and the regulating and grading of these streets, in accordance with lines adequate for the future, will be opposed because they have been so improved as to meet local needs for some years to come. Buildings will be erected along these important roads, which lead where people wish to go and will continue to wish to go, and which will be the logical skeleton plan for the street system of the borough. In the mapping which has lately been done these old roads have been straightened and given a proper width but unless they are acquired without much delay the history of Jamaica Avenue and Ridgewood Avenue and other streets in the Borough of Queens will be repeated.

I would therefore renew the recommendation that the President of the Borough of Queens be requested to prepare and submit to the Board as promptly as possible special final maps of the streets already tentatively mapped, which include these old highways, and that upon the adoption of such maps title proceedings be promptly instituted in order that the unfortunate fate which has overtaken some of the most important streets in the Borough of Queens may be obviated in the case of those along which the property has not yet been improved. I have been informed that in a number of these cases the abutting owners are prepared to cede to the city the land required.

There will undoubtedly be some cases where it will be necessary to establish large areas of benefit and even to place some of the cost upon the entire borough, and possibly, in the case of a few exceptionally wide streets, a small portion upon the city at large.

The course which is recommended is believed to be necessary to save the tentative plans which have been skillfully worked out from being wrecked through delay.

The above report will cover the protest of the Highbridge Taxpayers Association, dated August 26th, 1914, which was referred to the Chief Engineer at the meeting of the Board held on September 21st, and no further report upon that protest will be required. Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

Mr. John Adikes appeared in favor of the widening of Jamaica Avenue. On motion the reports of the President of the Borough of Queens and the Chief Engineer were approved. The Secretary was then directed to send copies of the reports to the Public Service Commission, and to request the President of the Borough of Queens to submit to the Board a map establishing the present lines of Jamaica Avenue.

#### From the Department of Finance.

##### President, Borough of Manhattan—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedules (Cal. No. 10).

The Secretary presented a report of the Comptroller, recommending the transfer of \$7,000 from Account No. 429 T. S. to Account No. 382 T. S. within the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the year 1914, and modification of schedules.

Which was laid over one week (November 6, 1914).

##### President, Borough of Queens—Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 11).

The Secretary presented a report of the Comptroller, recommending the modification of salary schedule 715TS for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the year 1914, to make the work program conform to present conditions, a change having been made in such program since the original budget appropriation was granted.

Which was withdrawn, the matter having been disposed of on October 23, 1914 (No. 94).

##### Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedules (Cal. No. 12).

The Secretary presented the following report of the Comptroller:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 27, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has notified this department that the allowance made for the year 1914, in Account No. 45TC, Contingencies, has become practically exhausted, and that if additional funds are not at once provided, the Board will be unable to meet the October payroll of several of its bureaus and committees.

The total allowance, October 26, 1914, including transfers, in Account No. 45TC, Contingencies, is \$172,298.52. Against this allowance there has been authorized allotments and expenditures amounting to \$266,628.67. This creates a deficit therein of \$94,330.15. To replenish this account sufficiently to provide for current payrolls chargeable thereto, it is recommended that funds to the extent of \$25,000 be transferred from Account No. 3041, Contract or Open Order Service, Light, Heat and Power, to Account No. 45TC, Contingencies.

An allowance of \$25,000 was made in the 1914 Budget, in Account No. 3041, for the purpose of providing power and light for the New Municipal Building when the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had decided which department was to have charge of the functions indicated. No vouchers or encumbrances have been incurred against Account No. 3041, and this allowance therefore remains intact and available for transfer.

The adoption of the attached resolutions approving the transfer and the schedules, as revised, is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provision of Section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves the transfer of funds appropriated for the year 1914, as follows:

FROM

MISCELLANEOUS.

Contract or Open Order Service.

3041 Light, Heat and Power—

For the purpose of providing current and light for the New Municipal Building, this account to be drawn on by either the President of the Borough of Manhattan or the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, when the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has decided as to who is to have charge of the above function

\$25,000 00

TO

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

45TC Contingencies—

Administration

\$25,000 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the schedules of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and of Miscellaneous for the year 1914, as follows:

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

45TC Contingencies—

General

\$78,887 28

Bureau of Records:

Salaries Regular Employees—

Stenographer (male)

\$1,800 00

Typewriting Copyist (male), 2 at \$900

1,800 00

Telephone Operator

750 00

Clerk

300 00

Annual rate \$4,650 00 2,800 00

##### Bureau of Contract Supervision:

Salaries Regular Employees—

Examiner, 2 at \$3,000

\$6,000 00

Expert Accountant

3,000 00

Examiner

1,800 00

Clerk

1,950 00

Clerk

1,200 00

Clerk

750 00

Clerk, 2 at \$480

960 00

Stenographer and Typewriter, 3 at \$900

2,700 00

Photographer

1,200 00

Electrical Engineer

4,000 00

Assistant Engineer

5,000 00

Assistant Engineer, 2 at \$4,500

9,000 00

Assistant Engineer, 2 at \$2,400

4,800 00

Assistant Engineer

2,100 00

Mechanical Engineer

2,400 00

Engineer Inspector, 2 at \$1,800

3,600 00

Inspector

1,650 00

Draftsman

1,650 00

Annual rate \$53,760 00 40,000 00

##### Bureau of Standards:

Salaries Regular Employees—

Expert Accountant

\$4,000 00

Expert Accountant

3,500 00

Examiner

3,000 00

Examiner

2,100 00

Examining Inspector, Purchase and Supplies

1,800 00

Salary and Grade Examiner, 2 at \$3,000

6,000 00

Salary and Grade Examiner, 3 at \$2,400

7,200 00

Salary and Grade Examiner, 2 at \$2,100

4,200 00

Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$900

1,800 00

Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$750

1,500 00

Typewriting Copyist

750 00

Clerk

900 00

Clerk

480 00

Clerk

300 00

Draftsman, 3 at \$1,350

4,050 00

Draftsman, 5 at \$1,200

6,000 00

Chemist, 6 at \$1,800

10,800 00

Balance Unassigned

600 00

Annual rate \$58,980 00 40,250 00

##### Bureau of Standards:

Wages Temporary Employees—

Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$10 per

day (406 days)

\$4,060 00

Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$8 per

day (501 days)

4,008 00

Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$6 per

day (242 days)

1,452 00

Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$5 per

day (38 days)

190 00

Assistant Salary Standardization Expert, at \$4 per

day (161 days)

644 00

Clerk, at \$300 per annum (1 month)

25 00

Mechanical Draftsman, at \$1,200 per annum (6

months 5 days)

614 00

Architectural Draftsman, at \$1,200 per annum (9

months 15 days)

948 39

Multigraph Operator, at \$3 per day (59 days)

177 00

Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$3 per day (30

days)

90 00

Annual rate \$12,208 39 12,090 39

##### Committee on Taxation:

Executive Secretary, 7 months, at yearly rate of

\$4,000 00

Stenographer and Clerk, 7 months at yearly rate of

1,500 00

Stenographer and Typewriter, 7 months at yearly

rate of

900 00

Clerk, 7 months at yearly rate of

300 00

Experts and traveling expenses thereof

7,500 00

Contingencies and general expenses

2,000 00

Annual rate \$16,200 00 13,408 33

##### Pension Commission:

Pension Expert at per annum rate

\$3,600 00

Pension Expert at per annum rate

2,040 00

Actuary at per annum rate

3,600 00

Actuarial Clerk at per annum rate

1,500 00

Structural Steel Draftsman, 3 at \$1,500 at per annum

rate

4,500 00

Stenographer and Tabulator at per annum rate

1,800 00

Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at \$900 at per an-

num rate

2,700 00

Clerk, at per annum rate

900 00

Tabulating Machine Operators, 3 at \$900 at per an-

num rate

2,700 00

Clerks, Card Indexers, 2 at \$900 at per annum rate

1,800 00

Clerk, Card Indexer, 1 at \$720 at per annum rate

720 00

Clerks, 41 at \$600 at per annum rate

24,600 00

Tabulating Machine Operators, 10 at \$600 at per

annum rate

6,000 00

Clerk, 1 at \$300 at per annum rate

300 00

Annual rate \$56,760 00 11,766 67

Balance Unassigned

10,740 00

\$67,500 00

Equipment and Expense 4,866 07

##### Mayor's Committee on Food Supply:

Miscellaneous expenses

\$500 00

500 00

\$204,569 74

##### MISCELLANEOUS.

3041 Light, Heat and Power—

For the purpose of providing current and light for the new Municipal Building, this account to be drawn on by either the President of the Borough of Manhattan or the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity when the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has decided as to who is to have charge of the above function

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

##### New York Public Library—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedules (Cal. No. 13).

The Secretary presented a communication dated September 3, 1914, from the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the New York Public Library requesting a transfer within the appropriation for said Library for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof, and modification of schedules:



City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, October 16, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 3, 1914, the Trustees of the New York Public Library requested transfer of \$600 within appropriations for the year 1914, as follows:

FROM	
Contract or Open Order Service.	
Transportation—	
1477 Storage of Motor Vehicles.....	\$150 00
1480 Carfare, Circulation of Books.....	350 00
Communication—	
1484 Circulation of Books.....	100 00
	\$600 00
TO	
Contract or Open Order Service.	
Transportation—	
1479 Carfare, Administration.....	\$200 00
1482 Expressage and Deliveries, Circulation of Books.....	400 00
	\$600 00

In Code 1477, \$150 is available because of the long open season for automobiles which diminishes the storage cost. In Code 1480, \$350 is available through a redistribution of the carfare account between Administration and Circulation of Books. In Code 1484 there is \$100 available on account of a 10 per cent. reduction of the telephone contract.

Of the \$600 thus available \$200 is to be used in Code 1479, Carfare, Administration. The original distribution of appropriation for Carfare between Administration and Circulation of Books does not meet existing conditions. The remaining \$400 is to be used to cover the exceptional expense incurred in moving books to branches opened in the spring.

Existing balances permit of the transfers.  
I recommend the adoption of the attached resolutions granting the request.  
Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller and Chairman, Committee on Education.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of Section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves transfer of funds appropriated to the New York Public Library for the year 1914, as follows:

FROM	
Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.	
1477 Storage of Motor Vehicles.....	\$150 00
1480 Carfare, Circulation of Books.....	350 00
Communication.	
1484 Circulation of Books.....	100 00
	\$600 00
TO	
Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.	
1479 Carfare, Administration.....	\$200 00
1482 Expressage and Deliveries, Circulation of Books.....	400 00
	\$600 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the schedules as modified for the New York Public Library, for the year 1914, as follows:

Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.	
1477 Storage of Motor Vehicles.....	\$620 00
1479 Carfare, Administration.....	595 00
1480 Carfare, Circulation of Books.....	880 00
1482 Expressage and Deliveries, Circulation of Books.....	2,510 00
Communication.	
1484 Circulation of Books.....	2,150 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedules (Cal. No. 14).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 9, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requesting a transfer within the appropriation for said Department for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof, and modification of schedules:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 23, 1914.  
To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—In a communication dated October 9, 1914, the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requested a transfer of \$1,200 within the appropriation made to that department for the year 1914 from Account No. 1305, Materials, Highway Materials, to Account No. 1309, Contract or Open Order Service, General Repairs.

The Commissioner of Parks contemplates spending approximately \$3,300 in repairing and enlarging the present wooden building in McCarren Park, now utilized as a tool house, comfort station and general work room for the school farm and playground children, and a further sum of approximately \$600 for repairs to the greenhouse in Prospect Park.

The Commissioner stated that the present structure is inadequate for the purposes for which it was constructed, especially so in view of the fact that the present activities will be greatly augmented next year and entirely new work pursued in reference to the instruction of public school children in agricultural subjects.

Plans have been perfected which contemplate the addition of two new wings and an extra story to the present building. This will provide class rooms for winter studies in agricultural subjects preparatory to spring planting.

Investigation made concerning the statements supporting this request indicates that the proposed changes are very necessary if the studies required to be maintained are to be successfully continued. A sufficient balance of funds remains in Account No. 1305 to permit the transfer of funds requested.

The adoption of the attached resolutions approving the proposed transfer and schedules, as revised, is hereby recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves transfer of funds appropriated to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1914, as follows:

FROM	
Materials.	
1305 Highway Materials.....	\$1,200 00
TO	
Contract or Open Order Service.	
1309 General Repairs.....	\$1,200 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of

the schedules as revised for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1914, as follows:

Materials.	
1305 Highway Materials.....	\$19,391 16
Contract or Open Order Service.	

1309 General Repairs..... 21,434 00  
Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 15).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 16, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, requesting modification of schedules involving a transfer within the appropriation for said Department for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 26, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In a communication dated October 16, 1914, the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, requested modification of the schedules supporting Accounts Nos. 1216 and 1217 for Personal Service, Wages Temporary Employees, Care of Parks and Boulevards and Care of Trees, for the year 1914. This modification involves a cash transfer of \$612.50 from Account No. 1216, Care of Parks and Boulevards, to Account No. 1217, Care of Trees in city streets.

In reference to the request for modification of the schedules in the accounts referred to, it is proposed that the lines which now read:

1216 Auto Lawnmower Engineer at \$3.50 per day (1,000 days).....	\$3,500 00
Steam Engineer at \$4.75 per day (600 days).....	2,850 00
1217 Engineman at \$3.50 per day (400 days).....	1,400 00
Total.....	\$7,750 00

—be changed to read as follows:	
1216 Auto Lawnmower Engineer at \$3.50 per day (645 days).....	\$2,257 50
Steam Engineer at \$4.75 per day (529 days).....	2,512 75
1216 Steam Roller Engineer at \$5 per day (193 days).....	965 00
1217 Engineman, at \$3.50 per day (575 days).....	2,012 50
Unassigned Balance.....	2 25
Total.....	\$7,750 00

The purpose of the proposed modification in Account No. 1216, Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees, Care of Parks and Boulevards, is to establish the line "Steam Roller Engineer at \$5 per day" by changing the line which now reads "Steam Engineer at \$4.75 per day (600 days), \$2,850," to read "Steam Engineer at \$4.75 per day (529 days), \$2,512.75" and to insert the line "Steam Roller Engineer at \$5 per day (193 days), \$965."

Prior to October 1, 1914, the salary of Steam Engineer was \$4.75 per day, and on September 21, 1914, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted the following resolution, which was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on October 6, 1914:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby requests the heads of city departments in which Steam Roller Engineers are employed to provide for compensation of such workmen beginning October 1, 1914, at the rate of \$5 per diem by the transfer of funds or by application for an authorization of special revenue bonds in the necessary amounts or by reorganization of the work reducing the number of days of employment.

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in city departments of the grade of position in addition to those heretofore established as follows:

"Steam Roller Engineer, \$5 per diem unlimited."  
Request is also made that in Account No. 1217, Personal Service, Wages Temporary Employees, Care of Trees in City Streets, the line now reading "Engineman at \$3.50 per day (400 days), \$1,400," be increased by the addition of 175 days at \$3.50 per day (\$612.50).

The additional funds necessary to meet the modification of the schedules referred to will then be provided by changing the schedule line in Account No. 1216, now reading: "Auto Lawnmower Engineer at \$3.50 per day (1,000 days), \$3,500" to read: "Auto Lawnmower Engineer at \$3.50 per day (645 days), \$2,257.50," or a total decrease of 355 days, amounting to \$1,242.50. The difference of \$2.25 will then appear as "Unassigned Balance."

The line item changes in detail are then as follows:

Ac- count No.	Existing Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer.		Cash Transfer.	
		Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1216	Steam Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (600 days).....		\$337 25		\$337 25
	*Steam Roller Engineer, at \$5 per day (193 days).....	\$965 00		\$965 00	
	*Unassigned Balance.....	2 25		2 25	
	Auto Lawnmower Engineer, at \$3.50 per day (1,000 days).....		1,242 50		1,242 50
1217	Engineman, at \$3.50 per day (400 days).....	612 50		612 50	
	Total changes.....	\$1,579 75	\$1,579 75	\$1,579 75	\$1,579 75

\*New line item.  
It will be seen from the foregoing statement that by adding the increases and decreases of the individual accounts referred to, the difference necessitates a cash transfer of \$612.50 being made from Account No. 1216 to Account No. 1217.

On account of the exceptionally dry weather during the past three weeks, there will be no necessity for retaining the days in the schedule line for Auto Lawnmower Engineer in Account No. 1216 to the full extent originally allotted, as there is now very little grass on the lawns to be cut.

The increase in time of Enginemen in Account No. 1217 is necessary to keep the trees in city streets constantly sprayed in order to keep them free from insects and in a healthy and clean condition.

The adoption of the attached resolutions, approving the proposed transfer and the schedules, as revised, is hereby recommended.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves the transfer of funds appropriated to the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1914, as follows:

FROM	
Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.	
1216 Care of Parks and Boulevards.....	\$612 50
TO	
Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.	
1217 Care of Trees in City Streets.....	\$612 50

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules, as revised, for the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1914, as follows:



Wages, Temporary Employees.

	Paid from Tax Levy Appropriation.	Paid from Special Revenue Bonds.	Total.
1216 Care of Parks and Boulevards—			
Bricklayer, at \$6 per day (224 days)....	\$1,344 00		\$1,344 00
Painter, at \$4 per day (1,275 days).....	3,200 00	\$1,900 00	5,100 00
Pipefitter, at \$3.50 per day (50 days)....	275 00		275 00
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (68,275 days)...	170,687 50		170,687 50
Plasterer, at \$4 per day (200 days).....	800 00		800 00
Auto Lawnmower Engineer, at \$3.50 per day (645 days) .....	2,257 50		2,257 50
Rammer, at \$4 per day (100 days).....	400 00		400 00
Paver, at \$5 per day (100 days).....	500 00		500 00
Steam Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (529 days) .....	2,512 75		2,512 75
Steam Roller Engineer, at \$5 per day (193 days) .....	965 00		965 00
Stoker, at \$3 per day (1,674 days).....	5,022 00		5,022 00
Unassigned Balance .....	2 25		2 25
	\$187,966 00	\$1,900 00	\$189,866 00
Tax Levy Appropriation.....			\$187,966 00
Special Revenue Bond Appropriation.....			1,900 00
Schedule Total .....			\$189,866 00
1217 Care of Trees in City Streets—			
Engineman, at \$3.50 per day (575 days).	\$2,012 50		\$2,012 50
Climber and Pruner, at \$250 per day (6,080 days) .....	15,200 00		15,200 00
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (236 days).....	590 00		590 00
Schedule total .....	\$17,802 50		\$17,802 50

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

Department of Bridges—Transfer of Appropriation, Modification of Schedules and Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 16).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 14, 1914, from the Commissioner of Bridges requesting issue of corporate stock in the sum of \$55,000 to provide for making certain changes in the Williamsburg Bridge and its approaches; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending transfer of appropriation, modification of schedules and issue of corporate stock:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1914.  
To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Under date of October 14, 1914, the Commissioner of Bridges requested an issue of corporate stock to the approximate sum of \$55,000 to make certain changes on the Williamsburg Bridge and its approaches. In connection therewith I report as follows:

This appropriation is for the purpose of moving cables and a number of columns on the Williamsburg Bridge to permit the passage of ten-foot cars proposed to be operated by the New York Municipal Railway Company under the terms of the dual subway agreement. It is necessary that this amount be authorized without delay in order that the new rolling stock to be used by the Municipal Railway Company in connection with the Centre Street Subway might be afforded passage across this bridge. It is the belief of the Commissioner, in view of other construction work of a similar character that has been done on this bridge, that this work can be done more advantageously by departmental labor rather than by contract.

In view of the foregoing, I would recommend that the sum of \$9,500 be transferred from the fund entitled "Money Available for Permanent Improvement for Which Corporate Stock May Lawfully Be Issued," which will carry the proposed force to January 1, 1914, and also to provide materials to the sum of \$1,000, and that your Board approve of the issue of corporate stock for the balance, i. e., \$45,500, which is the estimated amount for 1915 to carry the work to completion.

It is also recommended that your Board approve of the attached resolutions, which will carry the foregoing recommendations into effect.

Respectfully,  
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

On motion Rule 19 was suspended and the following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of Section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 36 of the Laws of 1913, hereby applies nine thousand five hundred dollars (\$9,500) from the fund entitled "Moneys Available for Permanent Improvements for Which Corporate Stock May Lawfully Be Issued," C. F. M.—24, toward the payment of Salaries and Wages of Engineering Construction Force, C. D. B.—54, to the amount of eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500) and the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for Supplies and Materials for the Engineering Construction Force, C. D. B.—54A, for the Department of Bridges; and for this purpose approves the transfer of said amount from said fund for the uses of the Department of Bridges.

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules, as revised, for the Department of Bridges, for the year 1914, to be effective as of October 1, 1914, as follows:

2762C Corporate Stock Force—	
Inspector of Masonry at \$5 per day (700 days).....	\$3,500 00
Painter or Bridge Painter, at \$4 per day (11,540 days).....	46,160 00
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (400 days).....	1,000 00
Bridge Mechanic, Housesmith or Bridgeman and Riveter at \$5 per day (7,900 days).....	39,500 00
Watchman at \$2.50 per day (800 days).....	2,000 00
Schedule Total .....	\$92,160 00
Corporate Stock Allowance.....	\$92,160 00
Materials.	
2777TC General Plant Materials.....	\$63,185 00
Tax Levy Allowance.....	\$62,185 00
Corporate Stock Allowance.....	1,000 00
Total Allowance .....	\$63,185 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding forty-five thousand five hundred dollars (\$45,500) for the purpose of

providing means to make necessary changes to the Williamsburg bridge and its approaches to permit of the operation of cars ten feet wide over this bridge under the terms of the Dual Subway agreement, as follows:

Salaries and Wages, Engineering Construction Force.....	\$34,875 00
General Plant Materials.....	9,700 00
Supplies .....	500 00
Hire of Horses and Vehicles with Drivers.....	425 00
	\$45,500 00

—the amount to be expended for any one of said purposes not to exceed that herein specifically indicated for that purpose, and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid. Provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contract, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for the payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Bridges is directed to submit to this Board for its approval forms of contract, plans, specifications and estimates of cost, prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized and said Commissioner is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts, whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

Tenement House Department—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 17).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 19, 1914, from the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department requesting transfer within the appropriation for said department for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof and modification of schedules:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 24, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York:  
Gentlemen—In a communication dated October 19, 1914, the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department requested the transfer of \$100 within the appropriations made to that department for the year 1914, from Account No. 2139, Contingencies, to Account No. 2134, Contract or Open Order Service, General Repairs.

The present available balance in Account No. 2134 referred to is \$190.53 against which there are outstanding invoices amounting to \$218.97. In addition to these charges it is necessary to provide funds for repairs to typewriters and other equipment for the reason that the allowance made for that purpose has already been encroached upon to the extent of \$86.56 for repairs to badges, etc.: The number of badges and insignia repaired exceeds that contemplated at the time the original order was issued, which provided for the repairing and replating of 200 badges and insignia at \$0.50 each, or a total cost of \$100, whereas it was afterwards found necessary to repair and replat 430 pieces at \$0.50 each, at a total cost of \$215, or \$115 in excess of the amount estimated.

As regards that part of the request which relates to the cost of repairs to typewriters and other equipment for the remainder of the current year, at least \$70 should be provided for this purpose.

A sufficient balance of funds remains in Account No. 2139, Contingencies, to permit the transfer requested.

The adoption of the attached resolutions approving the proposed transfer and schedules, as revised, is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of Section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves the transfer of funds appropriated to the Tenement House Department for the year 1914, as follows:

2139 Contingencies .....	FROM	\$100 00
	TO	
2134 General Repairs .....	Contract or Open Order Service.	\$100 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the schedules, as revised, for the Tenement House Department for the year 1914, as follows:

2134 General Repairs .....	\$1,332 00
2139 Contingencies .....	225 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Authority to Destroy Papers and Records (Cal. No. 18).

(On October 9, 1914 (No. 116), communications from the Secretary of the Board and the Corporation Counsel, certifying that the papers and records referred to in this matter may be destroyed without affecting the interests of the City, were referred to the Comptroller.)

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Corporation Counsel and report of the Comptroller relative thereto:

City of New York, Law Department, New York, October 6, 1914.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—I am in receipt of your communication dated September 23, 1914, enclosing a certificate made by you to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment pursuant to the provisions of section 1545-a of the Greater New York Charter, that certain records and papers in your custody are deemed to have become useless.

You request that I prepare and transmit to you a certificate to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as provided for by Section 1545-a of the Charter that the destruction of the papers referred to in your communication will in no wise affect the interests of The City of New York in any pending, anticipated or contemplated claim, action or proceeding by or against the said City.

I enclose herewith the certificate as requested.  
Respectfully yours,  
LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

City of New York, Law Department, New York, October 6, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

Sirs—Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1545-a of the Greater New York Charter, I hereby certify that the destruction of the following records and papers now on file in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York will in no wise affect the interests of The City of New York in any pending, anticipated or contemplated claim, action or proceeding by or against the said city:



## Departmental Estimates for the Budgets of the Following Years:

	Volumes bound in	
	Cloth.	Paper.
1905.....	28	..
1906.....	36	45
1907.....	64	19
1908 (Volume 1).....	75	72
1908 (Volume 2).....	77	66
1909 (Volume 1).....	80	31
1909 (Volume 2).....	81	40
1909 (Volume 3).....	77	49
1909 (Volume 4).....	78	34
1910 (Volume 1).....	38	66
1910 (Volume 2).....	40	41
1910 (Volume 3).....	34	47
1910 (Volume 4).....	43	19
1910 (Volume 5).....	37	90
1911 (Volume 1).....	175	48
1911 (Volume 2).....	190	44
1911 (Volume 3).....	200	35
1911 (Volume 4).....	210	29
1911 (Volume 5).....	200	39
1911 (Volume 6).....	151	198
1912.....	188	..
1913.....	233	..
1912 (Volume 1).....	..	223
1912 (Volume 2).....	..	162
1912 (Volume 3).....	..	160
1912 (Volume 4).....	..	198
1912 (Volume 5).....	..	170
1912 (Volume 6).....	..	136
1913 (Volume 1).....	..	129
1913 (Volume 2).....	..	126
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1914 (Volume 1).....	..	50
1914 (Volume 2).....	..	50
1914 (Volume 3).....	..	57
1914 (Volume 4).....	..	83
1914 (Volume 5).....	..	67
1914 (Volume 6).....	..	26
1914 (Volume 7).....	..	96
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## Individual Departments—

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Department of Street Cleaning.....	16
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President, Borough of Manhattan.....	14
President, Borough of Brooklyn.....	4
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	1
Department of Correction.....	21
Police Department.....	18
Law Department.....	21
Health Department.....	9
Park Department.....	5
President, Borough of Queens.....	6
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Commissioners of Accounts.....	16
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Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 24, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In a communication dated September 23, 1914, the Secretary to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requested permission, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1545A of the Greater New York Charter, to destroy certain records and papers now filed in that office because they are useless and because the space occupied by them is required for other purposes.

Permission is therefore requested to destroy the following records:

Departmental Estimates for the Budgets of the periods listed.

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1905.....	28	..
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1910, Volume 1.....	38	66
1910, Volume 2.....	40	41
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1910, Volume 5.....	37	90
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1913, Volume 2.....	..	126
1913, Volume 3.....	..	137
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1913, Volume 5.....	..	128
1913, Volume 6.....	..	209
1914, Volume 1.....	..	50
1914, Volume 2.....	..	50
1914, Volume 3.....	..	57
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Year.	Volumes bound in	
	Cloth.	Paper.
1913, Volume 4.....	..	127
1913, Volume 5.....	..	128
1913, Volume 6.....	..	209
1914, Volume 1.....	..	30
1914, Volume 2.....	..	50
1914, Volume 3.....	..	57
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The Secretary to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment states that a sufficient number of the volumes referred to have been retained which might be necessary for future reference, and that those volumes herein listed may very properly be destroyed.

The certificates of the Secretary to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Corporation Counsel, dated September 23 and October 6, respectively, as required by Section 1545A of the Greater New York Charter, are attached to this report.

The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing and directing the destruction of the Budget Estimates referred to is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1545A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to destroy the following described records and papers now on file in the Record Room of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the Hall of Records.

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Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### From Bureaus of the Board.

#### Bureau of Contract Supervision.

#### Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Approval of Forms of Contracts (Cal. No. 19).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 14, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requesting the approval of forms of preliminary and final contracts for services of Thomas Hastings, Architect, for preparing drawings and specifications, and supervising the reconstruction of the Plaza at 59th Street and Fifth Avenue, Manhattan; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1914.

Gentlemen—On October 16, 1914, you referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, dated October 14, 1914, requesting the approval of the form of a preliminary contract and a final contract for the services of Thomas Hastings, 225 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, as Architect for the preparation of drawings and specifications and for the supervision of the reconstruction of the Plaza at 59th Street and Fifth Avenue, Manhattan.

The forms of contract are standard, as approved by the Corporation Counsel. The rate of compensation is placed at 6 per cent. of the cost of construction. The total estimated cost of the architect's fees is \$4,812, of which \$850 is to be paid upon completion of work, provided for by the preliminary, and \$3,962 under the final contract.

The cost is to be paid from the Corporate Stock Fund of \$85,000 authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 26, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 15, 1913, entitled "C. D. P. 170, Improvement of Plaza at 59th Street and 5th Avenue."

On October 23, 1914, there remained in the fund an unencumbered balance of \$47,700. The rate of compensation is reasonable for the character of work to be performed, which is largely approach and landscape architecture.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the contracts and estimated cost. Respectfully, TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of July 11, 1912, hereby approves the forms of preliminary and final contracts for the services of Thomas Hastings, 225 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, as architect for the preparation of drawings and specifications and for the supervision of the Reconstruction of the Plaza at 59th Street and Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at an estimated cost of eight hundred and fifty dollars (\$850) for the preliminary, and three thousand nine hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$3,962) for the final contract, the cost to be charged to the Corporate Stock fund entitled "C. D. P. 170, Improvement of Plaza at 59th Street and Fifth Avenue."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Docks and Ferries—Approval of Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, Etc. (Cal. No. 20).

The Secretary presented a communication dated July 13, 1914, from the Commissioner of Docks, transmitting revised edition of contract No. 1321 for extending Pier No. 43, North River, and requesting approval of plans, specifications, form of contract, etc.; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 26, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On July 15, 1914, you referred to this Bureau a communication from the Commissioner of Docks, dated July 13, 1914, requesting approval of the form of contract, plans, specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of \$29,600 for extending Pier 43, North River, Borough of Manhattan, and depositing rip-rap thereat.

The cost is to be paid from a corporate stock fund of \$35,000, authorized as follows:

\$12,000 approved of by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911.

\$3,000 approved of by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 6, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on March 25, 1913, and

\$20,000 approved of by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on September 29, 1914.

The fund is entitled "C. D. D.—4D, Department of Docks and Ferries, Construction of Extension to Pier No. 43, North River."

There have been no expenditures from the fund.

The form of contract, plans and specifications are satisfactory and the estimate of cost is reasonable.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution which will grant the request. Respectfully, TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of July 11, 1912, hereby approves the form of contract, plans, specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of twenty-nine thousand six hundred dollars (\$29,600) for extending Pier 43, North River, Borough of Manhattan, and depositing rip-rap thereat, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries, the cost to be paid from the corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. D.—4D, Department of Docks and Ferries, Construction of Extension to Pier 43, North River," and further provided that

If no bids were received for such work within such estimated cost the amount of such estimated cost upon the bids so received may be reconsidered in its discretion by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or any official acting in its behalf, provided any of said bids it within the amount authorized or available for such work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn—Approval of Form of Contract, Specifications, Etc. (Cal. No. 21).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 21, 1914, from the

Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requesting approval of form of contract, plans, specifications, etc., for the construction of timber groynes at Seaside Park, Coney Island, Brooklyn; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On October 21, 1914, the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requested approval of the form of contract, plans, specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of \$12,600 for furnishing all labor and materials required to construct, complete, seven timber groynes at Seaside Park, Coney Island, Brooklyn.

The cost of this work is to be charged to the Corporate Stock fund entitled "C.D.P. 251-C, Construction of Groynes, Seaside Park."

The appropriation of \$17,900 for the fund was authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 9, 1914.

The unencumbered balance on October 26, 1914, was \$16,745.

The forms of contract, plans and specifications are satisfactory and the estimate of cost reasonable.

I recommend that the request be approved by the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 11, 1912, hereby approves the form of contract, plans and specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of twelve thousand six hundred dollars (\$12,600) for furnishing all labor and materials required to construct, complete, seven (7) timber groynes at Seaside Park, formerly Dreamland Park, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. P.—251-C, Construction of Groynes, Seaside Park."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Education—Approval of Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, Etc. (Cal. No. 22).

The Secretary presented a communication dated September 18, 1914, from the Board of Education, requesting approval of form of contract, plans, specifications, etc., for installing electric equipment in New Public School 178, Borough of Brooklyn; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 24, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 19, 1914, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision a communication from the Board of Education, dated September 18, 1914, requesting approval of the form of contract, specifications, plans and estimate of cost, \$12,000 for installing electric equipment in new Public School 178, Borough of Brooklyn.

The cost is to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. E.—120J, School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, subtitle 9." An appropriation of \$434,775 was approved for the fund by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 12, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 15, 1913. On October 23, 1914, an unencumbered balance of \$100,413 remained in the fund.

The specifications and plans have been approved by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and together with the form of contract are satisfactory. The estimate of cost is reasonable. I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 11, 1912, hereby approves the form of contract, specifications, plans and estimate of cost, twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) for installing electric equipment in new Public School 178, Borough of Brooklyn, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. E.—120J, School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, subtitle 9"; and be it further

Resolved, That if no bids are received for such work within such estimated cost the amount of such estimated cost upon the bids so received may be reconsidered, in its discretion, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, provided that any of such bids is within the amount authorized and available for such work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Education—Approval of New Estimates of Cost (Cal. No. 23).

The Secretary presented a communication from the Board of Education, dated September 29, 1914, requesting approval of amended estimates of cost for Items 1 and 2 for installing heating and ventilating apparatus and temperature regulation in the Flushing High School, Queens; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 23, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 29, 1914, the Board of Education, in a communication addressed to the Comptroller, requested approval of new estimates of cost of work at Flushing High School, Borough of Queens, as follows:

Item 1. Installing heating and ventilating apparatus, estimated cost \$66,964.

Item 2. Installing temperature regulation, estimated cost, \$1,935.

On August 31, 1914, the Comptroller approved estimates of cost for these items at \$62,600 and \$1,500 respectively, with provision for reconsideration.

On September 28, 1914, bids were opened by the Board of Education. The lowest of five bids received for Item 1 was that of E. Rutzler Co. for \$66,964. The lowest of three bids received for Item 2 was that of Standard Regulator Co., for the sum of \$1,935. There is a sufficient balance in the appropriate fund to pay the increased cost.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 11, 1912, hereby approves revised estimates of cost for the following work, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education:

Flushing High School, Borough of Queens.

Item 1. Installing heating and ventilating apparatus, estimated cost, sixty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty-four dollars (\$66,964).

Item 2. Installing temperature regulation, estimated cost, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$1,935).

The cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C.D.E. 130F, School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 6."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Education—Approval of Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, Etc. (Cal. No. 24).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 10, 1914, from the Board of Education, requesting approval of form of contract, plans, specifications, etc., for furniture for Public School 51, Borough of The Bronx; and the following report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, recommending approval thereof:



City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 23, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On October 10, 1914, the Board of Education requested approval of the form of contract, specifications, plans and estimates of cost for furniture at new Public School 51, Borough of The Bronx, as follows:

Item 3. Estimated cost .....	\$1,720 00
Item 4. Estimated cost .....	1,398 00
Item 5. Estimated cost .....	875 00

Total estimated cost..... \$3,993 00

The cost of these items is to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. E.—110F, School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Subtitle 6." An appropriation of \$366,030 was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911. On September 21, 1914, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized an additional appropriation of \$5,000 for this fund. On July 16, 1914, items 1, 2 and 6 for furniture for this building were approved by the Comptroller. Approval of items 3, 4 and 5 was withheld at that time because of lack of funds.

Owing to the additional appropriation of \$5,000 there was an unencumbered balance in the fund, on October 22, 1914, of \$16,188.03.

The form of contract, specifications and plans are satisfactory. The estimates of cost are based upon the lowest bids received on July 13, 1914, and are reasonable.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.

Respectfully, TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 11, 1912, hereby approves the form of contract, specifications, plans and estimates of cost for furniture, items 3, 4 and 5, for new Public School 51, Borough of The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, as follows:

Item 3. Estimated cost, one thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$1,720).

Item 4. Estimated cost, one thousand three hundred and ninety-eight dollars (\$1,398).

Item 5. Estimated cost, eight hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$875).

—the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. D. E.—110F, School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Subtitle 6."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

Bureau of Franchises.

#### Holmes Electric Protective Company (Cal. No. 25).

Franchise to construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors under the streets and avenues in the Borough of Manhattan, and to construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors and the necessary conduits for the same, under the streets and avenues within the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of maintaining and operating a burglar alarm signalling service system.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 24, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 21, 1914, approved by the Mayor September 25, 1914, the Holmes Electric Protective Company was granted permission to construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors under the streets and avenues within the Borough of Manhattan, and to construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors and the necessary conduits for the same under the streets and avenues within the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of electrically connecting signalling and communicating apparatus to be located on the premises of subscribers with recording apparatus located at some suitable point or points where such signals are to be received, and thereby maintaining and operating a burglar alarm signalling service system.

The contract as authorized by said resolution was executed by the President and the Secretary of the Company October 9, 1914, by the Mayor October 14, 1914, and by the City Clerk October 15, 1914, and bears date October 14, 1914.

The original contract has been placed on file and the duplicate original contract delivered to the Company.

The departments interested have been advised of the execution of the contract.

It is recommended that the papers be filed.

Respectfully, JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

Which was ordered filed.

#### Robert Gair Company (Cal. No. 26).

Consent to install, maintain and use a platform scale in the sidewalk on the north side of Front Street, west of Washington Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 27, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 21, 1914, approved by the Mayor September 23, 1914, the Robert Gair Company was granted permission to construct, maintain and use a platform scale in the north side of Front Street, at a point 44 feet west of the westerly line of Washington Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in front of the premises of the grantee.

Section 14 of the consent provides as follows:

"This consent shall be null and void unless said grantee shall duly execute an instrument in writing, wherein said grantee shall accept this consent, and shall promise, covenant and agree to conform to, abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this consent fixed and contained, and file said instrument with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York within thirty (30) days after the approval of this consent by the Mayor; provided, however, that such time may be extended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

"And said grantee shall promise, covenant and agree in said instrument to hold The City of New York harmless from all damages to persons or property which may result from the construction, use, maintenance or operation of the structure hereby authorized."

Under and pursuant to the above quoted section, the grantee presented an agreement dated October 1, 1914. This agreement has been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and is now on file in this office.

Certified copies of the approved resolution have been forwarded to the grantee and to the officials interested.

It is recommended that the papers be filed.

Respectfully, JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

Which was ordered filed.

#### Northern Union Gas Company; Central Union Gas Company; Westchester Lighting Company (Cal. No. 27).

The following was presented:

Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of New York, New York, October 17, 1914.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

Sirs—By resolutions dated March 6th and April 3d, 1914, respectively, your Board directed this Department to confer with the attorneys of the Westchester Lighting Company, Northern Union Gas Company and the Central Union Gas Company for the purpose of agreeing, if possible, upon a form of permit and stipulation to be issued to the said companies by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, authorizing the companies, pending the final determination of the validity of their franchise, to construct such gas mains and connections as may be necessary for the purpose of connecting their existing gas main with applicants for such service in the territory mentioned in the preamble of the resolution adopted March 6, 1914.

On June 5th, 1914, after conference between this Department and the attorneys for the above named gas companies, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Borough President of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to grant permits to these gas companies to open streets and to make connections between houses and existing mains. That resolution also provided that each permit granted shall contain at the end thereof the following condition:

"Upon condition, however, that this permit shall not be construed or deemed to recognize in or give to the \* \* \* company any right or claim other than the privilege herein expressly granted; the status of the parties to remain entirely unaffected by the granting and acceptance hereof."

No agreement was at that time made as to forms of permits for the construction of such gas mains as may be necessary for the purpose of connecting existing gas mains with present and future applicants for service in the said territory.

Since that date, after conference between this Department and the attorneys of the gas companies, a stipulation, a copy of which is herewith enclosed, was executed by the attorneys for these gas companies. I am of the opinion that a permit containing such a condition as is included in the enclosed stipulation will fully protect the rights of the City, and I therefore recommend that permits be issued by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the construction of such gas mains as may be necessary for the purpose of connecting existing gas mains with present and future applicants for service in the said territory, and that each of said permits shall contain at the end thereof the following condition, which is in the same form as that required by your Board by the resolution dated June 5th, 1914:

"Upon condition, however, that this permit shall not be construed or deemed to recognize in or give to the \* \* \* company any right or claim other than the privilege herein expressly granted; the status of the parties to remain entirely unaffected by the granting and acceptance hereof." Respectfully yours,

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

In re the Westchester Lighting Company, the Northern Union Gas Company and the Central Union Gas Company.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 3d day of April, 1914, having directed that the Bureau of Franchises and the Corporation Counsel should confer with the attorneys of the Westchester Lighting Company, Northern Union Gas Company and the Central Union Gas Company, for the purpose of agreeing, if possible, upon a form of permit and stipulation acceptable both to the City and the said companies, it is hereby stipulated by and between the Corporation Counsel and Messrs. Shearman and Sterling, the attorneys for the said Gas Companies, that the following form of permit and stipulation will be acceptable to them (in case of the extension of mains of each of the said companies) in authorizing any of the above-named companies to construct such gas mains as may be necessary for the purpose of connecting their existing gas mains with present or future applicants for such service in the territory mentioned in the preamble of the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted March 6, 1914:

Upon condition, however, that this permit shall not be construed or deemed to recognize in or give to the \* \* \* company any right or claim other than the privilege herein expressly granted; the status of the parties to remain entirely unaffected by the granting and acceptance hereof.

SHEARMAN & STERLING.

Bureau of Franchises, October 20, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—On March 6, 1914, the Board, on recommendation of this Bureau, adopted a resolution authorizing the granting to the Central Union Gas Company, Northern Union Gas Company and Westchester Lighting Company, which have been held by the Corporation Counsel to be without valid franchises in the streets of the Borough of The Bronx, temporary revocable administrative permits authorizing such companies to construct such gas mains and connections as might be necessary for the purpose of connecting their existing gas mains with applicants for service. Pursuant to such resolution, and the reference of the matter to the Bureau of Franchises and to the Corporation Counsel on April 3rd, a form of stipulation covering house connections was drafted by the Corporation Counsel and submitted to the Board for its consideration on June 5th. This form was approved by the Board, and the President of the Borough of The Bronx and Commissioner of Water Supply were authorized to grant permits for the construction of house connections upon the conditions which the Corporation Counsel requested to be imposed.

Since that date the Corporation Counsel has again ruled upon the claims of the above-named companies in an opinion submitted to the Board at its meeting held Friday, October 16th, and he has been requested to bring an action to test their rights. However, while the proceedings leading to this determination are being carried on, any cessation of construction of gas mains will result in more or less inconvenience to the residents of the territory in which these companies operate, and to meet this situation the Corporation Counsel has prepared a further stipulation governing any necessary extensions of mains which the companies may be required to build to connect their existing mains with present or future applicants for service, and has submitted the same to the Board with a communication recommending its approval and dated October 17, 1914. This stipulation was drawn after consultation with this Bureau and appears to be eminently satisfactory under all the circumstances of the case.

It is therefore recommended that the Board adopt a resolution authorizing the granting of permits with the condition imposed as set forth in the Corporation Counsel's communication.

A form of resolution for this purpose, similar to that adopted June 5th, authorizing the construction of house connections, is herewith submitted.

Respectfully, JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx moved that the matter be laid over until the meeting of November 6, 1914.

Which motion was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Harris-Rose Construction Corporation (Cal. No. 28).

Consent to construct, maintain and use a narrow gauge railroad track across and on the surface of Boston Road at its intersection with East 222d Street, Borough of The Bronx.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 20, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 9, 1914, approved by the Mayor October 14, 1914, the Harris-Rose Construction Corporation was granted permission to construct, maintain and use a narrow gauge railroad track across and on the surface of Boston Road at its intersection with East 222nd Street, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of conveying excavated material across Boston Road, in order to fill in East 222nd Street, under contract with the City.

Section 17 of the consent provides as follows:

"This consent shall be null and void unless said grantee shall duly execute an instrument in writing, wherein said grantee shall accept this consent and shall promise, covenant and agree to conform to, abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this consent fixed and contained, and file said instrument with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York within ten (10) days after the approval of this consent by the Mayor; provided, however, that such time may be extended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

"And said grantee shall promise, covenant and agree in said instrument to hold The City of New York harmless from all damages to persons or property which may result from the construction, use, maintenance or operation of the structure hereby authorized."

Under and pursuant to the above quoted section, the grantee presented an agreement dated October 15, 1914. This agreement was approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and is on file in this office.

Certified copies of the approved resolution have been forwarded to the grantee and to the officials interested.

It is recommended that the papers be filed.

Respectfully, JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

Which was ordered filed.



**Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc. (Cal. No. 29).**

Request of the Corporation Counsel to be advised as to whether or not the Board desires him to prosecute to a termination the action against the Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its charter.

This communication was presented to the Board at the meeting of October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 64), and was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 23, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—At the meeting of the Board held October 16, 1914, there was presented, and referred to the Bureau of Franchises, a communication dated October 1, 1914, from the Corporation Counsel, requesting to be advised whether the Board wishes him to prosecute to a termination the suit brought by the Attorney General of the State against the Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its charter and the consent of the local authorities to operate a railway in Pelham Bay Park, or whether the questions involved have been satisfactorily settled. The Corporation Counsel further requested that this matter be referred to the Bureau of Franchises for a report as to what facts have occurred since the last report of said Bureau to him. This latter request has been complied with by the Bureau.

In relation to the request for instructions as to the disposition of the pending action, the following facts appear.

By resolution adopted by the Board, July 31, 1913, the Corporation Counsel was directed to request the Attorney General to bring an action against the Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its charter and the consent of the local authorities to operate a railway in Pelham Bay Park. At the same meeting, upon request of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the question of issuing a permit for temporary operation in the Park, pending the granting of a new franchise, was referred to a committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. This committee reported on October 16, 1913, and recommended that no action be taken in the matter other than to request the Corporation Counsel to urge the Attorney General to proceed forthwith to declare the forfeiture on the part of the Pelham Park Railroad Company of its franchise rights.

About July 1, 1914, the Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., was acquired by interests allied with the Union Railway Company of New York City, and at the meeting of the Board held July 10th last, upon motion of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx was authorized to issue a permit for a street surface railway upon a route to be determined by the President of The Bronx, the Park Commissioner for The Bronx and the Chief of the Bureau of Franchises, operation over said route to continue pending action by the Board upon an application for a franchise. Pursuant to this resolution, and in accordance with action by the above-named committee, the Park Commissioner, on July 21, 1914, granted the Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., permission

"to construct a single track standard gauge railway along the extreme southerly side of City Island Road from the easterly side of the Eastern Boulevard opposite City Island (Bartow) station on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the westerly terminus of the western approach to the City Island Bridge near Marshalls Corners."

This permit contained, among others, the following provisions:

(a) "The said temporary railway to be maintained pending action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment upon formal application of the said Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., for a franchise for said railway extension."

(b) "The filing by the said Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., with the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx of a duly executed agreement in writing, wherein and whereby the said Company shall agree to remove, at its own cost and expense, the tracks constructed under this permit and to restore the street to its original condition should the Board of Estimate and Apportionment fail to grant the said franchise within one (1) year from the date of this permit or deny the application of the said Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., for such franchise, or should this permit be terminated for any reason at any time within the said one (1) year by the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx."

The permit was accepted by the Vice-President and General Manager of the company in a communication dated July 23, 1914, in which it was stated:

"I desire to say we shall see to it that the conditions set forth in said permit are strictly carried out by us."

The company, immediately upon receipt of the permit, commenced construction of the railway authorized along the side of the old highway running from Bartow Station to City Island Bridge, and early in August last commenced operation thereover by means of storage battery cars.

In view of the stipulation contained in the permit from the Commissioner of Parks, that the railway is to be maintained pending action by the Board upon a formal application by the company for a franchise, and as such application has not yet been made, it is recommended that the pending action against the Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its rights be not discontinued, and that the Corporation Counsel be directed to endeavor to procure an adjournment of the matter until the Company has presented a petition for a franchise and has been given an opportunity to prosecute the same.

Should the Board see fit to adopt this recommendation, a resolution making it effective has been prepared and is transmitted herewith. Respectfully,

JOHN A. McCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

The following was offered:

Whereas, By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 31, 1913, the Corporation Counsel was directed to request the Attorney General to bring action against the Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its charter and the consent of the local authorities to operate a railway in Pelham Bay Park; and

Whereas, Such action was subsequently brought and has not yet been terminated; and

Whereas, At the meeting of this Board held July 10, 1914, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx was authorized to issue a permit for a street surface railway upon a route to be determined by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx and the Chief of the Bureau of Franchises, operation over such route to continue pending action by the Board upon an application by the Company for a franchise; and

Whereas, On July 21, 1914, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx issued a permit to the Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., for the construction of

"a single track standard gauge railway along the extreme southerly side of the City Island Road from the easterly side of the Eastern Boulevard opposite City Island (Bartow) Station on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, to the westerly terminus of the western approach to the City Island Bridge near Marshalls Corners."

—and

Whereas, Said permit contained the provision or stipulation that said temporary railway is to be maintained pending action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment upon a formal application of the said Company for a franchise, and that should said Board fail to grant said franchise within one (1) year from the date of the permit, the Company shall remove, at its own cost and expense, the tracks constructed under said permit; and

Whereas, The Company has not yet applied to the Board for the franchise contemplated by the permit; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel has, in a communication dated October 1, 1914, requested to be instructed as to whether or not the Board desires him to prosecute the action against the said Pelham Park Railroad Company for the forfeiture of its charter to a termination; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is directed to endeavor to have the hearings in said action adjourned from time to time pending the presentation by the Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., of an application for a franchise for a street surface railway through Pelham Bay Park between City Island (Bartow) Station and the westerly approach to the City Island Bridge.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Alder-

men, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**Mason and Hanger Company (Cal. No. 30).**

Revocation of consent to install, maintain and operate a compressed air pipe line under and along certain streets and avenues in the vicinity of Van Cortlandt Park, Borough of The Bronx, refunding the security deposited and a proportionate part of the annual compensation paid.

The following was presented:

Mason & Hanger Co. (Incorporated), New York City, October 13, 1914.

Bureau of Franchises, Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 1307, Municipal Building, New York City, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 21st ult., enclosing copy of a draft of proposed form of resolution providing for the revocation of the consent granted us to install, maintain and use a compressed air pipe line in the Borough of The Bronx. We note that this allows for the return of the security deposit of \$3,000, and a refund of \$681.55 from the amount paid to the City, this sum being the proportionate part of the annual charge covering the period from March 15, 1914, to November 1, 1914.

We also beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 1st inst., advising us that this matter has been placed on the calendar for action by the Board as no reply was made to your first communication. In explanation of the above, we would say that your letter was received during the absence of the writer from the office, and was held for his attention.

Regarding the amount of the refund, and the period covered by same, we respectfully wish to say that no air was conveyed through any of the pipes after January 8, 1914, and the use of other crossings had been discontinued at different dates prior to this, and as no permits were issued for the opening of streets until March 15th, we were unable to start on the work until after this latter date.

We beg to say that we do not consider the City should charge us with the use of the pipes after we have discontinued conveying compressed air through them, and respectfully ask that a further refund be made us on this account. Yours very truly,

MASON & HANGER COMPANY, EDGAR A. GROVES, Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises, October 26, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 6, 1911, and approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911, which was amended by resolution adopted by the Board September 21, 1911, and approved by the Mayor September 26, 1911, consent was granted to the Mason and Hanger Company to install, maintain and operate a compressed air pipe line under, along and across certain streets and avenues in the Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of conveying compressed air from a compressor plant to five different shafts on the line of the City tunnel of the Catskill Aqueduct; the air to be used by the grantee in prosecuting the work of excavating the said tunnel under a contract with the Board of Water Supply. The grantee installed the pipe, deposited the required sum of \$3,000 with the Comptroller as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the consent and regularly paid into the City Treasury compensation for the privilege at the rate of \$1,090.50 per annum in advance on November 1 of each year up to November 1, 1914.

In response to a petition from the Company reciting that the use of certain stated portions of the pipe line ceased on certain stated dates from July 1, 1913, to January 8, 1914, and requesting the revocation of the consent, the return of the security and a proper refund of the compensation paid to November 1, 1914, in advance, covering the period from the dates when the pipe ceased to be used, the Bureau of Franchises presented a report to the Board at the meeting held October 2, 1914, and a resolution was adopted revoking the consent, authorizing the Comptroller to return the security deposit and to refund to the Company the sum of \$681.55, such sum being the proportionate part of the annual charge covering the period from March 15, 1914, to November 1, 1914. That resolution was approved by the Mayor on October 14, and received by this Bureau, so approved, the same day. A copy of the proposed resolution had been forwarded to the Company before placing the matter upon the calendar for the meeting of October 2, with a request to be advised if it would be satisfactory in case of favorable action by the Board, but no reply was received, and finally the matter was presented to the Board.

On October 15, 1914, a communication, dated October 13, was received from the Company, acknowledging receipt of the copy of the proposed form of resolution, and stating that it was received during the absence of the Company's Engineer and held for his attention. This communication calls particular attention to the fact that no portion of the pipe line was used after January 8, and for that reason a refund from that date is requested.

The matter has since been discussed with the Company's representative, who stated that the Office of the Borough President would not issue permits to open the street during the winter season, and it was, therefore, impossible to remove the pipe immediately after its use ceased on January 8, and he strongly insisted that the City should not charge for the pipe during the period when it would not permit its removal.

Inquiry was made at the Office of the Borough President, and I am informed that permits to open the streets for such purposes as the case in hand are not issued during the winter until about March 15, depending upon the severity of the season.

The Company has submitted an affidavit to the effect that the use of the pipe was discontinued at different dates beginning July, 1913, and the small portion of the pipe last used was discontinued on January 8. I have no way of absolutely verifying this statement, but from an examination of the Company's records and the state of the work being done by the Company, it would appear that there could have been no necessity to use the pipe after about January 8.

The claim of the Company would, therefore, seem equitable, and I would suggest that the resolution adopted October 2, 1914, and approved by the Mayor October 14, 1914, providing for a refund of the sum of \$681.55, covering the period from March 15 to November 1, be revoked, and a new resolution adopted providing for a refund of the sum of \$885, covering the period from January 8, 1914, to November 1, 1914.

Two resolutions so providing are herewith submitted for adoption. Respectfully,

JOHN A. McCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

The following was offered:

Whereas, By resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 6, 1911, and approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911, which was amended by resolution adopted by the said Board September 21, 1911, and approved by the Mayor September 26, 1911, consent was granted to the Mason and Hanger Company to install, maintain and use a compressed air pipe line under, along and across certain streets and avenues in the Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of conveying compressed air from a compressor plant to be installed in Van Cortlandt Park under a permit from the Department of Parks, to the various points along the line of the water tunnel of the Catskill Aqueduct, for the purpose of using compressed air in the prosecution of the work of constructing said tunnel under a contract awarded to the said grantee by the Board of Water Supply; and

Whereas, In accordance with the terms and conditions of the said resolutions, the Mason and Hanger Company deposited a security fund of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) with the Comptroller of The City of New York and paid into the City Treasury in advance on November 1 of each year annual compensation for the privilege in the sum of one thousand and ninety and 50-100 dollars (\$1,090.50) up to November 1, 1914; and

Whereas, The said Mason and Hanger Company removed the said pipe line from within the lines of the streets and avenues and restored the said streets and avenues to their original condition to the satisfaction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, The said Mason and Hanger Company presented petitions dated May 9, 1914, and October 13, 1914, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting the revocation of the consent, the return of the security deposit and a refund of the proportionate part of the annual charge covering the period from January 8, 1914, when use of the pipe was finally discontinued, as more fully recited in a report from the Bureau of Franchises presented to this Board at the meeting held this day, to November 1, 1914; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the aforesaid resolution adopted by this Board on July 6, 1911, and approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911, as amended by resolution adopted by this



Board September 21, 1911, and approved by the Mayor September 26, 1911, be and the same is hereby rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized and requested to return to the said Mason and Hanger Company the security fund of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), deposited in his office for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the said consent and also to refund to the said Mason and Hanger Company the sum of Eight hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$885), such sum being the proportionate part of the annual charge of one thousand and ninety and 50-100 dollars (\$1,090.50), covering the period from January 8, 1914, to November 1, 1914; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution shall not become effective unless and until the said Mason and Hanger Company shall execute an instrument in writing, releasing The City of New York from any and all claims of any kind, character or description whatsoever held or claimed to be held under the terms and conditions of the aforesaid consent, and agreeing to quit-claim, waive and surrender to The City of New York any and all rights and privileges in and upon the said streets and avenues in the Borough of The Bronx held or claimed to be held under or by virtue of the said consent, and file the same with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York within thirty (30) days after the date of approval of this resolution by the Mayor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following was offered:

Whereas, A resolution was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on October 2, 1914, and approved by the Mayor October 14, 1914, revoking resolutions adopted by the said Board on July 6, 1911, and approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911, and on September 21, 1911, approved by the Mayor September 26, 1911, granting consent to Mason and Hanger Company to install, maintain and use a certain compressed air pipe line under, along and across certain streets and avenues in the Borough of The Bronx, and the said resolution also provided for the return of security deposited with the Comptroller by the said Mason and Hanger Company for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the said resolutions, and also provided for the refund of the sum of six hundred and eighty-one and 55-100 dollars (\$681.55) to the said Mason and Hanger Company; such sum being the proportionate part of the annual charge of one thousand and ninety and 50-100 dollars (\$1,090.50) covering the period from March 15, 1914, to November 1, 1914; and

Whereas, Said Mason and Hanger Company presented a petition dated October 13, 1914, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting that a further refund be made in accordance with certain facts therein set forth; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said resolution adopted by this Board October 2, 1914, and approved by the Mayor October 14, 1914, revoking the hereinabove mentioned consents to the Mason and Hanger Company, be and it hereby is rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Long Island Electric Railway Company (Cal. No. 31).

Request of Corporation Counsel to be furnished with certain data in the matter of the application of this Company to the Public Service Commission for the First District, for the approval of a declaration of abandonment of that portion of its route on Liberty Avenue between Rockaway Plank Road and the division line between the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

This communication was presented to the Board at the meeting of October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 63), and was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 22, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—At the meeting of the Board held October 16, 1914, there was presented, and referred to this Bureau, a communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to the application of the Long Island Electric Railway Company to the Public Service Commission for the First District for the approval of a declaration of abandonment of that portion of its route on Liberty Avenue between Rockaway Plank Road and the division line between the Boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn. This communication asked that the matter be referred to this Bureau, with a request that a report be made thereon.

The information requested has been furnished to the Corporation Counsel, and, in consequence, it is recommended that the papers in the matter be filed.

Respectfully, JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

John Adikes appeared and stated the New York and Queens County Railway Company should extend its College Point Line to Clason Point Ferry in consideration of the approval of the abandonment of the route on Liberty Avenue. The Acting President of the Borough of Queens stated he would confer with Mr. Adikes relative to the matter.

The communication was then ordered filed.

#### Long Island Railroad Company (Cal. No. 32.)

Application for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate certain additional tracks under and across Vernon, East and Jackson Avenues, Borough of Queens, and to construct and maintain certain retaining walls within the lines of Sixth Street and across East and Jackson Avenues.

At the meeting of October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 72), action on this matter was deferred until this day awaiting a reply from the Company as to whether it would accept the form of contract to govern the grant.

The following was presented:

Bureau of Franchises, October 27, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—At the meeting of October 2, 1914, this Bureau presented a report and form of contract covering a proposed grant of franchise to The Long Island Railroad Company, authorizing the construction and maintenance of certain retaining walls in Sixth Street, East and Jackson Avenues, and the construction, maintenance and operation of certain additional tracks across Vernon, East and Jackson Avenues in the Borough of Queens. This report and form of contract were presented on the date named in compliance with the direction of the Board given at the meeting of September 21, on which date the preliminary hearing on the application was held.

As recited in the report, these rights were applied for by the Company to permit it to perform its part of an agreement entered into between the Public Service Commission for the First District, on behalf of the City, and the Company, whereby the City was to obtain from the Company the conveyance of an easement in and through the so-called North Shore Freight Yard of the Company in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, for the construction, maintenance and operation of a portion of the rapid transit railway known as the Steinway Tunnel Line. The City was to pay to the Company the sum of \$230,000, as consideration for the easement and to cover the cost of the relocation and rearrangement of the Company's tracks in the freight yard, which would be necessitated by reason of the occupation of the yard by the rapid transit railway. This rearrangement included the shifting of several of the Company's tracks to a new location in the yard in the vicinity of Vernon, East and Jackson Avenues and necessitated the crossing of these avenues by the tracks. It was to cover these tracks and the retaining walls necessary to support the street surface adjacent to them that the franchise was proposed to be granted. In view of the agreement between the Public Service Commission and the Company, the Bureau had been directed by the Acting Mayor and Comptroller, as members of the Committee on Transit, to prepare the grant without requiring any compensation to the City, so far as this could be accomplished under the law. Accordingly, no compensation was fixed for the original term of the grant, although a provision for a revaluation for the renewal term was inserted, such a provision being mandatory under Section 73 of the Charter. The other provisions of the grant were also drawn with

a view to carrying out as nearly as possible the intention of the agreement that the Company should not be put to any expense by reason of the fact that it had given up a portion of its yard for the rapid transit railway. No security deposit was required, but a condition inserted providing that the sum of ten thousand dollars deposited under a previous franchise contract should also stand as security for the proposed grant.

The President of the Borough of Queens having made some objections to the proposed plan of the Company, so far as it included the change of grade of the streets, and as it was impossible to have this matter decided in time to permit the presentation of the form of contract to the Board on October 2, the form of contract was so worded that the new grades proposed by the Company and shown on the map should not be binding if it were decided to follow either the original grades or grades other than those shown on the map.

In order to facilitate the matter, it being understood that the Public Service Commission was anxious to obtain the easement through the yard so that construction work on the railway might be commenced, and that the Company declined to confer the easement until it had obtained the right in substitution therefor, the proposed contract was submitted to the Corporation Counsel and approved by him as to form before the meeting of October 2.

The contract was also submitted to the Company, but in a communication dated September 22 the Company stated that it preferred to await the settlement of the grade question before taking up the provisions of the contract itself. Therefore, on October 2 the matter was laid over to October 16. Owing to the absence from the City of its Chief Engineer, the Company found it impossible to go into the matter, however, and on October 16 it was again laid over to October 30. On October 23, Mr. Savage, the Company's Chief Engineer, called at this office and discussed the terms and conditions of the contract. He proposed certain modifications which are, however, so numerous and radical that it would seem advisable to have them considered by the Committee on Franchises. These modifications have been incorporated in a letter from the Company dated October 27, 1914, which is submitted herewith. Several of these requested amendments are of such a nature that I would recommend their adoption. The others, however, would necessitate such a wide departure from the usual form of grant in similar cases that a question of policy is raised which should be determined by the Board. It may be that owing to the exceptional circumstances of the present case the Board will see fit to sanction these amendments. It is recommended that the matter be referred to the Committee on Franchises. Respectfully,

JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Acting Chief of Bureau.

The Long Island Railroad Company, General Office, Pennsylvania Station, New York, October 27, 1914.

JOHN A. MCCOLLUM, Esq., Acting Chief, Bureau of Franchises, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, New York City:

Dear Sir—Complying with your telephone suggestion that the Company restate its objections to the proposed form of contract to be entered into between the City and the Railroad Company covering the right to construct and maintain certain retaining walls, bridges and tracks through or across Sixth Street, Vernon Avenue, East and Jackson Avenues, Long Island City, I beg to state the objections referring to the sections and paragraphs as they appear in your proposed printed form, with the reasons for our suggestions as to elimination or other modification of your draft. They are as follows:

Section 2, paragraph Third: Prohibiting the assignment of the rights and privileges hereby granted, without the consent of the City, might prevent the consolidation, for instance, of the L. I. R. R. and the Pennsylvania Tunnel & Terminal R. R. Co., if such action should become desirable.

Section 2, paragraph Fourth: Amended by the addition of words "Not inconsistent with the rights hereby granted." The reason for this addition is, I think, self-explanatory.

Section 2, paragraph Fifth: We asked for the omission of this paragraph, which is one of the standard clauses in connection with a longitudinal street occupation because it is unreasonable and improper to require us to remove retaining walls, etc., and to have tracks, retaining walls, etc., become the property of the City, all in event of the termination of the original contract.

Section 2, paragraph Sixth: Omit the last sentence in the Third paragraph, referring to the installation of electrical equipment, for the reason that the tracks hereby authorized are to be operated by steam and not electricity.

Section 2, paragraph Seventh: The Company suggests that this paragraph be amended so as to read as follows:

"The Company shall complete the construction of the structures herein authorized within ten years from the date of this instrument."

The Company contends that the City has no vital interest in the commencement and prosecution of the work to be provided for in this franchise within a short period of the date of the instrument. All that it should require is that the work to be done should be completed within a stated period, and as to this period the Company urges it should be given a liberal time within which to do the work.

The portion of your proposed paragraph Seventh relating to the payment of money by way of penalty has no proper place from our viewpoint in a franchise entertained to carry out an agreement such as the one which we are making with the City.

Section 2, paragraph Eighth: Sixth line, the omission of the words "or move" is essential from our point of view, as it is ridiculous to obligate us to remove permanent structures like retaining walls or bridge abutments.

Section 2, paragraph Tenth: It seems to us very much more desirable to provide for the submission to and approval of bridge plans only by the Board of Estimate instead of by the Chief Engineer of the Board and the President of the Borough of Queens and Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as that gives us only one City Authority with which to deal, and which by reason of its supreme power can absolutely and fully protect the City's interests.

Section 2, paragraph Eleventh-B: We would like the elimination of the words "and widths" on the second line thereof, for the reason that previously the Board of Estimate has approved plans of bridges carrying streets over our tracks with sidewalk width somewhat less than the established one.

Section 2, paragraph Eleventh-A: Our original request for modification was that the inspection should be limited to the services of the one inspector. The Franchise Bureau thought such modification would be an infringement on their part of the privileges, etc., of the Borough President of Queens; consequently, we suggested the entire omission of the paragraph, as we should not be bound to pay an indeterminate amount of inspection on this piece of work and the Franchise Committee of the Board, it seems to us, might very properly omit all reference to fees for inspection.

Section 2, paragraph Twelfth: The reason for the suggested addition at the end of this paragraph of "and which in any way conflict with the maintenance and operation of the railroad of The Company" is self-explanatory.

Section 2, paragraph Fourteenth: We ask for the termination of this paragraph after the words "Corporation Counsel," on the fourth line, for the reason that it seemed improper and unreasonable that any subsequent Board of Estimate and Apportionment might be able to forfeit this franchise for a technical violation or breach of the terms of this contract.

Section 2, paragraph Fifteenth: Following a similar line of reasoning, it seemed highly improper that it should be possible to penalize us at the rate of \$250 a day for failures on our part respecting maintenance of the structures, etc. We asked for the omission, therefore, of the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth lines, also of the first three words of the tenth line of this paragraph, as well as the words "as aforesaid" on the tenth line.

Section 2, paragraph Seventeenth: The Company's suggestion is that this entire paragraph be omitted.

Referring particularly to the suggestion that paragraph Seventeenth be omitted and commenting in general upon the above suggestions respectfully submitted by the Company we beg to call the attention of your Bureau and the consideration of the Franchise Committee, to whom we understand you are to refer this letter, to the particular reason for the pending application by the Railroad Company. We appreciate that most of the clauses enumerated have been inserted by your Bureau in the form of franchise or consent customarily drawn by your Bureau and approved by the Board of Estimate. It must, however, be borne in mind that the application for franchise now under discussion is unique and is probably unlike any other application submitted to your Board and passed upon by the Board of Estimate.

The pending application of the Company is made necessary not by reason of any necessity of its own or any necessity arising from the needs of its business, but solely



by reason of a situation which confronts the Railroad Company in its endeavor to accommodate the City in furnishing the only possible location for the construction and operation of one of the City's rapid transit extensions. In a desire to accommodate the City, the Railroad Company is to convey to it, through the Public Service Commission, certain permanent and perpetual rights, easements and rights of way through its North Shore Freight Yard. Due to the limitation of the Charter, all that the Railroad Company can obtain in lieu of the perpetual rights and easements conveyed by it for area needed in the relocation of the tracks now in use upon the property to be conveyed to the City is a franchise limiting the use and occupation by the Company of certain spaces beneath streets for a brief period of years. In this light it seems to us distinctly unfair that clauses entirely applicable to franchises for the occupation of public places, made necessary solely by the business needs of the applicant, should be inserted in any form of franchise, made necessary to permit the acceptance by the City of a conveyance in perpetuity of rights for the development of the City's railroad rapid transit system. In other words, the Company feels that none of the very elaborate clauses, applicable though they may be to franchises for the longitudinal occupation of streets, have any bearing upon the sort of franchise which the Company now seeks. We feel that in justice the franchise should be a consent to the occupation of the area described and that there should be eliminated from any agreement evidencing that consent clauses which are inappropriate and inapplicable and which, if inserted, would be burdensome and perhaps confusing.

Asking that you will submit this attitude on the part of the Company to the Franchise Committee, I beg to remain, sincerely yours,

JOSEPH F. KEANY, General Solicitor.

The matter was then referred to the Committee on Franchises.

#### Bureau of Standards.

#### Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Standards—Digest of Work Done by the Standard Testing Laboratory During September, 1914 (Cal. No. 33).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 24, 1914, from the Director of the Bureau of Standards, transmitting the following report of work done by the Standard Testing Laboratory during the month of September, 1914; which were ordered printed in the minutes and filed:

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Standard Testing Laboratory, 125-127 Worth Street, New York, October 19th, 1914.

Sir—I beg to submit in tabulated form a report of the work performed under my direction by the Standard Testing Laboratory, Bureau of Standards, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, during the month of September, 1914, together with a departmental summary.

There were submitted for analyses and examination during the month of September, 1,969 samples of supplies and materials of construction, the majority of which were obtained by the regular corps of samplers attached to the Standard Testing Laboratory.

Of the samples submitted for examination under specifications or standards, 82.8 per cent. complied with the specifications, while 17.2 per cent. failed to comply.

Owing to the recent assignment of additional Engineering Chemists to this Laboratory, work which has been delayed through lack of staff is gradually being brought up to date, and research along several lines has been started.

The routine examinations during the month are comprehensively given in the attached schedules.

The research work carried on during the month consisted of the following:

#### Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Standards, Division of Supplies—

For the purpose of preparing standard specifications for various articles, the following classes of research work were taken up or carried on; tentative specifications reviewed and methods of tests promulgated.

Research being continued on asphaltic mixtures, chemicals, disinfectants, glue, insecticides, leather belting, preservative oils, abrasive paper, petroleum oil products and by-products, rubber hospital supplies, rubber sheeting, rubber hoof pads, harness soap, liquid toilet soaps, high speed steel, steel surgical instruments, suture materials, X-ray plates, and open hearth spring steel, also wood-working tools, sole and artificial leather, molasses and uniform cloth.

#### Department of Bridges—

Research being continued and metallographic studies made on samples taken from steel castings from the Williamsburg Bridge.

#### Department of Docks and Ferries—

Research being continued on anti-corrosive paints, metallic zinc dust, scouring soap, soap powder and polishing paste.

#### Fire Department—

Through the transfer of the chemical laboratory of the Fire Department to the Standard Testing Laboratory, all of the specimens furnished through the Bureaus of Fire Prevention and Combustibles are now being tested at this laboratory.

These samples include sewage, matches and inflammable liquids of all kinds.

Testing and calibration of thermometers completed.

#### Department of Finance—

Research being continued on bronze, metal polish, liquid soap and spar varnish.

#### Department of Health—

The testing and calibrating of clinical thermometers completed.

#### Department of Parks—

Research being continued on Portland cement.

A thorough investigation is being conducted to determine the cause of the corrosion of boiler tubes in power house No. 2, Botanical Garden, Borough of The Bronx.

#### Department of Public Charities—

Testing and calibrating of 1,440 clinical thermometers being continued.

#### Department of Street Cleaning.

Research being continued on samples of street refuse for the purpose of determining its heating value and composition.

#### Police Department—

Analyzing and furnishing expert testimony on samples of narcotics, poison, pills and alcoholic beverages taken from prisoners.

Samples of narcotics in connection with the Boylan Anti-Drug Law analyzed during the month of September were as follows:

Samples received .....	189
Samples on hand .....	20
Cases in various courts, defendants .....	199
Appearances in court as witnesses by chemists .....	437
Arrests made by:	
Special Squad No. 1 .....	4
Special Squad No. 2 .....	5
Special Squad No. 3 .....	87
Detective Bureau .....	14
1st Inspection District .....	16
2nd Inspection District .....	14
3rd Inspection District .....	13
4th Inspection District .....	12
5th Inspection District .....	7
6th Inspection District .....	2
7th Inspection District .....	2
8th Inspection District .....	1
9th Inspection District .....	1
10th Inspection District .....	5
11th Inspection District .....	1
12th Inspection District .....	1
Mendicant Squad, C. O. ....	2
6th Precinct .....	1
28th Precinct .....	1
35th Precinct .....	1
39th Precinct .....	3
61st Precinct .....	1
146th Precinct .....	1
158th Precinct .....	2
161st Precinct .....	1
170th Precinct .....	1

#### President, Borough of Manhattan—

Research being continued on sewer brick, also waterproofing compounds for concrete.

#### President, Borough of The Bronx—

Research on tar road oils being continued.

#### President, Borough of Richmond—

Research being continued on asphalt, granite and wood paving blocks.

#### Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—

Research on rubber pump valves by request of the Law and Adjustment Division of the Finance Department.

#### District Attorney, Bronx County—

Analyzing and furnishing expert testimony on three samples of narcotics in connection with the Boylan Anti-Drug Law.

For your information, a synopsis of the Coal Register for the month of September, 1914, is also respectively enclosed showing a total saving to the City of \$3,724.10 during that month. Respectfully submitted,

OTTO H. KLEIN, Director.

(Tabulated analyses of samples tested and synopsis of coal register are on file.)

#### From City, Borough and County Officials.

#### Department of Bridges—Equipment of Elevators in the Municipal Building (Cal. No. 34).

(On August 27, 1914 (Cal. No. 107), the protest of W. C. Petry in this matter was presented to the Board and referred to the Commissioner of Bridges.)

The Secretary presented a communication dated August 15, 1914, from William C. Petry, of 679 Grove street, Brooklyn, protesting against The City of New York entering into a contract to equip the elevators in the new Municipal Building with what is known as the Williamson-Dunford or Shurlock Elevator Door Safety System; and the following report of the Commissioner of Bridges in relation thereto:

Department of Bridges, City of New York, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., October 21, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—At a meeting held on August 27, 1914, your Honorable Board referred to me a communication dated August 15, 1914, from William C. Petry, of No. 679 Grove Street, Brooklyn, protesting against The City of New York entering into a contract to equip the elevators of the Municipal Building with what is known as the Williamson-Dunford or "Shurlock" Elevator Door Safety System, for the reasons set forth in said communication.

I have the honor to report that at my suggestion a committee of three engineers, designated respectively by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Architects of the Municipal Building and myself, to consider whether additional devices to protect the operation of the elevator cars in the Municipal Building were necessary and if so to determine what devices, met and examined a number of submission appliances which had been installed for test purposes in the Municipal Building. This committee reported to me under date of July 21, 1914, in effect that the car and the enclosure door of the elevators should be interlocked and that a latching device for the enclosure gate should be installed at the bottom of the gate instead of at its top, where a latching device is now located. It further recommended the "Shurlock" system of devices which had been under test, as in every respect satisfactory and obtainable for less money than any other proposed system. The report of the committee has received the approval of the Architects of the Municipal Building.

Mr. Petry's statements are perfectly general and would apply as well to any system of mechanical devices. He protests that the "Shurlock" system of devices would not compel compliance by the elevator operators with the present section 8 of the Elevator Regulations of the Bureau of Buildings. Bulletin No. 29, of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, entitled Elevator Regulations, and dated 1911, contains the following provision; I quote,

"8. All doors or gates leading to any elevator shaft shall be locked or bolted on the shaft side so as to be opened only by the operator of the car, and said shaft doors or gates, and car gates shall be closed before the car is put in motion."

It is to insure the carrying out of the intention of this regulation that the interlock is recommended and the "Shurlock" system is designed for that purpose.

Respectfully,

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Which was ordered filed, and the Secretary directed to send copy of the report of the Commissioner of Bridges to Mr. Petry.

#### Board of Water Supply—Increasing Water Supply of the City (Cal. No. 35).

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 68), the communication from the West End Citizens' League of Queens Borough in this matter was referred to the Board of Water Supply for report.)

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 5, 1914, from the West End Citizens' League of Queens Borough suggesting that the Board investigate the possibilities offered on Long Island for increasing the water supply before any extensions in other parts of the State are considered; and the following report of the President of the Board of Water Supply relative thereto:

Board of Water Supply, City of New York, Municipal Building, New York, October 27, 1914.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, New York:

Dear Sir—Regarding your letter of October 9, 1914, transmitting a communication from the West End Citizens' League of Queens Borough, we would advise that in the opinion of this Board it is inadvisable to consider any extension of the City's water works on Long Island until the Catskill sources are fully developed.

The possibilities of increasing the water supply of the City from Long Island sources were thoroughly investigated six to eight years ago, and the results are embodied in a report published by this Board in 1912. We believe that the ground water sources of Suffolk County are capable of furnishing an excellent supply of water to New York City and that they will be drawn upon ultimately. The cost of the entire works to provide 250 million gallons daily from Suffolk County is estimated at \$47,000,000. Every gallon of this water must be pumped.

An aqueduct having a capacity of not less than 500 million gallons daily has been constructed from the Catskill watersheds to New York City, and a supply of water has been developed, by means of the Ashokan reservoir, capable of furnishing 250 million gallons daily, so that there remains to develop only a supply by reservoirs from other watersheds capable of furnishing the balance of the capacity of the aqueduct, and in our opinion it would be far cheaper to develop the balance of the Catskill supply, 250 million gallons of which will soon be available, than to seek to obtain an additional source, especially as the aqueduct, for its full capacity, has already been constructed. Very truly yours,

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, CHAS. STRAUSS, President.

Which was ordered filed, printed in the minutes, and the Secretary directed to forward a copy of the report of the President of the Board of Water Supply to the West End Citizen's League of Queens Borough.

#### COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, ETC.

#### From Citizens and Public Bodies.

#### President, Borough of Manhattan—Site for Municipal Foodstuff Terminal, Borough of Manhattan (Cal. No. 36).

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 19, 1914, from Lindon Bates, Jr., submitting additional report and drawings for a proposed Municipal Foodstuff Terminal at the foot of West 59th Street, Manhattan, and requesting to be heard in this matter.

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 63), a communication from Lindon Bates, Jr., submitting plan and petition in this matter, was referred to the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities and to the Committee on Markets.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities and to Committee on Markets.

#### F. V. Smith, Inc. (Cal. No. 37).

An application was received from F. V. Smith, Inc., for an extension of time of six months to continue to maintain and use a narrow gauge railroad track across the bridge in the line of Tremont Avenue over Westchester Creek, Borough of The



Bronx, to be used in the regulating and grading of Tremont Avenue to Fort Schuyler Road.

The consent to construct, maintain and operate said track was granted by resolution adopted by this Board March 20, 1914, approved by the Mayor March 25, 1914, and expires by limitation November 1, 1914.

The application was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**Seventh Avenue Extension, Manhattan—Naming and Numbering New Street Formed by Extension of Seventh Avenue and Widening of Varick Street (Cal. No. 38).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 26, 1914, from Susan Varick Knox, in behalf of about sixty of the collateral descendants of Colonel Richard Varick, protesting against changing the name of Varick Street to "South Seventh Avenue."

(On October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 4), the Board, at the request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, adopted a resolution recommending to the Board of Aldermen that the new street formed by the southerly extension of Seventh Avenue and by the widening of Varick Street be named "Seventh Avenue South.")

Which was placed on file.

**Manhattan Bridge Three-Cent Line (Cal. No. 39).**

A report and financial statement was received from the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line for the year ending September 30, 1914, under and pursuant to Section 4-Twelfth of contract dated July 10, 1912, by and between the City and the Company, authorizing said Company to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railway in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, and upon, along and over the Manhattan Bridge.

Which was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**Nassau Electric Railroad Company (Cal. No. 40).**

A report and financial statement was received from the Nassau Electric Railroad Company for the year ending September 30, 1914, under and pursuant to Section 2-Twenty-fifth of contract dated March 30, 1911, granting said Company a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a single track street surface railway in Georgia Avenue, between Liberty and Atlantic Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**Nassau Electric Railroad Company (Cal. No. 41).**

A report and financial statement was received from the Nassau Electric Railroad Company for the year ending September 30, 1914, under and pursuant to the provisions of Section 2-Twenty-fifth, of contract dated September 7, 1911, granting said Company a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a single track extension at Flatbush, Fourth and Atlantic Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**Nassau Electric Railroad Company (Cal. No. 42).**

A communication was received from the Atlantic Avenue Businessmen's and Taxpayers' Association requesting to be advised when it would be possible to grant a hearing before the Board on the matter of the application of the Nassau Electric Railroad Company for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railway on Atlantic Avenue, from Fifth Avenue to Shepherd Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

This matter is in the Committee on Franchises.

The communication was ordered filed.

**Pheon Contracting Company (Cal. No. 43).**

A communication was received from the Pheon Contracting Company stating it commenced construction of the railroad track at the intersections of Chatterton Avenue with Zerega, Tremont and Castle Hill Avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, October 14, 1914, and completed such construction October 16, 1914.

This consent was granted by resolution adopted by this Board August 27, 1914 (Cal. No. 82), approved by the Mayor August 28, 1914, and the notice is given in conformity with Section 15 of the consent.

The communication was ordered filed.

**From City, Borough and County Officials.**

**Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Retirement of Bartholomew McDonald, Stoker (Cal. No. 44).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 26, 1914, from the Secretary to the Mayor, transmitting application of Bartholomew McDonald, a Stoker in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for retirement, pursuant to Chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, as amended, which has the recommendation of the Commissioner of said Department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 45).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 26, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting an issue of \$3,500 corporate stock to meet the cost of raising water mains, due to change in street grades, in Riverside Drive, Haven Avenue and 181st Street, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

**Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 46).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 23, 1914, from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting an issue of \$122,244.05 corporate stock to comply with the requirements of an order of the Supreme Court, dated February 25, 1911, confirming a report of the Commissioners of Appraisal on the Juengst Claim—Croton Falls Dam and Reservoir matter, as the fund "C-C-M-2-A, Additional Water Fund," is exhausted.

The Corporation Counsel advises that the order was properly obtained and that the provision should be complied with.

Which was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

**Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 47).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 23, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, calling the attention of the Board to the existing condition of the roadway of the 79th Street Transverse Road and urging action on his request for \$60,000 corporate stock for the reconstruction and improvement of this roadway.

(On June 19, 1914 (No. 191), the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for above appropriation was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

**Department of Public Charities—Establishment of the Position of Secretary to the First Deputy Commissioner (Cal. No. 48).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 22, 1914, from the Commissioner of Public Charities, renewing his request for the establishment of the position of Secretary to the First Deputy Commissioner, at \$2,100 per annum, for one incumbent.

The Commissioner states that in his original request for the establishment of this position, the salary asked was \$2,500 per annum and that the subcommittee on the budget has included the position at \$2,100 in the Budget for 1915; so he, therefore, requests that it now be created at the salary that is to be allowed for next year (\$2,100).

(On May 28, 1914 (No. 185), the request of the Commissioner of Public Charities for the establishment of various grades of positions, including the above, was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

(On July 2, 1914 (Cal. No. 227), the report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades on the request for the establishment of the above position and others was referred back to said Committee.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Parks, Borough of Queens—Establishment of the Position of Assistant Engineer (Cal. No. 49).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 23, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, withdrawing his request of September 21, 1914, for the establishment of the position of Assistant Engineer at \$1,800 per annum for one incumbent.

(On October 23, 1914 (No. 106), the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, for the establishment of above grade of position, was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Docks and Ferries—Retirement of Zephaniah C. Smith, Pile Driver Engineer (Cal. No. 50).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 22, 1914, from the Commissioner of Docks, recommending the retirement of Zephaniah C. Smith, a Pile Driver Engineer in said Department, pursuant to Chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, as amended.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Retirement of James Cassidy, Laborer (Cal. No. 51).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 24, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, enclosing application of James Cassidy, a Laborer in his Department, for retirement, pursuant to Chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, as amended.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**New York Railways Company (Cal. No. 52).**

A communication was received from the Corporation Counsel stating the Public Service Commission entered orders in Case No. 1862 directing the New York Railways Company to notify the Commission of its compliance with the orders in the "Matter of the abandonment of certain portions of its routes on South Street, James Slip and New Chambers Street," Borough of Manhattan, and requesting the Bureau of Franchises to forward him any information concerning the matter, so that he may protect the interests of the City.

Which was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**New York City Interborough Railway Company; Union Railway Company of New York City (Cal. No. 53).**

A communication was received from the Corporation Counsel requesting to be furnished with information as to the franchises and rights of the New York City Interborough Railway Company and the Union Railway Company of New York City to pass over Westchester Creek at Tremont Avenue, and a temporary bridge under construction at Chatterton Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Bureau of Franchises.

**Communications from the Mayor's Office (Cal. No. 54).**

Communications were received from the Mayor's Office, returning duly approved by his Honor, the Mayor, on October 14 and October 20, 1914, resolutions adopted by this Board October 2, 9 and 16, 1914, revoking, granting and modifying revocable privileges, as follows:

- Revoking consent granted Mason and Hanger Company to install, maintain and use a compressed air pipe line under and along certain streets and avenues in the vicinity of Van Cortlandt Park, Borough of The Bronx, and authorizing the Comptroller to refund a proportionate part of the compensation paid and the security deposited (Approved October 14, 1914).
- Granting Harris-Rose Construction Corporation permission to install, maintain and operate a narrow gauge railroad track across and on the surface of Boston Road at its intersection with East 222nd Street, Borough of The Bronx (Approved October 14, 1914).
- Granting J. B. Malatesta permission to construct, maintain and operate a narrow gauge railroad track across and on the surface of Bear Swamp Road at its intersection with Muliner Avenue, Borough of The Bronx (Approved October 20, 1914).
- Granting Edward Callan permission to install, maintain and use a twelve-inch pipe to contain smaller pipes for the conveyance of steam between premises of the grantee under and across East 121st Street, east of Third Avenue, Borough of Manhattan (Approved October 20, 1914).
- Granting the Third Avenue Bridge Company permission to construct, maintain and operate a single track connecting curve connecting the tracks of the Company with the existing tracks of the Second Avenue Railroad Company at 60th Street and Second Avenue, Borough of Manhattan (Approved October 20, 1914).
- Rescinding consent granted the Third Avenue Bridge Company to construct, maintain and operate a single track connecting curve at Second Avenue and 60th Street, Borough of Manhattan (Approved October 20, 1914).

Which were ordered filed.

**Department of Public Charities—Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 55).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 24, 1914, from the Commissioner of Public Charities, urging immediate consideration of his request of June 25, 1914, for an issue of corporate stock in the sum of \$50,000 for the following purposes:

No. 16—Repair, Foundation of Female Dormitory, Metropolitan Hospital \$25,000 00  
No. 18—Steam Conduit connecting Power House with the buildings of the Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island..... 25,000 00  
The Commissioner also states that the wording of the request for Randall's Island should be changed to read:

"Steam conduit connecting Power House with the Buildings of the Children's Hospitals and Schools, and also additional Mechanical Equipment, Estimated Cost..... \$25,000 00"

Which was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

**Department of Public Charities—Modification of Contract for the Service Building at Metropolitan Hospital (Cal. No. 56).**

The Secretary presented a communication from the Commissioner of Public Charities, dated October 22, 1914, urging immediate action on his request of July 14, 1914, for the modification of the contract for the Service Building at Metropolitan Hospital.

The Commissioner states that unless some decision can be reached by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with regard to this matter it appears that the contractor will finish his contract according to the original plans and specifications, which will necessitate either spending the \$200,000 appropriated for additional service buildings or tearing down a certain portion of the building now under construction and reconstructing it at a heavy expense.

Mr. Henry C. Wright, Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, appeared in support of the request.

Which was referred to the Corporation Counsel and to the Bureau of Contract Supervision for report in one week (November 6, 1914).

**Bronx Parkway Commission—Offers to Sell Land Required for the Bronx River Parkway (Cal. No. 57).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 21, 1914, from the President of the Bronx Parkway Commission, submitting list of additional offers of property owners to sell land required for the Bronx River Parkway.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

**MATTERS LAID OVER FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS.**

**Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx—Issue of Special Revenue Bonds and Modification of Schedule (Cal. No. 58).**

(On October 23, 1914 (No. 92), the resolution of the Board of Aldermen in this matter was laid over for one week under Rule 19 and referred to the Comptroller for report.)

The Secretary presented a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted on October 6, 1914, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the sum of \$6,645.31, the



proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner Parks, Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of replenishing the fund for niring horses and vehicles with drivers; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof and modification of schedule:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 30, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—On October 6, 1914, the Board of Aldermen adopted the following 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 thousand six hundred and forty-five and 31-100 dollars (\$6,645.31), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Park Commissioner of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of replenishing the fund for the hire of horses and vehicles with drivers.

"All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914."

In reference to the foregoing, it is reported as follows:

The purpose of the proposed issuance of special revenue bonds is to reimburse Account No. 1235, Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Hire of Horses and Vehicles with Drivers in the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx. The original appropriation to this account is now practically exhausted owing to the fact that part of the obligations incurred in the operation of a bus line, between Bartow Station and City Island amounting to \$6,645.31 were paid from that appropriation.

The Pelham Park and City Island Railway Company, Inc., operated under a franchise, the monorail system between Bartow Station and City Island, in the Borough of The Bronx, and for some time furnished transportation service between these points. This monorail service was unsatisfactory, it being impossible at times for the people residing on City Island, as well as those who desired to visit City Island, to do so without losing a great deal of time due to the frequent breaking down of the monorail system. Inasmuch as the City desired to protect the people of City Island in the matter of transit facilities, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 20, 1914, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to hire vehicles and operate same through the park for a five cent fare until such time as this Board shall make permanent arrangements for construction, maintenance and operation of a railway therein."

Acting under the resolution referred to, the Commissioner of Parks entered into an agreement with the Roland Gas Electric Vehicle Corporation to operate a bus line between Bartow Station and City Island for a five cent fare. This bus line was in operation from March 21, 1914, to August 14, 1914. Since that time the people of City Island have been provided with transit facilities by a permit granted to the Union Railway Company by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the operation of a storage battery railway system between Bartow Station and City Island. This permit has been granted pending the filing of an application by the Union Railway Company with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for a franchise.

It will be seen from the resolution authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx to operate the bus line that no appropriation for the operation of this line was mentioned or included, and for this reason part of the expenditures referred to amounting to \$6,645.31 were charged to Account No. 1235, "Hire of Horses and Vehicles with Drivers."

In June, 1914, an issuance of \$25,000 special revenue bonds was authorized for the purchase of materials to repair various roads and buildings under the jurisdiction of the said department, and it is reported that unless these roads are repaired this year it will be a very expensive matter to repair them next year.

In reference to the foregoing contracts have been let for furnishing and delivering broken stone, screenings, sand, gravel, and road oil, and the department is now engaged in making repairs to the roads, but up to the present time the work has not progressed as rapidly as was expected, due to the lack of sufficient horses and vehicles for the hauling materials scattered along the roads. Unless the additional horses and vehicles requested are provided, it will be impossible to complete all contemplated repair work to roads this year. Horses and vehicles will also be required during the remainder of the year for hauling paper, rubbish and daily accumulations in the various parks and for carting and hauling several hundred tons of hay from Pelham Park. It is also intended to cart 500 cu. yds. of soil to Bronx Park, as well as shrubs and plants from various parks to the greenhouses for the winter. In addition to the foregoing, it will be necessary to haul manure to various parks to preserve the flower plots.

The number of teams, horses and carts required for the remainder of the year, to do the work referred to, together with the cost of same, is estimated as follows:

20 Double teams, at \$5 per day, 40 days.....	\$4,000 00
22 Horses and carts, at \$3 per day, 40 days.....	2,640 00

Total.....	\$6,640 00
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The payroll for the hire of horses and vehicles with drivers in the Department of Parks, for the previous eight months has varied from \$5,000 to \$6,000 per month, and assuming that horses and vehicles will be necessary for a period of forty (40) days during the months of November and December, the amount requested will be sufficient to carry on the work in the department for the remainder of the year.

The adoption of the attached resolution approving and concurring in the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on October 6, 1914, and the schedules as revised, is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on October 6, 1914, requesting an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of Six Thousand Six Hundred and Forty-five Dollars and Thirty-one Cents (\$6,645.31), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of reimbursing Account No. 1235, Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Hire of Horses and Vehicles with Drivers, be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, in an amount not exceeding Six Thousand Six Hundred and Forty-five Dollars, and Thirty-one Cents (\$6,645.31), redeemable from the Tax Levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens, and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedule as revised for the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1914, as follows:

<i>Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.</i>	
1235 Hire of Horses and Vehicles with Drivers—	
Driver with Horse and Vehicle at \$3.00 per day (4.108 days).....	\$12,324 00
Driver with Team and Vehicle at \$5.00 per day (5.135 days).....	25,675 00
	\$37,999 00
Special Revenue Bonds .....	6,645 31
	\$44,644 31
Tax Levy Appropriation .....	\$37,999 00
Special Revenue Bonds .....	6,645 31
Schedule Total .....	\$44,644 31

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Alder-

men, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens, and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Docks and Ferries—Exchange of Land with Harway Improvement Company (Cal. No. 59).

The Secretary presented a report of the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities on the petition of the Harway Improvement Company, wherein said company offers certain lands, claimed to be owned by it, and required by the City for the construction of the Bensonhurst Storm Water Outlet of the Coney Island Drainage Canal, in exchange for certain other lands in the vicinity to which both the City of New York and the Harway Improvement Company claim title.

(The above petition was presented to the Board on March 13, 1914 (Cal. No. 51), and referred to the Committee on Port and Terminal Facilities.)

(On July 30, 1914 (Cal. No. 337), the Board adopted a modified drainage plan for this improvement.)

(On September 21 and on October 2, 16 and 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 81), this matter was laid over; on the latter date until this meeting.)

The Secretary also presented a communication dated October 23, 1914, from the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, transmitting for adoption an amended plan showing the land required for the Bensonhurst Storm Water Outlet, the new position being intended to harmonize with the changes contemplated in the negotiations now in progress relative to an exchange of title.

This plan corrects a slight error in the plan adopted by the Board on July 30, 1914. On motion, the matter was laid over for two weeks (November 13, 1914).

#### Registering Under the Torrens System Titles to Property Acquired by the City (Cal. No. 60).

(On January 9, 1911, a communication from Gilbert Ray Hawes, submitting a proposition for the consideration of the Board relative to registering under the Torrens law, titles to property acquired by the City, was referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the President of the Board of Aldermen.)

(On March 14, 1912, a supplemental communication from Mr. Hawes on the same subject was also referred to said Committee.)

(On January 30, 1914 (Cal. No. 80), under a reassignment of matters to committees of the Board, this matter was referred to the Committee on Assessments.)

(The report of the Committee was presented to the Board on October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 9), and the matter was laid over until this meeting.)

The Secretary presented the following report of the Committee on Assessments: September 28th, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on January 19th, 1911, a communication from Mr. Gilbert Ray Hawes was received, relative to registering titles to property acquired by the city, through condemnation or otherwise, for streets, highways, parks, school buildings, etc., under the Torrens system of land title registration, which communication was referred to Hon. Cyrus C. Miller, then President of the Borough of The Bronx, and Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, then President of the Board of Aldermen, who were appointed a committee to consider the subject.

On January 23rd, 1914, a Committee on Assessments was appointed by the Board, and this matter was referred to said Committee.

Your Committee has considered the matter very carefully and has consulted with the Corporation Counsel in regard thereto, and has come to the conclusion that it would be inadvisable for the city to examine titles under this system, for the following reasons:

First—The cost of registering and insuring under the "Torrens Law" would exceed that of examination and insurance by title insurance companies.

Second—A report as to the marketability or unmarketability of titles can be obtained from a title insurance company much more quickly than by means of a proceeding under the "Torrens Law."

Third—In case the city is under several contracts for the purchase of as many different properties, the titles of all can be examined and reported upon simultaneously by a title insurance company, while under the "Torrens Law" the examinations would have to be made by an official examiner and necessarily separately.

Your committee, therefore, recommends that for the present at least the city continue to examine titles according to its present practice.

Respectfully submitted,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx, Chairman; ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Committee on Assessments.

Mr. Gilbert Ray Hawes appeared in support of his proposition.

On motion, the matter was referred back to the Committee on Assessments for further consideration.

#### Department of Docks and Ferries—Transfer of Appropriation and Modification of Schedules (Cal. No. 61).

The Secretary presented a report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades recommending the modification of eight wage schedules for the Department of Docks and Ferries for the year 1914, to be effective as of August 1, 1914, to provide for the payment of the prevailing rate of wages (\$5 per day) to the Engineers (Pile Drivers), in said Department, involving the transfer of \$202.50.

(On October 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 25), this matter was laid over to this meeting.)

The Secretary also presented the following communication from the First Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks, withdrawing his request:

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, October 29, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—On the 23d ultimo a request was forwarded to you by this Department for a modification of wage schedules Nos. 2811, 2812, 2813, 2816, 2817, 2818, 2819 and 2820 in the 1914 budget with reference to the pay of Pile Driver Engineers and Stationary Engineers.

This matter is on the calendar for action tomorrow.

I find that our request of the 23d ultimo was submitted for change in the rates upon the basis of the titles now held by the men rather than upon the basis of the actual duties performed. Heretofore Pile Driver Engineers and Stationary Engineers have been taken from the same Civil Service list, and, with the approval of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, any man holding one title could be assigned to duty in the other title, both places having been considered the same. In view of the change in the rate of wages it will be necessary to have some of the men now holding the title of Stationary Engineer changed to Pile Driver and some of those holding the title of Pile Driver Engineer will have to be changed to Stationary Engineer.

Please return our request of September 23, 1914, for modification.

Yours respectfully, RICHARD C. HARRISON, First Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks.

The Secretary was then directed to return the request to the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries.

#### Department of Education—Changing Title of Thermostat Repairer to Plumber with Knowledge of Thermostat Repairing, and Increasing Compensation Thereof (Cal. No. 62).

The Secretary presented a report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative to changing the title of Thermostat Repairer to Plumber with Knowledge of Thermostat Repairing and increasing the compensation from \$5 to \$5.50 per day.

The report of the Bureau of Standards to the Committee shows that the request for change in title is based on a claim of Samuel Polglase, a Thermostat Repairer in the Department of Education, demanding \$5.50 per day as the prevailing rate. Investigation among private establishments shows that thermostat repairing is a branch of the plumbing trade and \$5.50 per day is the prevailing rate paid.

In view of this report, the Committee believes that the title of Thermostat Repairer is more appropriate and recommends the establishment of the grade of Thermostat Repairer in City departments at \$5.50 per day for an unlimited number of incumbents; also recommending that the heads of departments be requested to provide for the increase by transfer of funds or otherwise.

(On October 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 24), this matter was laid over until this meeting.)

Which was laid over pending further report.



**Atlantic Avenue, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Van Wyck Avenue—Amending the Proceeding for Acquiring Title by Excluding the Section Between Frost Avenue and Van Wyck Avenue, Borough of Queens (Cal. No. 63).**

(On July 30, 1914 (Cal. No. 264), the Board, on the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, adopted a resolution fixing September 25, 1914, as the date for a public hearing on this matter.)

(On September 25, 1914 (Cal. No. 8), a public hearing was held in this matter and at the close thereof, it was laid over for two weeks.)

(On October 9 and 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 85), the matter was again laid over; on the latter date until this meeting.)

The Secretary presented a communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated August 26, 1914, stating that in the absence of any information as to the value of the property acquired, he is unable at the present time to estimate the extent of the liability which the City would incur under Section 1000 of the Charter by reason of the discontinuance of Atlantic avenue, between Frost and Van Wyck avenues, and that the expense incurred up to that date for this section of the street aggregates \$265.79. He also states that a claim has been filed by one owner, but that the amount of it is not stated.

On motion, the matter was laid over for one week (November 6, 1914).

**Archer Street, from Van Wyck Avenue to Ezra Street, Borough of Queens—Amending the District of Assessment in the Proceeding for Acquiring Title (Cal. No. 64).**

(On September 25, 1914 (Cal. No. 69), this matter was laid over for two weeks and referred to the Committee on Assessments for report in the meantime.)

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 95), the matter was laid over until this meeting.)

The Secretary presented a report of the Chief Engineer of the Board, dated September 17, 1914, relative to amending the district of assessment in this proceeding.

Mr. Herbert A. O'Brien appeared and addressed the Board.

On motion, the matter was laid over for two weeks (November 13, 1914).

**15th Avenue, from Bath Avenue to Benson Avenue, Brooklyn—Sewer—(Final Authorization) (Cal. No. 65).**

(On October 9, 1914 (Cal. No. 53), property owners appeared before the Board and objected to the authorization of this improvement. The matter was then laid over to this meeting to enable these property owners to present a waiver of claims for possible damage if the sewer is not constructed.)

The Secretary presented a report of the Chief Engineer of the Board, dated October 1, 1914, recommending the authorization of the proposed improvement; together with a petition from William A. Gardner and others, objecting to its authorization.

On motion, the matter was laid over for two weeks, (November 13, 1914).

**West 176th Street, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Davidson Avenue, from West 176th Street to a Point About 80 Feet South of West 174th Street; Grand Avenue, from West 176th Street to Macombs Road; West 175th Street, from Grand Avenue to Macombs Road; West 174th Street, from Davidson Avenue to Macombs Road; Featherbed Lane, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Inwood Avenue, from Belmont Street to Featherbed Lane; and in Belmont Street, from Inwood Avenue to Macombs Road, Borough of The Bronx—Sewers—(Preliminary Authorization) (Cal. No. 66).**

(On July 30, August 27, and September 21, and on October 2, 1914 (Cal. No. 65), this matter was laid over; on the latter date until this meeting.)

The Secretary presented a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Van Courtlandt District, Borough of The Bronx, on June 16, 1914; and the following reports of the Chief Engineer of the Board:

Report No. 13285. July 24, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir:—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Van Courtlandt District, Borough of The Bronx, adopted on June 16, 1914, initiating proceedings for constructing sewers in the following streets: West 176th Street, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Davidson Avenue, from West 176th Street to a point about 80 feet south of West 174th Street; Grand Avenue, from West 176th Street to Macombs Road; West 175th Street, from Grand Avenue to Macombs Road; West 174th Street, from Davidson Avenue to Macombs Road; Featherbed Lane, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Inwood Avenue, from Belmont Street to Featherbed Lane, and Belmont Street, from Inwood Avenue to Macombs Road.

This resolution affects lengths varying from one block or a little over 300 feet of Belmont Street to four blocks or about 1,100 feet of West 176th Street, aggregating a little over one mile. Under an opening proceeding now in progress title to each of the streets where not heretofore acquired can be vested in the City at any time.

An inspection of the ground shows that Inwood Avenue, Belmont Street and Featherbed Lane are in use, but that the remaining streets have not been improved, and that the area traversed is almost entirely undeveloped. The outlet sewers are built. The improvement is petitioned for by 26 owners, representing about 10 per cent. of the frontage which, in the area of direct benefit, is estimated to have an assessed value of \$60 per linear foot, excluding buildings.

The work is estimated to cost about \$64,200, and the assessed valuation of the property within the area deemed to be benefited is stated to be \$442,775.

The Acting Borough President advises that the area has been subdivided and that various owners desire to develop their property in anticipation of the subway now under construction in Jerome Avenue, but that such development cannot take place until sewerage facilities have been provided. While it is true that this territory closely adjoins the subway line referred to and will unquestionably be substantially developed in the immediate future, I believe that the improvement might properly be deferred for a short time.

It is, therefore, recommended that the resolution be referred back to this office until the urgency of the improvement is more clearly established.

Respectfully, ARTHUR S. TUTTLE, Deputy Chief Engineer.

Report No. 14100. October 27th, 1914.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir:—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on July 30th, 1914, and at the request of the Borough President, there was presented for consideration a resolution of the Local Board of the Van Courtlandt District, Borough of The Bronx, adopted on June 16th, 1914, initiating proceedings for constructing sewers in the following streets: West 176th Street, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Davidson Avenue, from West 176th Street to a point about 80 feet south of West 174th Street; Grand Avenue, from West 176th Street to Macombs Road; West 175th Street, from Grand Avenue to Macombs Road; West 174th Street, from Davidson Avenue to Macombs Road; Featherbed Lane, from Jerome Avenue to Macombs Road; Inwood Avenue, from Belmont Street to Featherbed Lane, and Belmont Street, from Inwood Avenue to Macombs Road.

It was at that time shown that, with the exception of Inwood Avenue, Belmont Street and Featherbed Lane, none of the streets has been improved, and that the area traversed is almost entirely undeveloped, but that various owners had expressed a desire to improve their property in anticipation of the completion of the subway now under construction in Jerome Avenue, which development could not take place until sewerage facilities had been provided. While it was apparent that the improvement would be needed in the near future, it was thought that it could be deferred for a short time without hardship to the interests affected, and it was recommended that the resolution be referred back to this office until the urgency of the work could be more clearly established.

Consideration of the matter was at that time deferred, and the resolution has been repeatedly laid over, until October 2nd last, at which time its further consideration was deferred for a period of one month.

Since that time a number of letters have been received containing specific assurances that the owners of certain lots wish to develop their properties and would build without delay if a sewer were provided. The borough officials have prepared a diagram indicating the location of a number of these lots which are to be improved. This shows that on Davidson Avenue there are 22 such lots, on Grand Avenue 26, on West 174th Street 14, on West 175th Street 5, on West 176th Street 14, on Featherbed Lane 12, on Inwood Avenue 1, making a total of 94 plots, which there is every reason to believe will be developed promptly in anticipation of the building of the Jerome Avenue transit line. These figures do not include 9 lots to be improved on

Jerome Avenue, where there is a sewer, or certain additional lots on Belmont Street in which the sewer is to be built.

Although there are no buildings at present on the lines of these streets, the assurance that there will be a rapid development of the abutting property would seem to justify the authorization of the improvement at this time.

The work is estimated to cost about \$64,200, and the assessed valuation of the property within the area deemed to be benefited is stated to be \$442,775.

Respectfully, NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx offered the following:

Whereas, the President of the Borough of The Bronx has transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a copy of a resolution of the Local Board of the Van Courtlandt District, duly adopted by said Board on the 16th day of June, 1914, and approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx on the 23rd day of June, 1914, as follows, to wit:

"Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvement, to wit:

"For constructing sewers and appurtenances in West 176th Street, between Jerome Avenue and Macombs Road; and in Davidson Avenue, between West 176th Street and a point about 80 feet south of West 174th Street; and in Grand Avenue, between West 176th Street and Macombs Road; and in West 175th Street, between Grand Avenue and Macombs Road; and in West 174th Street, between Davidson Avenue and Macombs Road; and in Featherbed Lane, between Jerome Avenue and Macombs Road; and in Inwood Avenue, between Belmont Street and Featherbed Lane; and in Belmont Street, between Inwood Avenue and Macombs Road, together with all work incidental thereto, "—in the Borough of The Bronx."

—and which resolution is accompanied with an approximate estimate of the cost of the work and the assessed value of the property benefited.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the President of the Borough of The Bronx to prepare plans, specifications and an estimate of cost based on actual survey, and also to secure a determination of the boundary of the district of assessment; the entire expense of the work done subsequent to the date of this authorization to be charged against the Street Improvement Fund and later included in the assessment.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will consider the authorization of the construction of the said proposed improvement after the President of the Borough of The Bronx has submitted a statement showing that all of the above described work has been done, that he has secured the approval of the form of contract by the Corporation Counsel, that he is prepared to place the improvement under contract as soon as he receives the consent of the Board, and that the assessment map will be completed on or before the date of payment on acceptance; this report being accompanied by a further statement showing the quantity of work to be performed under each item and the unit price thereof, the expense incurred for preliminary work, the allowance to be made for additional engineering and contingencies, the total probable cost, and the number of working days to be allowed the contractor for carrying out the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**President, Borough of Manhattan—Rescindment of Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 67).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 5, 1914, from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, requesting the rescission of \$22,500 of the corporate stock authorization of \$25,000 adopted by the Board on June 19, 1914 (Cal. No. 49), for the construction of a mezzanine floor and for other work in Washington Market, under the jurisdiction of the Borough President.

(On October 9, 1914, (No. 101), this communication was presented to the Board and referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget, and on October 16, 1914 (No. 88), consideration of this request was laid over to October 23, 1914.)

(On October 23, 1914, a supplemental communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, dated September 29, 1914, requesting the rescission of the resolution authorizing the issue of corporate stock for the above purpose, was presented and laid over.)

(On October 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 87), this matter was laid over until this meeting.)

The Secretary presented a petition from Ellison & Ellison, signed by a number of merchants renting stands in Washington Market, requesting the Board to abandon the plan for providing the mezzanine floor.

Which petition was referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

Hon. Cyrus C. Miller appeared and requested an opportunity to appear before the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

Mr. Bruce Ellison appeared in opposition to building a mezzanine floor.

On motion, the matter was then laid over for two weeks (November 13, 1914).

**President, Borough of Manhattan—Issue of Corporate Stock (Cal. No. 68).**

The Secretary presented a communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, dated July 8, 1914, requesting an issue of \$35,000 corporate stock for making repairs to public bath at Nos. 83-85 Carmine street, Manhattan.

(On July 9, 1914 (No. 245), the above communication was laid over to July 30, 1914, and referred to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.)

(On July 30, September 21 and 25, and on October 2, 1914 (Cal. No. 62), this matter was again laid over; on the latter date, until this meeting.)

Which was referred back to the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget for further consideration and laid over for two weeks (November 13, 1914).

**Department of Finance—Status of the Fund for Street and Park Openings (Cal. No. 69).**

The Secretary presented a communication from the Comptroller showing the status of the Fund for Street and Park Openings.

(On July 30, September 21 and 25, and on October 2, 16 and 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 90), this matter was laid over; on the latter date until this meeting.)

Which was laid over for one week (November 6, 1914).

**Policy of the Board with Respect to Advancing Street Opening Proceedings (Cal. No. 70).**

The Secretary presented a communication from the Engineer submitting a list of proceedings for acquiring title to streets which should be authorized or advanced.

(Engineer reports (13529) that this list has been prepared in accordance with instructions given by the Board at its meeting held on July 10. From the report it appears that 133 resolutions for acquiring title to streets are now awaiting consideration, of which number 65 cannot be favorably reported at the present time, and that rule and damage maps have been presented relating to 44 proceedings heretofore authorized, of which number the approval of 9 will have to be temporarily withheld until proposed amendments in the plans have been approved or until pending changes in the street lines have been legalized.)

(On July 30, 1914 (Cal. No. 112), action was taken on several items in the above communication and the matter was then laid over until September 21, 1914, as was also the question of general policy on Street Opening proceedings.)

(On September 21 and 25, and on October 2, 16 and 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 91), this matter was again laid over; on the latter date until this meeting.)

On motion, the matter was laid over for one week (November 6, 1914).

**Matters Considered by Unanimous Consent.**

The following matters not on the Calendar for this day were considered by unanimous consent:

**All City Departments—Estimate of Corporate Stock Requirements to October 31, 1915 (No. 71).**

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Secretary is hereby directed to transmit to the various City departments all requests for issues of corporate stock made by them and on which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has not taken action, with the direction that these requests be reviewed as to their present urgency, and that said departments submit to this Board a comprehensive estimate of their corporate stock requirements to October 31, 1915, indicating therein the order of precedence.



Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Parks, Borough of Queens—Modification of Schedules (No. 72).

The Secretary presented a communication, dated September 8, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, requesting a modification of schedules for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, October 27, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 9, 1914, you referred to the Comptroller a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, dated September 8, 1914, in which he requested a modification of schedules within his Department to provide for the employment of labor for the improvement of Kings Park.

On March 7, 1912, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized \$3,000 in corporate stock for the improvement of Kings Park. This was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen April 16, 1912.

The Commissioner now proposes to do the work by departmental labor for the reason that the work can be done more efficiently and economically performed in that way. As the proposed method will eliminate contractor's profit, without any additional supervision cost to the Department, it would appear that the request is reasonable. I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution modifying the schedules as requested. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules, as revised, for the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, for the year 1914, to be effective November 2, 1914, as follows:

*Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.*

1381½C Care of Parks and Boulevards—  
6 Laborers for a period of 30 days ..... \$450 00

Corporate stock allowance ..... \$450 00

*Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.*

1400½C Care of Parks and Boulevards—  
2 Teams for a period of 30 days ..... \$300 00

Corporate stock allowance ..... \$300 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### Department of Parks, Borough of Queens—Modification of Schedules (No. 73).

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 2, 1914, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, requesting a modification of schedules for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof:

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, October 29, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On October 3, 1914, you referred to the Comptroller, a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, dated October 2, 1914, in which he requested a modification of schedules within his department, to provide for the employment of departmental labor, for the improvement of Kissena Park.

On July 10, 1914, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized \$2,000 in corporate stock for the improvement of Kissena Park and the piping of the nursery at the park. This was approved by the Mayor, on August 27, 1914, in accordance with Section 48 of the Charter. The authorization provides that no expenditures shall be made for departmental labor, until after approval by your Board, and in accordance with schedules to be adopted by you. The Commissioner proposes to do the work by departmental labor for the reason that the work can be more efficiently and economically performed in this way. As the proposed method will eliminate contractor's profit, without any additional supervision cost to the department, it would appear that the request is reasonable.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution modifying the schedules requested.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules, as revised, for the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, for the year 1914, to be effective November 2, 1914, as follows:

*Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees.*

1381½C Care of Parks and Boulevards—  
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (580 days) ..... \$1,450 00

Corporate stock allowance ..... \$1,450 00

*Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation.*

1400½C Care of Parks and Boulevards—  
Driver with team and vehicle, at \$5 per day (160 days) ..... \$800 00

Corporate stock allowance ..... \$800 00

*Materials.*

1398½C General Plant Materials ..... \$500 00

Corporate stock allowance ..... \$500 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

#### President, Borough of The Bronx—Modification of Schedule (No. 74).

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 15, 1914, from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting a modification of schedule for 1914; and the following report of the Comptroller recommending approval thereof:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, October 30, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—In a communication dated October 15, 1914, addressed to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested modification of the schedule supporting the 1914 appropriation made to that department in Account No. 468TS, for Personal Service, Wages Temporary Employees, Care of Highways.

It is proposed that the lines reading:

468TS Foreman, at \$5 per day (606 days) ..... \$3,030 00  
Foreman, at \$4 per day (7,284 days) ..... 29,136 00  
Carpenter, at \$5 per day (906 days) ..... 4,077 00  
Paver, at \$5 per day (3,740 days) ..... 18,700 00  
Rammer, at \$4 per day (1,870 days) ..... 7,480 00  
Painter, at \$4 per day (806 days) ..... 3,224 00  
Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (1,716 days) ..... 8,151 00  
Flagger, at \$4.50 per day (720 days) ..... 3,240 00  
Fireman, at \$3 per day (601 days) ..... 1,803 00  
Laborer, at \$2.75 per day (3,000 days) ..... 8,250 00  
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (84,759 days) ..... 211,897 50

Total ..... \$298,988 50

—be made to read as follows:

468TS Foreman, at \$5 per day (322 days) ..... \$1,610 00  
Foreman, at \$4 per day (7,653 days) ..... 30,612 00  
Carpenter, at \$4.50 per day (511 days) ..... 2,299 50  
Paver, at \$5 per day (3,680 days) ..... 18,400 00

Rammer, at \$4 per day (1,945 days) ..... 7,780 00  
Painter, at \$4 per day (961 days) ..... 3,844 00  
Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (827 days) ..... 3,928 25  
Flagger, at \$4.50 per day (805 days) ..... 3,622 50  
Fireman, at \$3 per day (583 days) ..... 1,749 00  
Laborer, at \$2.75 per day (1,468 days) ..... 4,037 00  
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (88,442½ days) ..... 221,106 25

Total ..... \$298,988 50

The purpose of the proposed modification is to decrease the time of employment in certain classes of service and to increase the time of employment in other classes, in order to meet the present requirements.

The requested change includes the correction of an error in the 1914 budget. The rate for Carpenter in this schedule should be \$4.50 per day instead of \$5.00 per day.

The Superintendent of Highways of the Borough of The Bronx states that mainly on account of the unusual length of the dry season this year more work was performed in certain branches of highway maintenance, and less in other branches thereof, than was anticipated when the schedule was originally set up. The natural result occasioned by these operations is that the allowances fixed in some of the lines referred to have now become exhausted, while others indicate prospective unexpended balances at the end of the current year. It is therefore proposed to readjust these allowances so as to permit the employment of the men according to prevailing conditions in the department.

The line item changes in detail are as follows:

Account No.	Title.	Increase.	Decrease.
468TS	Foreman, at \$5 per day.....		\$1,420 00
	Foreman, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,476 00	
	Carpenter, at \$5 per day.....		1,777 50
	Paver, at \$5 per day.....		300 00
	Rammer, at \$4 per day.....	300 00	
	Painter, at \$4 per day.....	620 00	
	Engineer, at \$4.75 per day.....		4,222 75
	Flagger, at \$4.50 per day.....	382 50	
	Fireman, at \$3 per day.....		54 00
	Laborer, at \$2.75 per day.....		4,213 00
	Laborer, at \$2.50 per day.....	9,208 75	
Total		\$11,987 25	\$11,987 25

No increase in expenditures or change in the schedule total is involved in the modification requested.

The adoption of the attached resolution, approving the schedule, as revised, is therefore recommended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the schedule, as revised, for the Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1914, effective as of October 12, 1914, as follows:

*Personal Service, Wages, Temporary Employees, Care of Highways.*

468TS Tax Levy and Special and Trust Fund Force—  
Foreman, at \$5 per day (322 days) ..... \$1,610 00  
Foreman, at \$4 per day (7,653 days) ..... 30,612 00  
Carpenter, at \$4.50 per day (511 days) ..... 2,299 50  
Paver, at \$5 per day (3,680 days) ..... 18,400 00  
Rammer, at \$4 per day (1,945 days) ..... 7,780 00  
Painter, at \$4 per day (961 days) ..... 3,844 00  
Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (827 days) ..... 3,928 25  
Flagger, at \$4.50 per day (805 days) ..... 3,622 50  
Fireman, at \$3 per day (583 days) ..... 1,749 00  
Laborer, at \$2.75 per day (1,468 days) ..... 4,037 00  
Laborer, at \$2.50 per day (88,442½ days) ..... 221,106 25  
Asphalt Foreman, at \$5 per day (450 days) ..... 2,250 00  
Engineer, at \$4.75 per day (426 days) ..... 2,023 50  
Fireman, at \$3 per day (225½ days) ..... 676 50  
Asphalt Worker, at \$3 per day (1,125 days) ..... 3,375 00  
Asphalt Worker, at \$2.50 per day (5,625 days) ..... 14,062 50

Schedule Total ..... \$321,376 00

Tax Levy Allowance..... \$301,953 96

Special and Trust Fund Allowance..... 19,422 04

Total Allowance ..... \$321,376 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of Richmond—16.

**Yonkers Electric Light & Power Company; Westchester Lighting Company; the New York Edison Company and the United Electric Light & Power Company—Franchise to Operate Over the Line of the Catskill Aqueduct from the Battery, Manhattan, to the Northerly Line of Westchester County.—Appointment of Advisory Committee of Engineers (No. 75).**

(On October 16, 1914 (Cal. No. 1), the hearing in this matter was continued to November 13, 1914.)

The Mayor suggested that in view of the difficulty in securing information or statistics which could be used as a basis upon which to estimate the value of the proposed franchise, that an advisory committee to consist of two City Engineers and one outside electrical expert, be designated for this purpose, and asked that the Board authorize the payment of such an electrical expert.

On motion, unanimously adopted, the Board authorized the payment from the Contingent Fund of the Mayor's office for the year 1914 of the compensation of an Electrical Expert to be designated by the Mayor, to act in conjunction with two Engineers in the City service for the purpose of investigating and appraising the value of the proposed franchise to the Yonkers Electric Light and Power Company, the Westchester Lighting Company, The New York Edison Company and the United Electric Light and Power Company to construct, maintain and operate conductors, conduits, poles and towers for the operation of one line of poles and towers, and to install and maintain wires, cables and other conductors over the Catskill Aqueduct lands, etc., the value of the rights surrendered by The City of New York, and the value of the services which the Companies propose to render to The City of New York under the franchise.

#### Public Service Commission for the First District—Subway Station at Hicks and Montague Streets, Brooklyn (No. 76).

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 29, 1914, from Pierre A. Shiel, representing the residents of Brooklyn Heights, requesting a hearing in the matter of the location of a subway station at Hicks and Montague Streets, Brooklyn, on the Whitehall-Montague Street rapid transit line.

Which was referred to the Committee on Transit.

#### President, Borough of The Bronx—Improving Condition of Unpaved Streets (No. 77).

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, calling the attention of the Board to numerous requests for the improvement of the surface of unpaved or greatly travelled streets in the Borough of The Bronx where local conditions either do not warrant the presenting of a petition for paving or do not justify the Local Board in requesting the Board of Estimate to authorize the same.

The Borough President gives Leggett Avenue, The Bronx, as one of the many streets in need of repaving and requests that the Board consider this matter and adopt a resolution outlining its policy in regard to the use of maintenance funds for improving the surface of travelled streets where the local conditions do not warrant paving.

Which was referred to the Committee on Tax Budget.



**Department of Bridges—Retirement of Edward Cunningham, Superintendent of Electric Lights (No. 78).**

The Secretary presented a communication, dated October 27, 1914, from the Commissioner of Bridges, transmitting application of Edward Cunningham, Superintendent of Electric Lights in the Department of Bridges for retirement, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, as amended, and requesting favorable action on same.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn—Retirement of William H. Lyon, Gardener (No. 79).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 29, 1914, from the Secretary to the Mayor transmitting communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated October 27, 1914, requesting the retirement, pursuant to Chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, as amended, of William H. Lyon, a Gardener in the employ of said department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.

**Department of Finance, Department of Education and Department of Public Charities—Issues of Special Revenue Bonds (No. 80).**

The Secretary presented eight (8) resolutions of the Board of Aldermen requesting issues of special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter), as follows:

A—\$1,100 for the payment by the Comptroller of rent of space in the Fidelity Storage Warehouse Company's building at 107 West 96th Street, Manhattan, used for the storage of ten army wagons from June 1, 1912, to March 31, 1914.

B—\$1,191.67 for the payment by the Comptroller of rent of rooms in the building No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan, occupied by the Change of Grade Damage Commission between July 1, 1913, and May 1, 1914.

C—\$1,500 for the payment by the Comptroller of rent of premises No. 5 West 66th Street, Manhattan, used by Company "A," First Battalion Signal Corps, N. G., N. Y., from May 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914.

D—\$400 for the payment by the Comptroller of rent of premises No. 76-78 Court Street, Brooklyn, for the use of the Public Administrator of Kings County from May 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914.

E—\$188 for the payment by the Comptroller of rent of rooms in the building No. 236 Duffield Street and 503 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, used by the Stenographers of the Supreme Court, Second Department, from May 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914.

F—\$5,047.88 for the maintenance of the Bureau of Attendance of the Department of Education during the year 1914. (Resolution adopted by the Board of Education on August 12, 1914, referring to the above requested appropriation.)

G—\$2,500 for the purchase by the Department of Public Charities of an automobile hearse.

H—\$7,500 for the purpose of providing supplies and equipment for athletic centers under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education during 1914. (Resolution adopted by the Board of Education on September 16, 1914, referring to the above requested appropriation.)

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

**County Clerk, Queens County—Issue of Special Revenue Bonds (No. 81).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 22, 1914, from the County Clerk, Queens County, requesting an issue of \$20,000 special revenue bonds for the purchase of equipment consisting of steel cases, cabinets, desks, etc., and for the preparation of plans therefor.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

**Department of Public Charities—Recommendations as the Result of Investigation of Conditions in Various Institutions (No. 82).**

The Secretary presented a communication dated October 29, 1914, from the Clerk of the Court of General Sessions, New York County, transmitting certified copy of a presentment of the Grand Jury, New York County (August term, 1914), making the following recommendations as the result of an investigation of the conditions in the institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities.

1. The closing of the present morgue and the opening of a new one and the employment of competent officials and subordinates thereat.

2. The immediate improvement in the service of supplies for the New York City Home for the Aged and Infirm on Blackwells Island.

3. That steps be taken to remedy the conditions in the New York City Children's Hospital and Schools, Randalls Island, in order to provide the necessities and correct the faults and abuses existing therein.

4. Changing the method of controlling or managing the Department of Public Charities and the adoption of legislation to place said department under the management and control of a Board of Charities or Board of Civic Social Service.

Which was ordered filed.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet Saturday, October 31, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of adopting the Budget for 1915.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.****WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1914.**

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
<b>Board of Aldermen.</b>				
143798		11-7-14	Annette Cannert	\$100 00
142505	9-22-14	11-5-14	Western Union Telegraph Co.	3 19
142526	10-27-14	11-5-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.	19 50
142507	10-22-14	11-5-14	Richter Mfg. Co.	6 18
<b>Commissioners of Accounts.</b>				
143820		11-7-14	Mary L. Rusk	31 50
143821		11-7-14	Henry S. Hildreth	84 00
<b>Armory Board.</b>				
71241		5-28-14	A. Pearson's Sons.	205 00
<b>Department of Bridges.</b>				
138372	7-23-14	39967 10-27-14	Frederick Starr Contracting Company	1,295 73
142352	10-14-14	11-5-14	Weston Electrical Instrument Co.	9 05
142345	10-23-14	11-5-14	Egleston Bros. & Co.	23 58
142346	10-23-14	11-5-14	Egleston Bros. & Co.	55 53
142349		11-5-14	Thos. W. Kiley & Co.	22 54
142350	10-19-14, 10-21-14	11-5-14	Stanley & Patterson	81 02
142353	10-9-14	11-5-14	E. J. Edmond & Co.	10 00
142354	9-30-14, 10-21-14	11-5-14	Stewart Warner Speedometer Corporation	13 00
142355	10-10-14	11-5-14	H. & B. Auto Sales Co.	18 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
142356	10-9-14	11-5-14	E. Schoonmaker Co.	20 88
142357	10-13-14	11-5-14	The Petroleum Products Company	25 24
142359	10-5-14	11-5-14	Remy Electric Company	11 50
142360	10-23-14	11-5-14	Thos. W. Kiley & Co.	9 75
142361	9-26-14	11-5-14	Thos. W. Kiley & Co.	52 05
142362	10-15-14	11-5-14	Obrig Camera Co.	24 24
142341	10-16-14	11-5-14	Geo. Pool & Son	5 98
142340	10-17-14	11-5-14	S. Trimmer & Sons, Inc.	10 80
142342	10-15-14	11-5-14	The Petroleum Products Co.	48 57
142343	10-20-14	11-5-14	Henry Schulteis Co.	9 90
142344			A. F. Brombacher & Co.	9 98
<b>Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.</b>				
142831	8-13-14	11-6-14	Murtha & Schmohl Co.	6 35
142834			Sutphen & Myer	11 64
142835	5-29-14	11-6-14	The Electric Storage Battery Co.	5 67
142876	9-4-14	11-6-14	A. C. Laurence	90 68
142875	7-10-14	11-6-14	Wappler Electric Manufacturing Co., Inc.	25 75
142869	9-25-14	11-6-14	Nicholas J. Schery	13 50
142817	8-24-14	11-6-14	A. C. Laurence	11 65
142813	6-8-14	11-6-14	Waite & Bartlett Mfg. Co.	5 25
142815	8-24-14	9-17-14 11-6-14	George Tiemann & Co.	15 02
142816	7-31-14	11-6-14	J. Saron	30 00
142868	5-25-14	11-6-14	Remington Typewriter Company	70
142867	8-19-14	11-6-14	Paul Muller	3 00
142866	8-5-14	11-6-14	Theo. W. Morris & Co.	16 25
142874			George Vause	49 00
142855	8-17-14	11-6-14	Nason Manufacturing Co.	3 24
142856	8-24-14	11-6-14	H. T. Dakin	22 64
142870	6-27-14	11-6-14	Shipley Construction and Supply Company	75 00
142871	9-14-14	11-6-14	Standard Iron Works	22 00
142872	8-27-14	11-6-14	Stanley & Patterson	1 00
142873	9-28-14	11-6-14	George Tiemann & Co.	3 60
142829	8-25-14	11-6-14	Stanley & Patterson	65 94
142828	8-7-14	11-6-14	Auto Maintenance Company	41 40
142827	8-12-14	11-6-14	The American Laundry Machinery Company	48 10
142826	8-18-14	11-6-14	Henry R. Worthington	22 00
142830	9-11-14	11-6-14	George Tiemann & Co.	7 90
142836	9-4-14	11-6-14	F. N. Du Bois & Co.	12 75
142865	8-31-14	11-6-14	J. G. MacDougall Co.	6 35
142863	9-26-14	11-6-14	The Hospital Supply Co.	10 00
138376		40210 10-27-14	J. H. Freedlander	1,237 50
138375		8978 10-27-14	McKim, Mead & White	1,110 00
142882	9-5-14	11-6-14	Baker X-Ray Company	25 90
142883	7-25-14	11-6-14	James Bradley	19 00
142885	8-31-14	9-1-14 11-6-14	The Hospital Supply Co.	28 20
142878	8-21-14	9-23-14 11-6-14	E. B. Meyrowitz	7 25
142879	9-23-14	10-3-14 11-6-14	Wm. Langbein & Bros.	77 90
142853	8-20-14	11-6-14	The George H. Tyrrell Co.	4 00
142814	4-21-14	11-6-14	F. Wagner & Son	8 50
142808	7-8-14	8-20-14 11-6-14	Republic Rubber Tire & Shoe Co., Inc.	42 95
142884	8-10-14	9-15-14 11-6-14	The Kny Scheerer Co.	51 65
142838	9-9-14	11-6-14	Thomas C. Dunham	32 00
142837	9-10-14	11-6-14	Patton Paint Co.	44 40
142852	8-25-14	11-6-14	Johnson Service Co.	22 92
142842	8-27-14	11-6-14	American Laundry Mach. Co.	11 10
142841	9-4-14	11-6-14	The White Company	5 60
142840	8-28-14	11-6-14	Whitall Tatum Co.	9 90
142839	8-21-14	11-6-14	Wappler Electric Mfg. Co.	6 00
142862	8-28-14	11-6-14	Burdett-Rowntree Mfg. Co.	50 02
142861	9-21-14	11-6-14	Betts & Betts	1 45
142860	9-14-14	11-6-14	Baker X-Ray Co.	12 60
142859			American Thermos Bottle Co.	3 38
142858	9-24-14	11-6-14	American Elevator Co.	13 62
143533		11-7-14	Emma Smith	15 00
143607	8-4-14	11-7-14	Taylor Instruments Companies	5 50
143608	8-31-14	11-7-14	Daniel Downes	35 28
142822	8-14-14	11-6-14	Frank Richard & Gardner Co.	14 16
142821	7-16-14	11-6-14	The Hospital Supply Co.	1 15
142820	8-3-14	8-31-14 11-6-14	D. B. Pershall & Son	26 90
142845	8-21-14	11-6-14	Royal Eastern Elec. Supply Co.	13 36
142844	8-26-14	11-6-14	Howard Demountable Rim Sales Co.	9 80
142843	9-8-14	11-6-14	Johnson Service Co.	19 60
142848	8-24-14	11-6-14	The Ballwood Co.	11 14
142847	8-15-14	11-6-14	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	10 00
142846	9-10-14	11-6-14	Dimock & Fink Co.	12 22
142851	8-15-14	11-6-14	The J. L. Mott Iron Works	12 48
142850	7-20-14	11-6-14	W. E. Van Keuren	31 20
142849	8-26-14	11-6-14	Crane & Stendicke, Inc.	6 60
142854	8-14-14	11-6-14	W. D. Garrett & Co.	10 75
142804	8-15-14	11-6-14	Steeple Jack Hughes	10 00
142803	9-8-14	11-6-14	The Fairbanks Co.	12 00
142812	9-9-14	11-6-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	12 00
142810	8-5-14	11-6-14	John Smith	30 00
142809	8-18-14	8-22-14 11-6-14	Nicholas J. Schery	29 00
142807	9-1-14	11-6-14	Otis Elevator Co.	8 35
142805	8-21-14	8-29-14 11-6-14	E. B. Meyrowitz, Inc.	5 50
<b>Board of Coroners.</b>				
142192	10-31-14	11-5-14	Stephen McEneaney	\$25 00
<b>Court of General Sessions.</b>				
138371	10-21-14	10-27-14	Royal Law Printing Co., Inc.	\$652 30
<b>City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.</b>				
138098		39255 10-27-14	New York Telephone Co.	\$222 64
142970	10-26-14	11-6-14	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	1 50
142969	10-26-14	10-27-14 11-6-14	Defender Photo Supply Co., Inc.	185 22
142967	10-31-14	11-6-14	G. Casamassima	4 65
142966	10-31-14	11-6-14	Nicola Mitarotonda	5 00
142965	11-1-14	11-6-14	Frank Fattizzi	8 90
142964	11-1-14	11-6-14	New York Towel Supply Co.	29 95
142958	11-4-14	11-6-14	Jesse Bernhard, Acting Chief Clerk	2 83
142959	10-31-14	11-6-14	Jesse Bernhard, Acting Chief Clerk	40 55
142960	11-4-14	11-6-14	Jesse Bernhard, Acting Chief Clerk	1 79
142963	10-30-14	11-6-14	Hillard Manufacturing Co.	9 75
142962	10-31-14	11-6-14	Monahan Express Co.	1 95
142961	9-6-14	11-6-14	Joseph Zerfas	5 00
<b>City Court, Kings County.</b>				
138168		10-27-14	Ralph E. Roberts, Stenographer	\$44 73
<b>County Clerk, Queens County.</b>				
142927		11-6-14	Leonard Ruoff, County Clerk	\$55 61
142928		11-6-14	Leonard Ruoff, County Clerk	29 10
142929	10-31-14	11-6-14	Great Bear Spring Co.	8 00
<b>College of The City of New York.</b>				
138350	9-10-14	36800 10-27-14	J. W. Peale	\$1,725 41
<b>Hunter College.</b>				
142415	9-18-14	9-19-14 11-5-14	Krengel Manufacturing Co.	\$0 64
142414	9-24-14	9-28-14 11-5-14	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	6 48
142413	9-29-14	11-5-14	Graham Paper Co.	1 60
142432	9-10-14	11-5-14	F. S. Banks & Co.	1 25
142430	7-7-14	11-5-14	Henry Malkan	32 90



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142408	8- 1-14	11- 5-14	Herman Auskulat.....	4 63	142458	9-12-14	11- 5-14	A. P. Kramer.....	65 00
142409	3- 9-14	11- 5-14	Seely & Ash.....	17 25	143320	8-19-14	11- 6-14	Willet & Co.....	5 00
142410	7-29-14	11- 5-14	John A. O'Dowd.....	40 34	143294	9- 3-14	11- 6-14	A. Smith & Son.....	17 00
142411	9-14-14	10- 5-14	W. F. Peters Co.....	27 50	143296	8-25-14	11- 6-14	Robert Simpson.....	8 25
142412	10- 3-14	11- 5-14	The Western Union Telegraph Co....	3 75	143311	9- 9-14	11- 6-14	Isaac Brenner.....	23 13
142442	7- 6-14	11- 5-14	D. C. Heath & Co.....	21 00	143123			Frances E. Moscrip, Inspector.....	64 80
142443	9-21-14	11- 5-14	Ginn & Co.....	63 84	140964	9- 9-14	38482 10-31-14	James A. Miller.....	3 38
142444	9-19-14	11- 5-14	The Century Co.....	60 00	143313			B. P. Eldridge.....	19 41
142445	9-21-14	11- 5-14	Lemcke & Benchner.....	2 50	136169	9-15-14	38620 10-22-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	53 55
142446	9-19-14	11- 5-14	D. Appleton & Co.....	15 00	143318	9-10-14	11- 6-14	H. Pfund.....	16 04
142436	9- 8-14	11- 5-14	The Prang Co.....	5 50	143314	9-21-14	11- 6-14	Michael Fogarty, Inc.....	19 00
142437	9-10-14	11- 5-14	Fred'k Pearce Co.....	17 16	143321			Henry Pearl & Sons Co.....	39 33
142438	7-21-14	11- 5-14	American Association for Study of Feeble-Minded.....	1 00	143322	8-31-14	11- 6-14	E. Rutzler Co.....	4 66
					143324	9- 1-14	11- 6-14	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	4 80
142439	9-15-14	11- 5-14	Parex Manufacturing Co.....	56 30	142682	9-23-14, 9-25-14	11- 6-14	American Distilled Water Co.....	20 64
142433	7-31-14, 8-31-14	11- 5-14	C. W. Sells.....	7 80	142657	9- 9-14, 9-21-14	11- 6-14	F. C. Stechert Co.....	6 65
142434	9-28-14	11- 5-14	Geo. W. Millar & Co.....	12 50	142661	9-22-14, 9-23-14	11- 6-14	Henry Moss & Co.....	5 20
142435	9-26-14	11- 5-14	Remington Typewriter Co.....	6 00	142678	9-11-14, 9-17-14	11- 6-14	Krengel Mfg. Co.....	9 58
142422	9-15-14	11- 5-14	Library Bureau.....	16 74	142689	6-29-14, 6-30-14	11- 6-14	The Oliver Typewriter Co.....	15 00
142421	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	The Palette Art Co.....	10 01	142792	9-29-14, 9-30-14	11- 6-14	James J. Fay.....	37 41
142425	8-13-14	11- 5-14	American Lead Pencil Co.....	4 48	142790	9-24-14	11- 5-14	E. J. Stanley.....	13 50
142424	10- 3-14	11- 5-14	Peckham, Little & Co.....	18 80	142777			Benjes & Stiefel.....	44 89
142423	9-25-14	11- 5-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	5 87	142758	9-12-14	11- 6-14	Est. C. P. Williams.....	83 00
142426	8-28-14	11- 5-14	Eimer & Amend.....	5 49	143462	10-26-14	11- 6-14	Hugh D. McGrane.....	200 00
142420			Henry Lindenmeyr & Sons.....	10 18	143325			O. W. Nordstrom.....	13 06
142427	8-21-14	11- 5-14	G. E. Stechert & Co.....	6 30	143319			American Ornamental Iron Works....	13 80
142431	8-28-14	11- 5-14	Eimer & Amend.....	18 35	142690	10- 6-14	11- 6-14	George Murphy, Inc.....	31 90
142429	9- 1-14	11- 5-14	Narragansett Machine Company.....	79 50	143155	9- 1-14	11- 6-14	Hanson & Kalmus.....	19 90
142419	10-14-14	11- 5-14	M. H. Hartmann.....	51 20	143154		9-11-14	Louis Imershein.....	10 00
142417			Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	98 61	143145	9-12-14	11- 6-14	H. Hanig.....	23 00
142418	4- 8-14	11- 5-14	Henry Bainbridge & Co.....	77 15	143144	8-24-14, 8-29-14	11- 6-14	Louis Imershein.....	40 25
			<b>Board of City Record.</b>		143156	9- 1-14	11- 6-14	Hanson & Kalmus.....	11 50
143491	10-31-14	11- 6-14	Brooklyn Free Presse.....	1,666 67	143152	9- 3-14	11- 6-14	Brooklyn Window Shade Co.....	28 00
143490	10-31-14	11- 6-14	The Brooklyn Citizen.....	1,666 67	143150	9-10-14	11- 6-14	H. Gold.....	25 90
143489	10-31-14	11- 6-14	The Brooklyn Daily Times.....	1,666 67	143148	9- 2-14	11- 6-14	Brooklyn Window Shade Co.....	9 54
143488			The Brooklyn Union Publishing Co..	1,666 67	143146	9- 3-14	11- 6-14	Hanson & Kalmus.....	10 25
143487	10-31-14	11- 6-14	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	1,666 67	142693	10-22-14	11- 6-14	A. M. Lempke.....	20 06
			<b>Department of Correction.</b>		142694	10-21-14	11- 6-14	The Crowell Publishing Co.....	10 00
141522	10- 7-14	11- 2-14	The Sherwin-Williams Co.....	48 75	141701	8-17-14	11- 4-14	The Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of American Ornamental Iron Works....	41 77
142305		11- 5-14	George Friedgen.....	45 00	141718	8- 2-14	11- 4-14	Max Inkelas.....	19 00
141541	9-21-14	11- 2-14	John Simmons Co.....	63 16	141703	5-19-14	11- 4-14	H. P. Quattlander.....	45 31
139480		10-29-14	Erie Railroad Company.....	80 27	142688	7-20-14, 9-21-14	11- 6-14	Montgomery & Co.....	67 16
			<b>District Attorney, New York County.</b>		142687	9-17-14	38512 9-21-14	E. B. Latham & Co.....	32 88
142989			The Association of the Bar of the City of New York.....	37 80	137385		38132 10-26-14	Wells & Newton Co. of New York....	1,755 00
142981		11- 6-14	John J. Buckley, Auditor.....	84 28	136679	8-14-14	38512 10-23-14	Schoverling, Daly & Gales.....	290 00
142987		11- 6-14	John J. Buckley, Auditor.....	257 76	142655	7-31-14	11- 6-14	Strauss Bros.....	11 20
142982		11- 6-14	J. C. Ferguson.....	44 60	142656	9-16-14	11- 6-14	Samuel Lewis.....	13 50
142983		11- 6-14	T. W. Henderson.....	25 74	142658	6-24-14	11- 6-14	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.....	21 60
142986			Henry Bauernschmidt.....	28 00	142662	7-13-14	11- 6-14	Geo. W. Millar & Co.....	1 75
142985		11- 6-14	M. Zalkowitz.....	20 60	142666	9-28-14	11- 6-14	Eimer & Amend.....	94
142984		11- 6-14	Frank J. Boyle.....	13 25	142665	5- 4-14	11- 6-14	Department of Correction Manufacturing Industry.....	1 50
135890		10-22-14	Henry S. Sanders.....	33 90	142664	9-16-14	11- 6-14	Dennison Mfg. Co.....	2 25
142974	9-21-14, 10-21-14	11- 6-14	Normal L. Coe & Son.....	70 70	142663	9-18-14	11- 6-14	Neostyle Envelope Co.....	6 48
			<b>District Attorney, Bronx County.</b>		142676	9-14-14	11- 6-14	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	40
143046	10- 9-14	11- 6-14	J. Schapiro.....	5 65	142675	9-16-14	11- 6-14	M. J. Tobin.....	11 00
143045	9-30-14	11- 6-14	Postal Telegraph Cable Company....	89	142674	9-25-14	11- 6-14	The General Fireproofing Co.....	4 75
143044			New York Telephone Co.....	77 84	142695	8-21-14	11- 6-14	Cobb-Macey-Dohme, Inc.....	6 60
143049	10-21-14	11- 6-14	Geo. Hennessey.....	6 00	142686	7- 2-14	11- 6-14	George Damon & Sons.....	17 04
143048			Fred H. Blood.....	9 00	142684	7-17-14	11- 6-14	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.....	13 60
143047	10-20-14	11- 6-14	Everson & Reed Co.....	40	142683	9- 8-14	11- 6-14	Charles Beseler Co.....	15 00
143053		10-30-14	David N. Carvalho.....	65	142778	9- 9-14	11- 6-14	John Byrns.....	11 75
143043	9-30-14	11- 6-14	Nickel Towel Supply.....	4 12	142780		9-14-14	Alberene Stone Co.....	9 93
143054		11- 6-14	M. Harrison.....	7 31	141939	7-14-14	11- 4-14	Patterson Bros.....	90 53
143052	10-28-14	11- 6-14	Thos. Cook & Son.....	10 40	142460	9-15-14	11- 5-14	John A. Scollay, Inc.....	12 50
143051		10-24-14	The Secretary of the Commonwealth..	1 00	141942			Colonial Steel Co.....	52 39
143050		10-23-14	J. Leo Loisel, Assistant Town Clerk.	50	141947	9-15-14, 9-16-14	11- 4-14	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co....	77 76
			<b>Department of Docks and Ferries.</b>		141725	9- 8-14	11- 4-14	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	81 54
142329	10-24-14	11- 5-14	New York Belting & Packing Co.....	18 50	141833	4-16-14	11- 4-14	C. G. Braxmar Co.....	67 50
142333	10-20-14	11- 5-14	A. P. W. Paper Co.....	72 50	141830			J. D. Johnson Co.....	72 74
142335	9-29-14	11- 5-14	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	43 80	142791	9-12-14	11- 6-14	Mitchell Plumbing Co.....	14 05
			<b>Board of Elections.</b>		142699	9-24-14	11- 6-14	P. J. Kenedy & Sons.....	1 75
142887		11- 6-14	Edward V. Barton.....	3 00	136702	8-25-14	158 10-22-14	D. C. Heath & Co.....	308 52
142888		11- 6-14	Timothy J. Lane.....	1 80	137557	9-21-14	38448 10-26-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	1,427 23
			<b>Board of Estimate and Apportionment.</b>					<b>Department of Finance.</b>	
142991		11- 6-14	John C. Williams.....	45 00	143498	8-12-14	11- 6-14	American District Telegraph Co.....	\$7 13
142748	9-21-14, 10- 6-14	11- 6-14	J. T. Baker Chemical Co.....	33 70	143501		11- 6-14	Dow, Jones & Co.....	40 00
142750	10-15-14	11- 6-14	J. A. Delatour.....	8 82	144665			R. B. McIntyre, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.....	524 24
142749	10-19-14	11- 6-14	Johnson Service Co.....	5 44	144666			Daniel Moynahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	205 11
143536		11- 7-14	Catherine V. Barry.....	45 00			11-10-14	Alfonse Dumore.....	36 00
143535		11- 7-14	Leroy Peterson.....	78 00				Charles O'Sullivan and Stephen O'Sullivan.....	955 04
142754		11- 6-14	Katherine H. Yochman.....	9 69	145064				
142753	9-30-14	11- 6-14	Tabulating Machine Co.....	4 40	143801				
142752	9-30-14	11- 6-14	Remington Typewriter Co.....	9 00	143521		11- 6-14		



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142628		11- 5-14	George F. Droste, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Charlotte Droste, Deceased, Lessee.....	609 00	143027			Title Guarantee & Trust Co.....	12 37	
142629		11- 5-14	Charles Fleischman and Caroline Frank, Lessees.....	8,627 50	143028		11- 6-14	David A. Kistler.....	5 47	
142630		11- 5-14	Fannie D. Keese.....	4,196 56	143029		11- 6-14	Worcester, Williams & Saxe.....	16 17	
142631		11- 5-14	Catherine W. Keese.....	699 43	143024		11- 6-14	J. J. Wallenstein.....	120 15	
142633		11- 5-14	Anthony H. Keese.....	699 42	143025		11- 6-14	Clara A. Buttlng.....	174 80	
142634			Alwina Von L. Wynkoop.....	839 30	143026			Lillian Kurtz.....	34 62	
142635		11- 5-14	Rudolph S. Wynkoop, an Infant, or the Chamberlain of The City of New York.....	839 30	143021		11- 6-14	Fannie Yochelson.....	103 66	
142636		11- 5-14	Augustus T. Wynkoop.....	2,238 15	143022		11- 6-14	Ferris Avenue Realty Co.....	90 50	
142637		11- 5-14	Charles B. Wynkoop.....	2,238 15	143023		11- 6-14	Ferris Avenue Realty Co.....	54 30	
142638		11- 5-14	Anna S. Torney.....	2,238 16				<b>Fire Department.</b>		
142639		11- 5-14	Elizabeth Wynkoop.....	4,196 55	138027	10-13-14	38335	10-27-14	Rudolph Reimer, Jr.....	\$14 44
143496			Edward M. Morgan, Postmaster.....	10 00	138023	10- 8-14	40474	10-27-14	Geo. N. Reinhardt & Co.....	3,451 13
143019		11- 6-14	William E. Harmon & Co.....	11 10	138015	7-16-14	39868	10-27-14	Knickerbocker Supply Co.....	155 08
143020		11- 6-14	B. W. Daly.....	73 29	138017	9-21-14	40094	10-27-14	Empire Rubber & Tire Co.....	762 07
142383	9-11-14	11- 5-14	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	2 00	138021	8-24-14	38378	10-27-14	Wm. Gleichmann & Co.....	Final 406 61
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143467			New York Juvenile Asylum.....	8,406 16	138019	9-30-14	39032	10-27-14	Bacon Coal Co.....	875 26
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143468			St. Joseph's Hospital, N. Y. City.....	7,192 90	138018	9-24-14	39610	10-27-14	Fiske Brothers Refining Co.....	10 89
143469		11- 6-14	Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum.....	699 87	137196		38338		Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	1,391 34
143470		11- 6-14	Seton Hospital, New York City.....	11,024 80				<b>Department of Health.</b>		
143473		11- 6-14	St. Vincent's Hospital, Borough of Richmond.....	786 90	143358	9-24-14		11- 6-14	James T. Dougherty.....	6 24
143472		11- 6-14	St. Vincent's Hospital, Borough of Richmond.....	1,738 80	138362		39538		The Wagner Glass Works.....	185 40
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143474		11- 6-14	The Convent of the Sisters of Mercy in Brooklyn.....	15,470 49	138361	8- 1-14	38753	10-27-14	Krakour Poultry Co.....	269 25
143475			The Children's Home at Mineola, N. Y.....	246 43	138367	5- 9-14	39534	10-27-14	Goodyear's India Rubber Selling Co.....	224 94
143477		11- 6-14	The Mount Sinai Hospital of The City of New York.....	3,275 65	138353	8- 4-14	38696	10-27-14	John W. Peale.....	866 84
143476		11- 6-14	The Mount Sinai Hospital of the City of New York.....	4,055 80	138358		39549		E. R. Squibb & Sons.....	104 04
143478		11- 6-14	The Jewish Hospital.....	3,158 24	138359	8-17-14	39206	10-27-14	The Holbrook Mfg. Co.....	78 74
143479		11- 6-14	The Brooklyn Eye and Ear Hospital.....	527 45	137715	7-21-14	39231	10-26-14	James A. Miller.....	85 17
143480		11- 6-14	Washington Heights Hospital.....	243 35	140466	9-30-14		10-30-14	The I. S. Remson Mfg. Co.....	56 50
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144508			Boisnevain & Co., New York City.....	393 75	137705	10- 1-14	38566	10-26-14	John Morgan, Inc.....	39 00
143853		11- 7-14	Hannah D. Peace, Harry B. Peace, Harvey W. Peace, Jr., Charles F. Peace and John D. Peace, Executrix and Executors, etc., of Harvey W. Peace, Deceased.....	740 40	137716	7- 8-14	39230	10-26-14	John Bellmann.....	121 31
143855			The Chamberlain of The City of New York, Kings County Court and Trust Funds.....	1,462 50	138354	9-30-14	38699	10-27-14	Burns Bros.....	250 22
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143626		11- 7-14	Western Union Telegraph Co., Inc.....	6 14	142018	4-24-14		11- 4-14	Paul B. Hoeber.....	47 50
142632			J. Mumford Keese.....	699 42	138366	9-29-14	39545	10-27-14	Bruen Ritchey & Co.....	10 65
142625			Charles L. Hoffman.....	530 00	138363		26014		Products Manufacturing Company, Assignee of The Van Iderstine Company.....	3,750 00
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142944			Samuel Katz.....	2 00	142894	7-18-14, 10-20-14		11- 6-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	45 13
142945			Irving Spier.....	12 00	142895	8-22-14, 10-16-14		11- 6-14	F. A. Hardy & Co., Inc.....	3 00
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143035		11- 6-14	Edward Hart.....	2 40	142907	9-29-14		11- 6-14	The Howe Scale Company of N. Y.....	25
143036		11- 6-14	Kew Gardens Corporation.....	46 00	142904	10-21-14		11- 6-14	E. Kessling.....	3 00
143041		11- 6-14	The Merchants National Bank of the City of New York.....	3 12	142896	10- 7-14		11- 6-14	Clover Farms, Inc.....	100 48
143042		11- 6-14	Daniel London, Personally and as Assignee.....	3,243 04	142898	10-15-14		11- 6-14	The Emil Greiner Company.....	77 00
143033		11- 6-14	Henry G. Schirmer.....	88 35	142899	6-26-14		11- 6-14	M. M. Elish & Co.....	22 00
142953			Jane E. Pless.....	9 40	142902	10- 6-14		11- 6-14	A. P. W. Paper Co.....	67 13
142947			Joseph Downing.....	17 50	142903	10-16-14		11- 6-14	Henry J. Fink.....	3 20
142948			John H. Timmerman, City Paymaster.....	6 50	143359	10- 8-14		11- 6-14	Lewis De Groff & Son.....	15 00
142949			John H. Timmerman, City Paymaster.....	5 23	142906	10-13-14		11- 6-14	Samuel Cabot, Inc.....	56 25
142950			Jane E. Owens, widow of Dominick Owens, deceased.....	30 00	142908	10- 3-14		11- 6-14	Michael Paulini.....	80
142936		11- 6-14	George H. Mann.....	2 81	142891	8-16-13		11- 6-14	E. B. Meyrowitz.....	3 50
142937			Municipal Liens Co.....	46 67	142892	12- 4-13		11- 6-14	Sheppard & Kellett.....	7 60
142955		11- 6-14	Stephen S. Schloss.....	9 10	142893	12- 2-13		11- 6-14	John Wanamaker, New York.....	3 00
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142940		11- 6-14	The Tax Lien Co. of New York, Assignee.....	267 36	143361	10-15-14		11- 6-14	Burton & Davis Co.....	3 50
142939		11- 6-14	Belle T. Sewell.....	160 66	143360	10-12-14		11- 6-14	B. Altman & Co.....	10 35
142938			The Tax Lien Co. of New York, Assignee.....	45 12	143362	8-14-14, 10- 8-14		11- 6-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	39 98
142942		11- 6-14	Elway Co.....	212 79	143368	9-24-14		11- 6-14	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.....	15 50
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142941		11- 6-14	The Tax Lien Co. of New York.....	3,960 21	143369	10- 1-14		11- 6-14	Eimer & Amend.....	75
142932		11- 6-14	Alwina Piering.....	31 33	143366	8-28-14		11- 6-14	Burton & Davis Co.....	1 98
142931		11- 6-14	Charles E. Parisen and Harriet L. Parisen.....	11 82	143365	8-28-14		11- 6-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	44 37
142930		11- 6-14	Charles E. Parisen and Harriet L. Parisen, his wife.....	18 02	143364	8-31-14, 9- 1-14		11- 6-14	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	7 14
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143017		11- 6-14	Mary E. Manifold.....	112 58	143357	11- 6-14		11- 6-14	Parke, Davis & Co.....	5 08
143018		11- 6-14	Anna Hoerning.....	4 71				<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County.</b>		
143013		11- 6-14	Diedrich H. Sieling.....	8 10	142919				Dion W. Burke.....	\$1 35
143014		11- 6-14	Realty Trust.....	66 64	142918				Joseph J. McMullin, Jr.....	2 35
143015		11- 6-14	Title Guarantee & Trust Co.....	60 06	142920				Hugh McMenamin.....	2 40
142627		11- 5-14	William T. Stohlmann and Anna A. Stohlmann, his wife, and Matilda Sohst, individually, and as executrix of the last will and testament of Adolph Sohst, deceased.....	4,466 00	142921				William H. Schlottman.....	1 45
142644		11- 5-14	Sarah B. Reynolds.....	58,751 75	142917	11- 1-14			Gramatan Spring Water Co.....	60
142643		11- 5-14	Mary B. W. Booth.....	14,687 93	142916	10-31-14			Fred M. Schildwachter.....	3 12
142642			Henrietta Wynkoop.....	14,687 93	142915	11- 1-14			L. Gibb, Jr.....	3 21
142641			Henrietta W. K. Drury.....	6,294 82	142914	10-31-14			Nickel Towel Supply.....	3 25
142640			Henry S. Wynkoop.....	4,196 55				<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.</b>		
141626			Simon C. Bernstein.....	20,840 00	143673				Edward Coch.....	\$24 00
142626		11- 5-14	Simon C. Bernstein.....	36,000 00	142992				<b>Department of Licenses.</b>	
					140747				Harry Lefkowitz.....	\$20 00
					142647				<b>Law Department.</b>	
					143485				Isaac E. Garvey.....	\$3 50
					136927	9- 1-14			James J. Lahey.....	2,820 00
					143640				Dr. H. Valentine Wildman.....	50 00
					143677				Joseph Wander.....	150 00
					138183	8-25-14	39008		David Kramer.....	713 00
					138185	9-24-14	39213		<b>Public Recreation Commission.</b>	
					142547	10-31-14			The American District Telegraph Co.,	\$1 75
					142797				<b>Bronx Parkway Commission.</b>	
					142564	10-30-14			John N. Golding, Agent for American	
					142795				Surety Co.....	\$268 33
					142794				<b>Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.</b>	
					142562	10-22-14			H. T. Dakin.....	\$540 96
					142561	10-16-14			Henry Steers, Inc.....	48,276 00
					142560	10-16-14			The Wm. H. Moon Co.....	441 60
					142555	10-20-14			R. F. Stevens Co.....	13 95
					142554	10-26-14			American Museum of Natural History,	
					142553	10-27-14			Charles Lanier, Treasurer.....	1,741 03
					142551	10-25-14			Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.....	1 20
									New York Aquarium, Percy R. Pyne,	
									Treasurer.....	2,702 87
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									Treasurer.....	870 64
									C. W. Keenan.....	1 00
									The National Air Cell Covering Co.,	43 29
									Thomas M. De Laney, Inc.....	11 03
									Gleason-Tiebout Glass Co.....	18 10
									Jos. Ruppert.....	32 25



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142793			The New York Public Library.....	3,649 19	142174		9-30-14	Wadsworth Garage, Inc.....	52 07
137924	38297		Henry Steers, Inc.....	13,543 95	142172	7-31-14, 9-30-14	11- 5-14	Union Towel Supply Co.....	35 23
142798			Metropolitan Museum of Art, Howard Mansfield, Treasurer.....	230 10	142166		11-15-14	The Franklin-Allen Window Cleaning Co., Inc.....	14 00
143167		11- 6-14	Treasurer of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.....	6,840 78	142167	8- 1-14, 9-30-14	11- 5-14	Initial Towel Supply Co.....	13 15
143168	10-31-14	11- 6-14	Treasurer of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.....	2,943 16	143079	9-19-14	11- 6-14	Meyers & Grayson.....	\$0 75
143824		11- 7-14	M. J. Dair, D. V. S.....	80 00	143083	10- 1-14	11- 6-14	James F. Kelly.....	12 00
142796		11- 6-14	American Museum of Natural History, Chas. Lanier, Treasurer.....	12,072 06	143082	9-30-14	11- 6-14	Mrs. Patrick Sheehan.....	39 75
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143170		11- 6-14	Harry Kressh.....	19 00	143087	7-13-14	11- 6-14	The Fairbanks Co.....	3 50
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143174			David Shapiro.....	199 00	143001		11- 6-14	Angus P. Thorne, Supt.....	215 00
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142611	10- 6-14	11- 5-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	16 00	143078	10- 3-14	11- 6-14	The C. G. Braxmar Co.....	19 50
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			<b>President of the Borough of Brooklyn.</b>		137475	9-28-14	10-26-14	Lewis De Groff & Son.....	7 96
138369	10-18-14	10-27-14	Saverno Products Co., Inc.....	163 84	137473		10-26-14	Conron Bros. Co.....	97 54
138370	9-30-14	10-27-14	Thos. W. Wood's Sons, Inc.....	6,314 19	143104	9-25-14	11- 6-14	Meyers & Grayson, Inc.....	92 50
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142289	7-31-14, 9-30-14	11- 5-14	Crescent Garage.....	80 00	143114	9-30-14	11- 6-14	The Empire State Dairy Co.....	5 72
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142282			John B. Reimer.....	10 00				<b>Department of Street Cleaning.</b>	
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141482	9-30-14	11- 2-14	Continental Asphalt Paving Co.....	10 74	142573	10-10-14	11- 5-14	A. B. Dick Co.....	25
141483	8- 7-14	11- 2-14	Continental Public Works Co.....	12 18	142574	8- 6-14	11- 5-14	F. F. Fuhrmann.....	15 15
141484	9- 2-14, 9-14-14	11- 2-14	The Hastings Pavement Co.....	47 35	142575	9-30-14	11- 5-14	Great Bear Spring Co.....	3 00
			<b>President of the Borough of Richmond.</b>		142576			Kanouse Mountain Water Co.....	1 80
142531	9-30-14	11- 5-14	I. C. Blake.....	10 00	142578	9- 9-14	11- 5-14	D. Van Nostrand Company.....	80
142530	9-23-14	11- 5-14	The Monon Supply Co., Inc.....	15 60	142577	9-30-14	11- 5-14	Knickerbocker Ice Company.....	2 08
142524	9- 5-14	11- 5-14	C. P. Storberg.....	53 84	142599	9-23-14	11- 5-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	3 30
142523			Richmond Ice Co.....	17 46	142582	9-23-14	11- 5-14	Chas. E. Miller.....	1 20
142522		11- 5-14	Richmond Ice Co.....	55 75	142583		11- 5-14	New York Sporting Goods Co.....	8 00
142525	8- 1-14	11- 5-14	The Morey-La Rue Laundry Co.....	50 00	142587	8- 8-14	11- 5-14	The Woodhouse Manufacturing Co.....	56 00
142526	9- 1-14	11- 5-14	The Morey-La Rue Laundry Co.....	50 00	142586	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	H. T. Dakin.....	3 72
142529	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	Tierman's Garage.....	3 70	142585	10-14-14	11- 5-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	7 25
142527	9- 1-14	11- 5-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	98 28	142592	9-30-14	11- 5-14	The Gillette Clipping Machine Co.....	75
142528	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	63 18	142591	9-14-14	11- 5-14	Fairbanks, Morse & Co.....	13 79
142522	9-28-14	11- 5-14	F. W. Kerr & Co.....	24 96	142596		11- 5-14	Municipal Garage.....	55
142534	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	Richmond Garage, I. A. Silvie, Jr., Prop.....	33 71	142594	9-16-14	11- 5-14	The American Multigraph Sales Co.....	55
142537			E. J. O'Connor.....	2 00	142595	9-18-14	11- 5-14	Comptograph Company.....	4 75
142536	10- 2-14	11- 5-14	E. G. Soltmann.....	13 65	142580	9-22-14, 9-25-14	11- 5-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co.....	10 65
142538	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	W. H. Johnson.....	60 00	142579	9-11-14	11- 5-14	Addressograph Company.....	16 75
142539	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	M. J. Halloran.....	10 00	143459		11- 6-14	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee.....	1,894 76
142540	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	Edward Wisely & Son.....	30 00			11- 6-14	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee.....	1,110 35
142542	10- 1-14	11- 5-14	Henry G. Greb.....	18 50			11- 6-14	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee.....	347 62
142545	10- 3-14	11- 5-14	The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Co., W. B. Foster, Ass't Treas.....	30 00				<b>Tenement House Department.</b>	
142544	9-30-14	11- 5-14	Jas. Thompson & Sons.....	49 84	142469	10-24-14	11- 5-14	Theo. Moss & Co.....	12 56
142511		11- 5-14	Robert Bailey, Superintendent.....	3 00	137058	10- 9-14	10-23-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co.....	6 48
142512		11- 5-14	William B. Kenny, Chief Clerk.....	2 80	142470			E. G. Soltmann.....	68
142513		11- 5-14	John Timlin, Jr., Supt.....	7 90	142471	10-28-14	11- 5-14	Eugene Dietzgen Co.....	2 00
142514		11- 5-14	Theodor S. Oxholm, Engr. in Charge.....	44 40	142476	10-24-14	11- 5-14	Elliott Fisher Company.....	60
142515		11- 5-14	Theodor S. Oxholm, Engr. in Charge.....	143 90	142474	10-28-14	11- 5-14	A. J. Knight.....	2 50
142516		11- 5-14	Robert Bailey, Supt.....	7 20				<b>Board of Water Supply.</b>	
142517		11- 5-14	E. H. Seehusen, Supt.....	5 80	138412		39064	Merritt & Chapman Derrick & Wrecking Co.....	97,862 09
142518		11- 5-14	John E. Bowe, Supt.....	2 00	138410		10-27-14	Pittsburgh Contracting Co.....	26,856 60
142509		11- 5-14	E. D. Clark.....	2 00	138411		10-27-14	Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Corp., Geo. B. Fry & Thos. B. Bryson.....	42,822 36
142508		11- 5-14	R. W. Baylor.....	2 00	138409		30272	Grant, Smith & Co. & Locher.....	21,294 00
			<b>Public Service Commission.</b>		138403	9-17-14	10-27-14	Waban Webbing Co.....	940 00
142133	9-17-14, 10-16-14	11- 5-14	Hodgman Rubber Co.....	\$14 76	137168		10-24-14	Herbert D. Pease and A. J. Provost, Jr.....	666 66
142135	9-18-14	11- 5-14	Howard & Morse.....	12 00	142310	10-20-1			



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142317	9- 9-14	11- 5-14	The Turl Iron and Car Co., Inc.....	9 85	<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b>				
142316	8- 4-14. 8-24-14	11- 5-14	James O'Toole .....	2 10					
142315	10-16-14	11- 5-14	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.....	7 27					
142311	10-14-14	11- 5-14	Club Garage Co.....	98 85					
142312	11- 5-14	11- 5-14	United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co. ....	94 83					
142314	10- 6-14	11- 5-14	Lawson Hardware Co.....	4 20					
143667	8-13-14	11- 7-14	Pine Hill Optic, E. S. Tompkins, Publisher .....	8 75					
143666	8-29-14	11- 7-14	The Staten Island World.....	25 92					
143668	8-28-14	11- 7-14	The Weekly Argus, The Leader Co., Inc., Publishers .....	8 75					
143663	9- 4-14	11- 7-14	The Patterson Weekly News, Geo. S. Williams, Publisher .....	8 75					
143664	9- 5-14	11- 7-14	The Prattville News, Marsh & Griffin, Publishers .....	8 75					
143660	9- 5-14	11- 7-14	Democrat Herald .....	25 92					
143661	9- 8-14	11- 7-14	The Hobart Times, U. S. G. Morgan, Publisher .....	8 75					
143662	8-22-14	11- 7-14	The Kingston Daily Leader, The Leader Co., Inc., Publishers.....	8 75					
143655	9- 2-14	9- 2-14	The Putnam County Courier, James A. Zickler, publisher .....	8 75					
142248					142248			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	\$83 33
142249					142249			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	83 33
142250					142250			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	83 33
142246					142246			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	83 33
142247					142247			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	83 33
142245					142245			11- 5-14 W. W. Cornell .....	83 33
142239					142239			11- 5-14 Nathan Rubin .....	99 43
142737					142737			11- 6-14 Thomas J. Gannon, Mechanical Engineer .....	144 98
142736					142736			11- 6-14 Charles Miller, Collector of Taxes....	909 22
142746					142746			11- 6-14 Alex. H. Kirkham, Collector of Taxes.	73 33
142741					142741			11- 6-14 R. W. Steed, Mech. Engineer.....	46 45
142740					142740			11- 6-14 Max Blatt, Asst. Engineer.....	36 60
137592					38529	10-26-14		Pattison & Bowns .....	5,940 63
142743					142743			11- 6-14 B. M. Wagner, Asst. Engr.....	18 95
142739					142739			11- 6-14 Max Blatt, Asst. Engineer.....	4 55
142251					142251			The Lithoprint Co.....	24 59
142241					142241	10- 6-14		11- 5-14 Richmond Garage, I. A. Silvie, Jr., prop.	17 59
142240					142240			11- 5-14 Peter H. Havey & Sons, Inc.....	7 75
142745					142745			11- 5-14 Peter H. Havey & Sons, Inc.....	5 00
142738					142738			11- 6-14 Percy F. Biglin, Collector.....	3,053 52
								11- 6-14 E. G. Manahan, Division Engineer....	20 32

**VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1914.**

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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144589	38448	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	2 26	144723	3-26-14	A. F. Grassman .....	6 84
144590	38440	Snelling & Son .....	1 90	144724	2-28-14	I. Smigel .....	83 75
144591	38467	Neostyle Envelope Co.....	5 70	144725	6-10-14	M. J. Tobin .....	10 20
144592	40027	Remington Typewriter Co..	98	144726	7- 6-14	Engineering Magazine Co. .	3 00
144593	38453	M. J. Tobin .....	3 60	144727	9- 2-14	A. J. Maguire .....	7 50
		M. J. Tobin .....	3 73	144728	4-28-14	Francis Walker .....	9 50
		M. J. Tobin .....	3 40	144729	38448	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	2,693 25
144594	9-12-14	E. Steiger & Co.....	3 67	144730	38455	Harper Paper Co. ....	1 15
144595	38623	H. C. Hallenbeck .....	23 80	144731	38440	Snelling & Son .....	3 80
144596	38620	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	6 40	144732	38768	Otto G. Smith .....	15 70
144597	38615	Chas. J. O'Brien .....	117 00	144733	38461	Geo. W. Millar & Co.....	3 34
144598	38621	Paul Baron .....	31 70	144734	38522	H. T. Dakin .....	83
144599	38624	Clarence S. Nathan .....	32 75	144735	38450	Eberhard Faber .....	7 80
144600	38618	Brooklyn Daily Eagle Co..	3 10			Eberhard Faber .....	1 18
144601	38620	H. C. Hallenbeck .....	41 50	144736	38453	M. J. Tobin .....	92
144602	40263	H. C. Hallenbeck .....	14 40			M. J. Tobin .....	21 00
144603	38538	Domestic Mills Paper Co..	1 28			M. J. Tobin .....	5 50
144604	38459	Domestic Mills Paper Co..	4 24	144737	38978	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	6 50
144605	38460	Jos. Dixon Crucible Co.....	8 40			Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	78
144606	38519	Alfred Field Co.....	4 80	144738	38439	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	1 73
144607	38463	The N. Y. & Penn. Co.....	1 75			Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	1 98
144608	38450	Eberhard Faber .....	2 12	144739	40025	Chas. W. Daly.....	6 25
144609	818	Albert S. Smith .....	59	144740	9-25-14	Thermostat Fuel Saving Co.	
144610	39329	Scientific Equipment Co. ....	2 16			of New York.....	930 00
144611	38513	Hammacher, Schlemmer Co.	1 50	144741	39349	The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	33 57
144612	38486	Abraham & Straus .....	1 18	144742	111	Chas. Scribners Sons.....	84 00
144613	38479	Richard Best .....	5 93	144743	38855	Chas. Scribners Sons.....	126 00
144614	38484	David Mfg. Co. ....	87 56	144744	38517	Wm. Zinsser & Co.....	3 71
144615	38450	Eberhard Faber .....	312 25	144745	815	The H. M. Rowe Co.....	21 50
144616	38463	Hopper Paper Co. ....	82 50	144746	38488	Parker P. Simmons Co.....	12 86
144617	39298	Educational Magazine Pub.	61 00	144747	38867	Silver Burdett & Co.....	250 00
		Co. ....	6 00	144748	116	The Ellsworth Co. ....	151 20
144618	39284	D. Appleton & Co.....	1 18	144749	113	American Book Co.....	291 52
144619	39295	American Book Co. ....	8 03	144750	142	Henry Holt & Co.....	73 20
144620	39295	American Book Co.....	8 99	144751	39324	Parex Mfg. Co.....	4 00
144621	39291	Ginn & Co. ....	17 92	144752	137	Houghton-Mifflin Co. ....	30 00
144622	39410	Syndicate Trading Co. ....	39	144753	38435	Kalt Lumber Co.....	173 50
144623	39299	F. C. Stechert Co.....	85	144754	38657	S. C. Johnson & Son.....	10
144624	39284	D. Appleton & Co.....	17 50	144755	663	D. C. Heath & Co.....	82 80
144625	152	Ginn & Co. ....	16 80	144756	158	D. C. Heath & Co.....	1,182 40
144626	152	Ginn & Co. ....	30 32	144757	110	Silver Burdett & Co.....	750 51
144627	39288	Longmans, Green & Co.....	2 80	144758	38539	M. Feigel & Bros.....	2 89
144628	670	Chas. Beseler Co. ....	55 00	144759	153	The Macmillan Co.....	339 60
144629	39295	American Book Co. ....	12 50	144760	38482	Jas. A. Miller.....	3 38
144630	38486	Abraham & Straus .....	3 51	144761	38947	John H. Naughton .....	323 05
144631	111	Chas. Scribner's Sons .....	19 20	144762	38713	John H. Naughton .....	113 75
144632	38457	Peckham, Little Co. ....	5 40	144763	38946	John T. Mulgrew .....	205 40
144633	379	Chas. Scribner's Sons .....	15 60	144764	40381	John T. Mulgrew.....	102 70
144634	39291	Ginn & Co. ....	5 25	144765	38718	William P. J. Bible.....	97 50
144635	39295	American Book Co. ....	75	144766	38719	Cornelius O'Connell .....	82 94
144636	167	D. Appleton & Co.....	1 56	144767	38718	William P. J. Bible.....	48 10
144637	38538	Domestic Mills Paper Co..	4 25	144768	38726	John J. Skelly, Jr.....	121 42
144638	38454	E. Steiger & Co.....	2 87	144769	38722	Michael F. Turner.....	141 70
144639	38547	Peter Henderson & Co.....	60	144770	38736	Harris Neisloss .....	61 75
144640	38537	J. L. Hammett Co.....	2 50	144771	38731	Jones & Aubinger.....	71 50
144641	9-12-14	N. Y. Camera Exchange...	5 20	144772	38737	John B. Campbell .....	70 20
144642	9-23-14	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	32 93	144773	38739	John H. Cottier.....	259 22
144643	6-27-14	Norton Company .....	75 58	144774	38734	Charles H. Rheder .....	110 50
144644	5- 8-14	Hammacher, Schlemmer Co.	14 29	144775	38738	John S. Higbee .....	127 40
144645	9-21-14	Scientific Equipment Co.....	5 00	144776	38733	William H. Van Nostrand..	47 32
144646	10- 2-14	J. W. Pratt Co.....	6 75	144777	38657	S. C. Johnson & Son.....	05
144647	9-28-14	Koller & Smith, Inc.....	2 25	144778	38871	Educational Pub. Co.....	32
144648	10- 3-14	Oliver Typewriter Co. ....	1 50	144779	647	The Macmillan Co.....	81 48
144649	9-21-14	Weston Elec. Instrument Co.	7 45	144780	38856	The Macmillan Co.....	1 00
144650	9-22-14	Underwood Typewriter Co..	9 00	144781	151	Longmans, Green & Co.....	5 46
144704	8-21-14	Louis Imlersheim .....	3 75	144791	111	Charles Scribner's Sons....	20 00
144705	8-21-14	H. Gold .....	40 50	144792	38853	Allyn & Bacon.....	47 25
144706	9-14-14	P. Garfinkel, Assignee of W. G. Hill .....	57 99	144793	38839	American Book Co.....	6 00
144707	9-12-14	A. Itzkowitz .....	46 95	144794	S14	American Book Co.....	60 00
144708	9-12-14	N. Gordon .....	36 00	144777	38439	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co....	61 60
144709	9-18-14	H. Hanig .....	34 70	144778	656	Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	3 00
144710	9- 8-14	J. Friedman .....	19 90	144779	38435	Kalt Lumber Co.....	86 75
144711	8-29-14	L. E. Atherton .....	58 00	144780	38656	Schieffelin & Co.....	30
144712	9-11-14	Hermannsen & Co. ....	285 00	144781	38855	Charles Scribners Sons....	72 00
144713	8-31-14	F. J. Kloes .....	22 25	144782	38477	Seabury & Johnson.....	40
144714	9-12-14	Peter Nelson .....	14 50	144783	38441	Wm. H. Sidway .....	3 25
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144716	9-10-14	S. Zacharhow .....	390 25	144785	38539	M. Feigel & Bro.....	12
144717	8-20-14	J. Friedman .....	225 00	144795	113	American Book Co.....	112 00
144718	9-12-14	John H. Jebens & Bro.....	104 00	144796	167	D. Appleton & Co.....	12 00
144719	9- 8-14	John H. Jebens & Bro.....	71 75	144797	642	American Book Co.....	16 00
144720	9- 2-14	William H. Ellis .....	8 50	144798	38839	American Book Co.....	6 00
144721	9-16-14	Gregg Bro., Inc. ....	48 00	144799	810	American Book Co.....	100 00
144722	9-25-14	Thos. Cummings .....	23 00	144800	663	D. C. Heath & Co.....	56 00
				144801	650	Longmans, Green & Co.....	15 75
				144802	802	Charles E. Merrill Co.....	82 72
				144803	151	Longmans, Green & Co.....	10 50
				144804	38856	The Macmillan Co.....	220 00
				144805	816	Ginn & Co.....	38 40



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144806	177 Wm. Bev. Harrison.....	7 76	144922	38520 Geo. T. Montgomery.....	8 88		M. J. Tobin .....	4 56
144807	38854 D. C. Heath & Co.....	26 40	144923	122 The Baker & Taylor Co.....	16 25		M. J. Tobin .....	3 16
144808	806 D. C. Heath & Co.....	108 00	144924	138 World Book Co.....	128 00		M. J. Tobin .....	3 52
144809	112 Underwood & Underwood..	30	144925	123 The Packard Commercial			M. J. Tobin .....	1 76
144810	38621 Paul Baron .....	25 15		School Co. ....	9 60	145279	38514 Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	4 48
144811	38620 The J. W. Pratt Co.....	47 30	144926	38481 Eagle Pencil Co.....	42 00		Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	2 24
144812	38618 The Brooklyn Daily Eagle.	16 50	144927	814 The Macmillan Co.....	198 00		Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	122 33
144813	38620 The J. W. Pratt Co.....	34 50	144928	38486 Abraham & Straus.....	77 01		Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	3 50
144814	39344 Ward's Natural Science		144929	38438 Milton, Bradley Co.....	536 82	145280	34279 The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	1 53
	Estab. ....	2 75	144930	38978 Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	2 00	145281	432 The Macmillan Co.....	4 55
144815	38844 Ginn & Co.....	20 80	144931	38448 The J. W. Pratt Co.....	115 48	145282	39289 The Macmillan Co.....	2 25
144816	38462 Neostyle Envelope Co.....	1,196 40	144932	39329 Scientific Equipment Co...	44	145283	38851 Longmans, Green & Co....	5 70
144817	38621 Paul Baron .....	8 50	144933	168 Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	51 80	145284	654 Chas. E. Merrill Co.....	100 00
144818	38618 The Brooklyn Daily Eagle.	1 26	144934	39347 Standard Scientific Co....	43 48	145285	125 Chas. E. Merrill Co.....	48 00
144819	38618 The Brooklyn Daily Eagle.	3 15	144935	152 Ginn & Co.....	8 00	145286	151 Longmans, Green & Co....	5 25
144820	893 Armour & Co.....	44 84	144936	38539 M. Feigel & Bros.....	16	145287	38481 Eagle Pencil Co.....	16 00
144821	779 M. J. Tobin .....	2 58	144937	810 American Book Co.....	18 40	145288	38509 Standard Sup. Co.....	9 48
144822	39650 M. D. Lundin .....	159 00	144938	38440 Snelling & Son.....	32	145289	38482 Jas. A. Miller .....	8 25
144823	39374 M. D. Lundin .....	420 00	144939	34408 The Home Trust Co. of		145290	38470 Michael J. Matin .....	3 15
144824	39956 I. S. Smith .....	304 00		N. Y., Assignee of Mitchell		145291	38544 The Manhattan Supply Co..	14 50
144825	39944 John J. Kenney Co.....	493 00	144940	34408 The Home Trust Co. of	5,782 46	145292	38474 Standard Oil Co.....	16 18
144826	39622 David Kreisberg .....	405 00		N. Y., Assignee of Mitchell		145293	38464 Moller & Schumann Co....	4 38
144827	39623 David Kreisberg .....	260 00		Constr. Co. ....	21,944 70	145294	38513 Hammacher, Schlemmer Co.	10 34
144828	40059 A. W. King .....	217 50	144941	38078 Frymjer & Hanna Co.....	864 93	145295	38476 Samuel Lewis .....	46 46
144829	40059 A. W. King .....	496 00	144942	38078 Frymjer & Hanna Co.....	8,025 91	145296	38862 Newson & Co.....	78
144830	40232 E. Rutzler .....	1,440 00	144943	37630 Thomas McKeown, Inc....	16,377 06	145297	38444 F. W. Devoe & C. T. Ray-	
144831	39673 Jas. I. Newman.....	534 00	144944	9-1-14 The Baker & Taylor Co...	40		nolds Co. ....	7 90
144832	39923 M. D. Lundin .....	399 00	144945	7-31-14 Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	1 72	145298	38477 Seabury & Johnson .....	2 78
144833	39934 M. D. Lundin .....	140 00	144946	6-17-14 The Baker & Taylor Co...	8 41	145299	178 Rand, McNally Co.....	12 00
144834	39801 Edward E. Stapleton .....	393 00	144947	9-9-14 F. C. Stechert & Co.....	13 07	145300	38769 Greenhut-Siegel Cooper Co.	3 23
144835	39148 Schoverling, Daly & Gales..	390 00	144948	4-7-14 Agent and Warden, Auburn	5 24	145301	39349 The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	8 49
144836	35627 National Regulator Co.....	525 10	144949	4-7-14 The Century Co.....	80	145302	39284 D. Appleton & Co.....	1 12
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144848	39292 The A. S. Barnes Co.....	3 36	144961	8-25-14 Robt. Simpson .....	15 60		The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	40
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	Co. ....	88	144968	3-4-14 John Wanamaker .....	4 25		Scientific Equipment Co...	1 04
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144876	9-8-14 Max Klausner .....	15 00	144992	7-25-14 J. H. Rhodes Co.....	29 35		The Macmillan Co.....	132 00
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144881	9-30-14 S. J. McCullough & Co....	297 00	144997	9-30-14 B. Altman & Co.....	136 35		Scientific Equipment Co...	14 08
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144883	8-7-14 The A. R. Ohman Map Co..	16 50	145000	9-24-14 National Folding Box and		145337	38539 M. Feigel & Bro.....	56
144884	9-3-14 Weston Electrical Inst. Co.	6 92		Paper Co. ....	87 36		M. Feigel & Bro.....	12
144885	7-5-14 Albers Bros. ....	24 00	145001	9-5-14 The Century Co.....	1 88	145338	38520 Geo. T. Montgomery .....	126 31
144886	9-14-14 L. E. Knott Apparatus Co..	8 00	145002	7-3-14 Tabulating Machine Co.....	57 68		Geo. T. Montgomery .....	
144887	8-31-14 F. C. Stechert & Co.....	1 70	145003	8-17-14 Talens & Son .....	1 98	145339	39284 D. Appleton & Co.....	60
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144909	10-1-14 Flanagan, Kramer Co.....	49 85	145025			145353	39349 The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	3 97
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145374	39284 D. Appleton & Co.....	1 00	144693	8-12-14 Boreal Ventilator Co.....	7 00	145703	10-24-14 Victor Welding Works ....	9 00
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145379	38656 Schieffelin & Co. ....	2 28	144698	7- 2-14 Nickel Towel Supply.....	41 70	145536	10-22-14 Library Bureau .....	\$11 25
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145388	38477 Seabury & Johnson .....	2 61	144707	Margaret Werner .....	27 66	145544	10- 9-14 D. S. Walton & Co.....	107 35
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145395	38447 Edward E. Babb & Co., As-	1 22	144714	Karl Laher .....	100 50	145550	10-15-14 G. E. Stechert & Co.....	15 25
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145404	38463 The N. Y. & Penna. Co.,	41 09	144724	The Colonial Bank .....	37 50		<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.</b>	
	Assignee Hopper Paper Co.		144725	Alfonse Dumore .....	36 00	145093	Charles J. Dalzell.....	\$2 70
145405	38445 The H. B. Claflin Co.....	7 00	144726	Ollie Scheuer, assignee of	562 50	145094	Edward Coch .....	4 55
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145409	38442 F. S. Banks & Co.....	24 84	144730	Philip Braender .....	400 00		<b>Richmond.</b>	
145410	38453 M. J. Tobin .....	19 55	144731	Antonio Cappello .....	120 00	145707	8-19-14 J. H. Boozer .....	\$19 20
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145417	39347 Standard Scientific Co....	96	144738	ney in fact for Betty Norek		145714	10-10-14 Royal Typewriter Co.....	3 50
145418	38514 Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	2 00	144739	Herbert E. Williams, attor-	90 00	145715	10-17-14 Pure Oil Co.....	96 68
145419	38445 The H. B. Claflin Co.....	19 87	144740	ney in fact for Philip Leven		145716	10- 6-14 Keystone Lubricating Co...	26 75
145420	38516 A. G. Spalding & Bros....	21 00	144741	et al, copartners, the firm		145717	10-21-14 John T. Stanley.....	7 50
145421	9-30-14 C. H. Reynolds & Sons...	18 21	144742	Leventhal & Kotler .....	90 00	145718	10-16-14 The Harral Soap Co.....	2 63
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145423	8-25-14 J. H. Goetschius .....	17 00	144744	Bank .....			Co. ....	17 50
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145431	9-10-14 C. V. Gedroice & Co.....	43 00	144752	Christina Jerustrom .....	146 47	145727	9-30-14 Milton Bradley Co.....	1 20
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145433	9- 8-14 Sandhop Contracting Co...	60 00	144754	Henry Cassidy .....	137 46	145729	John T. Stanley .....	6 00
145434	9- 1-14 Neuman & Seegler .....	100 00	144755	Nettie Snyder .....	10 83	145730	10- 1-14 Otto Stegemann .....	6 00
145435	9- 1-14 M. Fisher .....	8 00	144756	Jacob Hamburger .....	5 55	145731	9-10-14 A. P. W. Paper Co.....	152 00
145436	9-30-14 James J. Fay .....	155 00	144757	Jos. Wahl .....	18 63	145732	Borne, Scrymser & Co.....	10 00
145437	9-24-14 Marquard & Fay Co.....	223 00	144758	Wm. Robinson .....	239 83	145733	10-17-14 The Smith Worthington Co.	32 87
145438	9-16-14 George Rahe .....	51 00	144759	Municipal Leins Co. ....	209 40	145734	10-16-14 The Howe Scales Co.....	4 00
145439	9-12-14 Benjes & Steifel .....	11 00	144760	Fire Department.		145735	9-25-14 The Banks Law Pub. Co....	8 25
145440	9-10-14 J. Fitzgerald .....	18 00	144761	145212 10-23-14 Marquard Fay Co. ....	25 00	145736	J. D. McCarthy Co.....	3 15
145441	9-10-14 J. F. Ferguson.....	48 00	144762	145213 10-30-14 W. H. Swartwout .....	10 00	145737	7- 7-14 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car	
145442	8-22-14 F. J. Unger .....	14 00	144763	145214 11- 2-14 William Ralph .....	1 50		Co. ....	8 00
145443	9-27-14 T. F. Maher .....	49 75	144764	145215 10- 1-14 Robert Blogg .....	45	145738	10- 9-14 Kuehn & Metz.....	25 00
145444	9- 2-14 A. Feigenbaum .....	286 00	144765	145216 10- 1-14 Frank McCaffrey .....	4 30	145739	10-27-14 The B. F. Goodrich Co....	30 05
145445	9- 8-14 R. & A. Isaacson.....	73 00	144766	145217 11- 1-14 Frank McCaffrey .....	3 00	145740	10-20-14 Wright & Ditson.....	117 00
145446	152 Ginn & Co. ....	16 00	144767	145218 11- 2-14 Chas. S. Demarest .....	1 81	145741	10- 9-14 Dept. Correction .....	61 80
145447	653 Ginn & Co. ....	156 44	144768	145219 11- 2-14 P. A. Bates .....	16 10	145742	10-15-14 N. Y. Belting & Packing Co.	11 24
145448	151 Longmans, Green & Co....	97 00	144769	145220 11- 2-14 P. A. Bates .....	34 90	145743	10-21-14 The J. L. Mott Iron Works.	20 40
145449	39299 F. C. Stechert Co.....	1 20	144770	145665 10-16-14 Thompson Levering Co....	3 50	145744	10-20-14 Travers Twine & Cordage	
145450	38910 A. J. Nystrom & Co.....	20 00	144771	145666 10-10-14 Clarence S. Nathan .....	28 00		Co. ....	34 20
145451	40028 Underwood Typewriter Co..	665 00	144772	145667 10-19-14 J. & T. Adikes.....	41 68	145745	10-20-14 Pratt & Cady & Co.....	9 75
145452	40028 Underwood Typewriter Co..	26 00	144773	145668 10-26-14 Parke, Davis & Co.....	27 57	145746	10-22-14 The Studebaker Corp'n of	
145453	38768 Otto G. Smith.....	3 24	144774	145669 10-20-14 C. H. Reynolds & Sons....	19 80		America .....	48 00
145454	38851 Longmans, Green & Co....	13 50	144775	145670 9-17-14 Thomas Stokes & Sons, Inc.	11 00	145747	10-22-14 Rudolph Gersmann, Inc....	925 00
145455	38542 Kruse Phillips Ink Co.....	1 50	144776	145671 10-24-14 Elizabeth Dunn .....	8 36	145748	9-11-14 Neal & Brinker Co.....	2 20
145456	144 J. L. Hammett & Co.....	18 00	144777	145672 10- 1-14 Knickerbocker Ice Co. ....	2 00	145749	9-29-14 Baker Barron .....	9 00
145457	38848 Scott, Foresman & Co.....	3 00	144778	145673 10- 8-14 E. G. Soltmann .....	1 75	145750	7- 1-14 Church E. Gates & Co.....	200 00
145458	151 Longmans, Green & Co....	18 00	144779	145674 10-24-14 New York Blue Print Paper	60	145751	9-16-14 American Radiator Co.....	36 00
145459	178 Rand, McNally & Co.....	6 00	144780	145675 10- 5-14 Crown Stamp Works .....	30	145752	9-24-14 Patterson Bros. ....	29 54
145460	818 Albert S. Smith.....	7 50						



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145773	9-30-14 Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.....	21 60	145570	10-27-14 Republic Const. Co.....	9 88	145635	10-23-14 Dr. Vincent E. Quinn.....	33 00
145774	10- 4-14 Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co..	3 25	145571	10-14-14 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car	8 08	145636	11- 6-14 Jacob Meyers .....	60
145775	10- 7-14 Vought & Williams .....	3 11	145572	9- 4-14 Brooklyn Blue Print Works	61 00	145637	11- 2-14 Daniel Mangan .....	100 00
145776	10- 7-14 Amer. Veneer Co. ....	44 03	145573	9-16-14 The Acme Foundry Co.....	195 00	145638	11- 5-14 A. F. Emrich & Bro.....	1 30
145777	10- 6-14 Kalt Lumber Co. ....	155 08	145574	10- 5-14 Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	6 50	145110	10-31-14 Great Bear Spring Co.....	\$1 50
145778	7-14-14 Reliable Elec. Plating Works	56 00	145575	10- 5-14 Kanouse Mt. Water Co....	9 00	145067	Sheriff, Richmond County.	
145779	9-17-14 Tranquillity Farms .....	75 00	145576	10-30-14 Tautwein Tire & Repair Co.	2 12	145695	George D. Sharpe .....	\$20 00
<b>Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.</b>			145577	10-30-14 Sweeney & Nail Auto Co..	42 13	<b>Department of Street Cleaning.</b>		
145194	39077 The Marble Arch Co.....	\$11,199 51	145578	10-26-14 Gowanus Kindling Wood	28 75	145696	38707 Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Horse	\$6,840 00
145195	33841 The Hastings Pav. Co.....	253 38	145579	10-20-14 Abraham & Straus.....	69 50	145697	38884 D. B. Fleming & Son.....	572 56
145196	40162 Chas. Schaefer, Jr. ....	558 45	145580	10-21-14 B. F. Kane & Bro.....	49 50	145698	38162 John J. O'Connor .....	1,798 12
145197	39988 Strauss Bros. ....	354 64	145581	10- 6-14 Abraham & Straus.....	1 50	145699	38167 Henry Nimphins .....	356 76
145198	39150 Thos. W. Woods Sons, Inc..	619 00	145582	10-16-14 Johnson Service Co.....	2 02	145780	17422 Edward Holland & Co.....	880 00
145199	39013 J. E. Pittinger .....	202 20	145583	10-21-14 W. R. Adams & Co.....	17 57	<b>Department of Taxes and Assessments.</b>		
145200	39012 Thos. C. Dunham, Inc.....	68 08	145584	8-31-14 The Berger Mfg. Co.....	9 83	145781	8-19-14 S. W. Reese & Co.....	\$2 90
145201	39010 Knickerbocker Supply Co. .	64 80	145585	10-22-14 Hudley, Clarke Co.....	22 40	145782	10-27-14 The Tablet & Ticket Co....	60
<b>Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.</b>			145586	10-29-14 Peerless Rubber Mfg. Co..	9 00	145783	10-31-14 Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	2 18
145070	11-13-13 Chas. Schaefer & Son.....	\$195 29	145587	10- 6-14 Daniel A. Maher .....	5 50	145784	10-31-14 Fred. M. Schildwachter....	1 44
145071	11-21-13 A. M. Ryon .....	27 25	145588	10- 6-14 Union League Stables.....	27 50	145785	10-31-14 N. Y. Bottling Co.....	6 50
145072	7- 5-14 Julius Roehrs Co. ....	75 00	145589	10- 6-14 Park Slope Stables.....	55 00	145786	11- 1-14 Gramatan Spring Water Co.	3 00
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145074	11-21-13 Swan & Finch Co.....	32 00	145591	10- 6-14 William Conley .....	20 75	145788	John H. Story .....	12 00
145075	10-21-14 Underwood Typewriter Co..	83 03	145592	10- 6-14 Wm. Statts .....	5 00	145789	John H. Story .....	16 20
145076	8-14-14 Times Square Auto Co....	3 00	145593	10- 6-14 B. Hafker .....	1 50	145790	Maurice Mulcahy .....	23 68
145077	9-30-14 L. I. Hardware Co.....	89 00	145594	10-21-14 Stewart & Millar .....	20 00	145791	Fredk. A. Dede .....	55 80
145078	9-29-14 F. W. Devoe, G. T. Reynolds	1 90	145595	10-16-14 C. & R. Poillon .....	2 00	145792	Edward J. Tracey .....	8 45
145079	11-23-13 J. J. Lake .....	11 95	145596	10-22-14 Royal Eastern Electrical	12 00	145793	Jas. A. Tappen .....	3 00
145080	11-22-13 C. B. Derby & Co.....	15 35	145597	10-24-14 Fallon Law Book Co.....	13 50	145794	Jos. J. Mahoney .....	4 00
145081	11- 7-14 C. T. Silver Motor Co.....	2 80	145598	10-23-14 Banks Law Publishing Co..	4 00	145795	A. P. Toms .....	2 30
145082	11-10-14 Chas. E. Miller .....	6 72	145599	10-31-14 Park Stables .....	55 00	145796	9-30-14 New York Telephone Co....	17 35
145083	9-29-14 Chas. E. Miller .....	3 71	145600	10-31-14 Walter Doscher .....	55 00	145797	Kolesch & Co. ....	7 46
145084	11-15-13 Doering Bros. ....	4 50	145601	10-31-14 P. H. Powers & Son.....	27 50	145798	9-12-14 Columbia Frame & Art Co.	2 05
145085	10-19-14 Eugene Dietzgen Co. ....	7 14	145602	10-31-14 The Columbia Stables, J. W.	55 00	145799	11-13-13 Kolesch & Co.....	6 24
145086	11- 7-14 J. & T. Adikes.....	4 00	145603	10-31-14 Strohsahl & Son .....	55 00	145800	10-16-14 Library Bureau .....	4 00
145087	11-13-13 J. Newton Van Ness Co....	10 50	145604	10-31-14 W. T. Allen .....	27 50	145801	10-16-14 Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co..	9 25
145088	11-22-13 Chas. W. Green .....	51 65	145605	10-31-14 Alex. Walker & Son.....	5 50	145802	11- 3-14 Duford Garage Co. ....	58 50
145089	11-15-13 Grochola & Kuskowski .....	11 25	145606	11- 1-14 Thos. F. Reid .....	14 50	145803	11-14-13 A. Pearson's Sons .....	735 00
145090	11- 1-14 James Mulligan .....	35 00	145607	11- 2-14 Daniel A. Maher .....	32 00	145804	8-13-14 A. Pearson's Sons .....	6 50
145091	11- 8-14 Woodhaven Water Supply	200 65	145608	11- 2-14 Elihu K. Baynon .....	26 50	145805	11-22-13 Globe-Wernicke Co.....	112 00
145092	9-30-14 Citizens' Water Supply Co.	179 66	145609	11- 4-14 John B. Creighton .....	50 00	145806	11-23-13 G. Von Bühren .....	12 60
<b>Police Department.</b>			145610	10-26-14 C. W. Keenan .....	5 38	145807	10-26-14 The Lithoprint Co. ....	54 00
145226	10-10-14 Library Bureau .....	\$99 00	145611	10-29-14 New York Blue Print Paper	3 30	145808	10-23-14 Art Metal Construction Co.	327 00
145227	10-13-14 Jupp Stenographers' Ex-	1 60	145612	39882 F. A. Pellegrino Const. Co..	2,319 73	145809	11- 3-14 Ajax Trucking Co. ....	369 50
145228	10-14-14 Cobb, Macey, Dohme, Inc..	2 55	145613	40192 Cannon Const. Co. ....	3,217 11	145810	11- 7-14 A. Pearson's Sons .....	54 00
145229	9- 4-14 Agent and Warden, Danne-	44 00	145614	31319 Dominick Bonacci .....	3,426 35	145811	11- 3-14 A. Pearson's Sons .....	293 00
145230	10-19-14 United Lead Co. ....	69 25	145615	Thos. F. Moran .....	5 70	145812	11-14-13 A. Pearson's Sons .....	966 25
145231	10-15-14 Banks Law Pub. Co.....	3 60	145616	Chas. S. Stratton .....	7 45	<b>Board of Water Supply.</b>		
145232	10-22-14 Banks Law Pub. Co.....	3 60	145617	Wm. W. Richards .....	76 55	145006	10-31-14 Ahendroth Bros. ....	2 18
145233	10-20-14 Fallon Law Book Co.....	6 30	145618	Herman H. Schmidt .....	42 90	145007	9-30-14 William J. Brown .....	2 48
145234	10-14-14 M. Mabey & Son.....	2 50	145619	Wm. J. Shea .....	120 80	145008	9-30-14 Mose Palen .....	55 90
145235	3-27-14 Motor Car Equipment .....	651 48	145620	Henry Leibe .....	19 00	145009	9-24-14 Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co.	3 18
145236	10-26-14 H. R. Saunders .....	15 00	<b>President of the Borough of Queens.</b>			145010	11- 2-14 Board of Water Commission-	12 84
145237	7-23-14 Vought & Williams .....	187 00	145421	10-31-14 J. W. Moore .....	\$15 00	145011	9-11-14 Boynton Furnace Co.....	3 25
145238	10-17-14 Sibley & Pitman .....	7 66	145422	11- 2-14 P. J. McDonnell .....	94 43	145012	9-18-14 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co..	15 00
145239	8-13-14 Underwood Typewriter Co.	9 00	145423	8- 6-14 Wm. A. Prendergast, Comp-	85 00	145013	9-23-14 C. Brundage .....	10 00
145240	10- 9-14 Herman Kramer .....	9 50	145424	11- 6-14 Wm. A. Prendergast, Comp-	164 11	145014	10-22-14 Central Hudson Gas and	1 20
145241	10-22-14 Burroughs Adding Machine	85	<b>Public Service Commission.</b>			145015	9-18-14 W. F. Chambers .....	62 60
145242	10-26-14 Grosch Bros. ....	9 50	145748	Edmund H. Mitchell et al..	\$31,000 00	145016	9-22-14 Cook & Wilkinson Co.....	8 25
145243	39849 N. Y. Tel. Co.....	1,793 56	145749	Adams Express Co. ....	33 69	145017	9- 9-14 M. M. Corwin .....	2 65
145244	36764 Wm. H. Egan .....	100 00	145750	Kings County Lighting Co..	1 18	145018	9-30-14 Perry Deyo .....	6 75
145245	36583 Jas. Curran Mfg. Co.....	250 00	145751	H. A. D. Hollman .....	158 19	145019	9-30-14 Dumond & Saxe .....	240 21
<b>President of the Borough of Manhattan.</b>			<b>Department of Public Charities.</b>			145020	9-22-14 Dumond & Saxe .....	12 57
145474	Edward Swanson .....	\$16 50	145165	10-26-14 Amer. Laundry Mach. Co..	\$258 00	145021	9-17-14 C. V. Ennst .....	27 20
145475	Felix Kleeberg .....	33 85	145166	11-13-13 James S. Barron & Co. ....	3 06	145022	9-22-14 Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Horse	1 75
145476	Wm. A. Prendergast .....	5,465 80	145167	10-29-14 Blackford's .....	38 10	145023	9-14-14 Fowler & Sellars Co.....	2 17
145477	38142 Jos. Balaban Co.....	1,530 00	145168	8- 6-14 H. Ebbighausen .....	6 85	145024	9- 1-14 Wm. A. Geis .....	13 00
145478	39751 Casualty Co. of America...	4,866 10	145169	7-14-14 J. W. Haulenbeek Co.....	111 71	145025	8-20-14 E. P. Gleason .....	11 13
145479	38606 Knickerbocker Supply Co..	331 00	145170	10-23-14 A. F. Grassman .....	217 20	145026	9-30-14 Hardcastle & Bush .....	63 60
145507	38587 Barrett Mfg. Co.....	2,708 85	145171	9-30-14 Henry Kelly & Sons.....	16 59	145027	10- 1-14 Elting Harp .....	3 10
145508	38998 Barrett Mfg. Co.....	336 16	145172	9-30-14 P. Lawless' Sons .....	3 16	145028	10- 2-14 L. W. Jaycox .....	2 85
145509	26989 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	147 32	145173	10- 1-14 Rebecka Melicow .....	2 94	145029	9-26-14 L. W. Jaycox .....	48 00
145510	24119 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	874 41	145174	10-14-14 Wm. Schmidt .....	14 16	145030	10-22-14 W. H. Ladue's Sons .....	58 65
145511	34371 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.....	323 21	145175	10-15-14 James T. Smith .....	116 33	145031	9-15-14 A. P. Lefevre .....	134 00
145512	24122 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	312 88	145176	10-22-14 Westchester Fish Co. ....	74 60	145032	9-18-14 A. P. Lefevre .....	57 88
145513	27559 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.....	162 82	145177	7-22-14 S. D. Woodruff & Son.....	13 41	145033	10-20-14 Livingston Radiator & Mfg.	32 36
145514	26983 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	65 86	145178	9-30-14 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car	90	145034	9-16-14 Frank Mathew .....	2 00
145515	39581 Uvalde Cont. Co.....	1,356 77	145179	8-14-14 Meyers & Grayson .....	81 12	145035	9-15-14 National Auto Top Co....	52 00
145516	34370 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.....	169 52	145180	10-22-14 H. C. & H. B. Harpending..	108 00	145036	10- 1-14 William Nelson .....	23 62
145517	25485 Harlem Cont. Co.....	754 02	145181	9-30-14 John Spruck .....	31 00	145037	10- 5-14 W. H. Nock .....	14 50
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145519	33253 Harlem Cont. Co.....	171 62	145183	8-21-14 Annin & Co. ....	11 38	145039	10-14-14 Perkins Campbell Co.....	98 09
145520	33414 Harlem Cont. Cont. Co.....	363 87	145184	8-29-14 Fairbanks Co. ....	28 00	145040	9-26-14 Perry & Reiley .....	12 94
145521	34272 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.....	226 19	145185	3-23-14 Hammacher, Schlemmer Co.	24 53	145041	10- 1-14 J. Pfister .....	5 77
145522	27817 Harlem Cont. Co.....	161 45	145186	8-19-14 E. T. Joyce .....	19 50	145042	11-19-13 Carrie Baxter .....	25 00
145523	33270 Harlem Cont. Co.....	168 30	145187	10-20-14 Dept. of Correction .....	14 00	145043	11- 5-14 New Paltz Times.....	8 75
145524	27562 Asphalt Const. Co.....	124 76	145188	10-20-14 George Glaab .....	9 50	145044	6-30-14 Cornwall Telephone Co....	106 89
145525	28077 Asphalt Const. Co.....	326 78	145189	10-19-14 Underwood Typewriter Co.	1 50	145045	11- 1-14 W. L. Post & Son.....	14 35
145526	24123 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	185 51	145190	10- 1-14 Ansonia Garage .....	50 00	145046	11- 9-14 W. L. Post .....	85
145527	24123 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	185 51	145191	7-31-14 Detroit Cadillac Motor Co.	74 55	145047	9-11-14 Proudfit Loose Leaf Co....	85 10
145528	17188 Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.....	1,598 35	145192	10-21-14 M. Magee & Son.....	23 75	145048	11- 6-14 Remington Arms Union	23 54
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145530	27574 Harlem Cont. Co.....	409 74	145662	10-31-14 Patk. Dougherty .....	\$6 93	145050	9-30-14 N. H. Rowe .....	2 50
145531	27573 Harlem Cont. Co.....	106 61	<b>Sheriff, Bronx County.</b>			145051	9-30-14 Shelley Bros. ....	22 50
145532	27687 Harlem Cont. Co.....	64 44	145616	Jacob Kuhlman .....	\$224 63	145052	11- 9-14 M. F. Smith .....	2 40
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145534	40354 Fitzgerald & Brennan...	2,415 28	145618	11- 2-14 Adams, Flanagan Co.....	230 95	145054	8-31-14 J. H. Sullivan .....	4 00
<b>President of the Borough of The Bronx.</b>			145619	10- 1-14 G. Robitzik & Bros.....	19 95	145055	8- 5-14 George H. Tyrrell .....	101 97
145450	40276 Anita Const. Co.....	\$1,685 55	145620	10-31-14 Ward Baking Co. ....	61 00	145056	8-11-14 George H. Tyrrell .....	3 50



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145482	10-27-14 Burroughs Adding Machine Co. ....	4 00	145498	8-31-14 The George H. Tyrrell.....	49 49	145126	39118 Flatbush Gas Co. ....	56 00
145483	10- 5-14 Brown Auto Supply Co.....	17 04	145499	The Yonkers Elec. Light & Power Co. ....	65	145127	40155 Westchester Ltg. Co.....	6,278 49
145484	10-12-14 Coldwell-Wilcox Co. ....	69 23	145500	Vacuum Oil Co. ....	13 07	145128	40153 The Bronx Gas & Electric Co. ....	7,813 61
145485	4- 8-14 Dept. of Correction .....	5 58	145501	10-20-14 Swab & Finch Co. ....	20 17		The Bronx Gas & Elec. Co.	62 43
145486	10-22-14 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co. ....	18 00	145402	Mead & Taft Co. ....	24 24	145129	39970 Edison Electric Ill. Co. of Brooklyn .....	46,418 83
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145488	11- 2-14 James Fish .....	2 84	145611	11- 2-14 Henry Romeike, Inc.....	76	145130	39969 Flatbush Gas Co. ....	8,796 38
145489	9-29-14 Forsyth & Davis .....	74 10	145612	N. Y. Central & Hudson R. R. Co.....	22 80		Flatbush Gas Co. ....	38 38
145490	10-26-14 Fowler & Sellaes Co.....	3 80	145613	The Newburgh Daily News.	8 75	145131	39115 Welsbach Street Lighting Co.	747 22
145491	Garland Service Co.....	10 14	145614	9- 7-14 The Tannersville Times....	8 75	145132	39115 Welsbach Street Lighting Co.	23 50
145492	10-28-14 Mead & Taft Co. ....	12 72	145615	11- 4-14 Engineering News .....	23 40	145133	39118 Flatbush Gas Co. ....	1,235 04
145493	10-29-14 E. R. Nickerson .....	15 70	<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b>				Flatbush Gas Co. ....	6 90
145494	10-29-14 Northern Westchester Light- ing Co. ....	1 00	145122	40017 Jos. Johnson's Sons.....	\$252 31	145134	39120 Brooklyn Borough Gas Co..	734 32
145495	10-24-14 Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co..	1 62	145123	40362 The Manhattan Supply Co..	41 86		Brooklyn Borough Gas Co..	10 57
145496	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	131 80	145124	39120 The Manhattan Supply Co..	191 11	145135	40181 Soraci Cont. Co. ....	2,926 40
				Brooklyn Borough Gas Co..	2 50			

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Abstract of Transactions from October 12th to October 17th, 1914.

OCTOBER 12.

**Appointed**—To take effect 9 A. M., October 13, 1914. Joseph C. Phelan, as Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Fire Prevention, Division of Combustibles, Brooklyn and Queens, for temporary period of two months, at rate of \$75.00 per month.

**Fires Reported**—Week Ended October 10, 1914. Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond, 153; Brooklyn and Queens, 84.

OCTOBER 13.

**Trial.**  
The following penalties were imposed as result of trials before the Fire Commissioner October 7, 1914: Fireman Matthew M. Casey, Eng. Co. 13, for conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline; two days' pay. Fireman Matthew Kelly, Hook and Ladder Co. 37, for violation Section 152, Rules and Regulations, 1912, and being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound; all recreation leaves allowed under Section 154, Rules and Regulations, to be withheld for a period of 21 days from 8 A. M., October 11, 1914.

**Retired**—To take effect 8 A. M., October 16, 1914: Captain Christopher F. Shaw, Hook and Ladder Company No. 119, on annual pension of \$1,250.00. Fireman Scott Porter, Hose Company No. 9, on annual pension of \$700.00.

**Death Reported**—Fireman George A. Multer, Engine Company No. 54, on October 12, 1914.

**Extension of Time Granted**—To Frederick Pearce Company, until October 2nd, 1914, on contract dated June 10, 1914, for furnishing supplies to Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph. To John W. Sullivan Company, until October 8, 1914, for completion of contract dated August 16, 1912, for constructing a new fireboat.

**Payrolls Audited**—\$5,322.61.

OCTOBER 14.

**Trial.**  
The following penalty was imposed as result of trial held before the Fire Commissioner October 8, 1914: Fireman John J. Wall, Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, for disrespect to superior officer and neglect of duty. All recreation leaves allowed under Section 154, Rules and Regulations, to be withheld for a period of 14 days from 8 A. M., October 15, 1914.

**Charges Dismissed**—Tried before the Fire Commissioner October 8, 1914: Fireman Lawrence J. Kane, Engine Company No. 24, for reckless driving; Fireman William J. Heaney, Hook and Ladder Company No. 26, for absence without leave.

**Resigned**—To take effect 8 A. M., October 16, 1914: Fireman William A. Fasolo, Engine Company No. 152.

**Transferred**—To take effect 8 A. M., October 15, 1914: Fireman John J. Wall, Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, to Hook and Ladder Company No. 18.

**Suspended from all Duty**—To take effect from 4:40 P. M., October 14, 1914: Fireman John F. Logan, Engine Company No. 269.

OCTOBER 15.

The following penalty was imposed and other action taken as result of trials before the Deputy Fire Commissioner, Brooklyn and Queens, October 18, 1914: Fireman James R. Conway, Engine Company No. 248, for neglect of duty; sentence suspended. Fireman Patrick J. Kane, Engine Company No. 276, for absence without leave; all recreation leaves allowed under Section 154, Rules and Regulations, to be withheld for fourteen days from 8 A. M., October 16, 1914.

**Bills Audited**—\$2,000.00.  
**Opening of Proposals**—For furnishing and delivering ten gasoline propelled tractors (7 for steam fire engines and 3 for hook and ladder trucks). 1. Front Drive Motor Company, Willow Ave. and 16th St., Hoboken, N. J., \$36,000. Contract awarded to the above named company.

For furnishing and delivering two gasoline-propelled tractors (1 for steam fire engine and 1 for hook and ladder truck).

1. Front Drive Motor Co., Willow Ave., Hoboken, N. J., \$7,200; 2. C. J. Cross Front Drive Tractor Co., 1874 Broadway, Manhattan, \$6,780. Contract awarded to the C. J. Cross Front Drive Tractor Company on its bid of \$6,780.

**Hearing**—The following action was taken as result of hearing before the Deputy Commissioner, Brooklyn and Queens, October 14, 1914: Toolman Joseph A. Dunn, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Apparatus, Brooklyn and Queens, for absence without leave; suspended from duty for three days, from 8 A. M., October 16, 1914.

**Transferred**—To take effect 8 A. M., October 17, 1914: Engineer of Steamer Bernard Morris, Eng. Co. 81, to Eng. Co. 80; Engineer of Steamer John D. Miller, Eng. Co. 80, to Eng. Co. 81.

**Bills Audited**—Open Market Orders, \$1,494.19; Contracts, \$10,194.52.

OCTOBER 17.

**Payrolls Audited**—\$801.96.  
ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

**Department of Public Charities.**

Report for Week Ended October 31, 1914.

**Appointments**—Hospital Helpers: Asch-off, May, \$216; Bates, William, \$180; Becker, Harry, \$240; Bluch, George, \$240; Boehme, Frank, \$240; Brown, Joseph, \$180; Buckley, Thomas, \$240; Cassidy, Lucy, \$240; Connelly, Nora, \$240; Connor, Thomas, \$180; Corcoran, John R., \$180; Costello, Margaret, \$240; Cotterill, Amelia, \$240; Croal, Edwin, \$180; Delahanty, Josephine, \$240; Dsirne, Ernest, \$240; Dunn, Katie, \$240; Evans, Horace, \$180; Fanning, Henry J., \$120; Farrell, Thomas, \$180; Feely, Stephen, \$180; Fittzell, Margaret, \$240; Foster, Frank, \$240; Gallagher, John, \$240; Gould, Alice, \$240; Green, Daniel, \$180; Gwozdo, Veld, \$240; Haggerty, Patrick, \$180; Hahn, George, \$180; Haight, John T., \$240; Hellman, Earnest, \$180; Hoffman, Mabel, \$240; Kaplan, Morris, \$180; Klein, Edward, \$240; Maloney, Helen, \$240; Martin, Rose, \$240; Millard, Algernon W., \$240; Miller, Benj. A., \$240; Mitchell, James, \$180; Moore, Annie E., \$180; Moreland, Gilbert, \$240; Moran, Meter, \$180; Moynahan, Margaret, \$240; Murtha, William, \$180; Myers, John, \$180; McArdle, Barney, \$180; McCabe, Rose, \$240; McDonnell, Margt., \$240; McGinnis, Emma, \$180; Newill, Margaret, \$240; Nolan, Catherine, \$240; O'Brien, John J., \$180; O'Leary, Patrick, \$240; O'Neill, Kate, \$180; Osborne, James F., \$240; Reynolds, Bridget, \$240; Robinson, John, \$180; Rodgers, Walter F., \$240; Rogers, Edward, \$180; Roseman, Mary, \$180; Schwartz, Louis, \$240; Scullin, William J., \$240; Sexton, John, \$180; Sibbald, Margaret, \$240; Slater, Sarah, \$240; Slattery, William, \$180; Smith, Edward, \$180; Smith, Patrick, \$180; Speth, Katie, \$180; Telfer, Margaret, \$180; Thompson, Michael, \$180; Tooke, William, \$240; Wales, Frederick, J., \$180; Weaver, Jane, \$180; Welton, Joseph, \$180; Whaley, Ellen, \$240; White, Martin, \$240; Wolff, Frank, \$240; Wrenn, Robert L., \$180; Cullen, Mary, \$240.

**Dropped**—Hospital Helpers: Bergman, Margaret, \$240; Brown, Joseph, \$180; Brown, Maud C., \$300; Burke, Margaret, \$240; Burns, John, \$240; Byrne, Mary, \$180; Chapman, Thomas H., \$240; Clark, Elizabeth, \$240; Connolly, Joseph J., \$180; Corr, Margaret, \$240; Cullen, Mary, \$240; Delahanty, Mary, \$240; Donnelly, Thomas F., \$180; Dowd, Edward, \$180; Doyle, Frank, \$240; Duffy, Bernard, \$180. Trained Nurse: Egan, Winifred J., \$600. Hospital Helpers: Evans, John, \$240; Fagely, William S., \$180; Fitzpatrick, Ellen, \$240; Frankenberger, Pius, \$240; Gardner, Samuel H., \$480; Glammann, Charles, \$240; Gorman, John, \$180; Green, Daniel, \$180; Gurry, Joseph, \$180; Haffen, Elizabeth, \$360; Haggerty, Patrick, \$180; Haight, John T., \$240; Hall, Michael, \$240; Hamilton, Daniel, \$180; Henderson, Edward J., \$180; Hyer, William, \$240; Johnson, Otto R., \$240; Kane, Patrick C., \$240; Kavanagh, James J., \$180; Kelly, Annie,

\$180; Knittle, Wm. G., \$180; Kreuder, Carrie B., \$180; Lafont, George, \$180; Landers, Maurice, \$180; Lape, Oscar, \$240; Lawler, Harry F., \$480; Leddy, Emmet J., \$240. Trained Nurse: Meinke, Viola, \$600. Hospital Helpers: Monahan, Joseph, \$240; Moore, Edward, \$180; Morgan, Eliza Smith, \$480; Mulcahy, Mary, \$240; Mulholland, Delia, \$180; Murphy, Robert, \$180; Martey, Bridget, \$240; Murray, Jas., \$180. Pupil Nurse: Myers, Mary S., \$180. Hospital Helpers: McArdle, Barney, \$180; McDonnell, Margt., \$240; McCormack, John, \$180; McGourty, Kathryn A., \$480; Payne, Emily A., \$240; Penman, James, \$240; Phelan, Chas., \$240. Clerk: Picard, Josephine M., \$750. Hospital Helpers: Reilly, Michael, \$240; Rinn, Joseph, \$180; Robinson, John, \$180; Rodgers, Michael, \$180; Rodriguez, James, \$180; Roth, Matthew, \$180; Ryan, Patrick, \$240. Interne: Shanley, John Dawson, \$480. Hospital Helpers: Shrope, Philip S., \$240; Smith, Anna, \$180; Smith, Joseph H., \$240; Smith, Robert, \$180. Clerk: St. Challee, Albert, \$600. Hospital Helpers: Unsold, Louisa, \$300; Walsh, Patrick, \$240; Wetherall, William, \$240; Whaley, Ellen, \$240; Whelan, Richard, \$180; Zeigler, Josephine, \$240.

**Resignations**—Hospital Helpers: Bates, William, \$180; Brophy, Joseph, \$180. Trained Nurse: Burke, Anna, \$600. Hospital Helpers: Burton, John, \$600; Casey, Bridget, \$240; Chase, Frank, \$180; Conrad, Arthur C., \$240; Cooney, James J., \$240; Creigle, John E., \$300; Davis, William, \$180; Dippel, Elizabeth, \$240; Dum-polske, Mary, \$216. Trained Nurse: Falconer, Jeannetta, \$600. Hospital Helpers: Foley, James, \$240; Garrity, Annie, \$240. Trained Nurse: Gast, Rose, \$600. Hospital Helpers: Graham, William, \$180; Green, Joseph, \$240; Griffen, James, \$240; Hahn, George, \$180; Hawkins, James, \$240; Herbert, Catherine, \$180; Hoff, Irving G., \$600; Jensen, William, \$180; Kiepler, Adam, \$180; Lowry, Andrew, \$240. Trained Nurse: Lotts, Florence V., \$600. Hospital Helpers: Madden, James, \$240; Morrow, Nettie F., \$240. Attendant: Munderoff, Anna, \$360. Hospital Helpers: McDonald, Thos. J., \$240; McKenna, John A., \$240; McMahon, Mary, \$180; McNish, Helen, \$600; Newland, William, \$180; Norling, Matilda, \$216; O'Connor, Thomas J., \$240. Executive Interne: Ordway, Wm. H., M. D., \$720. Hospital Helpers: Parks, Charles, \$180; Reilly, Thomas P., \$240; Renner, Dr. Al. Eugene, \$240; Reynolds, Chas. J., \$240; Roberts, Albert, \$240; Rogers, Julia, \$360; Sauer, Mariota, \$360; Stephens, George, \$180; Tibbets, Delia, \$180; Toone, Ada, \$240. Trained Nurse: Tracy, Charles H., \$600. Hospital Helper: Waver, Mary, \$360.

**Promotions**—Hospital Helpers: Farrell, Thomas, \$120 to \$180; Gallagher, James, \$150 to \$180; Heriot, Mary, \$180 to \$240; McKenna, John A., \$180 to \$240. Clerk: Nader, Julia A., \$750 to \$1,050. Hospital Helper: Rooney, James, \$180 to \$240.

**Contracts Awarded**—M. D. Lundin, 402 Columbus Ave., N. Y. City; roofing work, Children's Hospital and Schools, Randall's Island; surety, \$2,000; amount, \$8,629.  
J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

**Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.**

Report for Week Ended October 17, 1914.

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all Boroughs, \$166,796.21.

**Contracts Entered Into**—Coal, Richmond (Sections 1 and 3); dated October 13, 1914; contractor, John W. Peale; surety, Casualty Company of America; estimated cost, \$6,247.29. Transporting, etc., Boilers from Milburn to Clear Stream; dated October 14, 1914; contractor, Frank J. Eisinger; surety, The American Surety Company of New York; estimated cost, \$1,731. Furnishing, Delivering and Laying Water Mains, etc., in Tremont Avenue, etc., Bronx; dated October 16, 1914; contractor, Carfango & Dragonetti, Inc.; surety, National Surety Company; estimated cost, \$26,340.36.

**Changes in Working Force.**

MANHATTAN.

**Increased**—Thomas Manning, Leveler, \$1,400 to \$1,500 per annum, November 1. **Services Ceased**—John L. Pultz, Water Registrar, October 20; William Coulter, Lighter of Markets.

**Died**—Richard L. Johnson, Bookkeeper; James G. Brinkman, Foreman (Putnam County).

BROOKLYN.

**Appointed**—August F. Wagner, 157 Miller Avenue, and William F. Davis, 2057 65th Street, Brooklyn, Temporary Stationary Engineers, at \$4.50 per day; William A. McCaffrey, 313 Clarkson Street, Brooklyn, Telephone Operator, at \$900 per annum, and Francis J. Conroy, 647 East 22nd Street, Brooklyn, and Henry W. Herbetz, 247 Kosciusko Street, Brooklyn, Temporary Clerks, at \$900 per annum.

**Services Ceased**—Bernard Toner, James Quinn, George Hubert, Clayton A. Conover, Edward Sandquest, Julius Berger, Frederick Ashley, Henry Minch, Adolph Novotny, Philip Carroll and R. J. Grimes, Temporary Stationary Engineers; R. J. Feldman, William J. Keeley, William Smith, Irving Smith, William Isenian, Jordan Bedell, Omer Lawrence and Walter Dost, Temporary Licensed Firemen.

**Died**—Thomas F. Cunningham, Oiler.

QUEENS.

**Appointed**—Henry Greenfield, 296 Put-aski Street, Brooklyn, Temporary Clerk at \$900 per annum.

WM. R. HILLYAR, Deputy Commissioner.

**Department of Street Cleaning.**

Report for Week Ended September 12, 1914.

Incumbrances on hand September 5, 1914, 433; incumbrances seized during the week, 50—Total, 483. Incumbrances redeemed, 27; incumbrances on hand September 12, 1914, 456.

**Moneys transmitted to the City Chamberlain**—For picking privilege, \$725.99; for redemption of incumbrances, \$114.25.

**Vouchers transmitted to the Comptroller**—Contracts, \$111,878.79; miscellaneous, \$3,203.53; payrolls, \$83,566.97.

**Loads of Material Collected.**

	Manhat- tan.	Brook- lyn.
Ashes .....	16,516	2,021½ 10,035½
Garbage .....	4,568½	1,373¾ 3,471½
Rubbish .....	3,968½	697 3,824
Total .....	25,071	4,092¼ 17,331

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Report for Week Ended September 19, 1914.

Incumbrances on hand September 12, 1914, 456; incumbrances seized during the week, 83. Total, 539. Incumbrances redeemed, 107; incumbrances condemned, 10. Total, 117. Incumbrances remaining on hand September 19, 422.

**Moneys transmitted to the City Chamberlain**—For picking privilege, \$725.99; for redemption of incumbrances, \$62; for removal of garbage, \$5,208.33; for sale of manure, \$105.86.

**Vouchers transmitted to the Comptroller**—Miscellaneous, \$4,158.14; payrolls, \$111,986.97.

**Contracts Executed**—September 14: H. B. Christensen, Jr., 121 St. Nicholas Ave., loading and trimming deck scows, with privilege of picking and appropriating therefrom, contractor to perform the work and pay \$725.99 weekly to the City.

**Loads of Material Removed.**

	Manhat- tan.	Brook- lyn.
Ashes .....	17,648	2,089½ 10,934
Garbage .....	4,591½	1,326 3,451½
Rubbish .....	4,372	740½ 4,078
Total .....	26,611½	4,156 18,463½

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.



# METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending October 24, 1914.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 Feet; Above the Sea, 97 Feet. Under Supervision of U. S. Weather Bureau, James H. Scarr, District Forecaster, Acting Director.

Barometer.																
Date. October.		7 a. m. Reduced to Freezing.	2 p. m. Reduced to Freezing.	9 p. m. Reduced to Freezing.	Mean for the Day, Reduced to Freezing.	Maximum.		Minimum.								
						Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.							
Sunday,	18	55 29.72	67 29.72	60 29.74	29.73	.. 29.76	8.20 a. m.	65 29.70	4 p. m.							
Monday,	19	55 29.79	64 29.86	59 29.92	29.86	57 30.01	12 p. m.	59 29.74	0 a. m.							
Tuesday,	20	52 30.13	68 30.13	61 30.16	30.14	64 30.18	10 a. m.	57 30.01	0 a. m.							
Wednesday,	21	55 30.17	77 30.08	66 30.04	30.10	64 30.19	9 a. m.	65 30.02	12 p. m.							
Thursday,	22	62 30.07	74 30.08	61 30.16	30.30	57 30.22	12 p. m.	65 30.02	0 a. m.							
Friday,	23	45 30.35	56 30.29	52 30.24	30.29	50 30.38	9 a. m.	52 30.17	12 p. m.							
Saturday,	24	50 30.04	62 29.90	59 29.93	29.96	52 30.17	0 a. m.	62 29.88	3 p. m.							
Mean for the week.....								30.05 inches								
Maximum for the week at 9 a. m. October 23rd.....								30.38 inches								
Minimum for the week at 4 p. m. October 18th.....								29.70 inches								
Range for the week.....								0.68 inch								

Thermometers.																				
Date. October.		7 a.m.			2 p.m.			9 p.m.			Mean.			Maximum.			Minimum.			Maximum in Sun.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.			
Sunday,	18	55	53	67	59	60	57	61	56	70	11.30	pm	61	12	noon	55	About 7 am	53	7 am	109
Monday,	19	55	52	64	57	59	53	59	54	68	3	pm	59	3	pm	54	6 am	51	5.30 am	110
Tuesday,	20	52	49	68	59	61	57	60	55	70	1	pm	59	6	30	52	7 am	49	7 am	111
Wednesday,	21	55	52	77	62	66	57	66	57	77	2	pm	62	1	50	55	7.20 am	49	7 am	113
Thursday,	22	62	57	74	56	61	48	66	54	74	3	pm	59	12	noon	57	12 pm	45	11 pm	116
Friday,	23	45	39	56	48	52	47	51	45	57	3	pm	48	2	pm	45	7 am	39	7 am	101
Saturday,	24	50	46	62	56	59	54	57	52	62	3	pm	56	2	pm	50	6.15 am	46	7 am	89

	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week.....	60.0 degrees	53.7 degrees
Maximum for the week at 2 p. m. October 21st..	77 degrees at 1.50 p. m. Oct. 21st	62 degrees
Minimum for the week at 7 a. m. October 23rd..	45 degrees at 7 a. m. Oct. 23rd	39 degrees
Range for the week.....	32 degrees	23 degrees

Date.	October.	7 a. m.			2 p. m.			9 p. m.			Mean.			Maximum.			Minimum.		
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday,	18	SE	SE	NW	39	37	42	107	0	1 1/2	0	1 1/2	4.35 p. m.	18	SE	SE	NW	39	37
Monday,	19	W	W	W	41	49	50	149	0	2	0	2	3.40 a. m.	19	W	W	W	41	49
Tuesday,	20	NW	S	SW	45	21	32	91	0	0	0	0	7.05 p. m.	20	NW	S	SW	45	21
Wednesday,	21	W	W	SW	39	37	45	129	0	3/4	3/4	1 1/2	4.30 p. m.	21	W	W	SW	39	37
Thursday,	22	NW	N	N	47	57	66	175	0	3/4	3/4	1 1/2	11 p. m.	22	NW	N	N	47	57
Friday,	23	N	N	S	84	58	36	168	3/4	3/4	3/4	1	9.10 a. m.	23	N	N	S	84	58
Saturday,	24	SW	SW	N	47	61	34	148	3/4	3/4	3/4	2	8.45 a. m.	24	SW	SW	N	47	61
Distance traveled during the week.....												967 miles							
Maximum force during the week.....												4 pounds							

Date.	October.	7 a. m.			2 p. m.			9 p. m.			Mean.			Maximum.			Minimum.		
		Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.	Clear, 0	Overcast, 10	Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.	Clear, 0	Overcast, 10	Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.	Clear, 0	Overcast, 10	Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.	Clear, 0	Overcast, 10	Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.
Sunday,	18	.376	.393	.426	.398	85	62	83	77	1	Cl. St.	7	St. Cu.	10	St. Cu.	0	0	0	0
Monday,	19	.349	.373	.323	.348	81	64	68	71	6	St. Cu.	9	St. Cu.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuesday,	20	.308	.380	.412	.367	82	59	81	74	1	Cl. St.	4	Cl. St.	1	Cl. Cu.	0	0	0	0
Wednesday,	21	.349	.356	.346	.350	82	42	56	60	1	Cl.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thursday,	22	.399	.210	.164	.158	73	28	36	46	1	Cl.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friday,	23	.160	.230	.257	.216	59	57	68	61	0	3	St. Cu.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saturday,	24	.258	.369	.351	.316	74	66	73	71	8	Cl. St.	10	A. St.	10	A. St.	0	0	0	0
Total amount of water for the week.....												0.11 inch							
Duration for the week.....												15 hours, 55 minutes							

Rain and Snow.									
Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches.									
Date.	October.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.			
Sunday,	18	{ About 12.10 a. m.	About 1.45 a. m.	13 h. 35 m.	.....	.....			
Monday,	19	{ About 3.15 a. m.	About 5.30 a. m.	2 h. 15 m.	.11 in.	.....			
		{ 7.53 a. m.	7.58 a. m.	0 h. 5 m.	.....	.....			
Tuesday,	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
Wednesday,	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
Thursday,	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
Friday,	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
Saturday,	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
				0.11 inch					



Municipal Building, Long Island City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George.  
William Williams, Commissioner.

### BOROUGH OFFICES.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**  
President's office, 3d ave. and 177th st. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.  
Douglas Mathewson, President.

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
President's office, Borough Hall. Telephone, 3960 Main.  
Lewis H. Pounds, President.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
President's office, 17th floor, Municipal Bldg. Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.  
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.  
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Bldg. Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.  
Telephone, 4227 Worth.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
President's office, Borough Hall, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Flushing, L. I. Telephone, 1740 Flushing. Maurice E. Connolly, President.

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
President's office, New Brighton, Staten Island, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.  
Charles J. McCormack, President.

**CORONERS.**  
Manhattan, 70 Lafayette st. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 5057 Franklin.

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Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.

Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I., 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

### COUNTY OFFICES.

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

### NEW YORK COUNTY.

#### COUNTY CLERK.

County Court House, Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.  
William F. Schneider, County Clerk.  
9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August.

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.  
**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Thomas Allison, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.  
**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John F. Cowan, Commissioner.  
**REGISTER.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August.  
John J. Hopper, Register.  
**SHERIFF.**  
299 Broadway. Telephone, 4984 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.  
Max S. Grifenhagen, Sheriff.  
**SURROGATE.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cobalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.  
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

### KINGS COUNTY.

#### COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 4930 Main.  
Charles S. Devoy, County Clerk.

#### COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23; Part II, Room No. 10; Part III, Room No. 14; Part IV, Room No. 1, Court House. Clerk's office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John T. Rafferty, Chief Clerk.  
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
66 Court st., Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

James C. Croysey, District Attorney.  
**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 1454 Main.

Thomas R. Farrell, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
44 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.  
**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.**  
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 6988 Main.

Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.  
**REGISTER.**  
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2830 Main.

Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.  
**SHERIFF.**  
46-50 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Lewis M. Swasey, Sheriff.  
**SURROGATE.**  
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.  
John H. McCooley, Chief Clerk.

### BRONX COUNTY.

#### COUNTY CLERK.

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose. James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

**COUNTY JUDGE.**  
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 7907 Melrose. Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9200 Melrose. Francis Martin, District Attorney.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont. John A. Mason, Commissioner.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
2808 3d ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturday to 12 m.

Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.  
**REGISTER.**  
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont. Edward Polak, Register.

**SHERIFF.**  
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont. James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

**SURROGATE.**  
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose. George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

### QUEENS COUNTY.

#### COUNTY CLERK.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica. Leonard Rouff, County Clerk.

**COUNTY COURT.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica. Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.

County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point. Matthew J. Smith, District Attorney.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 5631 Hunters Point.

Thorndyke C. McKenna, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
302 Fulton st., Jamaica.

Randolph White, Public Administrator.  
**SHERIFF.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.

George Emmer, Sheriff.  
**SURROGATE.**  
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

### RICHMOND COUNTY.

#### COUNTY CLERK.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.  
**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**  
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, Second Monday of March, First Monday of October.

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

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

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

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

J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.  
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.

Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.  
**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.  
**SHERIFF.**  
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

Joseph F. O'Grady, Sheriff.

### THE COURTS.

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.**  
First Division.

First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—24 ave. and 1st st.  
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.  
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st. The Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 6th ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

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

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.

Office of Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

**Second Division.**  
Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.

Second District—Court and Butler sts.

Fifth District—249 Manhattan ave.

Sixth District—493 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.

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

Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt ayes.

William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

**Borough of Queens.**

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.

Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

**Borough of Richmond.**

First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

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

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**  
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 m.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.  
**MUNICIPAL COURTS.**  
The Clerks' offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
First District—54-60 Lafayette st. Additional Part is held at southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—Parts I and II, 207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.

Fifth District—Broadway and 96th st. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 E. 88th st.

Seventh District—70 Manhattan st.

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

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

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
First District—State and Court sts. Parts I and II. Telephone, 7091 Main.

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

Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 955 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—14 Howard ave.

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

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

Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 904 East New York.

**Borough of Queens.**  
First District—115 5th st., Long Island City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

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

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

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

**Borough of Richmond.**  
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Former Edgewater. Village Hall, Stapleton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

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

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

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

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

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

Part V, 161st and 3d ave., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 9088 Melrose.

Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.  
**Children's Court.**  
New York County—66 3d ave. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.

Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.  
Bronx County—355 E. 137th st. Court held on Wednesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose.

Michael Murray, Clerk.  
Kings County—102 Court st. Telephone, 627 Main.

Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk.  
Queens County—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Monday and Thursday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica.

Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk.  
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Building, St. George. Court held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

William J. Browne, Clerk.  
**SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.**  
First Judicial Department.

Madison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10.30 a. m. Telephone, 3340 Madison Square.

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

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

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

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

**SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.**  
Kings County.

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

James F. McGee, General Clerk.  
**Queens County.**  
County Court House, L. I. City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month except July, August and September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part II, January, February, March, April, May and December. Special Term for trials, January, April, June and November. Naturalization, first Friday in each Term.

Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.  
**Richmond County.**  
Trial Term held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Term for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall, St. George.

C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**  
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:

**PROSPECT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING.** Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect avenue from Metropolitan avenue to Madison street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

**ONDERDONK AVENUE—SEWER.** between Troutman and Suydam streets, and in STARR STREET from Onderdonk avenue to the Borough line. Area of assessment affects property on both sides of above streets, including Blocks Nos. 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14 to 16, inclusive.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 4, 1914, and entered November 4, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collec-

tion of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 4, 1915, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 4, 1914. n10,20

### 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 BROOKLYN:

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.**  
HOWARD AVENUE—PAVING, from Blake avenue to East Ninety-eighth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Howard avenue from Blake avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

**TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.**  
EIGHTEENTH AVENUE—PAVING, from Ocean Parkway to Gravesend avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighteenth avenue from Ocean Parkway to Gravesend avenue, and to



Sixty-fifth Street to Bay Ridge Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of streets.

**NINETY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING,** from Shore Road to Marine Avenue. Area of Assessment—both sides of Ninety-fifth Street, from Shore Road to Marine Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of streets.

**THIRTIETH WARD—SECTION NINETEEN. TWELFTH AVENUE—REGULATING AND GRADING,** from Eighty-sixth Street to Dyker Beach Park. Area of Assessment—both sides of Twelfth Avenue, from Eighty-sixth Street to Dyker Beach Park, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

**THIRTY-SECOND WARD—SECTION TWENTY-THREE**

**EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING,** from Avenue M to Kings Highway. Area of Assessment—both sides of East Twenty-first Street (Kenmore Place) from Avenue M to Kings Highway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on October 27, 1914, and entered October 27, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before December 26, 1914, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

**WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.**  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 27, 1914. n2,13

#### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street in the Borough of Queens:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**LAWRENCE STREET—OPENING,** from Flushing Avenue to Winthrop Avenue. Confirmed July 2, 1912, and August 6, 1914; entered October 27, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northeasterly line or side of Flushing Avenue, which point is 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side or line of Lawrence Street, along a line measured at right angles from the prolongation of said northerly line of Lawrence Street; thence northeasterly and at all times parallel with the northwesterly line or side of Lawrence Street and 100 feet distant therefrom and also parallel with the prolongation of said northwesterly line or side of Lawrence Street to a point 100 feet east of the northeasterly side or line of Winthrop Avenue; thence southeasterly and parallel with the northeasterly line or side of Winthrop Avenue 260 feet; thence southwesterly and at all times parallel with the southeasterly line or side of Lawrence Street and 100 feet distant therefrom to the northwesterly line or side of Flushing Avenue; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly side of Flushing Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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**WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.**  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 27, 1914. o31,n12

#### Corporation Sales of Buildings.

**CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.**

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 Fillmore Street, from Van Nest Avenue to Morris Park Avenue, in the 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, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 4, 1914, 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

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1914,**

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

**PARCEL NO. 1:** Fence at the northeast corner of Fillmore Street and Morris Park Avenue. Upset price, \$5.00.

**PARCEL NO. 2:** Fence and part of step No. 1750 Fillmore St. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 3:** Fence and part of steps No. 1748 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 4:** Fence and part of steps No. 1746 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 5:** Fence and part of steps No. 1742 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 6:** Fence and part of steps No. 1740 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 7:** Fence and part of steps No. 1738 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 8:** Fence No. 1736 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 10:** Fence and part of steps No. 1730 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 11:** Fence and part of steps No. 1728 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 12:** Fence No. 1726 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 13:** Fence No. 1724 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 14:** Fence No. 1722 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 15:** Fence No. 1714 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$3.00.

**PARCEL NO. 16:** Fence and part of steps No. 1712 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 17:** Fence and part of steps No. 1710 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 18:** Part of two-story frame building No. 627 Van Nest Avenue. Cut 5 feet on rear by 4.9 feet on front. Upset price, \$50.00.

**PARCEL NO. 22:** Fence and part of steps No. 1749 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 23:** Fence and part of steps No. 1747 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 26:** Fence No. 1739 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$3.00.

**PARCEL NO. 27:** Fence and part of steps No. 1733 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 28:** Fence and part of steps No. 1731 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 29:** Fence No. 1729 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 30:** Fence No. 1727 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 31:** Fence and part of steps No. 1723 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 32:** Fence and part of steps No. 1721 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 33:** Fence No. 1719 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 34:** Fence No. 1715 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 35:** Fence and part of steps No. 1713 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

**PARCEL NO. 36:** Fence and part of steps No. 1711 Fillmore Street. Upset price, \$2.00.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 27th day of November, 1914, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

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

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

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

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

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened November 27, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

**WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.**

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, November 7, 1914. n10,27

**CORPORATION SALE OF WASTE MATERIAL ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.**

**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 material standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for market purposes in the

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
Being the stands, partitions, ice boxes and all waste material now in the building formerly known as "Fulton Market," situated on the block bounded by Fulton, South, Beekman and Front Streets, Borough of Manhattan, which are more particularly described on a certain list on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held October 22, 1914, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1914,**

at 11 A. M. in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, as follows:

**Parcel No. 1.** Stands, partitions, ice-boxes and all waste material now in the building formerly known as "Fulton Market," situated on the block bounded by Fulton, South, Beekman and Front Streets, Borough of Manhattan, which are more particularly described on a certain list on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 12th day of November, 1914, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

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

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

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

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**WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.**  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, October 23, 1914. o26,n12

**Sureties on Contracts.**  
**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES** will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

**Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.**  
One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

**Construction.**  
One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

**Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.**  
Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

**January 1, 1914.**  
**WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.**

**Sales of Tax Liens.**  
**NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF BROOKLYN TAX SALE.**

Sections 1 to 13, inclusive.  
**THE SALE OF THE 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 October 15th, November 5th, December 3rd, 1913, and January 7th, February 11th, March 18th, April 22nd, May 27th, June 24th, July 15th, September 9th, October 7th and November 4th, 1914, has been continued to

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1914,** at 2:30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 2, in basement of the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dated November 4, 1914.  
**DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.** n9,d2

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**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1914,** at 10 o'clock A. M., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the third floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Dated October 27th, 1914.  
**DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.** o29,d8

**NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF THE QUEENS TAX SALE.**

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DITION TO THE PARK BUILDING IN McCARREN PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The amount of security required is One thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Engineering Bureau, where plans and specifications may be seen.

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

CAROT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. n7,19

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

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

##### Notices of Examinations.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NOV. 11, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914, TO WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1914,

for the position of

##### PRISON KEEPER.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1914, 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. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which full postage is not prepaid, will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. Candidates should have a common school education or its equivalent. Experience in the handling of men will receive special consideration. Special consideration will be given to candidates with experience in skilled trades.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: A physical test will be held; 70% required on physical test, weight 3; Mental test; Experience 3, Duties 5, Arithmetic 1, Handwriting 1, weight 7. 70% is required on Duties; 70% general average is required. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. Candidates failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the mental test.

The dates of the physical and the mental examination will be announced later.

The age limits are 21 to 40 years.

Candidates will be required to submit with their applications a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized, or other satisfactory proof. R. W. BELCHER, Secretary. n11,25

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, October 22, 1914.

AMENDED NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1914, TO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1914,

for the position of

##### FARM INSTRUCTOR.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1914, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or four cents in postage stamps accompany the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of blanks. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

The subject and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; Duties, 5; Oral, 2. 70% is required on experience; 70% is required on duties; 70% general average is required.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications. The experience will then be rated. Candidates receiving less than 70% on the experience paper will not be summoned for the physical examination. Candidates failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the written examination.

A physical qualifying examination will be held. Age limits are 21 to 40 years.

There are four vacancies at present at New Hampton Farms of the New York City Reformatory for Misdemeanants, at New Hampton, Orange County, N. Y. The salary is \$900 per annum.

Candidates must present evidence of experience as a teacher in an ordinary school and in practical agricultural work, or work in an agricultural school with experience in the handling of boys and men. The dates of the examination will be announced later.

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

Applicants must be citizens of the United States.

Persons accepting appointment must thereafter reside in the State of New York. n7,20

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NOV. 6, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1914, TO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1914,

for the position of

SUPERVISING INSPECTOR, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, GR. 5.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope, or four cents in postage stamps, accompany the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

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

The duties of the position comprise the charge of personnel employed in the Public Buildings and Offices within the Bureau of the Borough

President of Manhattan. The Supervising Inspector has immediate control over the employees in baths, comfort stations, court houses, municipal buildings, etc., who are engaged in cleaning or operating the plants or are employed as repairers. He has the responsibility for the proper conduct and efficiency of engineers, attendants, mechanics, and other squads of employees of both sexes. He examines into complaints of tenants of buildings, visitors, as to conditions or attendance. He maintains daily record of work done, inspections made, repairs, and attendance on all utilities. He must be a good judge of labor and have had the necessary experience in handling men that will ensure an ability to meet the needs of the service and the character of the work accomplished.

Subjects and weights: Experience, 5; duties, including report, 5. 75 per cent. on duties, 70 per cent. on experience and 70 per cent. required on all. To meet the above requirements, it is essential that the candidate shall show a continued employment in large building or buildings for at least five years as Superintendent of the same in charge of employees of the general character mentioned above.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. The experience will then be rated. Candidates failing to receive less than 70 per cent. on the Experience paper will not be summoned for the physical examination. Candidates failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the mental test.

The candidates will be tested on their knowledge of the equipment of public buildings, tools, appliances, and materials used in cleaning and operating the same. They will be required to submit a bill of materials and estimates of labor required for known conditions in one of the buildings. They will also be called upon to write a report upon some phase of their prospective duties.

One vacancy exists in the office of the Borough President of Manhattan. Salary, \$3,000 per annum. Minimum age, 21. n6,20

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, November 5, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1914, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1914,

for the position of

TABULATING MACHINE OPERATOR (HOLLERITH MACHINE).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope, or proper postage, is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid will not be accepted.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 6; duties, 4 (Written test, 2; Practical test, 2); 70 per cent. required on the experience; 70 per cent. required on duties; 70 per cent. general average required.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. The experience will then be rated. Those not passing 70 per cent. will not be notified for a physical examination. Those who pass the physical examination will be summoned for a mental examination at a time to be specified later. The minimum age is 18 years.

Candidates must present evidence of having been employed in a position giving them practical experience in the operation of the Hollerith Tabulating Machine. Tabulating Machine Operators (Hollerith Machine), in the employ of the city are required to operate the sorting machine, the key punch, the gang punch, and the tabulator of this machine. The salary is \$900 per annum. Vacancies occur from time to time. The dates of the physical, written and practical tests will be announced later.

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary. n5,19

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, November 4, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1914, TO WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1914,

for the position of

MORGUE KEEPER.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., Wednesday, November 18, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope, or proper postage, is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid will not be accepted.

Form B.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 5; Experience, 5. 70% is required on the duties paper and 70% on the entire examination.

A physical qualifying examination will be held. Those failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the mental. The time and place of holding the physical examination will be announced later.

The duties of Morgue Keeper are the care and distribution of dead bodies, the cleaning of the morgue, the preservation of the records, and the preparation and submission of a weekly report.

There is one vacancy at Kings County Hospital, Department of Public Charities. Salary, \$1,050 per annum.

Minimum age, 21 years. n4,18

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, November 2, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1914, TO 4 P. M., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1914,

for the position of

ENGINEER INSPECTOR, ARCHITECTURAL, GRADES C AND D.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1914, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided the applicant furnishes a self-addressed stamped envelope or proper postage to insure the delivery of the blank desired, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

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, including report, 5; Experience, 3; Mathematics, 2; 75% required on the Technical; 70% on Experience and 70% on all.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. The Experience paper will then be rated. Candidates receiving less than 70% will not be summoned for the physical examination. Candidates failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the mental test.

The duties of Engineer Inspector include the examination of the structural conditions of buildings during repair and erection; the test of foundations; the verification of interior dimensions; and the ability to check loads on and weights of beams, columns, etc.

Candidates will be required to show an experience of at least five years as architect, engineer or inspector of buildings. Graduates of technical institutions will receive a suitable credit allowance on the required time. Candidates will be required to show an intimate knowledge of engineering fundamentals of construction; the practice of the Bureau of Buildings; the structural requirements of the Building Code; and elementary calculations of loads on beams, columns and struts. A test of ability to read plans will also be made.

Candidates of Grade D will be tested more specifically on Municipal requirements as to foundations, fireproofing, floor loads and factory inspection. A problem will also be given from working drawings.

Minimum age, 25 years. Salary, Grade C, \$1,200 to \$1,800 per annum; Grade D, \$1,800 to \$2,400 per annum.

Vacancies occur in the Bureau of Buildings and other departments.

n2,17 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, October 29, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1914, TO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1914,

for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT, EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, MALE AND FEMALE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed, stamped envelope, or proper postage, is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States.

The subjects and weights for this examination are: Experience, 4; Written Test, 4; Oral Test, 2.

Applications for this examination are to be filed on the special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. 70% is required on experience; 70% on the written test, and 70% on the oral test. The written test will consist of two papers, one on Duties and one on Organization. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

A physical examination will precede the mental.

The person selected as a result of the examination will be required:

1.—To formulate working plans, including equipment, layout, rules and regulations, card indexes of applicants, systems of investigation, advertising and other methods of securing business;

2.—To make such plans effective, to organize and manage a public employment bureau on lines of business efficiency, co-operate with employers, those seeking employment, and with federal and state agencies for the purpose of preventing involuntary idleness. The following kinds of experience will be considered qualifying:

1.—Managerial experience in connection with public employment agencies;

2.—Managerial experience in connection with service public or philanthropic employment agencies;

3.—Managerial experience in connection with the employment department of large organizations.

Experience equivalent to the above will receive due consideration.

The age limits are 25 to 50 years. There is one vacancy at a salary of \$3,500 per annum.

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

Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in the State of New York.

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary. n29,n13

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, OCTOBER 27, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1914, TO TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1914,

for the position of

DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF FOOD INSPECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope, or four cents in postage stamps accompanying the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of blanks. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

Competitive examination to be open to all citizens of the United States. Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in the State of New York.

Subjects and weights: Experience—4; 70% required; to be filed on a special blank. Technical—4; 75% required; this paper to be divided into two parts, one on Organization and Administration of a food inspections force, and the other on the technical knowledge of food inspections and trade conditions. Oral test—2; 70% required; this test to be conducted by experts.

Administrative experience and technical knowledge of food inspections and trade conditions will be required for admittance to the examination.

DUTIES.

1st.—To organize and administer a Bureau of Food Inspections in the Health Department;

2nd.—To maintain supervision over places manufacturing and distributing food and drug products, and to enforce such sections of the Sanitary Code as apply to food inspections;

3rd.—To formulate and enforce rules and regulations for the office and inspection force under his supervision.

Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with a special insert. Experience blanks will be issued with

the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. Physical examination will precede the mental examination.

The minimum age is 21 years.

There is one vacancy in the Department of Health; salary, \$5,000 per annum.

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

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary. n28,n24

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, MANHATTAN, October 28, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1914, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1914,

for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT, MUNICIPAL LODGING HOUSE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1914, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope, or four cents in postage stamps accompany the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of blanks. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

Experience Form C, with insert.

DUTIES: It is the duty of the Superintendent of the Municipal Lodging House—

1st: To enforce such standards and regulations for the government of employees and the treatment of Lodgers as shall be prescribed by the Commissioner of Charities and to recommend modifications therein;

2nd: To devise and effectuate means for the economical management of the entire institution, with special reference to the control over materials, supplies and stores;

3rd: To effectuate means for inquiry into the circumstances of applicants and for their proper classification with a view to disposition or treatment;

4th: To enforce such rules for the conduct of lodgers as shall be prescribed by the Commissioner of Charities, and to recommend changes therein;

5th: To make efficient disposition of the labor of the lodgers in the Lodging House itself and in other institutions of the City;

6th: To recommend such final disposition of all lodgers as will insure to as great an extent as possible their rehabilitation and a prevention of their recurrence as public dependents.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of experience in institutional management, or the management of industrial organizations, or in the handling of the destitute for charitable agencies. Additional credit may be given for experience in employment work, or in other work involving an intimate knowledge of the local employment situation. Candidates should have a thorough familiarity with the business and administrative methods involved in the duties above described; with the public and private charitable agencies of the City and with related State institutions and the law and practice governing their conduct and relations; and with current methods in charities administration.

Candidates must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The minimum age is 25 years; maximum, 50 years.

Character of Examination: The examination will consist of four tests known as Experience, Physical, Duties and Oral, to be held in the order named. Candidates who fail in any test will not be admitted to the ensuing tests. 70% will be required for passing in the Experience, Duties and Oral Tests.

The Experience paper will be written on a blank which will be issued with the application blank, and must be filed, together with the application.

The weights of the several tests will be: Experience, 4; Duties, 4; Oral, 2.

There is one position of this title; the compensation is \$2,400 per annum and maintenance. Certification will be made from the list established as the result of this examination, also for the position of Deputy Superintendent, at a compensation of \$1,200 per annum with maintenance, in which a vacancy is likely to occur in the near future.

n28,n12 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Resolutions Adopted.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health, held October 27, 1914, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following regulations for the dumping of ashes, refuse or street sweepings upon vacant lots below grade, be and the same are hereby adopted, to take effect immediately:

1. No ashes, refuse, or street sweepings shall be deposited upon or used to fill up or raise the surface or level of any vacant lot or land under or above water in or adjacent to the built up portion of the City of New York without a permit from the Department of Health, and such permit shall be effective only during the continued compliance with the rules and regulations of the said Department.

2. Any person or persons desiring to fill such vacant land with street sweepings, refuse and ashes shall make written application for a permit to the Department of Health, describing the land and their interest therein, and shall state in such application the sources from which the material is to be obtained.

3. In the material (ashes, refuse, or street sweepings) used as fill, the amount of putrescible matter shall be kept below two and one-half (2½) per centum, except in the case of street sweepings, which may contain a larger amount of animal excrement or deciduous vegetable matter, and all putrescible matter shall be immediately raked out and properly buried or removed from the dump.

4. All material trimmed and sorted from the dump shall be removed at the expiration of each day's work, except glass, which may be stored in a properly screened building approved by the Department of Health.

5. All paper and cans shall be raked from the surface of the dump each day and properly buried or removed.

6. Every part of such dump when filled to the required grade, shall be made level and covered with fresh earth or clean ashes.

7. No dust or offensive odors shall be allowed to escape from such dump to the detriment or annoyance of any person or persons not being therein or thereupon engaged, and no one shall fire a dump or burn anything thereon, except in a properly constructed incinerator approved by the Department of Health.

8. When deemed necessary, the Department of Health may require the dump to be sprinkled to prevent the rising of dust therefrom, and may require the use of an adequate disinfecting solution to prevent the escape therefrom of offensive odors, and the breeding of flies.

9. A violation of any of these regulations may



be sufficient cause for the revocation of the permit and for the prosecution of the offender.

A true copy.  
EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary. n5,12

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health held October 27, 1914, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following regulations to keep live chickens, geese, ducks, or other fowls for domestic purposes, be and the same are hereby adopted, to take effect immediately:

1. The Sanitary Superintendent, Assistant Sanitary Superintendent or a Chief Inspector of the Sanitary Bureau of the Department of Health are hereby authorized to issue permits to keep live chickens, geese, ducks or other fowl for domestic purposes under and by virtue of the provisions of section 79 of the Sanitary Code.

2. There will be issued with each permit a set of regulations bearing the same number as the permit. These regulations must be complied with while any of the above mentioned fowls are being kept.

3. A violation of these regulations may be sufficient cause for the revocation of a permit and the prosecution of the offender.

4. No permit from the Department of Health for the keeping of live chickens, geese, ducks or other fowls is necessary in unimproved sections of the city used for farming purposes.

5. The keeping of live chickens, geese, ducks or other fowls for domestic purposes shall be allowed in the City of New York under the following conditions:

(a) Provided that a permit therefor, issued in accordance with the regulations of the Department of Health, be obtained from the said Department, and provided also, that the conditions imposed in such permit be fully met.

(b) No fowls shall be kept on the same lot with a tenement house.

(c) No application to keep fowls on the same lot with a building other than a tenement shall be accepted unless the applicant file with his application the written consent of the other tenant or tenants of said building.

(d) All chickens (or other fowls) shall be confined to proper coops and runways, and shall not be allowed at large.

(e) No roosters shall be kept.

(f) All coops shall be whitewashed or otherwise treated as approved by the Department of Health at least once a year, and at such other times as may be directed by the Department of Health, and all coops, runways and surroundings shall be kept in a clean condition.

(g) If chickens (or other fowls) are to be kept on a vacant lot, the written consent of the owner of said lot, or evidence of ownership thereof by the applicant, shall be produced at the time of the presentation of the application.

(h) Chickens (or other fowls) shall be kept so as not to cause a nuisance.

(i) A permit to keep chickens, geese, ducks or other fowls for domestic use, shall not include the right to slaughter.

(j) No such permit for the keeping of chickens (or other fowls) shall be granted when the said chickens (or other fowls) or the coops or runways in which they are kept, measured in the most direct line, are within 25 feet of any inhabited building (other than the dwelling of the applicant if said chickens or other fowls are to be maintained on the same lot with the dwelling of said applicant or on an adjoining lot).

A true copy.  
EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary. n5,12

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health held October 27, 1914, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following regulations to keep live pigeons for domestic purposes be and the same are hereby adopted, to take effect immediately:

1. The Sanitary Superintendent, Assistant Sanitary Superintendent or a Chief Inspector of the Sanitary Bureau of the Department of Health are hereby authorized to issue permits to keep live pigeons for domestic purposes under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 81 of the Sanitary Code.

2. There will be issued with each permit a set of regulations bearing the same number as the permit. These regulations must be complied with while the above mentioned fowls are being kept.

3. A violation of these regulations may be sufficient cause for the revocation of a permit and the prosecution of the offender.

4. No permit from the Department of Health for the keeping of pigeons is necessary in unimproved sections of the city used for farming purposes.

5. The keeping of pigeons for domestic purposes shall be allowed in the City of New York under the following conditions:

(a) Provided that a permit therefor, issued in accordance with the regulations of the Department of Health, be obtained from the said Department, and provided also, that the conditions imposed in such permit be fully met.

(b) No pigeons shall be kept on the same lot with a tenement house.

(c) No application to keep pigeons on the same lot with a building other than a tenement shall be accepted unless the applicant file with his application the written consent of the other tenant or tenants of said building.

(d) All pigeons shall be confined to proper coops, and not allowed at large.

(e) All coops shall be whitewashed or otherwise treated as approved by the Department of Health at least once a year, and at such other times as may be directed by the Department of Health, and all coops and surroundings shall be kept in a clean condition.

(f) If pigeons are to be kept on a vacant lot, the written consent of the owner of said lot, or evidence of ownership thereof by the applicant, shall be produced at the time of the presentation of the application.

(g) Pigeons shall be kept so as not to cause a nuisance.

(h) A permit to keep pigeons for domestic use shall not include the right to slaughter.

(i) No such permit for the keeping of pigeons shall be granted when the said pigeons or the coops in which they are kept, measured in the most direct line, are within 25 feet of any inhabited building (other than the dwelling of the applicant if said pigeons are to be maintained on the same lot with the dwelling of said applicant or on an adjoining lot).

A true copy.  
EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary. n5,12

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### Proposals.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1244, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1914,

Borough of Manhattan.

(1) FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NOZZLES AND REDUCING CONNECTIONS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before December 15th, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the bid or estimate.

(2) FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 400 SETS METAL PARTS FOR CART TOPS. The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is on or before December 10, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the bid or estimate.

(3) FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 400 SETS CANVAS PARTS FOR CART TOPS. The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is on or before December 10, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per set or other unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, Park Row and Chambers St., Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated October 28th, 1914. o31,n13

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

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

### Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2032, 20th floor, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF AVENUE D FROM THE SOUTH SIDE OF 5TH STREET TO THE NORTH SIDE 10TH STREET, AND WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT IN THE TRACK AREA, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cubic yards of Excavation.  
10 cubic yards of Filling.  
2,030 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Curbstone.

460 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Corner Curbstone.

10 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb, redressed.

50 square feet of Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

650 cubic yards of Concrete outside of railroad area.

3,130 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement outside of railroad area.

10 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.

5 Sewer Manhole Heads and Covers.

1 Cover with Ring for Sewer Manhole.

3 cubic yards of Brick Masonry in Manholes.

15 Receiving Basins remodeled.

380 square yards of Old Stone Paving Blocks purchased by contractor.

2,550 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb purchased by Contractor.

18 Sluice Basins built, Type A.

4 Sluice Basins built, Type B.

230 linear feet of 12-inch Vitrified Sewer Pipe.

Work in Railroad Area—

300 cubic yards of Concrete.

630 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

1,140 square yards of Granite Block Pavement.

The time allowed for the doing and completing of the work will be thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required will be \$4,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 177TH STREET FROM WEST SIDE AUDUBON AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE OF ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cubic yards of Excavation.

10 cubic yards of Filling furnished.

300 linear feet of New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone, furnished and set.

40 linear feet of New Granite Corner Curbstone, furnished and set.

430 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb, redressed, rejoined and reset.

10 square feet of Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

250 cubic yards of Concrete.

1,280 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 191ST STREET FROM WEST SIDE OF AUDUBON AVENUE TO EAST SIDE WADSWORTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

280 linear feet of New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone, furnished and set.

1,120 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb, redressed, rejoined and reset.

470 cubic yards of Concrete.

2,370 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WASHINGTON PLACE FROM WEST SIDE BROADWAY TO EAST SIDE WASH-

INGTON SQUARE EAST, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cubic yards of Excavation.

90 cubic yards of Filling furnished.

510 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Curbstone, furnished and set.

230 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb, redressed, rejoined and reset.

20 square feet of Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

180 linear feet of Granite Headers set.

370 cubic yards of Concrete.

1,980 square yards of Wood Block Pavement.

10 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.

2 Sewer Manhole Heads and Covers.

1 Cover with Ring for Sewer Manhole.

3 cubic yards of Brick Masonry in manholes.

90 linear feet of Granite Platform Flag cut to line.

420 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb purchased by Contractor.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THE WESTERLY INTERSECTION OF EIGHTH AVENUE AND WEST 4TH STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cubic yards of Excavation.

10 cubic yards of Filling furnished.

140 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Curbstone, furnished and set.

60 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Corner Curbstone, furnished and set.

50 linear feet of Granite Headers, furnished and set.

120 cubic yards of Concrete.

670 square yards of Wood Block Pavement.

10 square yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.

1 Sewer Manhole Head and Cover.

1 Cover with Ring for Sewer Manhole.

3 cubic yards of Brick Masonry in Manholes.

1 Receiving Basin built.

1 Receiving Basin remodeled.

660 square yards of Old Stone Paving Blocks purchased by contractor.

200 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb purchased by Contractor.

1 Sluice Basin built, Type A.

40 linear feet of 12-inch Vitrified Sewer Pipe.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THE INTERSECTION OF GREEN STREET AND WASHINGTON PLACE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cubic yards of Excavation.

10 cubic yards of Filling furnished.

20 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Curbstone, furnished and set.

80 linear feet of New 6-inch Granite Corner Curbstone, furnished and set.

10 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb, redressed, rejoined and reset.

10 square feet of Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

300 square yards of Granite Block Pavement.

1 Sewer Manhole Head and Cover.

1 Cover with Ring for Sewer Manhole.

3 cubic yards of Brick Masonry in Manholes.

1 Receiving Basin remodeled.

30 linear feet of Granite Platform Flag cut to line.

50 square yards of Old Stone Paving Blocks purchased by contractor.

80 linear feet of Old Bluestone Curb purchased by Contractor.

20 linear feet of 12-inch Vitrified Sewer Pipe.

2 Sluice Basins built, Type A.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples, 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, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or articles, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Oct. 30th, 1914. o30,n11

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2034, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.

NO. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE (5) STEAM ASPHALT ROLLERS.

The time allowed for the delivery of 5 steam asphalt rollers will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) TONS OF REFINED ASPHALT.

The time allowed for the performance of the work is until December 31, 1914.

The material to be delivered at the Municipal Asphalt Plant, East River, between 90th and 91st Streets, Borough of Manhattan.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Highways, Room 2121, Municipal Building, at or before the time of making his bid, samples, as required by the specifications.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The deposit required shall be in an amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or articles, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Oct. 30th, 1914. o30,n11

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## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

### PROPERTY OWNERS, NOTICE!

The annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real Estate in the City of New York for 1915 will be open for inspection, examination, and correction from

OCTOBER 1 until, but not including, NOVEMBER 16, 1914.

The annual Record of Assessed Valuation of Personal Estate for the City of New York for 1915 will be open for inspection, examination, and correction from

OCTOBER 1 until, but not including, DECEMBER 1, 1914.

During the time the books are open for public inspection, application may be made to the Department of Taxes and Assessments by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation to have it corrected.

Applications for the reduction of Real Estate assessments must be made in writing and should be upon blanks furnished by the Department.

Applications for the correction of the Personal assessments of corporations must be filed at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of Personal Estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department, in the Borough where such person resides, and, in case of a non-resident carrying on business in the City of New York, at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.



SPRUCE; LEATHER; GASOLINE; FIRE HOE HANDLES AND BLADES; SCOOPS; SAND BARROW; IRON RAKES; STEEL DRAY SCRAPER; HAND LANTERNS; MOWING MACHINE; ROAD PLOW; HARROW DISK COMPLETE; PADLOCKS; CESSPOOL PUMPS; HAY RAKE COMPLETE; THERMOMETERS AND AUGER BITS.

Time allowed for the completion of the contract will be, unless otherwise specified, thirty calendar days.

Security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder on each item.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, 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 Council, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

November 2, 1914. n5,16

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

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

### Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE SEWER IN HARRISON STREET, FROM VAN BRUNT STREET TO THE BULKHEAD.

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

102 linear feet of 54-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$16.00. \$1,632 00

2,500 feet, board measure, of foundation planking and pile capping, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$50.00. 125 00

700 linear feet of bearing piles, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 80 cents. 560 00

Total. \$2,317 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimates of the total cost for the completed work are to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for this contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Borough of Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE AUTOMOBILE, TOURING CAR TYPE, FOR USE OF THE BOROUGH PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the automobile and the full performance of the contract is ten (10) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 11a, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GREEN ST. FROM KENT AVE. TO HOOPER ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

1,595 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete. 6,290 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.

290 lin. ft. granite heading stones set in concrete.

1,210 cu. yds. concrete outside railroad area.

315 cu. yds. concrete within railroad area.

7,250 sq. yds. grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand outside railroad area (1 year maintenance).

1,885 sq. yds. grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand within railroad area (no maintenance).

70 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

Time allowed, 70 working days. Security required, \$13,500.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GREEN POINT AVE. FROM OAKLAND ST. TO KINGSLAND AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

970 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete.

3,885 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.

85 lin. ft. granite heading stones set in concrete.

1,115 cu. yds. concrete outside railroad area.

190 cu. yds. concrete within railroad area.

6,700 sq. yds. grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel outside railroad area (1 year maintenance).

1,125 sq. yds. grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel within railroad area (no maintenance).

40 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

Time allowed, 60 working days. Security required, \$11,000.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

500 bbls. to Corporation Yard, Wallabout Basin, foot of Hewes St.

150 bbls. to Corporation Yard, 67th St. near 18th Ave.

250 bbls. to Corporation Yard, Hopkinson Ave. near Marion St.

100 bbls. to yard adjoining Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

Time of delivery on or before December 31, 1914.

Security required, 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per lin. ft., sq. ft., sq. yd., cu. yd., or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, Oct. 26, 1914. n29, n11

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

## ARMORY BOARD.

### Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE ARMORY BOARD, ROOM 6, BASEMENT, HALL OF RECORDS, MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor, City Hall, at 3.30 o'clock P. M.,

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1914.

ITEM NO. 1.—WATERPROOFING AND ROOFING WORK, 2ND BATTALION NAVAL MILITIA ARMORY, FOOT OF 52ND STREET, BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the completion of the work Sixty (60) working days.

The security required will be Three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

The deposit required will be One hundred and fifty dollars (\$150).

ITEM NO. 2.—ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE ELECTRIC LIGHT EQUIPMENT, 2ND BATTALION NAVAL MILITIA ARMORY, FOOT OF 52ND STREET, BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for completing the work, Thirty (30) working days.

The security required will be One thousand dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit required will be Fifty dollars (\$50.00).

ITEM NO. 3.—NEW LIGHTING SYSTEM, ETC., 23RD REGIMENT ARMORY, 1322 BEDFORD AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the completion of the work, Thirty (30) working days.

The security required will be One thousand dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit required will be Fifty dollars (\$50).

ITEM NO. 4.—FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,600 GROSS TONS BUCKWHEAT NO. 1 COAL TO THE VARIOUS ARMORIES OF THE N. G. N. Y. IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

The amount of security will be 30 per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit required will be 1½ per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

ITEM NO. 5.—EXCLUSIVE DUMPING PRIVILEGE ON THE SITE OF THE NEW ARMORY BUILDING FOR THE 8TH COAST ARTILLERY DISTRICT, JEROME AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, THE BRONX.

PERIOD FOR WHICH PRIVILEGE IS GRANTED LIMITED TO THREE YEARS.

Security required, Two thousand dollars.

Deposit required, \$100.

A separate proposal shall be submitted for each item.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of The Armory Board, Hall of Records, Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD.—JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE MCANENY, Pres't. Board of Aldermen; GEORGE R. DYER, Brig.-Gen. 1st Brig.; JOHN C. EDDY, Brig.-Gen. 2nd Brig.; R. P. FORSHEW, Com. Commanding, Naval Militia, N. Y.; LAWSON PURDY, Pres't. Dept. of Taxes and Assessments.

Dated Nov. 2, 1914. n2,16

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

## COUNTY CLERK, KINGS COUNTY.

### Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, KINGS COUNTY, ROOM NO. 1, HALL OF RECORDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the County Clerk at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING METALLIC CASES AND FIXTURES IN THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, HALL OF RECORDS, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 75 Calendar Days.

The amount of security required is \$3,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the County Clerk, Kings Co., No. 1, Hall of Records, Boro. of Brooklyn.

CHAS. S. DEVOY, County Clerk.

Dated, Oct. 30, 1914. n7,19

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

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

### Notice of Public Hearing.

#### PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

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 lines and grades of Bay 43rd Street, between Harway Avenue and Cropsey Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of

said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 resolution adopted by the Board on October 23, 1914, 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 lines and grades of Bay 43rd Street, between Harway Avenue and Cropsey Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated September 15, 1914.

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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

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 Webster Avenue, between East 180th Street and East 183rd Street, and of the intersecting streets affected thereby, Borough of the Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, 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 Webster Avenue, between East 180th Street and East 183rd Street, and of the intersecting streets affected thereby in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated September 9, 1913.

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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

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 lines of Baker Avenue, between Garfield Street and White Plains Road, and adjust the grades of the intersecting streets affected thereby, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, 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 lines of Baker Avenue, between Garfield Street and White Plains Road, and adjusting the grades of the intersecting streets affected thereby in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated May 27, 1914.

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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

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 Kingsland Avenue, between 42nd Street and Luydig Place, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, 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 Kingsland Avenue, between 42nd Street and Luydig Place, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated December 5th, 1913.

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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Foster Avenue, Bliss Street, Barnett Avenue and Gosman Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

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Dated November 7, 1914.

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Dated November 7, 1914.

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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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.



interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Astoria Avenue, 47th Street, Hayes Avenue, 48th Street, Fillmore Avenue, Alburis Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue and 45th Street, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, 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 lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Astoria Avenue, 47th Street, Hayes Avenue, 48th Street, Fillmore Avenue, Alburis Avenue, Roosevelt Avenue and 45th Street, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated February 20, 1914.

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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

**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 Astoria Avenue, between 8th Avenue and Steinway Avenue, and the grades of 9th Avenue, between Vandewater Avenue and Woolsey Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 20, 1914, 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 October 23, 1914, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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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 the 20th day of November, 1914, 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE** meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 23, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York is considering the advisability of amending the proceeding authorized by said Board on October 5, 1911, for acquiring title to Opdyke Street, from Corona Avenue to Tiemann Avenue, together with the Public Place bounded by Corona Avenue, Opdyke Street and Alburis Avenue, Borough of Queens, so as to relate only to Opdyke Street, from Alburis Avenue to Tiemann Avenue.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed modified district of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Nicolls Street and Opdyke Street distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tiemann Avenue, said distance being measured at right angles to Tiemann Avenue, and running thence southwardly and parallel with Tiemann Avenue, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Opdyke Street, said distance being measured at right angles to Opdyke Street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Opdyke Street to the intersection with the center line of Corona Avenue; thence westwardly along the center line of Corona Avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Alburis Avenue, said distance being measured at right angles to Alburis Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Alburis Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Nicolls Street and Opdyke Street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Nicolls Street and Opdyke Street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed modified district of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 20th day of November, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 20th day of November, 1914.

Dated November 7, 1914.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. n7,18

#### Notice of Public Hearing.

#### FRANCHISE MATTERS.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the public hearing, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 525 and 527 of the Greater New York Charter, of all parties interested, in order that this Board may determine whether,

in its opinion, the electrical conductors in White Plains Road between Gun Hill Road and 242nd Street and in Gun Hill Road between Webster Avenue and the Boston Post Road shall be placed underground, which hearing was, by resolution adopted July 30, 1914, fixed for September 21, 1914, when it was continued until October 16, 1914, when it was continued until October 30, 1914, was continued until Friday, November 27, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to be heard.

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

Dated, New York, October 30, 1914. n2,27

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the public hearing on the form of contract for the grant of a franchise to The Yonkers Electric Light and Power Company; The Westchester Lighting Company; The New York Edison Company and The United Electric Light and Power Company, to construct, maintain and operate conductors, conduits, poles and towers for the operation of one line of poles and towers, and to install and maintain wires, cables and other conductors upon the route described in the contract, over the Catskill Aqueduct Lands and other lands acquired for water supply purposes, between the northerly boundary line of the City and the boundary line between the Counties of Westchester and Putnam, acquired or purchased by the City, pursuant to law, subject to the limitation set forth in the contract, which was, by resolution duly adopted, fixed for July 2, 1914, when it was continued until Thursday, July 30, 1914, when it was continued until August 27, 1914, when it was continued until Monday, September 21, 1914, when it was continued until October 16, 1914, when it was continued until Friday, November 13, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all citizens interested will have an opportunity to appear and be heard.

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

Dated, New York, October 16, 1914. o19,n13

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the public hearing on the form of contract modifying contract dated July 10, 1912, granting a franchise to the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line, by substituting a new route on Fulton Street, Ashland Place and Lafayette Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a portion of its existing route on Rockwell Place, Flatbush Avenue, Fourth Avenue and Atlantic Avenue, which hearing was, by resolution adopted on November 20, 1913, fixed for December 24, 1913, and was continued from time to time until June 12, 1914, was continued on the later date until June 19, 1914, when it was continued until August 27, 1914, when it was continued until Monday, September 21, 1914, when it was continued until Friday, November 13, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all citizens interested will have an opportunity to appear and be heard.

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

Dated, New York, October 16, 1914. o19,n13

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

##### Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1914,**

**Borough of Queens.**

NO. 1.—FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, AND ITEM 2, INSTALLING TEMPERATURE REGULATION IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF CENTRAL AVENUE, BETWEEN FOLSOM AND FOSDICK AVENUES, GLENDALE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each item will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days, as provided in the contract. The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$20,000; Item 2, \$1,600.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposals must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

NO. 2.—FOR IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITIONS, ETC., ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ALSO ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, SANFORD AVENUE AND MURRAY STREET, FLUSHING, AND ITEM 3, IMPROVING PREMISES, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 74, WOODWARD AVENUE AND STARR STREET, METROPOLITAN, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item, on each school, will be forty (40) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$200.00; Item 2, \$500.00; Item 3, \$600.00.

The deposit accompanying bid for each item on each school will be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item on each school, and award will be made thereon.

On Nos. 1 and 2, the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, November 11, 1914. n11,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Supplies, at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 A. M., on

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1914.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SPECIAL AND GENERAL SUPPLIES FOR**

**THE DAY AND EVENING HIGH AND DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1915.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or class of items herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item or classes of items.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, November 7, 1914. n7,19

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the above office of the Department of Education, until three o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1914,**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

NO. 1.—FOR REBUILDING CAGES OVER THE ROOF PLAYGROUND AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 61, 614 E. 12TH ST., AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, STANTON AND FORSYTH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be sixty-five (65) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 61, \$1,600; P. S. 91, \$1,600.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

NO. 2.—FOR STEEL CASES, ETC., FOR THE AUDITING BUREAU IN THE HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AV. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$500.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Supt., at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Av. and 59th St., Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated Nov. 4, 1914. n4,16

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Supplies, at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 A. M., on

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1914.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEXT-BOOKS, MAPS, CHARTS, ETC., FOR THE DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS AND DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1915, and such further time as may be allowed by the contract.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, October 31, 1914. o31,n13

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m., on

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within 30 days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications and schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, Oct. 29, 1914. o29,n11

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 a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board

of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, on or before November 12, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

##### Borough of Brooklyn.

4403. Montgomery Street from Kingston Avenue to Albany Avenue.

4407. Herzl Street (Ames Street) from Livonia Avenue to Riverdale Avenue.

4408. Pine Street from Atlantic Avenue to Fulton Street.

4409. West 29th Street from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue.

4418. Logan Street from New Lots Avenue to Vienna Avenue.

##### Borough of Queens.

4414. Fairview Avenue from Linden Street to Greene Avenue, Second Ward.

4415. Harvard Avenue from Fulton Street to Hillside Avenue, Fourth Ward.

4416. Seventh Avenue from Flushing Avenue to Grand Avenue, First Ward.

4417. Culver Place (Linden Street) from Hunt Place (Park Street) to Lake Street; Lake Street from Louona (Grand) Avenue to Alburis (Sycamore) Avenue; Hunt Place (Park Street) from Louona (Grand) Avenue to Alburis (Sycamore) Avenue, Second Ward.

ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, WM. C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, Board of Assessors.

St. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan.

October 31, 1914. o31,n12

##### 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 Queens.

4242. Sewer and appurtenances in Woodbine Street, between Cypress and Seneca Avenues, Second Ward. Affecting Block Nos. 96 and 97.

4384. Sewer and appurtenances in Thomson Avenue, between Orton and Van Dam Streets, First Ward. Affecting Block Nos. 212, 213, 220, 221, 223, 224 and 231.

4269. Regulating, grading, flagging, etc., Fillmore (Prometcha) Avenue, from Junction Avenue to 48th (Grant) Street, Second Ward. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

##### Borough of Brooklyn.

4372. Paving Mermaid Avenue, between West 19th and West 37th Streets.

The area of assessment in the above mentioned lists extends to within half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, New York, on or before December 8, 1914, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, WM. C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, Board of Assessors.

St. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan.

November 7, 1914. n7,18

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or 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 Queens.

4385. Receiving basin and appurtenances on the northwest corner of Washington Avenue and Seventh Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Block No. 143.

##### Borough of Brooklyn.

4342. Paving Livonia Avenue between Hiusdale Street and Snediker Avenue.

4343. Paving Bay Ridge Avenue (69th Street) between New Utrecht and 17th Avenues.

4344. Paving East 2nd Street from Fort Hamilton Avenue to Beverley Road.

4345. Paving East 18th Street from Avenue N to Avenue O.

4346. Paving 67th Street between 11th and 13th Avenues.

4347. Paving 74th Street between 11th and 13th Avenues.

4348. Paving Warwick Street between Sutter and Livonia Avenues.

4351. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 24th Avenue between Stillwell Avenue and 86th Street.

4352. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East 19th Street between Avenue N and Avenue O.

4362. Paving Dumont Avenue between Warwick and Ashford Streets.

4363. Paving East 12th Street from Kings Highway to Avenue O.

4364. Paving East 14th Street from Avenue O to Avenue N.

4365. Paving East 14th Street from Avenue O to Kings Highway.

4366. Paving East 29th Street from Clarendon Road to Canarsie Lane.

4367. Paving East 34th Street between Church and Linden Avenues.

4368. Paving Eldert Lane between Liberty and Pitkin Avenues.

4373. Paving New York Avenue between Tilden and Snyder Avenues.

4374. Paving 75th Street between 11th and 13th Avenues.

The area of assessment in the above mentioned lists extends to within half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

4132. Paving the north side of Jackson Street, beginning at Old Wood Point Road and extending about 50 feet easterly. Affecting Block Nos. 2875 and 2884.

4318. Sewer in Division Place between Kingsland and Debevoise Avenues. Affecting Block Nos.



# DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

## Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock Noon, on

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1914,**  
Borough of Richmond,  
CONTRACT NO. 1439.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 45 calendar days.

The amount of security required shall be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded. The security deposit to accompany bid shall be in an amount not less than 1 1/2% of the total amount of the bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department. R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks, Dated November 2nd, 1914. n4,16

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914,**  
CONTRACT NO. 1437.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SAND AND 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of one hundred and eighty calendar days.

The amount of security required shall be thirty per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The deposit to accompany bid shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department. R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks, Dated October 27th, 1914. n29,n11

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

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

## Proposals.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1914.**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING THE STEAMBOAT "MAS-SASOIT."

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is twenty-one (21) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Sixty Dollars (\$60) 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, Room 1034, Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. Dated November 5, 1914. n6,17

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

# SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

## Hearings on Qualifications.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 NEEDHAM AVENUE, from East 216th Street to East 222d Street, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 4th day of November, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 6th day of November, 1914, EDWARD D. DOWLING, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of JAMES F. MEEHAN, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the said order bearing date the 4th day of November, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 6th day of November, 1914, the said EDWARD D. DOWLING, Esq., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of November, 1914, 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 of Estimate.

Dated, New York, November 11th, 1914.  
FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. n11,21

## Filing Bill of Costs.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 WEST 238TH STREET, from Kingsbridge Avenue to Riverdale Avenue;

WEST 236TH STREET, from Albany Road to Riverdale Avenue, excluding the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; WALDO AVENUE, from Greystone Avenue to West 242nd Street; and GREYSTONE AVENUE, from Riverdale Avenue to West 242nd Street, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, November 11th, 1914.  
GEO. F. STIEBELING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, LEO R. LAWLOR, Commissioners of Estimate; FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n11,21

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of THE CITY OF NEW YORK, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. RAYMOND AVENUE (Fourth Street), from Hoguet Avenue to Williamsbridge Road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of November, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, November 7th, 1914.  
EDWARD D. DOWLING, ROBT H. BERGMAN, JAMES M. FITZPATRICK, Commissioners of Estimate; EDWARD D. DOWLING, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n7,18

## Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 NEREID AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from White Plains Road to the Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court dated July 16, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of The Bronx on the 20th day of July, 1914, so as to conform to a map adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1913, and approved by the Mayor December 15, 1913, in which a slight change is made in the lines of Bullard Avenue; the proceeding as amended to relate to Nereid Avenue, between White Plains Road and Bullard Avenue, as now laid out upon the map of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Room 1537, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of November, 1914, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of November, 1914, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proof and other documents used by us 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 20th day of November, 1914.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of White Plains Road with the northerly line of Elizabeth Street and running thence westerly along the northerly line of Elizabeth Street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the westerly line of First Street, thence northerly along the said westerly line of First Street to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Kossuth Avenue, thence easterly along the said last mentioned westerly prolongation and southerly line of Kossuth Avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of White Plains Road; thence southerly along the said westerly line of White Plains Road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our supplemental and amended final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of January, 1915, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth.—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our supplemental and amended final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those

who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, 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, October 23, 1914.  
EDWARD C. DELAFIELD, Chairman; WM. S. GERMAIN, HENRY A. COSTER, Commissioners.  
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n30,n17

# SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

## Filing Bill of Costs.

### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WOODBINE STREET, from Knickerbocker Avenue to Irving Avenue, in the 28th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 10.00 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 Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, November 11th, 1914.  
DAVID HIRSHFIELD, JOHN F. CANAVAN, JOHN N. HARMAN, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN F. CANAVAN, Commissioner of Assessment.  
MELVILLE J. FRANCE, Clerk. n11,21

## Filing Final Reports.

### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending AVENUE M, from West Street to Ocean Parkway, in the 31st Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 1914, at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, November 10th, 1914.  
HENRY S. RASQUIN, EUGENE P. DOANE, MATTHEW V. O'MALLEY, Commissioners of Estimate; EUGENE P. DOANE, Commissioner of Assessment.  
MELVILLE J. FRANCE, Clerk. n10,14

# 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 the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

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

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

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

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

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all

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

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

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion 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 understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against 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-ends, 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.

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 it is further

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

# PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

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

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

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

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.