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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Friday, March 3rd, 1916, 1.30 o'Clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.
In the absence of the President, Acting as Mayor, the Clerk called the Board to order.

On motion, Alderman Delaney was elected Chairman pro tem.

Present:
Aldermen

Alexander Bassett.	John T. Eagan.	John J. O'Rourke.
Samuel J. Burden.	Thomas M. Farley.	Charles A. Post.
James J. Browne.	James R. Ferguson.	Harry Robitzek.
Louis F. Cardani.	August Ferrand.	Frank J. Schmitz.
Edward Cassidy.	Samson Friedlander.	Michael J. Shields.
William T. Collins.	Isaac Gutman.	Fred Smith.
William W. Colne.	Charles H. Haubert.	Arnon L. Squiers.
Edward W. Cox.	Harry Heyman.	Patrick H. Sullivan.
S. Clinton Crane.	George Hilkemeier.	Michael Stapleton.
Frank A. Cunningham.	Francis P. Kenney.	Frederick H. Stevenson.
Edward W. Curley.	John Kochendorfer.	Moritz Tolk.
Henry H. Curran.	John F. McCourt.	William K. Walsh.
Charles Delaney.	William P. McGarry.	Louis Wendel, Jr.
John Diemer.	Charles J. McGillick.	Thomas A. Williams.
Bernard E. Donnelly.	John McKee.	John Wirth.
Charles W. Dunn.	Thomas W. Martin.	Augustus M. Wise.
Alexander S. Drescher.	Frank Mullen.	

Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx.
Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn.
Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Finance—

No. 261.

Report of the Committee on Finance Transmitting the Budget for the Year 1916 and Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen Fixing the Tax Rate for the Year 1916.

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

The Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen, to which was referred the assessment rolls of the estates, real and personal, of The City of New York for the year 1916, together with a communication from the Comptroller of The City of New York, dated February 23, 1916, regarding the Budget for the year 1916, accompanied by his certificates stating: first, the aggregate amount of the Budget for the year 1916; second, amount of County charges and expenses for the respective counties included in the Budget for the year 1916; third, amount of County charges and expenses for the respective counties paid during the year 1915 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds; fourth, estimated revenues of the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation during the current year, respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

The aggregate amount of the Budget for the year 1916 is two hundred and twelve million nine hundred and fifty-six thousand one hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty-four cents (\$212,956,177.54), which includes County charges and expenses for the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond agree-

gating seven million one hundred and one thousand five hundred and sixty-five dollars and ninety-five cents (\$7,101,565.95); thirteen million nine hundred and seventy-five thousand and twenty-one dollars and seventy-three cents (\$13,975,021.73) of direct State taxes; one hundred and ninety-one million eight hundred and seventy-nine thousand five hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-six cents (\$191,879,589.86) for City departmental appropriations, debt service and deficiencies in taxes, thus showing two hundred and five million eight hundred and fifty-four thousand six hundred and eleven dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$205,854,611.59) as the amount of the Budget, including State taxes, which affects the general tax rates of The City of New York.

In addition to the amount of seven million one hundred and one thousand five hundred and sixty-five dollars and ninety-five cents (\$7,101,565.95), included in the Budget for County charges and expenses, are the sums disbursed during the year 1915 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds for judgments and claims for County charges or liabilities, for the counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, which are to be raised by tax in the year 1916, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the revised Greater New York Charter, amounting in the aggregate to five hundred and twenty-three thousand three hundred and eighty-five dollars and eighty-one cents (\$523,385.81).

Section 902 of the Charter, referred to in the Comptroller's communication, directs that the amounts required for the payment of all County charges and expenses shall be levied and collected from the taxable property within each one of said counties, respectively, to the end that each of said counties shall ultimately bear and pay all expenses necessary to be incurred for County purposes as distinguished from City purposes. This provision of the law prevents a uniform tax rate from prevailing in the City of New York.

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED FOR CITY PURPOSES BY GENERAL RATES.

The following statement shows the amount of the Budget which is to be raised by taxation at uniform rates throughout the whole City:

Total Budget	\$212,956,177 54
Less estimated revenues of the General Fund as certified by the Comptroller, and deducted, pursuant to section 900 of the Greater New York Charter	\$37,996,936 34
Less aggregate of County Budgets to be severally raised in the respective counties	7,101,565 95
	45,098,502 29
Tax required to be raised by general rates throughout the City	\$167,857,675 25

ASSESSED VALUATION.

The assessment rolls for the current year, transmitted to the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1916, show the following valuations by counties:

Counties.	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Assessment of Property Liable to Taxation for Local City and County Purposes.
New York County	\$5,129,830,629 00	\$317,187,300 00	\$5,447,017,929 00
Bronx County	698,869,196 00	6,265,500 00	705,134,696 00
Kings County	1,752,360,970 00	43,789,090 00	1,796,150,060 00
Queens County	539,394,614 00	6,711,060 00	546,105,674 00
Richmond County	87,366,952 00	2,577,200 00	89,944,152 00
Grand total	\$8,207,822,361 00	\$376,530,150 00	\$8,584,352,511 00

COUNTY CHARGES AND EXPENSES.

The county charges and expenses included in the Budget and the county charges or liabilities paid from the proceeds of special revenue bonds during the year 1915 are as follows:

Counties.	Amounts Included in the Budget.	Amounts Paid During 1915 from the Proceeds of Special Revenue Bonds.	Total.
New York County	\$3,744,226 03	\$272,690 54	\$4,016,916 57
Bronx County	757,804 98	51,338 99	809,143 97
Kings County	1,968,624 53	128,457 41	2,097,081 94
Queens County	486,308 56	62,843 97	549,152 53
Richmond County	144,601 85	8,054 90	152,656 75
Total	\$7,101,565 95	\$523,385 81	\$7,624,951 76

BOROUGH ASSESSMENT OR SPECIAL TAX.

Amount of Borough Assessment or Special Tax, to Be Raised in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Pursuant to the Provisions of Chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (Section 247 of the Greater New York Charter).

Borough of Manhattan	\$47,948 62
Borough of The Bronx	119,924 37
Total	\$167,872 99

TAX RATE.

The tax rates upon each dollar of assessed valuation, based upon the amount required to be raised in the several counties, expressed in percentages, are as follows:

	New York County.	Bronx County.	Kings County.	Queens County.	Richmond County.
City Purposes	.017925947626	.017925947626	.017925947626	.017925947626	.017925947626
State Tax Purposes	.001627964568	.001627964568	.001627964568	.001627964568	.001627964568
County Purposes	.000737452423	.001147502703	.001167542727	.001005579242	.001697239304
Borough Assessments or Special Tax	.000008802728	.000170072995			
Total	.020300167345	.020871487892	.020721454921	.020559491436	.021251151498

Section 900 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, provides that there shall be raised by tax such sum as shall be as nearly as possible but not less than the amount required for the year on account of the Corporation of The City of New York or for City purposes, and on account of the various counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, less the estimated amount of receipts into the City Treasury for the current year from all sources of revenue of the general funds, including surplus revenue from the sinking funds therein mentioned, by fixing a tax rate in cents and hundredths of a cent upon each dollar of assessed valuation.

In order to comply with the provisions of the above section the rates of tax required to be levied and imposed upon each dollar of assessed valuation upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation of and within The City of New York, and the several counties and boroughs included within said City, will be as follows:

New York County	.0204
Bronx County	.0209
Kings County	.0208
Queens County	.0206
Richmond County	.0213

Your Committee has prepared and submits herewith, for approval and adoption by the Board of Aldermen, an ordinance to provide the necessary means for the support of the government of The City of New York and the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, and for other purposes, and to levy taxes on the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation in The City of New York, pursuant to law in and for the year 1916.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN TO BE COLLECTED WITH THE ANNUAL TAXES.

The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments have added to the assessment rolls of the Borough of Brooklyn:

First.—The amounts required by law to be raised with the annual taxes for the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued pursuant to chapter 311 of the Laws of 1886, as amended by chapter 335 of the Laws of 1886, for flagging, curbing, guttering and paving certain streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward of said Borough (former Town of New Lots).

Second.—The annual installment required by law to be collected as a part of the annual taxes for street improvements in the Thirty-first Ward of said Borough (former Town of Gravesend), pursuant to the provisions of chapter 118 of the Laws of 1892 as amended.

The amount to be raised for the payment of the principal and interest on the New Lots bonds is forty-seven thousand and forty-four dollars and twelve cents (\$47,044.12); the amount of the Thirty-first Ward improvement installment is thirty-seven thousand six hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-four cents (\$37,642.24).

The law requires that these assessments and installments be included in the tax levy ordinance to be levied and collected with the annual taxes.

New York, March 3, 1916.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, HENRY H. CURRAN, F. H. STEVENSON, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen.

Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen.

AN ORDINANCE to provide the necessary means for the support of the government of The City of New York and the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, and for other purposes, and to levy taxes on the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation in The City of New York, pursuant to law, in and for the year 1916.

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

Section 1. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation of and within The City of New York, the sum of one hundred and sixty-seven million eight hundred and fifty-seven thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$167,857,675.25), to pay the expenses included in the Budget for the year 1916, for conducting the public business of The City of New York in each Department and branch thereof—including, principal and interest of the City debt; four million dollars (\$4,000,000) for deficiencies in taxes, pursuant to chapter 209 of the Laws of 1906; and thirteen million nine hundred and seventy-five thousand and twenty-one dollars and seventy-three cents (\$13,975,021.73) for direct State taxes, amounting in the aggregate to two hundred and twelve million nine hundred and fifty-six thousand one hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty-four cents (\$212,956,177.54)—remaining after deducting therefrom the sum of seven million one hundred and one thousand five hundred and sixty-five dollars and ninety-five cents (\$7,101,565.95), being the aggregate of the county charges and expenses of the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, included therein, which sum is hereinafter levied and imposed upon said counties in the manner provided by the Greater New York Charter; and after also deducting the sum of thirty-seven million nine hundred and ninety-six thousand nine hundred and thirty-six dollars and thirty-four cents (\$37,996,936.34), supplied by the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation, as stated by the Comptroller of The City of New York in a communication to this Board, dated February 23, 1916, transmitting his certificates of the amount of the appropriations made for the year 1916, copies of which communication and certificates relating to the said Budget are as follows:

Sec. 2. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of New York, the sum of three million seven hundred and forty-four thousand two hundred and twenty-six dollars and three cents (\$3,744,226.03), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1916, included in the Budget, and the further sum of two hundred and seventy-two thousand six hundred and ninety dollars and fifty-four cents (\$272,690.54), paid during the year 1915 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of four million and sixteen thousand nine hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$4,016,916.57).

Sec. 3. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Bronx, the sum of seven hundred and fifty-seven thousand eight hundred and four dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$757,804.98), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1916, included in the Budget, and the further sum of fifty-one thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars and ninety-nine cents (\$51,338.99), paid during the year 1915, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of eight hundred and nine thousand one hundred and forty-three dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$809,143.97).

Sec. 4. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Kings, the sum of one million nine hundred and sixty-eight thousand six hundred and twenty-four dollars and fifty-three cents (\$1,968,624.53), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1916, included in the Budget, and the further sum of one hundred and twenty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty-seven dollars and forty-one cents (\$128,457.41) paid during the year 1915, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of two million and ninety-seven thousand and eighty-one dollars and ninety-four cents (\$2,097,081.94).

Sec. 5. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Queens, the sum of four hundred and eighty-six thousand three hundred and eight dollars and fifty-six cents (\$486,308.56), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1916, included in the Budget, and the further sum of sixty-two thousand eight hundred and forty-three dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$62,843.97), paid during the year 1915 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of five hundred and forty-nine thousand one hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty-three cents (\$549,152.53).

Sec. 6. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Richmond, the sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and one dollar and eighty-five cents (\$144,601.85), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1916, included in the Budget, and the further sum of eight thousand and fifty-four dollars and ninety cents (\$8,054.90), paid during the year 1915, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of one hundred and fifty-two thousand six hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy-five cents (\$152,656.75).

Sec. 7. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation, of and within the Borough of Manhattan, the sum of forty-seven thousand nine hundred and forty-eight dollars and sixty-two cents (\$47,948.62) to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of Manhattan, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

Acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Westchester Avenue, between Main Street (West Farms Road) and the Eastern Boulevard at Pelham Bay Park; Lane Avenue, between Westchester Avenue and West Farms Road, and the Public Place bounded by Lane Avenue, West Farms Road and Westchester Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, December 2, 1915, at a total cost of \$958,972.42; five (5) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Manhattan in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted June 11, 1915

Total Special Assessments, Borough of Manhattan..... \$47,948 62

Sec. 8. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation, of and within the Borough of The Bronx, the sum of one hundred and nineteen thousand nine hundred and twenty-four dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$119,924.37), to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of The Bronx, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

Acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Westchester Avenue, between Main Street (West Farms Road) and the Eastern Boulevard at Pelham Bay Park; Lane Avenue, between Westchester Avenue and West Farms Road, and the Public Place bounded by Lane Avenue, West Farms Road and Westchester Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court December 2, 1915, at a total cost of \$958,972.42. Five (5) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied in the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted June 11, 1915

Acquiring title to Castle Hill Avenue, from West Farms Road to the Public Place at its southerly terminus; and to the Public Place at the southerly terminus of Castle Hill Avenue, fronting on Westchester Creek, the East River and Pugsley Creek, in the Borough of The Bronx, confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court September 2, 1915, at a total cost of \$717,109.46. The entire cost and expense of this proceeding, exclusive of the portion placed against the City of New York and upon private property, aggregating \$645,133.71, shall be levied on the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted September 25, 1913

Total Special Assessments, Borough of The Bronx..... \$119,924 37

Sec. 9. The assessment rolls of the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within The City of New York, for the year 1916, are hereby ratified, approved and confirmed, and the aggregate amount of the assessed valuations of said estates for such year is hereby fixed at the sum of eight billion five hundred and eighty-four million three hundred and fifty-two thousand five hundred and eleven dollars (\$8,584,352,511), in accordance with the returns of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for said year, submitted to the Board of Aldermen on the 1st day of March, 1916.

Sec. 10. The rates of tax upon each dollar of assessed valuation upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within The City of New York, and the several counties and boroughs included within said City are, for the purpose of carrying out and making effective the foregoing sections of this ordinance, hereby fixed for the year 1916, as follows:

- I. In the Borough of Manhattan (being also the County of New York)..... .0204
- II. In the Borough of The Bronx (being also the County of Bronx)..... .0209
- III. In the Borough of Brooklyn (being also the County of Kings)..... .0208
- IV. In the Borough of Queens (being also the County of Queens)..... .0206
- V. In the Borough of Richmond (being also the County of Richmond)..... .0213

Sec. 11. In addition to the sums mentioned in the preceding sections of this ordinance, to be levied and imposed upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation according to law, of and within The City of New York, there shall also be and there is hereby imposed upon the real estate in the Twenty-sixth Ward (former Town of New Lots) of the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded by that part of any street, avenue or highway in said ward improved by flagging, guttering, curbing and paving under authority of chapter 311 of the Laws of 1886, as amended by chapter 335 of the Laws of 1886, for the purpose of meeting the principal and interest on bonds issued for the above purposes, the sum of forty-seven thousand and forty-four dollars and twelve cents (\$47,044.12), as the same has been apportioned and assessed by the Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments on each lot, piece or parcel of land, in the proportion of benefit derived, as heretofore fixed and determined by the Commission charged with making said improvements; and there shall be and there is hereby imposed upon the real estate in the Thirty-first Ward (former Town of Gravesend), in said Borough of Brooklyn, bounded by that part of any street, avenue or highway in said ward benefited by local improvements for which the unpaid assessments heretofore levied in said town exceeding the sum of one hundred dollars are, under the provisions of chapter 118 of the Laws of 1892, and the amendments thereto, to be levied in forty annual installments, the sum of thirty-seven thousand six hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-four cents (\$37,642.24), as the same has been apportioned and assessed by the Board of Assessors on each lot, piece or parcel of land in proportion to the benefit derived, as heretofore fixed and determined.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Donnelly, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gutman, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkenier, Kenney, Kochendorfer, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Mullen, O'Pourke, Post, Robitzek, Schmitz, Shields, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; Presidents Mathewson, Pounds, Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—51.

And the Chairman pro tem. declared that this ordinance was adopted at 1.46 o'clock P. M.

Alderman Haubert moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The Chairman pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Chairman pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned sine die.

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

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

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, February 23, 1916.

Present at roll call: John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor; Alexander Brough, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Henry Bruere, Chamberlain, and Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen.

Francis P. Kenney, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, arrived later. See note.

The Minutes of the meetings held February 9 and 16, 1916, were approved as printed.

Dock Department—New Plan for Improvement of the Waterfront Between Canal Street and Grant Street, Borough of Richmond.

The Chair called for a public hearing in the matter of the request of the Commissioner of Docks for approval of proposed new plan for improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between Canal Street and Grant Street, Borough of Richmond, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law January 21, 1916 (affidavit as to publication of notice of hearing in the City Record on file with the papers).

Mr. Patrick E. Callahan, representing the Consumers' Coal Company, was heard in opposition to the proposed plan.

Mr. Cornelius G. Kolff and Mr. Louis L. Tribus, representing the Staten Island Chamber of Commerce, were also heard in regard to the matter.

The Commissioner of Docks, who was present, was interrogated by the Chair in regard to the proposed plan.

Discussion followed.

On motion the hearing was adjourned to be continued at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, March 8, 1916.

Board of Education—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Nos. 1253-1255 Ogden Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Education in a communication to your Board under date of January 27, 1916, states that at a meeting of the Board of Education held January 26, 1916, a resolution was adopted requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to adopt a resolution approving of and consenting to the execution by the Board of Education of a renewal of the lease of the two stores on the first floor and large hall on the second floor in the premises 1253-1255 Ogden Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, occupied as an annex to Public School 11, for a period of two years from July 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$2,000, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the lease which expired July 1, 1915, with the exception of the renewal privilege.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of February 20, 1913, recommended the execution of this lease for a period from March 1, 1913, to July 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$2,000, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held February 26, 1913.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, and the City being a holdover tenant, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution approving of and consenting to the execution by the Board of Education of a renewal of the lease of the two stores on the first floor and the large hall on the second floor of the premises 1253-1255 Ogden Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for a period of two years from July 1, 1915, at a rental of \$2,000 a year, payable quarterly, the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs and furnish heat, light, and janitor service, the lessee to make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease, with the exception of renewal privilege. Lessor, Henry S. Clark, 170 William Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education, of a renewal of the lease to the City, of the two stores on the first floor and large hall on the second floor of premises Nos. 1253-1255 Ogden Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for a period of two years from July 1, 1915, at an annual rental of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs and furnish heat, light and janitor service; the lessee to make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease, with the exception of renewal privilege; lessor, Henry S. Clark; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 416 East 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board, under date of January 25, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises No. 416 East 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, used by that Department as a section station, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$420.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board, under date of February 25, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$420, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the two single stores, 10 feet by 40 feet each, with three rooms in the rear of each, and front basement space 23 feet by 30 feet, in the five-story brick tenement building, No. 416 East 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$420, payable quarterly; the lessor to put and keep the premises in good and tenable condition and repair and pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Louis Tekulsky, No. 188 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City, of the two single stores, with three rooms in the rear of each and front basement space at No. 416 East 64th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of Four hundred and twenty dollars (\$420), payable quarterly; the lessor to put and keep the premises in good and tenable condition and repair and pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Louis Tekulsky; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 1319 Foster Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board under date of February 4, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of premises at 1319 Foster Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, as a section station, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$390, payable quarterly, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 23, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from May 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$390, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just, and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store floor of premises No. 1319 Foster Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$390, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs and furnish heat; the lessee to supply light and make such interior repairs as it may deem necessary, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Joseph Gold, 824 Eastern Parkway, Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City, of the store floor of premises No. 1319 Foster Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of Three hundred and ninety dollars (\$390), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make outside repairs and furnish heat; the lessee to supply light and make such interior repairs as it may deem necessary, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Joseph Gold; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 421 Columbia Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board under date of February 10, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the store floor and front half of cellar of the premises No. 421 Columbia Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use by the Department of Street Cleaning as a section station, for a term of three years from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$240, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The present rental of these premises is \$360 per annum, but inasmuch as the Division of Real Estate of this Department is able to provide other quarters at a reduced rental of \$120 a year, the owner of the premises now occupied has agreed to renew the lease at an annual rental of \$240, thereby affecting a saving of \$360 for the term of the lease.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just, and it being less than previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store floor and front half of cellar of premises No. 421 Columbia Street, southeast corner of Huntington and Columbia streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a term of three years from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$240, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and caretaker and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Bridget Ryan, Administratrix of the Estate of Patrick O'Neill, deceased, No. 421 Columbia Street, Brooklyn. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City, of the store floor and front half of the cellar of premises No. 421 Columbia Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a term of three years from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of Two hundred and forty dollars (\$240), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and caretaker and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Bridget Ryan, Administratrix of the Estate of Patrick O'Neill, deceased; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 86 Clinton Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of January 18, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as an Infants' Milk Station, located at 86 Clinton Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, at the same rental as now paid and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of February 25, 1915, recommended this lease for a period of one year from April 15, 1915, at a rental of \$400 per annum, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the south store and two rooms on the first floor, and storage bin in cellar, in the premises 86 Clinton Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$400, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such slight interior alterations and repairs (not to include the removal of partitions) as it may deem necessary during occupancy, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Samuel Tuchfeld, 3 Avenue B, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the south store and two rooms on the first floor and storage bin in cellar in the premises 86 Clinton Street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of four hundred dollars (\$400), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such slight interior alterations and repairs (not to include the removal of partitions) as it may deem necessary during occupancy, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Samuel Tuchfeld; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 306 Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of January 18, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as an Infants' Milk Station at 306 Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, at the same rental as now paid and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 26, 1915, recommended this lease for a period of one year from April 15, 1915, at a rental of \$228 per annum, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store, 14 feet 6 inches by 22 feet 4 inches, and rear room, together with space in front part of cellar, in the premises at 306 Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, at a rental of \$228 per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all exterior repairs (exclusive of painting the store front) during this lease or any renewal thereof; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such slight interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary during occupancy; lessor, Thomas G. O'Connor, administrator of the estate of Bartholomew O'Connor, deceased, Room 212, Produce Exchange Building, 2 to 8 Broadway, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the store and rear room, together with space in front part of cellar at No. 306 Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 15, 1916, at a rental of two hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$228) per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all exterior repairs (exclusive of painting the store front) during this lease or any renewal thereof; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such slight interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary during occupancy; lessor, Thomas G. O'Connor, Administrator of the Estate of Bartholomew O'Connor, deceased; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 994 Flushing Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of December 11, 1915, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as an Infants' Milk Station at 994 Flushing Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at the same rental as now paid, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 25, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$300, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store, 22 feet 6 inches by 18 feet, with three rear rooms and coal bin in cellar, in the two-story and cellar frame building No. 994 Flushing Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$300, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and keep the premises in good and tenantable condition, the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Andrew Schirrmeister, 18 Central Avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the store with three rear rooms and coal bin in the cellar at No. 994 Flushing Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of three hundred dollars (\$300), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and keep the premises in good and tenantable condition; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Andrew Schirrmeister; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Nos. 231-233 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of January 26, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as a Branch Office and Tuberculosis Clinic, at 233 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, at the same rental as now paid and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of January 15, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from March 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$900, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held January 20, 1915.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the front basement rooms in 231-233 East 57th Street, and the large front room on the first floor in No. 233 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$900, payable quarterly; the lessor to furnish heat, light and water, the lessee to furnish janitor service, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Nose, Throat and Lung Hospital, 229 East 57th Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the front basement rooms in Nos. 231-233 East 57th Street and the large front room on the first floor in No. 233 East 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of nine hundred dollars (\$900), payable quarterly; the lessor to furnish heat, light and water; the lessee to furnish janitor service, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Nose, Throat and Lung Hospital; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 64 Pennsylvania Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health in a communication to your Board under date of January 26, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as a Tuberculosis Clinic at 64 Pennsylvania Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of three years from April 1, 1916, at the same rental as now paid and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of March 13, 1913, recommended this lease for a period of three years from April 1, 1913, at a rental of \$1,000 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 19, 1913.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just under the circumstances and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the premises No. 64 Pennsylvania Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health for a period of three years from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional term of three years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$1,000, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs, including repairs to the roof, and grant to the lessee the privilege of making such interior alterations and repairs as may be required during occupancy, the lessee to pay for heat, light and janitor service and make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Lillian H. Miller, Cuba, N. Y.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of premises No. 64 Pennsylvania Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health for a period of three years from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional term of three years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs, including repairs to the roof, and grant to the lessee the privilege of making such interior alterations and repairs as may be required during occupancy; the lessee to pay for heat, light and janitor service and make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mrs. Lillian H. Miller; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 239 Graham Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health in a communication to your Board under date of December 10, 1915, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as an Infants' Milk Station, located at 239 Graham Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at the same rental as now paid and upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 25, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$354, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 3, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store and cellar premises at 239 Graham Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at a rental of \$354 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat and light and make outside repairs and permit the lessee to make such slight interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary; the lessee to furnish janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, A. F. Degutz, 243 Graham Avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the store and cellar premises at No. 239 Graham Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at a rental of three hundred and fifty-four dollars (\$354) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat and light and make outside repairs and permit the lessee to make such slight interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary; the lessee to furnish janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, A. F. Degutz; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Police Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Corner of Elm Street and Sherman Avenue, Glendale, Borough of Queens.

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

February 19th, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Police Department in a communication to your Board under date of January 31, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of premises at Sherman Street and Catalpa Avenue, Glendale, Queens, occupied as a station-house and stable for the 285th Precinct, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at a rental of \$1,200 a year, and under the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 17, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from May 1, 1915, at a rental of \$1,200 a year and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the house and stable on the plot of land 166 feet by 162 feet, situated on the southwesterly corner of Elm (Catalpa) Street and Sherman Avenue, Glendale, Borough of Queens, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable quarterly; the lessor to keep and maintain the premises wind and weather tight and pay taxes; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and pay water rates on the rented premises and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary; all fixtures and appurtenances installed by the lessee to remain the property of the City and to be removed on the termination of the lease, or any renewal thereof, and the premises to be restored by the City to their original condition, ordinary wear and tear excepted, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Henry M. Thompson, Administrator of the Estate of Henry W. Meyer, deceased, 359 Fresh Pond Road, Evergreen, Borough of Queens.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the house and stable on plot of land 166 feet by 162 feet, situated on the southwesterly corner of Elm (Catalpa) Street and Sherman Avenue, Glendale, Borough of Queens, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable quarterly; the lessor to keep and maintain the premises wind and weather tight, and pay taxes; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and pay water rates on the rented premises, and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary; all fixtures and appurtenances installed by the lessee to remain the property of the City and to be removed on the termination of the lease, or any renewal thereof, and the premises to be restored by the City to their original condition, ordinary wear and tear excepted, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Henry M. Thompson, Administrator of the Estate of Henry W. Meyer, Deceased, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Police Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises on the North Side of Avenue G, 150 Feet East of 92nd Street, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Police Department, in a communication to your Board under date of January 31, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the stable premises on the north side of Avenue G, Canarsie, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at a rental of \$360 per annum, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 17, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from May 1, 1915, at a rental of \$360 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the stable premises situated on the north side of Avenue G, 150 feet east of 92d Street, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$360, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat and light, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Catherine Mullally, 9215 Glenwood Road, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the stable premises on the north side of Avenue G, 150 feet east of 92d Street, Canarsie, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; the lessee to furnish heat and light, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Catherine Mullally; the Com-

missioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Fire Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 231 Radde Street, L. I. C., Borough of Queens.

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

February 19, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Fire Department, in a communication to your Board under date of February 10, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of premises No. 231 Radde Street, Borough of Queens, used as quarters for Engine Company No. 261, for a term of one year, from June 1, 1916.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of April 16, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from June 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$600, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held April 21, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises No. 231 Radde Street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for use of the Fire Department, for a period of one year from June 1, 1916, at a rental of \$600 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and make outside repairs; the lessee to pay water rates and furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary. Lessor, Frederick C. Trowbridge, as Executor of the Estate of Henry Trowbridge, deceased, 158 Fulton Avenue, Long Island City, Queens.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of premises No. 231 Radde Street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for use of the Fire Department, for a period of one year from June 1, 1916, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and make outside repairs; the lessee to pay water rates and furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary; lessor, Frederick C. Trowbridge, Executor of the Estate of Henry Trowbridge, deceased; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Bridge Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 305 East 60th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Bridges, in a communication to your Board under date of January 22, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the three floors above the store floor in the building at No. 305 East 60th Street, Borough of Manhattan, occupied by the Department as a field office for the Queensboro Bridge, for a period of one year from April 21, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of \$1,300.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of January 28, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 21, 1915, at an annual rental of \$1,300, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held February 3, 1915.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the three floors above the store floor in the building No. 305 East 60th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Bridges, for a period of one year from April 21, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year on the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$1,300, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes, make repairs and furnish heat, the lessee to furnish light and janitor service and pay water rent for water used in the leased premises, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessors, Edwin Welch & Company, 218 East 59th Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the three floors above the store floor in the building No. 305 East 60th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Bridges, for a period of one year from April 21, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of thirteen hundred dollars (\$1,300), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes, make repairs and furnish heat; the lessee to furnish light and janitor service and pay water rent for water used in the leased premises, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessors, Edwin Welch & Company; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Department of Correction—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 516 East 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Correction in a communication to your Board under date of January 28, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the stable premises at No. 516 East 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable quarterly, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 19, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$1,200, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just, and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the stable premises at No. 516 East 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Correction, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable quarterly, the lessor to pay taxes and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to pay water rates and furnish light and heat, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Donald S. Walker and August N. Hand, Executors under the last Will and Testament of John U. Brookman, deceased, No. 88 Wall Street, Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of the stable premises at No. 516 East 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Correction, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to pay water rates and furnish light and heat, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessors, Donald S. Walker and August N. Hand, Executors under the last will and testament of John U. Brookman, deceased; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Department of Public Charities—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, in a communication to your Board under date of February 2, 1916, requests renewal of the lease of premises occupied by the Bureau of Social Investigations, on the second floor of the premises No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at a rental of \$780 per annum.

The premises in question consist of three rooms on the second floor, having a total floor area of 1,034 square feet, the rent being at the rate of 75 cents per square foot, the lessor to furnish heat and janitor service.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 18, 1915, recommended a lease of these premises for a term of one year from April 1, 1915, at a rental of \$780 per annum, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of three rooms on the second floor of premises No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of one year from April 1, 1916, at a rental of \$780 per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish steam heat and janitor service and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to furnish light.

Lessor, The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the three rooms on the second floor of premises No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of one year from April 1, 1916, at a rental of seven hundred and eighty dollars (\$780) per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish steam heat and janitor service and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to furnish light; lessor, the Brooklyn Daily Eagle; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 237 Duffield Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending a renewal of the lease of these premises.

Laid over.

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at the Corner of North Eighth and Havemeyer Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 17, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Acting Borough President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board, requests a renewal of the lease of premises occupied by the Bureau of Highways as a corporation yard, at the northeast corner of North Eighth and Havemeyer Streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of three years from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$900.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 20, 1913, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of three years from May 1, 1913, at an annual rental of \$900, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held February 26, 1913.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as heretofore paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the vacant premises at the northeasterly corner of North 8th and Havemeyer Streets, known as Lots 1, 33, 36 and 39, in Block 2315, Section 8, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of three years from May 1, 1916, at a rental of \$900 a year, payable semi-annually, in May and November, the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, William O. Platt, 56 Wall Street, Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of the vacant premises at the northeasterly corner of North 8th and Havemeyer Street, known as Lots 1, 33, 36 and 39, in Block 2315, Section 8, Borough of Brooklyn for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of three years from May 1, 1916, at a rental of Nine hundred dollars (\$900) a year, payable semi-annually in May and November; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, William O. Platt; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Nos. 46, 48 and 50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board under date of February 1, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises now used by the Division of Substructures, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at 48-50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$2,229.

The premises in question contain 1,486 square feet of space, the rental being at the rate of \$1.50 a square foot, which is on the same basis as paid by other tenants in this building for like space, and includes heat, elevator and janitor service.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of February 6, 1914, recommended the leasing of these premises for a period of two years from April 1, 1914, with the privilege of renewal for two additional years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$2,229, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held February 11, 1914.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of 1,486 square feet of space on the south west corner of the eleventh floor of the Terminal Building, Nos. 46, 48 and 50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for a period of two years from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$2,229, payable quarterly; the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, supply heat, light, elevator and janitor service; make inside and outside repairs and erect partitions as may be required; the renewal to contain a clause subordinating the same to a mortgage or mortgages, aggregating \$900,000 and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Weinbros Real Estate Company, Inc., Marbridge Building, New York City.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of 1,486 square feet of space on the southwest corner of the eleventh floor of the Terminal Building, Nos. 46, 48 and 50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from April 1, 1916, at an annual rental of Two thousand two hundred and twenty-nine dollars (\$2,229), payable quarterly; the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, supply heat, light, elevator and janitor service; make inside and outside repairs and erect partitions as may be required; the renewal to contain a clause subordinating the same to a mortgage or mortgages aggregating Nine hundred thousand dollars (\$900,000), and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Weinbros Real Estate Company, Inc.; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

President, Borough of Queens—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Renewal of the Lease of Premises in the Old Ridgewood Brewery Office Building, Cypress Avenue and Weirfield Street, Borough of Queens.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 8, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized a renewal of the lease to the City of a room in the old Ridgewood Brewery Office Building, at the northeast corner of Cypress Avenue and Weirfield Street, Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from January 1, 1916, from George W. Hudtwalker and Charles G. Bolmanno, as executors of the last will and testament of J. G. Grauer, deceased.

The name of the lessors should have been George W. Hudtwalker and Charles G. Bolmanno, as executors of the estate of Marie Hudtwalker, deceased.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution above mentioned be amended by substituting as the names of the lessors, "Geo. W. Hudtwalker and Charles G. Bolmanno, executors of the estate of Marie Hudtwalker, deceased."

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held December 8, 1915, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of room in the one-story frame extension of the old Ridgewood Brewery Office Building, located at the northeast corner of Cypress Avenue and Weirfield Street, Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from January 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions at an annual rental of One hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), payable quarterly, be and the same is hereby amended, by substituting as the name of the lessors, "George W. Hudtwalker and Charles G. Bolmanno, Executors of the Estate of Marie Hudtwalker, deceased," in place of "George W. Hudtwalker and Charles G. Bolmanno, as Executors of the last will and testament of J. G. Grauer, deceased."

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

President, Borough of Queens—Hiring by, of Lands Upon Which Triangulation Towers Are Erected in the Borough of Queens.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Queens, in a communication to your Board under date of January 31, 1916, requests that authority be given the Comptroller to continue the payment of rent for the land upon which the triangulation towers are erected and occupied by the President of the Borough of Queens for the purpose of making the necessary surveys for the plans of the topographical map of that Borough, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor.

The rent now asked in each case is the same as heretofore paid.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of January 28, 1915, recommended that authority be given for the payment of these rentals without the necessity of entering into a lease, and said report was approved and such authority given the Comptroller at a meeting of your Board held February 3, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as heretofore paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to pay the following rentals without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor, for the lands upon which the triangulation towers are erected in the Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens.

	Rent Per Annum.
Land at Lawrence and Queens Road, 3rd Ward, from January 2, 1915, to January 2, 1916; lessors, James C. and Sarah M. Weeks.....	\$100 00
Land at St. Albans, 4th Ward, from May 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916; lessors, St. Albans Realty Company.....	75 00
Land at New York Avenue and Rockaway Road, from May 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916; lessor, Lear Jager.....	50 00
Land at Little Neck and Hyde Park Roads, 3d Ward, from October 30, 1915, to October 30, 1916; lessor, Mrs. E. L. Schenck.....	75 00
Land at Cedar Grove Cemetery, 3rd Ward, from November 27, 1915, to November 27, 1916; lessor, estate of Thomas Miller.....	75 00
Land south of Mill Road and west of Jamaica Ave., 3d Ward, from November 29, 1915, to November 29, 1916; lessor, Maurice B. Blumenthal.....	50 00

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay the following rentals without the necessity of entering into leases therefor, for lands upon which triangulation towers are erected in the Borough of Queens, for use of the President of the Borough of Queens:

Land at Lawrence and Queens Road, 3rd Ward; from January 2, 1915, to January 2, 1916, lessors, James C. and Sarah M. Weeks..... \$100 00
Land at St. Albans, 4th Ward; from May 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916, lessors, St. Albans Realty Company..... 75 00
Land at New York Avenue and Rockaway Road; from May 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916, lessor, Lear Jager..... 50 00
Land at Little Neck and Hyde Park Roads, 3rd Ward; from October 30, 1915, to October 30, 1916, lessor, Mrs. E. L. Schenck..... 75 00
Land at Cedar Grove Cemetery, 3rd Ward; from November 27, 1915, to November 27, 1916, lessor, Estate of Thomas Miller..... 75 00
Land south of Mill Road and west of Jamaica Avenue, 3rd Ward; from November 29, 1915, to November 29, 1916, lessor, Maurice B. Blumenthal, 50 00

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

Public Administrator—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 119 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending a renewal of the lease of these premises. Laid over.

Board of Elections—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Nos. 435-445 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending a renewal of the lease of these premises. Laid over.

Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 48 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures in a communication to your Board under date of January 20, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises No. 48 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, used as a branch station of the mechanical division of said Bureau, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$420.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of January 15, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from March 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$420, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held January 20, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of store and basement in the premises known as 48 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for use of the Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$420, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and make outside repairs, and to pay water rates until the lessor shall have installed a water meter at her own expense; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and pay for

the water used on the leased premises after the installation of said meter, and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Mary L. Dennler, 42 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Mary L. Dennler of the store and basement in premises known as No. 48 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for use of the Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures, for a period of one year from March 1, 1916, at an annual rental of four hundred and twenty dollars (\$420), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and make outside repairs and to pay water rates until the lessor shall have installed a water meter at her own expense; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and pay for the water used on the leased premises after the installment of said meter, and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Coroners, Kings County—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 236 Duffield Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Coroners of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board under date of January 28, 1916, request a renewal of the lease of 4,780 square feet of floor space on the fifth floor of the premises No. 236 Duffield Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period from May 1, 1916, to January 1, 1918, at an annual rental of \$3,000.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 29, 1911, recommended this lease for a period of five years from May 1, 1911, at an annual rental of \$3,000, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 29, 1911.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of 4,780 square feet of floor space in the rear of the fifth floor of the Offerman Building, 236 Duffield Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Board of Coroners of Kings County for a period from May 1, 1916, to January 1, 1918, at an annual rental of \$3,000, payable quarterly to November 1, 1917, and monthly thereafter, the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, make inside and outside repairs, furnish steam heat, light and janitor service, as well as elevator service at all hours of the day and night, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessors, C. Henry Offerman, Lena Maria Rasch, Anna C. Schmidt, John Offerman and Theodore Offerman. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of 4,780 square feet of floor space in the rear of the fifth floor of the Offerman Building, 236 Duffield Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Board of Coroners of Kings County, for a period from May 1, 1916, to January 1, 1918, at an annual rental of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), payable quarterly to November 1, 1917, and monthly thereafter; the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, make inside and outside repairs, furnish steam heat, light and janitor service, as well as elevator service at all hours of the day and night, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessors, C. Henry Offerman, Lena Maria Rasch, Anna G. Schmidt, John Offerman and Theodore Offerman; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Board of Inebriety—Renewal of the Lease for, of the Premises Located on Edenville Road, Warwick, Orange County, New York.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Inebriety, in a communication to your Board under date of February 2, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises on Edenville Road, Warwick, N. Y., occupied by the Medical Director of the Board of Inebriety.

The premises consist of a three-story and cellar frame building, well furnished, and several out-buildings, including a garage, and also a stable, where five farm horses can be housed if necessary, and is located on Edenville Road (Old Post Road to Port Jervis), distant about three and one-half miles to the Industrial and Farm Colony.

The executors of this estate have consented to a renewal of this lease, but request that the clause whereby the lessor is required "to pay and maintain two men to work and care for the grounds, etc.," be changed to read, "the lessee to furnish men to work and care for the grounds, garden, buildings, etc.," which, in my opinion, is not unreasonable.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of May 17, 1915, recommended a lease of these premises for a period from July 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916, at a rental of \$100 a month, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held May 19, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises owned by the Estate of S. W. Johnson, and located on Edenville Road, between Dublin Road and Van Duzer Avenue, Warwick, Orange County, New York, consisting of a tract of 31 acres, with three-story and cellar frame building, completely furnished, and five outbuildings, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at a rental of \$100 a month, payable monthly, for use of the Medical Director of the Board of Inebriety; the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, pay for fire insurance on the said buildings herein demised and the contents thereof, during this lease or any renewal thereof; keep the said premises in good and tenantable condition, and to make all inside and outside repairs thereto during the said term or any renewal thereof; the lessee to furnish men from the institution to work and care for the grounds, garden, buildings, etc., and to furnish heat and light; the lease to contain a clause whereby the same may be cancelled on sixty days' notice in writing by either party. Lessor, Edward H. Johnson, and Francis B. Sanford, as Executors of the Estate of S. W. Johnson, deceased, 165 Broadway, Manhattan. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises located on Edenville Road, between Dublin Road and Van Duzer Avenue, Warwick, Orange County, New York, consisting of a tract of 31 acres, with three-story and cellar frame building, completely furnished, and five outbuildings, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at a rental of one hundred dollars (\$100) a month, payable monthly, for use of the Medical Director of the Board of Inebriety; the lessors to pay taxes and water rates, pay for fire insurance on the said buildings herein demised and the contents thereof during this lease or any renewal thereof; keep the said premises in good and tenantable condition and to make all inside and outside repairs thereto during the said term or any renewal thereof; the lessee to furnish men from the institution to work and care for the grounds, garden, buildings, etc., and to furnish heat and light; the lease to contain a clause whereby the same may be cancelled on sixty days' notice in writing by either party; lessor, Edward H. Johnson and Francis B. Sanford, as Executors of the Estate of S. W. Johnson, deceased; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

City Magistrates' Court, Second Division—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 2 Butler Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Chief City Magistrate of the Board of City Magistrates, in a communication to your Board under date of February 2, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 2 Butler Street, Brooklyn, used for court purposes, for a term of one year from May 1, 1916.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of April 17, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from May 1, 1915, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$1,644, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal of lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held April 21, 1915.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just, and it being the same as previously paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the court premises at No. 2 Butler Street, Borough of Brooklyn, consisting of room 40 feet by 60 feet, judges' and clerk's room 12 feet by 40 feet, two cells, each 8 feet by 12 feet, and space 35 feet by 40 feet in cellar, for use of the Second District Magistrates' Court, Second Division, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$1,644, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Estate of Charles A. Coe. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises occupied by the Second District Magistrates' Court, Second Division, at No. 2 Butler Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the said court, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of sixteen hundred and forty-four dollars (\$1,644), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such interior alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Estate of Charles A. Coe; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Third District City Magistrates' Court—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises Corner of Second Avenue and First Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 18th, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Chief City Magistrate, in a communication to your Board under date of February 2, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Third District City Magistrates' Court, at the northeast corner of Second Avenue and First Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of March 17, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from May 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$4,000, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just under the circumstances and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the first floor of the Florence Building, northeast corner of Second Avenue and First Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Third District City Magistrates' Court, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$4,000, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Nathaniel W. Keane, 95 Nassau Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the first floor of the Florence Building, northeast corner of 2d Avenue and 1st Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Third District City Magistrates' Court, for a period of one year from May 1, 1916, at an annual rental of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Nathaniel W. Keane; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Fourth District Municipal Court—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 14 Howard Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Municipal Court Justices, in a communication to your Board under date of January 21, 1916, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Fourth District Municipal Court at 14 Howard Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from February 15, 1916, at an annual rental of \$2,250.

The lessor demanded \$2,650 a year for this renewal, but finally agreed to a renewal for five years at the old rate of \$2,250.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of January 6, 1911, recommended this lease for a term of five years from February 15, 1911, at an annual rental of \$2,250, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and lease authorized at a meeting of your Board held January 11, 1911.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as heretofore paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the second floor of the building No. 14 Howard Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Fourth District Municipal Court, for a term of five years from February 15, 1916, at a rental of \$2,250 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and furnish heat and light, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Ollie Scheuer.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of the second floor of the building of No. 14 Howard Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Fourth District Municipal Court, for a term of five years from February 15, 1916, at a rental of twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and furnish heat and light, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mrs. Ollie Scheuer; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

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

Twelfth District City Magistrates' Court—Lease for, of the Premises at No. 1128 St. Nicholas Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 19, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On April 21, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized

a lease of space in premises known as No. 1128 St. Nicholas Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Twelfth District City Magistrates' Court, for a period of five years from August 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$5,700, which lease has been executed.

I am in receipt of a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from the Chief City Magistrate in which he states that this court was opened on the first day of November, and that the premises were found to be fairly satisfactory. He further states that the building in which the court is located is situated opposite a small park which is a great resort of children who play there, and that beyond is a former baseball ground which is to be the site of a new hospital; that the business of the court from the first day has been large, but that he noticed the presence of the vans of the Department of Correction bringing prisoners to and from the court, as well as the police patrol wagons letting off arrested people who had to cross the sidewalk and enter the building by a side door, was decidedly objectionable. He suggests that additional space adjoining the entrance to the court be leased, so that these wagons could be backed in under the arch, and the prisoners discharged into the detention rooms without publicity.

The Committee on Public Welfare of the Washington Heights Taxpayers' Association has also written the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund drawing attention to this fact, and stating that the reception and the removal of prisoners conducted in public, the vans being drawn up at the curb in front of the court house, attracts the curiosity of a number of children and idlers which they believe to be an undesirable situation.

The owner of the premises adjoining is willing to rent these premises to the City for a period from April 1, 1916, to August 1, 1920, the date upon which the lease for the court house expires, at an annual rental of \$1,375.

I therefore submit to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the advisability of leasing additional space as hereinabove mentioned, and in the event of favorable action, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that they authorize a lease of the third store from the southerly end of the building, known as store No. 3, on the ground floor of the building known as No. 1128 St. Nicholas Avenue, located 26 feet north of the corner formed by the intersection of St. Nicholas Avenue and West 166th Street, Borough of Manhattan, having a frontage of 12 feet on St. Nicholas Avenue with a depth of 57 feet, for a period from April 1, 1916, to August 1, 1920, at a rental at the rate of \$1,375 per annum, payable quarterly, for use of the Twelfth District Magistrates' Court; the lessor to furnish light and heat, and pay taxes and water rates, and to make inside and outside repairs and such alterations and changes to the demised premises as may be required by the Chief City Magistrate; the lessee to furnish janitor service. Lessor, A. F. Koelble, No. 71 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from A. F. Koelble, of the third store from the southerly end of the building, known as store No. 3, on the ground floor of the building known as No. 1128 St. Nicholas Avenue, located 26 feet north of the corner formed by the intersection of St. Nicholas Avenue and West 166th Street, Borough of Manhattan, having a frontage of 12 feet on St. Nicholas Avenue, with a depth of 57 feet, for use of the Twelfth District City Magistrates' Court, for a period from April 1, 1916, to August 1, 1920, at a rental at the rate of thirteen hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$1,375) per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to furnish heat and light, pay taxes and water rates, make inside and outside repairs and such alterations and changes to the demised premises as may be required by the Chief City Magistrate; the lessee to furnish janitor service; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

Board of City Magistrates—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 44 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 44 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, occupied by the Probation Bureau and Chief Clerk. Laid over.

Children's Court, Kings County—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Lease of Premises at No. 98 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18th, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On February 9, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a lease from the State Holding Corporation, of the second floor of the premises No. 98 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Children's Court of the County of Kings, for a period from January 1, 1916, to February 15, 1918, at an annual rental of \$693, payable quarterly, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of one or more years, at a rental of \$400 a year, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions. The name of the lessor should have been the "State Court Holding Corporation."

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution above mentioned be amended by substituting as the name of the lessor, the "State Court Holding Corporation," in place of the State Holding Corporation.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 9, 1916, authorizing a lease from the State Holding Corporation of the second floor of the premises No. 98 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Children's Court of the County of Kings, for a period from January 1, 1916, to February 15, 1918, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting as the name of the lessor "State Court Holding Corporation" in place of "State Holding Corporation."

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

Second Battalion Naval Militia—Hiring by, of Rooms at No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending approval of the hiring of premises at No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, for the Second Battalion Naval Militia as headquarters, for a period not exceeding six months from March 1, 1916. Laid over.

United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps—Hiring by, of a Portion of Premises at No. 24 Danforth Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18th, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Superintendent of the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps, in a communication to the Comptroller under date of February 10, 1916, requests that your Board adopt a resolution to enable the Comptroller to provide the rent from January 1, 1916, for a period not to exceed one year, at \$5 per month, without the necessity of a lease, for a portion of the premises No. 24 Danforth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the same being used for the storage of records and other material by the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps.

Under date of November 3, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to pay to Charles E. Raynor for a portion of the premises No. 24 Danforth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for storage purposes by the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps, at the rate of \$5 per month, on a month to month basis, for a period not exceeding one year from January 1, 1915, without the necessity of entering into a lease.

The United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps have been in occupation of these premises for the past three years, using the same for the storage of their records and other material, and will be in need thereof, as per their request, for another year.

In view of the above conditions, the rent being reasonable and just, and the same as heretofore paid, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the payment to Charles E. Raynor, rent of a portion of the premises No. 24 Danforth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, used

for storage purposes by the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps, at the rate of \$5 per month, on a month to month basis, for a period not exceeding one year from January 1, 1916, without the necessity of entering into a lease.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to Charles E. Raynor rent for a portion of the premises No. 24 Danforth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, used for storage purposes by the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps, at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per month, on a month to month basis, for a period not exceeding one year from January 1, 1916, without the necessity of entering into a lease.

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

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Payment Authorized for the Use of Extra Tables and Chairs Used in the Lexington Opera House on November 16, 1915.

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

February 15, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On July 30, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to pay to Adolph Suesskind the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for use of the Lexington Opera House, Nos. 145-155 East 58th Street, Borough of Manhattan, by the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the purpose of holding an examination for the position of Fireman on November 16, 1915, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., said sum to include sufficient light and the use of 900 chairs and tables, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor.

The Secretary of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, in a communication to your Board under date of February 4, 1916, states that on the date of the examination it was found that 100 extra chairs and tables were required to accommodate the candidates, 1,001 candidates having appeared for examination, whereas, accommodations had been provided for only 900. This was occasioned by the fact that arrangements for the holding of this examination must be made far in advance of the actual day of the examination, and judging from past examinations it was believed that accommodations for 900 candidates at Terrace Garden would be sufficient.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission has requested that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the Comptroller to pass a voucher in an amount not to exceed \$25 in favor of Adolph Suesskind, proprietor, Terrace Garden, to reimburse him for the furnishing of these extra chairs and tables, light and space.

This is the same rate as paid by the City on June 23, 1914, when accommodations for 1,000 candidates were had at this hall.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to pay to Adolph Suesskind, proprietor, Nos. 145-155 East 58th Street, Borough of Manhattan, the sum of \$25 for use of the 100 extra tables and chairs, light and extra space used in connection with the examination for Fireman, held by the Municipal Civil Service Commission in the Lexington Opera House on November 16, 1915, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to Adolph Suesskind the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for the use of 100 extra tables and chairs, light and extra space used in connection with the examination for firemen held by the Municipal Civil Service Commission in the Lexington Opera House, Nos. 145-155 East 58th Street, Borough of Manhattan, on November 16, 1915, said payment to be made without the necessity of entering into a lease.

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

Park Department, Queens; Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignments to, of a Portion of Ridgewood Reservoir Lands, Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

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

February 28, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of the following communication, dated December 22, 1915, from the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

"I send you herewith print No. 5953J-5, entitled 'Map showing lands at Ridgewood Reservoir to be transferred to the Department of Parks.' Those parcels shown upon the print colored in red and yellow are no longer required for the purposes of this Department and are hereby transferred to the jurisdiction of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with the understanding that they be released to the Department of Parks in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, subject to the following conditions:

1. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain the right to any or all of the lands to make such excavations and do such other work as he may deem necessary without being required to serve notice upon the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, or the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

2. No alteration in the topography of the surface of the lands which involves a change in elevation of more than six inches shall be made without the approval of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

3. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain control of the meter house on the force mains leading from Ridgewood pumping station to Ridgewood Reservoir and means of access to this house shall be maintained by the Department of Parks having jurisdiction.

4. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall not be required to replace or replant any shrubs which may have been disturbed by work performed under his direction, nor shall he be required to do any resodding other than replacing such sod as may be available after the completion of the work which he may deem necessary to perform.

5. No material shall be used by the Department of Parks adjacent to the Ridgewood Reservoir basins that will be liable to impair the purity of the water supply drawn from said basins.

A description of the several parcels is attached."

All those two certain pieces or parcels of land, situated in the Borough of Queens, County of Queens, City and State of New York, known as Parcels Nos. 1 and 3 on Plate 5953, filed in Drawer J-5 of the Brooklyn office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, more particularly described as follows:

Description of Parcel No. 1.

Beginning at a point at the southwesterly corner of Parcel No. 1, said point being formed by the intersection of the iron railing along the westerly side of Parcel No. 1 and the county line between Kings and Queens counties; thence northerly along said iron railing north 10 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west, 94.62 feet to a point; thence north 79 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds east 19.58 feet to a point; thence north 10 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west 29.65 feet to a point; thence south 79 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds west 19.58 feet to a point; thence north 10 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west 155.26 feet to a point; thence north 71 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds east 44.28 feet to a point; thence north 89 degrees 13 minutes 20 seconds east 265.55 feet to a point; thence south 68 degrees 13 minutes 50 seconds east 30.28 feet to a point; thence north 79 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds east 28.92 feet to a point; thence north 55 degrees 37 minutes 00 seconds east 25.91 feet to a point; thence north 79 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds east 195.29 feet to a point; thence north 32 degrees 36 minutes 50 seconds east 177.13 feet to a point; thence north 14 degrees 04 minutes 50 seconds east 415.34 feet to a point; thence north 37 degrees 43 minutes and 10 seconds west 793.10 feet to a point at the end of the iron railing; thence north 37 degrees 43 minutes 10 seconds west 197.88 feet to a point on the southerly line of Cypress Avenue; thence easterly along said southerly line of Cypress Avenue north 79 degrees 29 minutes 00 seconds east 193.85 feet to a point; thence south 30 degrees 6 minutes 00 seconds east 746.11 feet to a point; thence south 25 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds east 191.60 feet to a point; thence south 10 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds west 430.95 feet to a point; thence south 35 degrees 53 minutes 20 seconds west 218.66 feet to a point; thence south 77 degrees 33 minutes 20 seconds west 235.96 feet to a point on a curve having a radius of 786.50 feet, said point being located where the radius bears north 81 degrees 27 minutes 50 seconds east; thence on a curve to the left having a radius of 786.50 feet,

and with a central angle of 4 degrees 58 minutes 50 seconds, a distance of 68.38 feet to a point on the division line between the counties of Kings and Queens; where the radius of said curve bears north 76 degrees 29 minutes east; thence westerly along said county line south 63 degrees 03 minutes 50 seconds west 380.43 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 5.250 acres more or less.

Description of Parcel No. 3.

Beginning at a point on a monument, said monument being located on the division line between Kings and Queens County and forming the southwesterly corner of Parcel No. 3. Running thence north 22 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds west 997.55 feet to a point located on a monument; thence south 59 degrees 15 minutes 00 seconds west 112.34 feet to a point; thence north 31 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds west 431.21 feet to a point; thence south 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds west 274.90 feet to a point; thence northerly at right angles to the last mentioned course a distance of 8 feet to a point; thence south 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds west 300.08 feet to a point; thence northerly at right angles to the last mentioned course a distance of 8.5 feet to a point; thence north 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 559.66 feet to a point; thence northerly at right angles to the last mentioned course a distance of 8.5 feet to a point; thence north 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 300.08 feet to a point; thence northerly at right angles to the last mentioned course a distance of 8 feet to a point; thence north 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 796.46 feet to a point; thence northerly at right angles to the last mentioned course a distance of 7 feet to a point; thence north 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds west 144.51 feet to a point; thence north 41 degrees 49 minutes 30 seconds east 54.82 feet to a point; thence north 34 degrees 29 minutes 20 seconds east 122.58 feet to a point; thence north 11 degrees 46 minutes 40 seconds west 425.75 feet to a point in the westerly side of Cypress Avenue; thence southerly along said westerly line of Cypress Avenue south 66 degrees 09 minutes 40 seconds east 277.02 feet to a point; thence south 5 degrees 02 minutes 50 seconds west 493.25 feet to a point on the iron railing on the Ridgewood Reservoir; thence south 8 degrees 38 minutes 10 seconds east 1,211.87 feet to a point; thence south 27 degrees 50 minutes 00 seconds east 441.13 feet to a point; thence north 62 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds east 129.44 feet to a point on the division line between Kings and Queens County; thence south 40 degrees 24 minutes and 30 seconds west along said county line 471.0 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 19.3 acres more or less.

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Kings County, City and State of New York, shown as Parcel No. 2 on Map No. 5953, filed in drawer J-5 of the Brooklyn office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, more fully described as follows:

Description of Parcel No. 2.

Beginning at a point on a monument on the division line between the counties of Kings and Queens, said point being the most westerly point of said Parcel No. 2; running thence north 40 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds east along said county line 471.0 feet to a point on the iron railing forming the southern boundary of the Ridgewood Reservoir; thence north 62 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds east 706.74 feet to a point; thence north 10 degrees 30 minutes 30 seconds west 61.0 feet to a point in the division line between the Counties of Kings and Queens; thence easterly along said county line north 63 degrees 3 minutes 50 seconds east 380.43 feet to a point on a curve having a radius of 786.50 feet; where said radius bears north 76 degrees 29 minutes east; thence southerly on a curve to the left with a radius of 786.50 feet and a central angle of 27 degrees 49 minutes 50 seconds, a distance of 379.72 feet to the point of tangency; thence south 41 degrees 20 minutes 50 seconds east 598.09 feet to a point on the northerly line of Jamaica Avenue; thence westerly along said northerly line of Jamaica Avenue south 63 degrees 28 minutes 00 seconds west 46.55 feet to a point; thence north 41 degrees 20 minutes 50 seconds west 720.84 feet to a point; thence south 63 degrees 35 minutes 40 seconds west 1,465.85 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 7.130 acres more or less.

The Commissioner of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, in a communication to your Board under date of December 27, 1915, requests the assignment to his Department of the above described parcels Nos. 1 and 3.

The Commissioner of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board under date of February 7, 1916, requests the assignment to his Department of the above described parcel No. 2.

The Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, having turned this property over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required for the purposes of his Department, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, all that property designated on maps 5953J-5 of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as Parcels 1 and 3, and to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, all that property designated on the above mentioned map as Parcel 2, subject to the conditions mentioned in the communication dated December 22, 1915, from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in a communication dated December 22, 1915, having turned over as no longer required the property hereinafter described, it is

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, all that property described on Map 5953J-5, entitled "Map Showing Lands at Ridgewood Reservoir to Be Transferred to Department of Parks" of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and known as Parcels 1 and 3, subject to the following conditions:

1. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain the right to any or all of the lands to make such excavations and do such other work as he may deem necessary, without being required to serve notice upon the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, or the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

2. No alteration in the topography of the surface of the lands which involves a change in elevation of more than six inches shall be made without the approval of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

3. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain control of the meter house on the force mains leading from Ridgewood pumping station to Ridgewood Reservoir, and means of access to this house shall be maintained by the Department of Parks having jurisdiction.

4. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall not be required to replace or replant any shrubs which may have been disturbed by work performed under his direction, nor shall he be required to do any resodding other than replacing such sod as may be available after the completion of the work which he may deem necessary to perform.

5. No material shall be used by the Department of Parks adjacent to the Ridgewood Reservoir basins that will be liable to impair the purity of the water supply drawn from said basins.

Whereas, The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in a communication dated December 22, 1915, having turned over as no longer required, the property hereinafter described, it is

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of Section 205 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the property described on Map 5953J-5 of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, entitled "Map showing lands at Ridgewood Reservoir to be transferred to the Department of Parks" and known as Parcel 2, and subject to the following conditions:

1. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain the right to any or all of the lands to make such excavations and do such other work as he may deem necessary without being required to serve notice upon the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, or the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

2. No alteration in the topography of the surface of the lands which involves a change in elevation of more than six inches shall be made without the approval of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

3. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall retain control of the meter house on the force mains leading from Ridgewood pumping station to Ridgewood Reservoir and means of access to this house shall be maintained by the Department of Parks having jurisdiction.

4. The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall not be required to replace or replant any shrubs which may have been disturbed by work performed under his direction, nor shall he be required to do any resodding other than replacing such sod as may be available after the completion of the work which he may deem necessary to perform.

5. No material shall be used by the Department of Parks adjacent to the Ridge-wood Reservoir basins that will be liable to impair the purity of the water supply drawn from said basins.

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

New York Railways Company—Payment to, of \$1,705.85, Being the Balance Due the Company in Connection with Transfers Lifted at the Staten Island Ferry for Month of December, 1915.

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

February 18, 1916.

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

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

For Municipal Ferry transfers collected by the New York Railways Company during the month of December, 1915, 147,417 at 3 cents..... \$4,422 51
New York Railways Company transfers collected by the Municipal Ferry for the same period, 135,833 at 2 cents..... 2,716 66

Balance due New York Railways Co..... \$1,705 85

Attached to the above bill is a recommendation of the First Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks that the amounts due be paid to the New York Railways Company.

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

The amounts so collected by the Municipal Ferry have been deposited in the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption.

Yours very truly, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

	Transfers Collected by N. Y. Railways Company.	Transfers Collected by Municipal Ferry.	Daily Amount Credited to N. Y. Railways Company.
December 1, 1915.....	5,402	4,926	\$63 54
December 2, 1915.....	5,311	4,800	63 33
December 3, 1915.....	5,357	5,025	60 21
December 4, 1915.....	5,660	5,177	66 26
December 5, 1915.....	3,386	3,063	40 32
December 6, 1915.....	5,468	5,000	64 04
December 7, 1915.....	5,117	4,825	57 01
December 8, 1915.....	5,175	4,776	59 73
December 9, 1915.....	5,238	4,735	62 44
December 10, 1915.....	4,796	4,822	47 44
December 11, 1915.....	5,575	4,924	68 77
December 12, 1915.....	3,139	3,055	33 07
December 13, 1915.....	4,407	3,757	57 07
December 14, 1915.....	3,858	3,693	41 88
December 15, 1915.....	4,525	4,204	51 67
December 16, 1915.....	4,866	4,497	56 04
December 17, 1915.....	4,606	4,381	50 56
December 18, 1915.....	4,841	2,732	90 59
December 19, 1915.....	3,029	4,530	27
December 20, 1915.....	5,782	5,112	71 22
December 21, 1915.....	5,331	4,940	61 13
December 22, 1915.....	5,365	4,871	63 53
December 23, 1915.....	5,663	5,167	66 55
December 24, 1915.....	5,494	5,177	61 28
December 25, 1915.....	2,504	2,316	28 80
December 26, 1915.....	2,165	1,944	26 07
December 27, 1915.....	5,154	4,760	59 42
December 28, 1915.....	5,021	4,524	60 15
December 29, 1915.....	4,398	4,161	48 72
December 30, 1915.....	5,350	4,979	60 92
December 31, 1915.....	5,434	4,960	63 82
	147,417	135,833	\$1,705 85

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

\$1,705.85 in payment of bill rendered by the New York Railways Company for 147,417 Municipal Ferry Transfers at 3c. lifted by it during the month of December, 1915 (\$4,422.51), less 135,833 new York Railways Company's Transfers lifted on Municipal Ferry for same period at 2c. (\$2,716.66), leaving balance due to New York Railways Company \$1,705.85.

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

Armory Board—Authority to Issue an Open Market Order in the Sum of \$475 for Plumbing Work, Etc., at Troop C Armory.

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

February 9, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Under date of December 29, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized the expenditure by the Armory Board of \$385 for alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70-A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory."

The Secretary of the Armory Board advises under date of February 1, 1916, that the lowest bidder for this work, the Huston & Corbitt Company, have withdrawn their quotation claiming a mistake was made by them in estimating, as they did not consider the roof drainage part of the plumbing contract, and did bid on the lavatory, two shower baths and one toilet.

New bids were called for by the Armory Board with the result that William C. Ferrer bid the sum of \$475, the lowest of three bids for all the work called for in the plans and specifications.

As it was not practical to hold up the general contractor (as portions of the plumbing work must be installed at the same time the concrete frames are set), William C. Ferrer has been directed to proceed with the plumbing work in order that both branches of the work might go on without interruption.

It is proposed to pay the cost of this work from the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70-A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory," authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the sum of \$12,300, on June 2, 1915.

A contract for general alterations for \$7,471 and open market orders amounting to \$423.50, aggregating \$7,894.50 have been registered against the fund (C. A. B.—70-A).

The open market orders consist of two, one for \$385 to Huston & Corbitt Co., for alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work, approved under resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund December 29, 1915, the other for \$38.50 to Pilcher & Tachau, Architects, for the preparation of the plans, etc., for the plumbing work to be performed by Huston & Corbitt Co.

In view of the refusal of the Huston & Corbitt Co. to perform the work at the figure of their informal tender, \$385, I would advise the rescinding of the resolution of December 29, 1915, and as I am advised that the price of \$475 for all the work called for in the plans and specifications, is reasonable and is within the balance remaining in the fund, I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting dated December 29, 1915, approving the expenditure and granting permission to the Armory Board to issue an Open Market Order in the sum of three hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$385) for alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory," be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve the expenditure and grant permission to the Armory Board to issue an Open Market Order in the sum of four hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$475) for alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory."

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

Armory Board—Authority to Issue an Open Market Order in the Sum of \$47.50 for Architect's Services in Connection with Plumbing Work, Etc., at Troop C Armory.

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

February 9, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Under date of December 29, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized the expenditure by the Armory Board of \$38.50 for Architect's services for the preparation of plans and specifications and the supervision of the installation of the alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70-A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory."

The Secretary of the Armory Board advises under date of February 1, 1916, that the lowest bidder for the additional plumbing work, the Huston & Corbitt Company, have withdrawn their quotation and the lowest of the new bids called for by the Armory Board was in the name of William C. Ferrer who bid the sum of \$475 for all the work called for in the plans and specifications.

It is proposed to pay the architects 10 per cent. of the cost (\$475) of the plumbing and drainage work, recommendation for approval of which is given in a report of even date.

The usual architect's fees are 7½ per cent. for alteration work and an additional fee of 2½ per cent. for the services of an engineering specialist on sanitary work. As this is all sanitary work the usual fee for this class of alteration work is (7½ per cent. plus 2½ per cent.) 10 per cent.

It is proposed to pay the cost of this work from the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70-A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory," authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 2, 1915, in the sum of \$12,300.

A contract for general alterations in the sum of \$7,471 and open market orders amounting to \$423.50, totaling \$7,894.50, have been registered against the fund (C. A. B.—70-A). The open market orders consist of two, one for \$385 to Huston & Corbitt Co., for alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work, and the other for \$38.50 to Pilcher & Tachau, Architects, for the preparation of plans, etc., both approved under resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, December 29, 1915.

In view of the refusal of the Huston & Corbitt Co. to perform the work at the figure of their informal tender, \$385, and the necessary resubmission of informal bids, the lowest of which being William C. Ferrer in the sum of \$475, I would advise the rescinding of the resolution of December 29, 1915, and as the charges proposed are the usual architect's fees allowed for similar alteration sanitary work, I advise the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting dated December 29, 1915, approving the expenditure and granting permission to the Armory Board to issue an Open Market Order in the sum of thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$38.50) for architect's services for the preparation of plans and specifications and the supervision of the alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory," be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve the expenditure and grant permission to the Armory Board to issue an Open Market Order in the sum of forty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$47.50) for architect's services for the preparation of plans and specifications and the supervision of the alterations and additions to the plumbing and drainage work of the Armory Building, Troop C, N. G., N. Y., Bedford Avenue and President Street, Borough of Brooklyn, the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—70A, Troop C, Alterations and Additions to Armory."

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution of, Authorizing the Corporation Counsel to Accept from the Executors of the Estate of Mary E. Parsons a Deed of Cession.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting copy of resolution adopted February 4, 1916, authorizing the Corporation Counsel, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, to accept from the Executors of the Estate of Mary E. Parsons a deed of cession of land, comprising the westerly half of Ziegler Avenue, between Jackson Avenue and Amity Street, Borough of Queens.

Objection having been made to an exception being made to the rules of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the matter was referred to the Chief Engineer of the Board for a report.

Redemption of \$205,855 of Three and One-half Per Cent. Water Bonds of the City of Brooklyn Which Mature March 12, 1916.

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

February 9th, 1916.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On March 12th, 1916, Bonds of the former City of Brooklyn, amounting to Two hundred and five thousand, eight hundred and fifty-five Dollars (\$205,855), become due and are payable from the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn. I, therefore, recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Very truly yours, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, the following described bonds issued by the former City of Brooklyn become due March 12, 1916, and are payable from the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, viz:

Title.	Total Amount.	Held by Public.
Three and one-half per cent. water bonds of the City of Brooklyn, for the purchase of stock, assets, franchise and property of the New Utrecht Water Company, Authorized by Chapter 1023, Laws of 1895, Section 1 of Chapter 648, Laws of 1895, amending Section 4, Title 4, of Chapter 583, Laws of 1888.....	\$205,855 00	\$205,855 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to pay from the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, upon the maturity of said bonds, the sum of two hundred and five thousand eight hundred and fifty-five dollars (\$205,855) for the redemption of said bonds held by the public.

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

Park Department, Bronx—Assignment to, of 35 Sections of Iron Railing, Turned Over by Bridge Department.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 2, 1916, the Department of Bridges surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required: Thirty-five (35) sections of lattice iron railing.

In a communication dated January 28, 1916, the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of the Bronx, the following property turned over by the Department of Bridges as no longer required: Thirty-five (35) sections of lattice iron railing.

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

Health Department—Assignment to, of Four Pontoons, Turned Over by the Department of Correction.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On January 20, 1916, the Department of Correction surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required: Four (4) Pontoons.

In a communication dated January 29, 1916, the Department of Health requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Correction as no longer required: Four (4) Pontoons.

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

Bridge Department, Municipal Garage Service—Assignment to, of a Number of Automobiles, Surrendered by Various City Departments.

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

February 5, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—During the month of December, 1915, the following automobiles were surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Dept. of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Haynes, No. 7769; Lozier, No. 7349; Cadillacs, Nos. 67888, 47141, 77542; Chalmers, No. 811; Franklin, No. 20373; Oldsmobile, 725422; Cadillacs, Nos. 52258, 65215; Chalmers, No. 309; Studebaker, No. 3139; Moon, No. 5245; Cadillacs, Nos. 44017, 47147.

Dept. of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond—Cadillac, No. A4364; Chalmers, No. 591; Lozier, No. 2268.

Dept. of Parks, Brooklyn—Cadillacs, Nos. 84071, 84077; Oldsmobile, No. 70722; Fords, Nos. 387502, 444495, 482899, 502580, 544831, 544885, 570232, 826510.

Dept. of Parks, Bronx—Fords, Nos. 612675, 612926, 700510; Marquette, No. 1117; Lozier, No. 7138.

Dept. of Parks, Queens—Hupmobile, No. 50115; White, No. 22193; Fords, Nos. 544599, 544655.

Dept. of Public Charities—Cadillacs, Nos. 53163, 59108; Overland, No. 6336; Cadillacs, Nos. 35069, 42664, 76743.

Bureau of Weights and Measures—Lozier, No. 1139.

Dept. of Licenses—Chalmers, No. 325; Cadillac, No. 35295.

Department of Health—Lozier, No. 2018; Overland, No. 24602; Ford, No. 404723; White, No. 10645; Overland, No. 2988; Lozier, No. 316; Franklin, No. 3287; Buick, No. 9121.

Dept. of Correction—National, No. 11275.

Dept. of Street Cleaning—Loziers, Nos. 3134, 1260, 2318; Cadillac, No. 84999.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Thomas, No. 309.

Dept. of Docks and Ferries—Locomobile, No. 4021; Acmes, Nos. 770, 771.

Police Department—Fords, Nos. No. 367374, 464362, 303066, 478169; Trumbulls, Nos. 941, 721.

Fire Department—Maxwell, No. 37; Cadillacs, Nos. 24593-35, 31805-43, 45914-14, 50465-34, 30620-36, 37059-39; Maxwell, No. 38; White, No. 12977-22.

In a communication dated January 31, 1916, the Department of Bridges requested the assignment of the automobiles above referred to, to the Municipal Garage Service. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Bridges Municipal Garage Service the following automobiles surrendered by the different departments, as follows:

Department.	Make.	Car Number.
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Haynes	7769
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Lozier	7349
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	67888
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	47141
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	77542
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Chalmers	811
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Franklin	20373
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Oldsmobile	725422
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	52258
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	65215
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Chalmers	309
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Studebaker	3139
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Moon	5245
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	44017
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Cadillac	47147
Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.....	Cadillac	A4364
Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.....	Chalmers	591
Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.....	Lozier	2268
Parks, Brooklyn	Cadillac	84071
Parks, Brooklyn	Cadillac	84077
Parks, Brooklyn	Oldsmobile	70722
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	387502
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	444495
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	482899
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	502580
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	544831
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	544885
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	570232
Parks, Brooklyn	Ford	826510
Parks, Bronx	Ford	612675
Parks, Bronx	Ford	612926
Parks, Bronx	Ford	700510
Parks, Bronx	Marquette	1117
Parks, Bronx	Lozier	7138
Parks, Queens	Hupmobile	50115
Parks, Queens	White	22193

Department.	Make.	Car Number.
Parks, Queens	Ford	544599
Parks, Queens	Ford	544655
Public Charities	Cadillac	53163
Public Charities	Cadillac	59108
Public Charities	Overland	6336
Public Charities	Cadillac	35069
Public Charities	Cadillac	42664
Public Charities	Cadillac	76743
Bureau of Weights and Measures.....	Lozier	1139
Licenses	Chalmers	325
Licenses	Cadillac	35295
Health	Lozier	2018
Health	Overland	24602
Health	Ford	404723
Health	White	10645
Health	Overland	2988
Health	Lozier	316
Health	Franklin	3287
Health	Buick	9121
Correction	National	11275
Street Cleaning	Lozier	3134
Street Cleaning	Lozier	1260
Street Cleaning	Lozier	2318
Street Cleaning	Cadillac	84999
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	Thomas	309
Docks and Ferries	Locomobile	4021
Docks and Ferries	Acme	770
Docks and Ferries	Acme	771
Police	Ford	367374
Police	Ford	464362
Police	Ford	303066
Police	Ford	478169
Police	Trumbull	941
Police	Trumbull	721
Fire	Maxwell	37
Fire	Cadillac	24593-35
Fire	Cadillac	31805-43
Fire	Cadillac	45914-14
Fire	Cadillac	50465-34
Fire	Cadillac	30620-36
Fire	Cadillac	37059-39
Fire	Maxwell	38
Fire	White	12977-22

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

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of Four Horses Turned Over by Park Department, Manhattan.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 3, 1916, the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Four (4) horses: No. 4, No. 23, No. 77, No. 105.

In a communication dated January 28, 1916, the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Four (4) horses: No. 4, No. 23, No. 77, No. 105.

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

Board of Inebriety—Assignment to, of One Transit and One Level, Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 1, 1916, the Board of Water Supply surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required: One (1) Berger transit No. 6549, with tripod. One (1) Philadelphia leveling rod with B. W. S. special target.

In a communication dated January 26, 1916, the Board of Inebriety requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, hereby assign to the Board of Inebriety the following property turned over by the Board of Water Supply as no longer required: One (1) Berger transit No. 6549, with tripod. One (1) Philadelphia leveling rod with B. W. S. special target.

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

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of Three Sections of 8-inch Iron Pipe, Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On June 14, 1915, the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Three (3) sections of 8-inch iron pipe from the exhaust piping of compressors and pumps at old Jameco Pumping Station (Titus Plant).

In a communication dated February 3, 1916, the Department of Correction requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required: Three (3) sections of 8-inch iron pipe from the exhaust piping of compressors and pumps at old Jameco Pumping Station (Titus Plant).

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

Park Department, Manhattan—Assignment to, of 1,900 Pounds of Scrap Iron, Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On January 25, 1916, the Board of Water Supply surrendered to the

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:
Nineteen hundred (1,900) pounds of scrap iron.

In a communication dated January 31, 1916, the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Nineteen hundred (1,900) pounds of scrap iron.

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

Armory Board—Assignment to, of Two Oak Roll Top Desks, Turned Over by the Dock Department.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 3, 1916, the Department of Docks and Ferries surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Two (2) oak roll-top desks.

In a communication, dated February 2, 1916, the Armory Board requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Two (2) oak roll-top desks.

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

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of 28 Horse Mangers, Etc., Turned Over by Park Department, Bronx.

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

February 9, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On January 31, 1916, the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Twenty-eight (28) horse mangers, thirty-six (36) racks, twelve (12) pavers' rammers.

In a communication dated February 3, 1915, the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Twenty-eight (28) horse mangers.

Thirty-six (36) racks.

Twelve (12) pavers' rammers.

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

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of One Ladder and One Lot of Old Canvas, Turned Over by the Bridge Department.

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

February 16, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 9, 1916, the Department of Bridges surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

One (1) iron ladder; one (1) lot of old canvas.

In a communication dated February 2, 1916, the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

One (1) iron ladder; one (1) lot of old canvas.

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

Department of Street Cleaning—Assignment to, of Desks, Chairs, Clock, Etc., Turned Over by Dock Department.

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

February 16, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 3, 1916, the Department of Docks and Ferries surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Two (2) high single oak desks; four (4) roll top oak desks; eighteen (18) assorted chairs; one (1) eight-day wall clock; three (3) cuspidors.

In a communication dated February 3, 1916, the Department of Street Cleaning requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Two (2) high single oak desks; four (4) roll top oak desks; eighteen (18) assorted chairs; one (1) eight-day wall clock; three (3) cuspidors.

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

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Assignment to, of 50 Carriage Candles, Etc., Turned Over by Park Department, Bronx.

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

February 17, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On January 31, 1916, the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Fifty (50) carriage candles; twenty-four (24) stable brooms; twelve (12) mane brushes; six (6) horse body brushes; twenty-four (24) iron snow shovels; twelve (12) 2 gallon oil cans; thirty-six (36) cotton floor mops.

In a communication dated February 10, 1916, the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to

the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity the following property turned over by the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, as no longer required:

Fifty (50) carriage candles; twenty-four (24) stable brooms; twelve (12) mane brushes; six (6) horse body brushes; twenty-four (24) iron snow shovels; twelve (12) 2 gallon oil cans; thirty-six (36) cotton floor mops.

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

Parole Commission—Assignment to, of One Roll-top Typewriter Desk, Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

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

February 17, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 11, 1916, the Board of Water Supply surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

One (1) 50-inch roll top typewriter desk, P. D. No. 39.

In a communication dated February 11, 1916, the Parole Commission requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

One (1) 50-inch roll top typewriter desk, P. D. No. 39.

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

Armory Board—Assignment to, of One 50-inch Roll-top Desk, Turned Over by the Dock Department.

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

February 17, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 10, 1916, the Department of Docks and Ferries surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

One (1) 50-inch oak roll-top desk.

In a communication, dated February 9, 1916, the Armory Board requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

One (1) 50-inch oak roll-top desk.

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

City Chamberlain—Assignment to, of Sixteen Sections of Vertical Wooden Filing Cases, Turned Over by Department of Public Charities.

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

February 17, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 5, 1916, the Department of Public Charities surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the following property as no longer required:

Sixteen (16) sections of seven boxes each of vertical wooden filing cases.

In a communication, dated February 2, 1916, the Chamberlain requested the assignment of the property above referred to. The adoption of the attached resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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

Sixteen (16) sections of seven boxes each of vertical wooden filing cases.

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

Sale and Removal of Encroachments Lying Within the Lines of Sacket Avenue from the Westerly Line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge Road in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Sacket Avenue, from the westerly line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge Road, in the Borough of The Bronx, to permit the improvement of the street.

These encroachments consist of part of a frame barn, some fences and trees, on Damage Parcel No. 31 of this proceeding, the estimated removal value of which is \$25, which amount should be realized by their sale.

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

Yours respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx has requested the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Sacket Avenue, from the westerly line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge Road, in the Borough of The Bronx; and

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

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids Damage Parcel No. 31, consisting of part of a frame barn, some fences and trees, lying within the lines of Sacket Avenue, from the westerly line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge Road, in the Borough of The Bronx, at the upset or minimum price of \$25, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 4, 1910, and the President of the Borough of The Bronx is hereby authorized and ordered to demolish and remove these encroachments if they do not realize the said upset price, as encumbrances upon a public highway, in the manner provided by section 205 of the Revised Charter, as amended by chapter 398 of the Laws of 1909.

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

Sale and Removal of Certain Shacks, Etc., in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn Acquired for Dock and Street Cleaning Purposes.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the Commissioner of Docks for the sale and removal of a number of shacks and houses along the water front, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, consisting of 18 small shacks along the East River front, 9 small shacks along the Harlem River front, 25 shacks and three small houses along the North River front, and 12 shacks along the Brooklyn water

front, as these buildings are no longer required for the purpose for which they were erected.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by section 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing the sale of the said buildings, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioner of Docks has requested the sale of certain buildings hereinafter described, located in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, acquired for Dock and Street Cleaning purposes,

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the highest marketable price, of 18 small shacks along the East River front, 9 small shacks along the Harlem River front, 25 shacks and 3 small houses along the North River front and 12 shacks along the Brooklyn water front, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368 Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 4, 1910.

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

Sale and Removal of Encroachments Lying Within the Lines of Woodbine Street from Irving Avenue to Knickerbocker Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 10, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Woodbine Street, from Irving Avenue to Knickerbocker Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to permit the improvement of the street.

These encroachments consist of three two-story brick houses on Damage Parcels Nos. 5, 6 and 7, the estimated sale value of which is \$200, which amount should be realized by their sale.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by sections 205 and 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing and ordering that the said encroachments be offered for sale at the upset or minimum price named above, and also authorizing and ordering the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to demolish and remove these encroachments if they are not sold at the said upset price, as encumbrances upon a public street, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted.

Yours respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Brooklyn has requested the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Woodbine Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, If these improvements are offered for sale at an upset price they would probably realize a fair return in proportion to the award given, it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids Damage Parcels Nos. 5, 6 and 7, consisting of three two-story brick houses lying within the lines of Woodbine Street, from Irving Avenue to Knickerbocker Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, at the upset or minimum price of \$200, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 4, 1910, and the President of the Borough of Brooklyn is hereby authorized and ordered to demolish and remove these encroachments if they do not realize the said upset price, as encumbrances upon a public highway, in the manner provided by section 205 of the Revised Charter, as amended by chapter 398 of the Laws of 1909.

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

Sale and Removal of Building at No. 293 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, held November 27, 1912, the Comptroller was directed to derive such revenue as might be had from the old school building at 293 Pearl Street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

This building was at that time in bad condition, and a report made February 11, 1916, by Mr. Alfred Ludwig, Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, states: "The interior of the building has been considerably damaged by fire—that the walls are broken, cracked, and disintegrated," and recommends that the building be taken down to the ground.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by section 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing the sale of said building, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The building at 293 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan, is the subject of a violation notice issued by the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, requiring that it be taken down to the ground, it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the highest marketable price, of the building known as 293 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 4, 1910.

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

Sale and Removal of Building on the Southerly Side of Robinson Avenue, 200 Feet Westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—At a meeting held March 3, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to derive such revenue as might be obtained from the property formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens, as it was no longer required for fire purposes.

This building is now vacant and in such a condition as to be a menace to the adjoining property, and if offered for sale now, before becoming further dilapidated, may be sold for a reasonable price, an offer of \$25 having been made for it.

I therefore request that the commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by section 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing the sale of the said building, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The building on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, is in a condition which prohibits it being of further use to The City of New York, it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the highest marketable price, of the building on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 4, 1910.

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

Sale at Public Auction of Lands on the Easterly Side of Hendrix Street, Between Sunnyside Avenue and Highland Boulevard Known as Lot 26, Block 3885, Section 13, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in which he releases as no longer required for the purposes of his Department, property known as Lot 26, in Block 3885, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Park Commissioner of said Borough has requested that these premises be assigned to the control of his Department. The same, however, in my opinion, are not adequate for park purposes. Furthermore a desirable offer has been made for the purchase of the same. The value of this property has been fixed by the Appraiser of Real Estate of this Department at \$11,000, which is, to my mind, its fair and marketable value.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the sale and public auction of all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, State of New York, outlined in red on Plate 10,663-Z, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and known as Lot No. 26, Block No. 3885, Section No. 13, of the Tax Maps of the Borough of Brooklyn, and more fully described as follows:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue and the northeasterly side of what was formerly known as Hendrix Street; running thence northeasterly along the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue 106 feet to the point of intersection of the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue with the northeasterly boundary line of Lot 26, Block 3885, Section 13, as shown on the present tax maps of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn; thence running in a northwesterly direction along the said northeasterly boundary line of said Lot 26, to its intersection with the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard; running thence in a southwesterly direction along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard 81.6 feet to an angle point in the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard; running thence southwesterly and still along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard 46 feet to what was formerly the point of intersection of the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard and the northeasterly side of Hendrix Street, now closed; running thence in a southwesterly direction and along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard, produced, 30 feet, more or less to the centre line of what was formerly Hendrix Street; running thence southeasterly and along the said centre line of Hendrix Street to the point of intersection of the said centre line of Hendrix Street with the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue, produced; running thence northeasterly along the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue so produced, 30 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

—at a minimum or upset price of \$11,000, which I deem to be a fair appraisal of the value thereof, and upon the following terms and conditions:

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

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

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

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of Section 205 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and order a sale at public auction, of all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue and the northeasterly side of what was formerly known as Hendrix Street; running thence northeasterly along the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue 106 feet to the point of intersection of the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue with the northeasterly boundary line of Lot 26, Block 3885, Section 13, as shown on the present tax maps of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn; thence running in a northwesterly direction along the said northeasterly boundary line of said Lot 26, to its intersection with the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard; running thence in a southwesterly direction along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard 81.6 feet to an angle point in the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard; running thence southwesterly and still along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard 46 feet to what was formerly the point of intersection of the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard and the northeasterly side of Hendrix Street, now closed; running thence in a southwesterly direction and along the southeasterly side of Highland Boulevard, produced, 30 feet, more or less to the centre line of what was formerly Hendrix Street; running thence southeasterly and along the said centre line of Hendrix Street to the point of intersection of the said centre line of Hendrix Street with the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue, produced; running thence northeasterly along the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue so produced, 30 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

—the minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold be and is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of Eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000) and the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps for conducting such sale upon the following terms and conditions:

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

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

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

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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

Sale at Public Auction of the Lease of Premises Nos. 130-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 18th, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The City of New York is the owner of certain property known as 130-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, formerly occupied as a fire house. These premises were turned over by the Fire Department to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on January 3, 1916, as no longer required by said department.

I am in receipt of a communication from Messrs. Pepe & Bro., offering to lease these premises for a period of five years from August 1, 1916, at an annual rental of \$2,300. This proposition was made with the understanding that possession could be had by March 1st, inasmuch as the building is in such a condition that extensive alterations and repairs will have to be made thereto. After negotiations with the Division of Real Estate of this Department, Pepe & Bro. have increased this offer to \$2,400 per annum, which, to my mind, is its fair and reasonable rental value.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a sale at public auction or by sealed bids of a lease of Lot 13, in Block 543, Section 2, known as Nos. 130-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, with the building and improvements thereon erected, for a period of five years from August 1, 1916, at a minimum or upset price of \$2,400 per annum, payable quarterly in advance with the privilege of one renewal of additional term of ten years, the rental for the renewal term of ten years to be determined by two discreet and disinterested appraisers, one of whom shall be named by the lessor, the other by the lessee; in the event of a disagreement between said appraisers as to the amount of rental to be

paid for said renewal term, the question shall be decided by a third discreet and disinterested appraiser to be named by the two appraisers first above mentioned; and upon the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

He will also be required to give an undertaking in the amount of the annual rental bid, with sufficient surety to be approved by the Comptroller, for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance of the covenants and terms of the lease.

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

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, and will contain, in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows:

1st. A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water, per meter measurements, and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

2nd. A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property, except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

3rd. A clause providing that during the term of the lease, the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

4th. A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease shall become the property of The City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

5th. A clause providing that the lessee shall have possession of the premises immediately upon the execution of the lease without the necessity of paying rent until the date of the commencement of the lease, but he shall be liable for any damages which may occur in or to the premises to be demised from the date of possession.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any or all bids if deemed to be to the interest of The City of New York. Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a sale at public auction or by sealed bids, of a lease of Lot 13 in Block 543, Section 2, known as Nos. 130-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, with the building and improvements thereon erected, for a period of five years from August 1, 1916, with the privilege of one renewal of an additional term of ten years; the minimum or upset rental at which said lease shall be sold be and is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of Twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2,400) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the rental for the renewal term of ten years to be determined by two discreet and disinterested appraisers, one of whom shall be named by the lessor, the other by the lessee, and, in the event of a disagreement between said appraisers as to the amount of rental to be paid for said renewal term, the question shall be decided by a third discreet and disinterested appraiser, to be named by the two appraisers first above mentioned; and be it further

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps for conducting such sale upon the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

He will also be required to give an undertaking in the amount of the annual rental bid, with sufficient surety to be approved by the Comptroller, for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance of the covenants and terms of the lease.

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

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property and will contain in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows:

1st. A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water, per meter measurements, and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

2nd. A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

3rd. A clause providing that during the term of the lease, the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

4th. A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

5th. A clause providing that the lessee shall have possession of the premises immediately upon the execution of the lease without the necessity of paying rent until the date of the commencement of the lease, but he shall be liable for any damages which may occur in or to the premises to be demised from the date of possession.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any or all bids if deemed to be to the interest of The City of New York.

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

Release to Charles B. Lawson of the City's Interest in a Strip of Land on the Westerly Side of Purdy Street, 305 Feet South of Railroad (Now Starling Avenue), Borough of The Bronx.

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

February 18, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from Charles B. Lawson, in which he states that he is the owner of certain property in the Borough of The Bronx, extending from Purdy Street to Odell Street, formerly known as a part of Plot No. 420, and that when the City widened Purdy Street, he ceded to the City five feet on the westerly side thereof.

In connection therewith I requested the President of the Borough of The Bronx to inform me as to the City's interest therein. In a communication the Commissioner of Public Works of said borough recommends that the strip referred to be released by the City and returned to Mr. Lawson. He calls attention to the fact that the strip in question is 100 feet long by 5 feet wide, and is situated on the westerly side of Purdy Street, 305 feet south of Railroad (now Starling Avenue) and is not a part of any street.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to Charles B. Lawson, No. 2863 Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, of the interest of the City in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Purdy Street as now laid out, distant 305 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Starling Avenue and the westerly line of Purdy Street, as now laid out; running thence westerly and parallel with Starling Avenue 5 feet; running thence southerly and along a line parallel with Purdy Street 100 feet; running thence easterly and along a line parallel with Starling Avenue 5 feet to the westerly line of Purdy Street; running thence northerly along the westerly line of Purdy Street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), plus an additional charge of Twelve Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

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

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

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

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, Charles B. Lawson in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, requests a release of the City's interest in a strip of land 100 feet long by 5 feet wide, situated on the westerly side of Purdy Street (305 feet south of Railroad, now Starling Avenue), and more particularly hereinafter described.

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

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

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Purdy Street as now laid out, distant 305 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Starling Avenue and the westerly line of Purdy Street, as now laid out; running thence westerly and parallel with Starling Avenue 5 feet; running thence southerly and along a line parallel with Purdy Street 100 feet; running thence easterly and along a line parallel with Starling Avenue 5 feet to the westerly line of Purdy Street; running thence northerly along the westerly line of Purdy Street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to Charles B. Lawson, of 2863 3d Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, of the interest of The City of New York in and to the property hereinabove in this resolution bounded and described, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1) plus the additional charge of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers.

The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

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

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

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

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

Release to Anna K. Ronfeldt of the City's Interest in Part of a Strip of Land Known as Paerdegat Lane, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 17, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On January 26, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution amending the resolution adopted on December 8, 1915, authorizing a release to Henry J. Lankenau of the City's interest in a part of the strip of land known as Paerdegat Lane, Borough of Brooklyn, abutting property owned by him.

Subsequent to the filing of this petition, requesting such release, the premises were conveyed to one Anna K. Ronfeldt. Under the terms of the resolution the release was given upon the expressed condition that the grantee is the owner of the premises abutting the portion of the old road released. The attorney for the petitioner has requested that the grantee named in the resolution of January 26, 1916, be changed to Anna K. Ronfeldt in place of Henry J. Lankenau.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund above mentioned, be rescinded, and in place thereof a similar resolution be adopted authorizing a release to Anna K. Ronfeldt of No. 681 Macon Street, Borough of Brooklyn, under the same terms and conditions.

Respectfully,

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 26, 1916, authorizing a release to Henry J. Lankenau of the City's interest in a part of a strip of land formerly contained within the lines of Paerdegat Lane, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

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

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

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Rogers Avenue, distant 45.68 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Rogers Avenue with the southerly line of Foster Avenue; running thence easterly and along the centre line of Paerdegat Lane, now discontinued and closed, 102.73 feet; running thence southerly and along a line parallel with the easterly line of Rogers Avenue 18.04 feet; running thence westerly and along the southerly line of Paerdegat Lane, now discontinued and closed, 102.81 feet to the easterly line of Rogers Avenue; running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Rogers Avenue 19.12 feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and be it further

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to Anna K. Ronfeldt of No. 681 Macon Street, Borough of Brooklyn, of the interest of the City of New York in and to the property hereinabove in this resolution bounded and described, in consideration of the sum of one hundred and one dollars (\$101), plus the additional charge of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers.

The release to contain the following conditions:

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

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

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

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

Bergen Building Annex, The Bronx—The Comptroller Authorized to Pay Rent of Space in, Occupied by County Officials.

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

February 21, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On June 23, 1915, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized a lease to the City from William C. Bergen, of 47,965 square feet of floor space in the modern fireproof building to be constructed adjacent and adjoining to the present building known as the Bergen Building, located on the southeasterly corner of Tremont and Arthur Avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for a period of ten years from October 1, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the building is ready for occupancy; the rental to be at the rate of 75 cents per square foot per annum, with the exception of 12,500 square feet of floor space to be used for jail purposes, the rental of which will be at the rate of \$1.26 per square foot per annum, for use of the following offices: Sheriff, Court of Special Sessions, Library, District Attorney, County Clerk, County Court, Surrogate, Commissioner of Jurors and Coroner.

This lease contains a clause providing for the cancellation of the lease with William C. Bergen, dated May 14, 1915, authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on April 28, 1915, and a further clause providing for the cancellation of the lease with William C. Bergen, in so far as it affects the premises occupied by the Coroner, Commissioner of Jurors and Sheriff at present in the present Bergen Building, such cancellation not to take effect however, until the above mentioned officers have taken possession of the space to be leased for them in the building to be erected.

This lease was authorized as it was determined more room was required for the different City and County offices housed in the present Bergen Building and in the County Court House.

The removal of the Coroner, Commissioner of Jurors and Sheriff to the present building involves no additional expense to the City, as the rental in the new building is the same as that now occupied by them. The space to be vacated in the Bronx

County Court House is to be utilized by the court rooms for the additional Parts of the Supreme Court, and the space now occupied by the District Attorney assigned to the County Clerk.

The building is now ready for occupancy by several of the departments for whom it was leased, with the exception of the Sheriff. The cells to be constructed by the owner have not been entirely completed, as he was delayed in securing sufficient steel therefor owing to present war conditions. It is urgent that occupancy be had as soon as possible, so that the space to be vacated by the Departments taking possession can be utilized by the Supreme Court and the other departments who are to move therein. The owner has agreed to give possession of these premises on or before March 1, 1916, and has informed me that he will have all of the cells erected and in place by May 1, 1916.

Inasmuch as the lease is not to commence until the building is entirely completed for the purposes for which it is leased, it will be necessary to authorize the payment of rent for the period from March 1 until May 1, 1915, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor.

I, therefore, respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the Comptroller to pay to William C. Bergen, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor, rent for a period of not more than two months from March 1, 1916, at the rate of 75 cents per square foot per annum, for the following space in the modern fireproof building adjacent and adjoining to the present building known as the Bergen Building, located on the southeast corner of Tremont and Arthur Avenues, Borough of The Bronx, to be used as follows:

1,000 square feet in the front of the third floor, for the use of the Justices and Clerks of the Court of Special Sessions.
1,700 square feet in the front of the third floor, to be used as a library.
1,040 square feet in the front of the fourth floor for use of the District Attorney as a Grand Jury Room.
1,660 square feet in the front of the fourth floor, for use of the County Clerk.
4,300 square feet in the rear of the fourth floor, for use of the County Court.
7,000 square feet (the entire fifth floor), for use of the District Attorney.
7,000 square feet (the entire sixth floor), for use of the Surrogate.
2,700 square feet in the front of the seventh floor, for use of the Commissioner of Jurors.
4,300 square feet in the rear of the seventh floor, for use of the Coroner and the Court of Special Sessions.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to William C. Bergen, without the necessity of entering into a lease therefor, rent for a period of not more than two months from March 1, 1916, at the rate of 75 cents per square foot per annum, for the following space in the modern fireproof building adjacent and adjoining to the present building known as the Bergen Building, located on the southeast corner of Tremont and Arthur Avenues, Borough of The Bronx, to be used as follows:

1,000 square feet in the front of the third floor, for the use of the Justices and clerks of the Court of Special Sessions.
1,700 square feet in the front of the third floor; to be used as a library.
1,040 square feet in the front of the fourth floor, for use of the District Attorney as a Grand Jury room.
1,660 square feet in the front of the fourth floor, for use of the County Clerk.
4,300 square feet in the rear of the fourth floor, for use of the County Court.
7,000 square feet (the entire fifth floor), for use of the District Attorney.
7,000 square feet (the entire sixth floor), for use of the Surrogate.
2,700 square feet in the front of the seventh floor, for use of the Commissioner of Jurors.
4,300 square feet in the rear of the seventh floor, for use of the Coroner and the Court of Special Sessions.

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

Dock Department—Issue of \$10,800 Additional Corporate Stock for the Construction of Dreamland Pier.

(Brought up by unanimous consent.)

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks:
Peter A. North River, February 21, 1916.

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

Sir—Under date of February 9, 1916, I addressed a communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund requesting that a resolution be adopted recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that additional corporate stock to the amount of \$10,800 be authorized for the building of the pier in front of Dreamland Park, this being the amount required over the sum of \$55,000 provided for in the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund November 18, 1915.

To-day a delegation of the business men of Coney Island interested in the project called at this office and have agreed to submit a proposition in writing the latter part of this week providing that the City shall grant a lease for a term of ten years with an additional term of 5 years, and that within the space of 15 years the City shall be entirely reimbursed for the cost of construction in 15 installments, plus 4½ per cent. on the yearly balances and in addition thereto there shall be paid as rent 1 per cent. per annum of the cost and construction for the first term of 10 years and for the renewal term \$1 per annum advance on the rental for the first term.

I, therefore, beg to renew my request of the 9th instant that a resolution be adopted recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that additional corporate stock to the amount of \$10,800 be authorized for this work in order that the contract may be awarded.

Yours respectfully, R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

—and the following resolution was offered for adoption:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of Section 180 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that the Comptroller be authorized to issue additional corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of Ten Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$10,800), the proceeds to be used to meet the cost of building by contract pier near the foot of 8th Street and in front of Dreamland Park, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Note—At this point the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, arrived, and the following matters on the Calendar requiring a unanimous vote, and held pending his arrival, were then considered:

Salvation Army—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Taxes Affecting Premises in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 16, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—The Salvation Army has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain taxes for the year 1913, affecting premises in the Borough of Manhattan, designated on the official tax map as section 2, block 426, lots 6 and 6 of 8.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same by deed delivered March 3, recorded March 4, 1913; that it has owned the above de-

scribed premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law to the extent hereinafter set forth during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a place for holding religious meetings and for providing shelter for the poor under cleanly moral and physical conditions.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1914, and since to the extent of \$158,000 and assessed to the extent of \$6,000 and the total valuation for the year 1916 is \$164,000, the exempt and assessed valuations being divided as aforesaid.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Taxes.

1913, section 2, block 426, lot 6, 1st half..... \$1,484 20
1913, section 2, block 426, lot 6, 2nd half..... 1,484 20

Although, as hereinafter appears, the property was not acquired by the petitioner until March 3, 1913, and consequently the taxes thereon for the year 1913, above set forth, could not be cancelled by the Comptroller under the statute relating to exemptions, for the reason that it was not owned by the petitioner on the date when the taxable status of property for said year was fixed, i. e., the first day of October, 1912, nevertheless it was owned on the date when the tax rate for 1913 was fixed by the Board of Aldermen, viz.: March 3, 1913, and when the first half of the taxes for said year became a lien, viz.: May 1, 1913. Treating the date when the tax rate was fixed as the date when the taxes accrued, it would appear, therefore, that the property was owned, and its use was such as to create the right to a partial exemption prior to the time when the taxes sought to be cancelled accrued and became a lien thereon.

A fair adjustment under the circumstances, as to the part of the property exempt from taxation, would be to cancel the taxes against such part upon the payment by petitioner of the principal thereof, thereby relieving it from payment of the accrued interest as to such part. As to the part not entitled to exemption from taxation, the taxes open against the same should be paid together with accrued interest.

It appears from the records of the department of Taxes and Assessments that the status of the property in the year 1913 was the same as for the year 1916, i. e., value of part entitled to exemption, \$158,000; value of part not entitled to exemption, \$6,000. The respective proportions, reduced to percentage, are approximately as follows: Part exempt, 96 per cent.; part not exempt, 4 per cent.

I recommend, therefore, that the taxes for 1913, set forth above, be cancelled upon the payment by petitioner of the principal thereof, or \$2,968.40, together with interest on \$118.74 thereof, or four (4) per cent. of such principal, from the dates when such taxes became a lien.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York, affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above taxes is \$2,968.40. The property affected by these taxes is located in the Borough of Manhattan, easterly side of the Bowery between Rivington and Stanton Streets. The Vice President, William Peart, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement of the branch of petitioner occupying premises described for year ending September 30, 1914, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$34,044.73 and the expenditures for all objects, \$37,562.58, leaving a deficit of \$3,517.85.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation to the extent hereinbefore set forth, during the time when said taxes above mentioned, accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, except as to the proportionate part of such taxes against that portion of the property not entitled to exemption, which I have refused to certify for cancellation, and I therefore certify my approval of the application of the Salvation Army, to the extent I have herein indicated as proper, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend that the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$2,968.40, together with interest on \$118.74, part thereof, one-half from May 1, 1913, and one-half from November 1, 1913, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, provided that payment be made within sixty days from the date of the resolution authorizing such payment and provided that at the time of such payment, said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon payment of the sum of twenty-nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars and forty cents (\$2,968.40), together with interest on one hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-four cents (\$118.74), part thereof, one-half from May 1, 1913, and one-half from November 1, 1913, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following taxes levied and assessed against property owned by the Salvation Army in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that payment be made within sixty days from date, and provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Taxes.

1913, Sec. 2, Block 426, Lot 6, 1st half..... \$1,484 20
1913, Sec. 2, Block 426, Lot 6, 2nd half..... 1,484 20

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Ursuline Convent of St. Theresa's—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

February 16, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Ursuline Convent of St. Theresa's has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as lot 101, block 2461.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about September 14, 1909; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used for educational, charitable and religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1910, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916 is \$50,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Regulating, etc., 165th St. from Grant to Walton Avenue" (confirmed and entered May 21, 1914)—No. 9, block 2461, lot 101, \$1,991.10.

"Acquiring title to 161st St., from Elton to Mott Ave." (confirmed May 18, entered July 12, 1915)—No. 12438, block 2461, lot 101, \$27.29.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$2,018.39. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, southeasterly corner, E. 165th St. and Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

The Treasurer, Sister M. Theresa, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$8,547.82 and the expenditures for all objects, \$8,480.21, leaving a balance of \$67.61.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessments above mentioned accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Ursuline Convent of St. Theresa's, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Ursuline Convent of St. Theresa's, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Assessments.

"Regulating, etc., 165th St., from Grant to Walton Avenues" (conf. and ent. May 21, 1914)—No. 9, block 2461, lot 101..... \$1,991 10
 "Acquiring Title to 161st St., from Elton to Mott Aves." (conf. May 18, ent. July 12, 1915)—No. 12438, block 2461, lot 101..... 27 29
 The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

St. Anselm's Church—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—St. Anselm's Church has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as Lots 5 and 31, Block 2654, Section 10.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about January 1, 1893; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as follows: Lot 5, for church purposes; Lot 31, for school purposes.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1910, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916, is \$56,000 for Lot 5, and \$135,000 for Lot 31.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Rebuilding the sewers and appurtenances in Tinton Ave., between E. 156th St. and E. 165th St., etc." (confirmed and entered Feb. 4, 1915)—No. 940, Section 10, Block 2654, Lot 5, \$161.25; No. 948, Section 10, Block 2654, Lot 31, \$195.

"Acquiring title to E. 161st St., Elton to Mott Ave." (confirmed May 18; entered July 12, 1915)—No. 636, Block 2654, Lot 5, \$12.31; No. 636j, Block 2654, Lot 31, \$14.52.

As to Lot 31, above mentioned, upon which is erected a school building, the records of this department show that a portion of such building, viz., rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 on the fourth floor thereof, has been leased by the petitioner to the Board of Education of The City of New York, for the period from July 1, 1915, to July 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$4,750, for use as an annex to a public school.

It appears, therefore, that said Lot 31 is not used exclusively for carrying out thereupon the purposes of the petitioning corporation, within the meaning of said subdivision 7, section 4, article 1 of the Tax Law.

In view of such fact, and the fact that an income is derived by the petitioner from a part of such property, in my opinion the petitioner is not entitled to a total cancellation of the two assessments set forth above against Lot 31, but only to the cancellation of a proportionate part thereof, such proportionate part to be determined by the relative valuations of the part of the property leased and the part not leased. A physical apportionment of the property being impossible, an equitable method of arriving at the respective valuations would be to capitalize the yearly rental paid at 10 per cent., which gives \$47,500 as the value of the part leased, and deducting said sum from the total valuations of the lot (\$135,000), gives \$87,500 as the value of the part not leased. On this basis, the respective proportions are: part leased, 35 per cent.; part not leased, 65 per cent. A fair adjustment of the matter, therefore, would be to cancel the foregoing assessments against Lot 31, the principal of which amounts to \$209.52, upon the payment by petitioner of 35 per cent. thereof, or \$73.33.

As to the assessments against Lot 5, above set forth, I recommend that the same be cancelled upon payment of the nominal sum of \$10, making the total sum to be paid as a condition to cancellation of all the foregoing assessments, \$83.33.

The records of this Department show no awards paid or payable affecting either of the lots included herein.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$383.08. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on the easterly side of Wales Ave. to westerly side of Tinton Ave., between E. 152d St. and E. 155th St., and southwesterly corner of Tinton Ave. and E. 155th St.

The Secretary and Treasurer, Very Rev. Bernard Kevenhoester, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$12,607.23, and the expenditures for all objects, \$16,755.31; leaving a deficit of \$4,148.08.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessments above mentioned, accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of St. Anselm's Church, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$83.33, provided that payment be made within sixty days from the date of the resolution authorizing such payment, and provided that at the

time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$83.33) within sixty days from date the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by St. Anselm's Church in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Rebuilding the Sewers and Appurtenances in Tinton Ave., bet. E. 156th St. and E. 165th St., etc." (conf. and ent. Feb. 4, 1915):
 No. 940, Sec. 10, block 2654, lot 5..... \$161 25
 No. 948, Sec. 10, block 2654, lot 31..... 195 00
 "Acquiring Title to E. 161st St., Elton to Mott Ave." (conf. May 18, ent. July 12, 1915):
 No. 636, block 2654, lot 5..... \$12 31
 No. 636j, block 2654, lot 31..... 14 52
 The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

International Sunshine Society—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—International Sunshine Society has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as Section 19, Block 6450, Lot 8.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about April 22, 1908; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a rest home for aged men and women and convalescents.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1910, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916 is \$14,700.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the department, namely:

Assessment—"Regulating, grading, etc., Bay 32d St., from 86th St. to Cropsey Ave." (Entered December 22, 1914.) No. 50, Section 19, Block 6450, Lot 8, \$332.94.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York, affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessment is \$332.94. The property affected by this assessment is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, southwesterly corner of Cropsey Avenue and Bay 32d Street. The President General, Mrs. Cynthia W. Alden, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$19,611.87, and the expenditures for all objects \$17,978.74, leaving a balance of \$1,633.13.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessment above mentioned accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of International Sunshine Society, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the International Sunshine Society, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under control of sale.

Assessment.

"Regulating, grading, etc., Bay 32d Street from 86th Street to Cropsey Avenue." (Entered December 22, 1914.) No. 50, Section 19, Block 6450, Lot 8..... \$332 94
 The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Church of St. Vincent de Paul—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—Church of St. Vincent de Paul, has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Manhattan, designated on the official tax map as section 3, block 799, lot 25.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the Tax Law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same prior to 1900; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the Tax Law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a parochial school.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has

been exempt from local taxation for the year 1910, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916 is \$275,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments—"West 24th st. sewer, between 6th and 7th aves., alterations, etc." (Ent. June 29, 1915)—No. 5, block 799, lot 25, \$431.10.

The records of this Department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York, affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessment is \$431.10. The property affected by this assessment is located in the Borough of Manhattan, from West 23d st. to West 24th st., west of Sixth ave.

The Treasurer, Rev. Maurice P. McMahon, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$14,649.17, and the expenditures for all objects, \$14,340.81, leaving a balance of \$308.36.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessment, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of Church of St. Vincent de Paul, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the lien, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment, said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"West 24th Street sewer, between 6th and 7th Avenues, alterations, etc." (Entered June 29, 1915). No. 5, Block 799, Lot 25..... \$431 10
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gustavus Adolphus—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gustavus Adolphus has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Manhattan, designated on the official tax map as section 3, block 878, lot 32.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same prior to 1906; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used for religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1906, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916 is \$80,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments—"21st and 22nd streets and Marginal Street Outlet Sewer" (confirmed and entered Jan. 2, 1906)—No. 293, block 878, lot 32, \$54.23.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessment is \$54.23. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Manhattan, northerly side, E. 22nd St., between Third and Lexington Aves.

The Treasurer, Charles A. Peterson, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$7,478.24, and the expenditures for all objects, \$7,676.43, leaving a deficit of \$198.19.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessment, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gustavus Adolphus, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the lien, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gustavus Adolphus, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"21st and 22d Streets and Marginal Street Outlet Sewer." (Confirmed and Entered January 2, 1906.) No. 293, Block 878, Lot 32..... \$54 23
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Borough Park Methodist Episcopal Church—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments Affecting Premises in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—The Borough Park Methodist Episcopal Church has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements, affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as section 17, block 5688, lot 36.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking

Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments water rents and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about November 23, 1914; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as an auxiliary Sunday School and as a place for divine worship.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1913, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1916 is \$5,700.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks on 11th Avenue from 60th to 52nd Streets" (ent. December 15, 1914)—No. 24, section 17, block 5688, lot 36, \$274.00.

"Regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks on and paving 56th Street from Ft. Hamilton Avenue to 11th Avenue" (ent. December 22, 1914)—No. 17, section 17, block 5688, lot 36, \$270.42.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York, affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$544.42. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, south-westerly corner of 11th Avenue and 56th Street. The Treasurer, Mr. Robert McCordock, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$4,048.05 and the expenditures for all objects, \$4,043.76, leaving a balance of \$4.29.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessments above mentioned accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Borough Park Methodist Episcopal Church, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10.00, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Borough Park M. E. Church, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Laying Sidewalks on 11th Avenue from 60th to 52d Streets." (Entered December 15, 1914.) No. 24, Section 17, Block 5688, Lot 36..... \$274 00
"Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Laying Sidewalks on and Paving 56th Street from Fort Hamilton Avenue to 11th Avenue." (Entered December 22, 1914.) No. 17, Section 17, Block 5688, Lot 36..... \$270 42
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Board of Managers of the Diocesan Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

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

February 16, 1916.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—The Board of Managers of the Diocesan Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York, has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements, affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as (1) lot 30, block 3877; (2) lot 28, block 4051; (3) lot 31, block 4168; (4) lot 70, block 4654.

This application is made, pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about May 27, 1913; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, to the extent hereinafter set forth, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as follows: (1) and (2) exclusively for church purposes; (3) vacant, but held for the contemplated erection of a church building thereon; (4) as a church and parsonage.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation under said provision of the Tax Law for the year 1914 and since, except as to lot 70, block 4654, which was only partially exempt under such provision during that period, and also for the year 1913, and still remains only partially exempt; that the valuations for the year 1916 are as follows:

(1) \$6,500; (2) \$10,500; (3) \$1,700, all three parcels being wholly exempt under said provision of the Tax Law; (4) \$18,000 exempt under such provision to the extent of \$16,000 and assessed for \$2,000, subject to the usual parsonage allowance.

It further appears that for the years 1913 and 1914 parcel (4) was exempt to the extent of \$16,000 and assessed for \$2,000, subject to the usual parsonage allowance.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Sewer, etc., Taylor ave., from Wood to Westchester ave., etc." (Conf. and ent. February 3, 1914)—No. 82, block 3877, lot 30, \$482.36.

"Acquired title McGraw ave., from Beach ave. to Unionport road." (Conf. March 10, ent. April 7, 1914.) No. 7, block 3877, lot 30, \$17.34.

"Regulating, etc., McGraw Ave., from Unionport Road to Beach Ave., etc." (confirmed and entered June 30, 1914)—No. 110, block 3877, lot 30, \$17.20.

"White Plains Road opening from West Farms Road to the Bulkhead Line" (confirmed October 5, entered November 12, 1914)—No. 1457, block 3877, lot 30, \$6.80.

"Acquiring Title to Beach Ave. from Gleason Ave. to West Farms Road"; "Acquiring Title to Taylor Ave. from Westchester Ave. to West Farms Road" (confirmed May 18; entered July 2, 1915—No. 72, block 3877, lot 30, \$491.79.

"Regulating, etc., Beach Ave., Bronx River to Walker Ave." (confirmed and entered June 24, 1915)—No. 151, block 3877, lot 30, \$306.

"Bronx Boulevard Opening from Old Boston Post Road to E. 242d St." (confirmed January 12, entered February 26, 1914)—No. 1371, block 4051, lot 28, \$10.59.

"Acquiring title to White Plains Road, from Unionport Road, etc." (confirmed June 10, 1914, entered July 14, 1914)—No. 575, block 4051, lot 28, \$18.20.

"Regulating, grading, etc., Westchester Ave. from Main St. to the Eastern Boulevard" (confirmed and entered September 24, 1914)—No. 1288, block 4168, lot 31, \$37.50.

"Acquiring title to East 222d St. from Bronx River to 7th St." (confirmed Aug. 18, entered Nov. 12, 1913)—No. 355, block 4654, lot 70, \$41.43.

"Bronx Boulevard Opening, from Old Boston Post Road to E. 242d St." (confirmed Jan. 12, entered Feb. 26, 1914)—No. 3762, block 4654, lot 70, \$74.13.

As hereinbefore appears, during the years 1913 and 1914, when the last two assessments above set forth, i. e., those affecting lot 70, block 4654, accrued and became liens, said lot was used and occupied both as a church and a parsonage, but was known and described by a single lot number on the books of the department of taxes and assessments, and although no apportionment of the lot was made during those years, separate valuations were placed by said department on the part thereof used as a church and the part used as a parsonage, viz: \$16,000 on the church and \$2,600 on the parsonage.

Although the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have no power, under section 221A of the Charter, to cancel said two assessments against lot 70, block 4654, so far as the same affect the part of the property used as a parsonage, for the reason that such part was not, during the years 1913 and 1914, and is not, at the present time, entitled to exemption from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the Tax Law, as required by said section of the charter, nevertheless they have the power to cancel the proportionate part of such assessments against that part of the property used for church purposes, and exempt under said provision of the Tax Law, such proportionate part to be determined by the relative valuations placed on the church and parsonage respectively by the Department of Taxes and Assessments for the years 1913 and 1914. The valuations for both years on the part used as a church (\$16,000) was approximately 86 per cent. of the total valuation (\$18,600), and the valuation on the part used as a parsonage 14 per cent.

I therefore recommend that the two assessments last above set forth against lot 70, block 4654 be cancelled to the extent of 86 per cent. thereof, upon payment by the petitioner of the balance of each of such assessments, viz., 14 per cent. thereof, together with the accrued interest on such balance, and in addition the nominal sum of \$10.

As to the remainder of said assessments set forth above against the three other parcels I recommend that the same be cancelled upon the payment by petitioner of \$10 for each parcel or \$30 in the aggregate.

One of the assessments referred to above affecting said lot 70, block 4654, viz., the assessment for "Acquiring title to East 222d St., from Bronx River to Seventh St." (conf. August 18, 1913; ent. November 12, 1913), the principal of which is \$41.43, accrued and became a lien in the year 1913. As hereinbefore appears the petitioner acquired such property on May 27, 1913. Ordinarily the property would not be entitled to exemption from taxation for the year 1913, for the reason that it was not owned by the petitioner on the date when the taxable status of property for that year was fixed (October 1, 1912), but it appears from the records of the Department of Taxes and Assessments that the property was exempt from taxation for such year to the extent hereinbefore set forth and had been so exempt for some years prior thereto and that the right to such exemption continued uninterrupted after its acquisition by petitioner.

In view of the fact that the property was acquired by the Petitioner prior to the dates of confirmation and entry of the assessment in question, and that the nature of the use and occupation thereof continued to remain the same as before it was so acquired, its ownership, use and occupation therefore was such as to create the right to an exemption prior to the dates when said assessment accrued and become a lien thereon.

One of the open charges against lot 31, block 4168 is the assessment for "Acquiring title to Westchester Ave., from Bronx River to Main St." (confirmed February 28, 1913, entered April 16, 1913), the principal of which is \$20.68.

I refuse to certify my approval of the cancellation of such assessment, however, for the reason that inasmuch as the property affected thereby was not acquired by the petitioner until May 27, 1913, it was not owned by the petitioning corporation during the time that the assessment accrued and became a lien thereon, as required by said section of the Charter.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$1,503.34. The property affected by these assessments is located in the borough of The Bronx as follows:

(1) Easterly side of Beach Ave., between McGraw and Westchester Aves. (Chapel of the Atonement).

(2) Northeastly corner of Cruger Ave. and Barnett Place (St. Martha's Chapel).

(3) Southwestly corner of Hobart and Robert Aves. (vacant).

(4) Easterly side E. 219th St., between Carpenter Ave. and White Plains Road (St. George's Chapel).

The Treasurer, Mr. Richard M. Pott, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ending October 1, 1914, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$52,337.06, and the expenditures for all objects, \$51,277.89, leaving a balance of \$1,059.17.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation to the extent hereinbefore set forth during the time when said assessments above mentioned, accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, except as to the assessment against Lot 31, Block 4168, and portions of the assessments against Lot 70, Block 4654, which I have refused to certify for cancellation, and I therefore certify my approval of the application of the Board of Managers of the Diocesan Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York, to the extent I have herein indicated as proper, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend that the two assessments last above set forth in the schedule of assessments to be cancelled, be cancelled to the extent of 86 per cent. thereof, upon the payment of the balance of each of said two assessments, or 14 per cent. thereof, together with the accrued interest on such balance, plus the nominal sum of \$10, and that the remaining assessments in such schedule be cancelled in full upon the payment of \$30, provided that payment be made within sixty days from the date of the resolution authorizing such payment, and provided that at the time of such payment, said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Managers of the Diocesan Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York, in a petition addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund requests the cancellation of the following assessments:

Assessments.
"Sewer, etc., Taylor Ave. from Wood to Westchester Ave., etc." (conf. and ent. Feb. 3, 1914) No. 82, block 3877, lot 30..... \$482 36
"Acq. Title McGraw Ave. from Beach Ave. to Unionport Road" (conf. Mar. 10, ent. April 7, 1914) No. 7, block 3877, lot 30..... 17 34
"Regulating, etc. McGraw Ave. from Unionport Road to Beach Ave., etc." (conf. and ent. June 30, 1914) No. 110, block 3877, lot 30..... 17 20
"White Plains Road Opening from West Farms Road to the Bulkhead Line" (conf. Oct. 5, ent. Nov. 12, 1914) No. 1457, block 3877, lot 30.... 6 80
"Acq. Title Beach Ave. from Gleason Ave. to West Farms Road," "Acq. Title Taylor Ave. from Westchester Ave. to West Farms Road" (conf. May 18, ent. July 2, 1915) No. 72, block 3877, lot 30..... 491 79
"Reg., etc., Beach Ave., Bronx River to Walker Ave." (conf. and ent. June 24, 1915) No. 151, block 3877, lot 30..... 306 00

"Bronx Boulevard Opening from Old Boston Post Road to E. 242nd St." (conf. Jan. 12, ent. Feb. 26, 1914) No. 1371, block 4051, lot 28..... 10 59
"Acq. title White Plains Road, from Unionport Road, etc." (conf. June 10, 1914, ent. July 14, 1914) No. 575, block 4051, lot 28..... 18 20
"Regulating, grading, etc., Westchester Ave. from Main St. to the Eastern Boulevard" (conf. and ent. Sept. 24, 1914) No. 1288, block 4168 lot 31 37 50
"Acq. title to East 222nd St. from Bronx River to 7th St." (conf. Aug. 18, ent. Nov. 12, 1913) No. 355, block 4654, lot 70..... 41 43
"Bronx Boulevard Opening, from Old Boston Post Road to E. 242nd St." (conf. Jan. 12, ent. Feb. 26, 1914) No. 3762, block 4654, lot 70..... 74 13

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller pursuant to the provisions of Section 221A of the Charter to cancel the two assessments last above set forth to the extent of 86% thereof upon payment of the balance of each of such two assessments or 14% thereof together with the accrued interest on such balance, plus the nominal sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), and that the remaining assessments in such schedule be cancelled in full upon payment of Thirty dollars (\$30.00) provided that payment be made within sixty days from date, and provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Eligible Lists Promulgated March 1, 1916.

Promotion to Inspector Sewer Construction, 3rd Grade.

Department of Finance—Auditing Bureau—Inspections.

1. David W. Dowling, 201 West 100th St., 79.50.

Promotion to Topographical Draftsman, Grade D.

Board of Assessors.

1. Samuel Wieder, 79 Westminster Rd., Bklyn., 82.60.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1916.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Armory Board.				
38960	1-27-16	2-18-16	T. J. Cummins Plumbing Co.....	\$207 40
Art Commission.				
41323	2-19-16	2-24-16	Asa L. Shipman's Sons.....	\$12 00
41322	2- 4-16	2-24-16	Kiggins & Tooker Co.....	14 75
41325			Munson Supply Co.	3 15
Department of Bridges.				
39631	2- 4-16	2-21-16	The John C. Orr Co.....	\$60 06
39632			John W. Masury & Son.....	72 50
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
41469	1-26-16	2-25-16	Edison Lamp Works of General Electric Co.	\$79 87
41453	1-13-16	2-25-16	E. F. Keating Co.....	28 02
41463	1-22-16. 1-29-16	2-25-16	Wm. Langbein & Bros.....	83 10
41436	1-10-16. 1-17-16	2-25-16	Warren, Webster & Co.....	15 80
41438	1-21-16	2-25-16	U. T. Hungerford Brass & Copper Co.	11 40
41439	1-10-16	2-25-16	The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.....	3 00
41440	1-26-16	2-25-16	The Prometheus Electric Co.....	6 00
41441	1-31-16	2-25-16	F. Eckenroth & Son, Inc.....	7 97
41441	1-11-16	2-25-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	10 00
41444	1-14-16	2-25-16	Thomas C. Dunham	36 00
41445	1-26-16	2-25-16	John Simmons Co.	2 27
41446	1-10-16	2-25-16	Johnson Service Co.	4 32
41416	1- 7-16	2-25-16	Henry Bainbridge & Co.....	7 84
41417	1-26-16	2-25-16	Munson Supply Co.	3 15
41419	1-20-16	2-25-16	Frank A. Hall & Sons	18 75
41420	1-12-16	2-25-16	Bramhall, Deane Co.	12 00
41421	1-21-16	2-25-16	John Boyle & Co., Inc.....	10 08
41422	1-17-16	2-25-16	B. Altman & Co.....	9 00
41423	1-17-16	2-25-16	Joseph Weil	4 80
41424	1-25-16	2-25-16	Goodyear India Rubber Selling Co.....	12 56
41425	1-27-16	2-25-16	Joseph Weil	36 00
41427	1-13-16	2-25-16	J. H. Block Co.....	2 50
41429	1-20-16	2-25-16	Peerless Rubber Mfg. Co.....	53 00
41430	1-14-16	2-25-16	Eimer & Amend	10 00
41431	1-14-16	2-25-16	Sutphen & Myer	21 50
41432	1-18-16. 1-27-16	2-25-16	Nason Mfg. Co.....	5 25
41433	1-14-16	2-25-16	Stanley & Patterson	1 94
41434	1-12-16	2-25-16	F. Eckenroth & Son, Inc.....	14 52
41435	1-20-16	2-25-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	2 30
38677	8-27-15. 10-27-15	2-18-16	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	69 72
38687	11-18-15. 12-31-15	2-18-16	H. Hahnenfeld	41 76
39192	42393	2-19-16	J. M. Knopp	993 40
39220	8-25-15. 11-12-15	2-19-16	Lee Tire & Rubber Co. of New York..	363 72
39205	12- 3-15	2-19-16	B. Altman & Co.....	126 09
39215			M. Weiss & Co.....	142 30
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Municipal Civil Service Commission.				
2419		2-19-16	Solomon Lowenstein	\$110 00
2418			Thomas J. Riley	110 09
41039	2-14-16	2-24-16	Roneo Co.	5 40
41034	2- 3-16	2-24-16	New York Blue Print Paper Co.....	4 50
41036			Hale Desk Co.	7 75
41030	1-18-16	2-24-16	Eimer & Amend	7 20
41032	1-31-16	2-24-16	Eimer & Amend	53
41038	2-12-16	2-14-16	P. J. Monahan	18 00
Board of Coroners.				
41507		2-25-16	New York Telephone Co.....	13 84
County Court, Kings County.				
42424	2- 2-16	2-26-16	Court Cafe, Incorporated	94 50
County Court, Bronx County.				
26248	12- 7-15	1-20-16	The North Side News.....	12 48

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Municipal Court, City of New York.					Board of Elections.				
39743	1-31-16	2-21-16	New York Bottling Co.	2 10	40390	2- 5-16	2-23-16	North Side Storage Warehouse Co.	\$3 15
39742	1-31-16	2-21-16	Berkshire Products Company, Inc.	3 00	40378	1-31-16	1-23-16	Clynta Water Co.	90
43391		2-29-16	John J. Dietz	5 00	40379	1-31-16	2-23-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	6 24
43386	2-17-16	2-29-16	John W. Carpenter	5 85	40380	1-31-16	2-23-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	6 40
39740	2- 2-16	2-21-16	White Star Towel Supply Co.	1 00	40384	1-31-16	2-23-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	60
39730	2-11-16	2-21-16	William R. Fagan	2 50	40388	2-16-16	2-23-16	E. Faulkner	28 27
39731	1-27-16	2-21-16	Everson & Reed Co.	75	40389	1-24-16	2-23-16	P. Belford & Son	33 00
39732	1-29-16	2-21-16	Stephen E. Masten	2 50	40391	2- 3-16	2-23-16	P. Belford & Son	36 00
39734	2- 7-16. 2- 9-16	2-21-16	A. B. Dick & Co.	9 45	40381	2- 7-15	2-23-16	Penna Construction Co.	19 50
39735	1-31-16	2-21-16	The Initial Towel Supply Co.	1 00	40387	2- 2-16	2-23-16	Charles H. Aitken	98 18
39737	1-31-16	2-21-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	2 10	40386	2-11-16	2-23-16	E. Faulkner	40 36
39736	2- 1-16	2-21-16	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	3 40	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.				
39738	2-14-16	2-21-16	Columbia Stamp Co.	1 50	39439		2-19-16	New York Telephone Co.	\$41 43
39739	1-31-16	2-21-16	Union Towel Supply Co.	3 40	39440		2-19-16	New York Telephone Co.	338 77
43390			John P. Burns	2 00	43518	1- 7-16	2-29-16	The Western Union Telegraph Co.	89
43393			Clifford C. Reeve	2 50	Department of Education.				
43388			Michael Skelly	5 00	43180	12-15-15	2-29-16	E. P. Dutton & Co.	\$3 17
43389			James J. Devlin	1 29	43179	9-18-15	2-29-16	Ginn & Co.	5 21
City Magistrates' Courts.					43178	11-23-15	2-29-16	The Gregg Publishing Co.	83
41713	2-15-16	2-25-16	Wilson Stamp Co.	14 67	41605		39296	The Baker & Taylor Co.	1 78
41709	2-21-16	2-25-16	Frank Oliver, Chief Clerk.	14 55	40485	10-19-15	39296	The Baker & Taylor Co.	12 65
41719	1-21-16	2-25-16	Hillard Manufacturing Company.	4 25	43092	5-26-15	2-29-16	Thomas Nelson & Sons	3 00
Court of Special Sessions.					41590	11-10-15	39296	The Baker & Taylor Co.	19 77
39555	2-11-16	2-21-16	The Schapirograph Co.	75	42104	1-25-16	2-26-15	The Martin Taxi Service	4 00
County Clerk, Queens County.					40110			The Kny-Scheerer Co.	7 50
39598			Geo. Gaige	23 25	40489		40455	New York Telephone Co.	3 30
Hunter College.					43177	9-18-15	2-29-16	New York Talking Machine Co.	1 75
40171	1- 5-16	2-23-16	G. E. Stechert & Co.	42 96	43176	11-24-15	2-29-16	American Book Co.	7 51
40153	1-22-16	2-23-16	Charles E. Merrill Company	22 56	43175	11-19-15. 11-29-15	2-29-16	The Macmillan Co.	82 04
40152	1-22-16	2-23-16	Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	85 00	41589	12- 7-15	39296	The Baker & Taylor Co.	7 78
40151	1-22-16	2-23-16	Longmans, Green & Co.	19 80	43172	9-30-15	2-29-16	H. M. Gibbs	2 65
40159	1-21-16	2-23-16	Harper & Brothers	11 09	40280	12-29-15	2-23-16	George Murphy, Inc.	31 11
40150	1-22-16	2-23-16	Henry Holt & Co.	18 00	43095	11-10-15	2-29-16	The Bobbs Merrill Co.	3 70
40177	12-16-15	2-23-16	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	8 74	43171	10- 9-15	2-29-16	Henry Holt & Co.	9 89
40172	12-18-15	2-23-16	Harper & Brothers	11 50	43173	9-18-15	2-29-16	Ginn & Co.	6 72
40170	12-29-15	2-23-16	The Union Library Association.	10 56	43151	12-13-15	2-29-16	Henry Holt & Co.	97
40169	12-21-15	2-23-16	Sturgis & Walton	94	43150	9-25-15. 10-30-15	2-29-16	F. C. Stechert Co.	22 30
40168	1- 3-16	2-23-16	G. E. Stechert & Co.	22 56	43169	10-14-15	2-29-16	F. C. Stechert Co.	11 62
40173	12-16-15	2-23-16	Ginn & Co.	4 51	43135	12- 9-15	2-29-16	Abraham & Straus	24 00
40167	12-16-15	2-23-16	The Macmillan Co.	3 95	43133	1-17-16	2-27-16	National Map Co.	9 00
40361	12-31-15	2-23-16	John A. O'Dowd	51 53	43124	12- 7-16	2-29-16	Scientific Equipment Co.	9 40
40360	12-13-15	2-23-16	John A. O'Dowd	25 67	39369	10-11-15	41352	The Holden Paper Co. of Newburgh, assignee of the Smith Tablet Co., Inc.	75
40359	11-26-15	2-23-16	Chas. Beseler Company	30 00	39300	1-18-16	41712	Peerless Manifold Book Co.	47 00
40355	10-16-15	2-23-16	L. E. Knott Apparatus Company	29 59	40807	8-23-15	41352	The Holden Paper Co. of Newburgh, assignee of the Smith Tablet Co., Inc.	1 11
40358	12- 3-15	2-23-16	Lindemann & Co.	40 00	40214	11-23-15	41249	Burton & Davis Co.	29 50
40163	12-31-15	2-23-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.	55 00	40203	12-29-15	41353	Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Inc.	3 25
40164	12-31-15	2-23-16	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	5 00	40205	12- 2-15	41514	James A. Miller	31 60
40179			New York Telephone Co.	35 61	40204	12- 1-15	41516	Standard Oil Co. of New York	32 50
40343			American Rattan & Reed Mfg. Co.	44 20	40202		41161	Greenhut Co., Inc., assignee, etc. of J. B. Greenhut Co.	36 00
College of The City of New York.					40211	11-30-15	41517	Jones Packing Co.	97 46
42881	11- 1-15	2-28-16	Livingston B. Morse	1 10	40221	11-11-15	41496	Adolph Hauptman	3 00
42886	6-10-15	2-28-16	The National Educator Ass'n of the U. S.	2 00	39316	12-16-15	41224	Henry H. Harrison	40 00
42885			The Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Middle States and Maryland; Stanley R. Yarnall, treasurer	5 00	39324	12- 3-15	41539	Wm. P. Youngs & Bros.	6 50
42887			H. D. Marsh	4 36	38213	10- 7-15	41346	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	18 46
42884	11- 1-15	2-28-16	The National Collegiate Athletic Association; Frank W. Nicolson, treasurer	25 00	39313	10-25-15	41639	Ginn & Co.	28 25
Board of City Record.					39311	11-27-15	41644	D. C. Heath & Co.	44 41
42368	2- 9-16	2-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	\$1 80	39320	12- 4-15	41343	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	36 36
42367	1-15-16	2-26-16	Metropolitan Hardware Co.	1 00	39287	9-30-15	41706	Clarence S. Nathan	28 90
42373	2- 2-16	2-26-16	Barney Topkins	8 00	39288	10-18-15	41702	The J. W. Pratt Company	7 10
42374	2-18-16	2-26-16	Collins S. I. and N. Y. Express	23 50	40821		41685	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	3 95
42370	2-17-16	2-26-16	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co.	17 25	40194	11- 5-15	41475	H. T. Dakin	47
41913		2-25-16	New York Telephone Company	53 32	39302		42650	New York Telephone Co.	122 03
42366			The Noiseless Typewriter Company	5 00	39312		41649	Hinds, Noble & Eldredge	178 72
42372	1-28-16	2-26-16	Cabinet Letter File Co.	23 40	42097			Zion Church	33 00
42376	1- 2-16. 2- 7-16	2-26-16	Elliott-Fisher Company	45	42095			Van Cortland Development and Co-operative Co.	30 00
42365	1- 8-16. 2-15-16	2-26-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.	13 50	42096			George T. Donlin	210 00
42371	1-19-16	2-26-16	D. Appleton & Co.	1 50	42098			Staten Island Academy	132 00
39384			William Bratter & Co.	78 75	41616	11-19-15	41511	The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	6 96
39393	2- 3-16. 2-11-16	2-19-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	6,977 18	41632	3-11-15	39411	E. P. Dutton & Co.	88 50
39391	1-19-16. 1-26-16	2-19-16	Tiebel Bros.	266 22	39359	6-15-15	41217	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	10 15
39388	1-26-16. 2- 1-16	2-19-16	J. J. Little & Ives Co.	189 17	41613	11-17-15	41217	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	96
39287	1-10-16. 1-29-16	2-19-16	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.	127 40	40216	11-26-15	41217	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	16 07
39392	2-16-16	2-19-16	The New York Bank Note Co.	100 00	41636	9- 3-15	41241	Fred'k Pearce Co.	4 26
39390	1-19-16. 1-26-16	2-19-16	William F. Albers	152 15	40226	10-11-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	3 74
39399	1-20-16	2-19-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.	492 25	40188	11- 4-15	41252	James H. Rhodes & Co.	55
39398	1-26-16	2-19-16	J. J. Little & Ives Co.	130 00	39321	5-20-15	41682	James McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	46 16
39383			P. J. Collison & Co.	136 75	40231	11-23-15	41682	Parex Mfg. Co.	90
39386	1-18-16	2-19-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	1,521 27	40207	11-20-15	41252	James H. Rhodes & Co.	31 63
Department of Correction.					39366	12- 3-15	41163	American Lead Pencil Co.	22 28
38428	12- 9-15	2-17-16	The Manhattan Supply Company	\$298 57	39373	11-19-15	41174	Alfred Field & Co.	70
39683	1-25-16	2-21-16	William Alsberg & Co.	76 58	39378	11-30-13	893	Armour & Co.	44 84
39885	2- 1-16	2-21-16	Arthur J. La Croix, Inc.	50 90	38655		43757	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.	1,170 00
39166			United Shoe Machinery Company	29 50	43158	9- 8-15		The Baker & Taylor Co.	2 25
40909			Dr. L. G. Distler	5 00	43159	9-25-15		G. P. Putnam's Sons	2 10
39884	1-18-16	2-21-16	Greenhut Company	70 09	43161	9-23-15		The F. A. Bassette Co.	2 07
39169	9- 1-15	2-19-16	Murtha-Schmohl Co.	1 00	40175	1-17-16	2-23-16	G. E. Stechert & Co.	24 39
39159	12-29-15	2-19-16	The Harrall Soap Co., Inc.	371 00	43162			F. C. Stechert Co.	1 10
39678	1-20-16	2-21-16	James A. Miller	66 68	43163	10-19-15	2-29-16	John Wanamaker, New York	36
39679	1-25-16	2-21-16	Charles G. Willoughby	99 68	43164	9-17-15. 9-25-15	2-29-16	G. P. Putnam's Sons	11 56
39662	1-11-16. 1-21-16	2-21-							

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43218	11-30-15	2-29-16	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	5 30	43349			St. Mark's Hospital of New York City.	355 50	
43217	11-12-15. 12- 3-15	2-29-16	M. J. Tobin	52 95	43360			Society for the Aid of Friendless		
43229	12-28-15	2- 9-16	M. J. Tobin	32 95				Women and Children	111 50	
43231	12-21-15. 12-31-15	2-29-16	William Bratter & Co.	59 00	43350			St. Anthony's Hospital	7,436 30	
42105	11- 4-14	2-26-16	American Lead Pencil Co.	23 68	43351			Sydenham Hospital	467 55	
41526			Louis T. Schiff	3 20	43352			St. Joseph's Hospital, New York City..	8,346 07	
41527			Anna G. Siegel	6 30	43353			The Hospital of the Holy Family.....	955 05	
41525			Bertha L. Shafer	5 40	43361			The Tuberculosis Preventorium for		
41574	10-30-15	2-25-16	The Tabulating Machine Co.	55 00				Children	4,417 60	
41575	11-30-15	2-25-16	The Tabulating Machine Co.	55 00	43364			Institution for the Improved Instruction		
41617	7-16-15	41180	Parker P. Simmons Co., Inc.	79				of Deaf Mutes	5,428 68	
40235	11-24-15	41354	H. T. Dakin	1 89	41667			Mary L. Dennler	105 00	
42042	11- 5-15	41253	A. L. Nathan & Co.	3 58	41668			Franklin Trust Co.	312 50	
41591	12-17-15	41628	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	6 40	41669			George B. Raymond and Ferdinand V.		
39297	10-27-15	41183	E. Steiger & Co.	3 34				Morrison, Jr.	37 50	
40814	10-19-15	41183	E. Steiger & Co.	42	41670			Hugh Cavanaugh	550 00	
40227	7-15-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	3 37	41671			Alumnæ Association of the Bellevue		
39367	11-26-15	41743	A. B. Dick Company	48 55				Training School for Nurses	675 00	
39336	11-20-15	41743	A. B. Dick Company	16 50	41672			The New York Throat, Nose and Lung		
39339	11-26-15	41743	A. B. Dick Company	13 05				Hospital	225 00	
40488	1- 7-16	38623	H. C. Hallenbeck	19 26	41673			Mrs. Lizzie Monday	120 00	
40224	11-18-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	3 98	41663			Excelsior Estates Co.	5,000 00	
39314	12-13-15	41165	Samuel Gabriel Sons & Co.	22 50	41664			H. N. Flanagan as agent for John B.		
40185	10-19-15	41183	E. Steiger & Co.	6 60				Simpson	108 33	
41602	7-22-15	41743	A. B. Dick Company	63 00	41665			William Horrmann and Charles Horr-		
40199	11-11-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	4 87				mann as executors of the estate of A.		
41643	11-13-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	73 89				Horrmann, deceased	20 00	
39354	11-19-15	41743	A. B. Dick & Co.	81 00	41666			Martin Walter	135 00	
39280	11- 1-15	41182	O. M. Gottesman	1 73	43355			Catholic Guardian Society	847 50	
42050	12-25-15	2-26-16	New Jersey Carbon Paper Company..	10 80	43982		3- 2-16	Alexander Doecks	51 50	
42046			Review of Reviews Co.	4 50	43981			Michele Marmo	160 07	
40306	6-29-15	2-23-16	Bruce & Cook	74 10	43981			Michele Marmo	139 93	
42037	12-31-15	2-26-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.	8 20	43980		3- 2-16	Michele Marmo	15 23	
41543			New York Belting and Packing Co. ..	24 60	43605		3- 1-16	William H. Wiggins and Oliver J. Wig-		
41559	1-10-16	2-25-16	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	9 00				gins and Henrietta W. Nelson as ad-		
40317	12-13-15	2-23-16	Jas. J. Cooke & Son	45 14				ministratrix of the estate of William T.		
40313	12-16-15	2-23-16	Philp & Paul	27 24				Nelson, deceased	200 00	
41545	12-23-15	2-25-16	Charles R. Ross & Son	12 25	43610		3- 1-16	Martha A. Liddy	200 00	
41550			Gibbons Co.	16 75	43608		3- 1-16	Emily R. Gibbs	200 00	
41549	1- 6-16	2-25-16	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	23 00	43607		3- 1-16	Philip A. Williams	200 00	
41551	1-17-16	2-25-16	H. Fortenbach	6 25	43609		3- 1-16	Jacob Liona and Mary Liona	200 00	
41553			L. E. Atherton	8 90	43606		3- 1-16	Michael Volpe and Maria Volpe	200 00	
41555	1-15-16	2-25-16	H. Gordon	7 40	43604		3- 1-16	Josephine B. Rezzano	96 13	
41554			Eagle Lock Co.	9 00	43603		3- 1-16	Catherine Farrell Nealis	55 03	
41558	1-19-16	2-25-16	Edward E. Stapleton	8 00	43603		3- 1-16	Catherine Farrell Nealis	176 91	
41573			J. M. Kohlmeier	20				Public Administrator, Queens County.		
42055	12-28-15	2-26-16	Alders B os.	30 00	43544			Robert J. Kirby	\$20 20	
40298	12-29-15	2-23-16	The Safety Fire Extinguisher Co....	9 80				Public Administrator, Kings County.		
39332	11-30-15	41315	Francis H. Leggett & Co.	198 80	40887	2-16-15. 10-25-15	2-24-16	Remington Typewriter Co.	\$1 50	
39325	11-23-15	41652	Educational Publishing Co.	136 14	40888	2-21-16	2-24-16	William Moehlich	36 12	
39322	11-16-15	41163	American Lead Pencil Co.	911 63				Public Administrator, New York County.		
39304	11-19-15	41183	E. Steiger & Co.	224 63	42478	1- 9-16	2-28-16	Williams Stationery Co.	\$0 75	
39347	11- 9-15	41740	Borough Hay & Grain Co.	149 00	42476			Great Bear Spring Co.	90	
39334	12- 7-15	41322	C. H. F. Jurgens	314 02				Central Purchasing Committee.		
39271	11-16-15	2-19-16	The Tabulating Machine Company..	100 00	43301	2-28-16	2-29-16	Henry Bruere, as Secretary	\$49 89	
39262	1- 3-16	2-19-16	Queens County Water Co.	902 12				Bronx Parkway Commission.		
39274			United District Messenger Co.	132 19	41136	2- 2-16	2-24-16	Mason & Morse	\$4 27	
39258	12- 4-15	2-19-16	D. J. Carey	340 00	41135		2- 1-16	Weeks & Ross	2 50	
39257	12-15-15	2-19-16	John H. O'Rourke Company.....	236 00	41139	11- 1-15	2-24-16	Consolidated Water Co. of Suburban		
39256			Thomas McKeown	158 00				New York	3 00	
39247	1- 6-16	2-19-16	Interborough Rapid Transit Company.	3,875 00	41143	2- 1-16	2-24-16	The Castle Heights Water Co.	45 00	
			Department of Finance.		41132	11-30-15	2-24-16	Remington Typewriter Company, Inc..	72 90	
42034		2-26-16	New York Central Railroad Co.	40 00	41142	10-30-15. 11-11-15	2-24-16	The Evening Post	13 50	
40607	2- 1-16	2-23-16	E. Belcher Hyde	58 50				Department of Parks.		
			Fire Department.		42983		41780	2-28-16	New York Telephone Company	\$12 72
41006	2- 8-16	2-24-16	Monahan Bros.	22 00	36974			Jacob E. Young	70 00	
41004	1- 5-16	2-24-16	International Motor Company.....	2 50	41379	2- 9-16	2-24-16	Joshua Oldham & Sons	2 78	
41016	2- 8-16	2-25-16	Empire Rubber & Tire Co.	10 11	41378	2- 5-16	2-24-16	Frank W. Hermann	15 60	
41015	1-10-16	2-24-16	The Broun, Green Company.....	2 25	41915	12-31-15	2-25-16	Municipal Garage	20 64	
41014	1-31-16	2-24-16	Record & Guide Company.....	25 00	41348	2- 9-16	2-24-16	J. W. Gasteiger & Son	2 00	
41012	2- 1-16	2-25-16	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	22 00	41362	2-10-16	2-24-16	Johnson Brothers	59 21	
			Department of Health.		41366	2- 1-16	2-24-16	Royal-Eastern Electrical Supply Co..	50 55	
41164	2- 1-16	2-24-16	P. Lawless' Sons	2 70	39436		2-19-16	New York Telephone Company	129 12	
41168	1-31-16	2-24-16	Thomas F. O'Brien	3 83	41346	12-31-15	2-24-16	Municipal Garage	22 80	
41170	1-31-16	2-24-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	55				Police Department.		
41169	1-31-16	2-24-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	25 00	41040	2- 4-16	2-24-16	New York Stencil Works	\$4 75	
41163	2- 1-16	2-24-16	Thomas McCormick	12 00	41067	2- 7-16	2-24-16	William J. Olvany	63 14	
41166	2- 3-16	2-24-16	P. Lawless' Sons	36 36	41054	1-31-16	2-24-16	George Murphy, Inc.	39 49	
37837		43944	Morris & Co.	44 67	41073	2-11-16	2-24-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	79 50	
39007	2- 4-16	43944	Morris & Co.	36 42	41044	2-11-16	2-24-16	Dieges & Clust	11 00	
39012		42065	New York Telephone Company.....	135 31	41043	2- 7-16	2-24-16	Garford Motor Truck Co.	42 32	
41192	2- 8-16	2-24-16	A. T. Tallmadge, M. D., Chief Sant.	71 90	41046	2-10-16	2-24-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	7 50	
			Insp.	1 60	41052	1-31-16	2-24-16	J. E. Linde Paper Co.	7 14	
41207	1-25-16	2-14-16	Bligh & Engel, Inc.	7 10	41049	1-31-16	2-24-16	Gardiner Binding and Mailing Co.	18 64	
41210	1-25-16	2-24-16	Bligh & Engel, Inc.	4 85	41050	2- 4-16	2-24-16	Joseph I. Grady, Inc.	1 69	
41215	1-25-16	2-24-16	S. R. Smith Infirmary	398 75	41047		2-24-16	Climax Stationery Company	7 50	
40520			Bedford Aluminum & Specialty Com-	57 00	41053	2- 7-16	2-24-16	Manhattan Card and Paper Co.	6 50	
39755	1-28-16. 2- 3-16	2-21-16	pany	31 20	41055	2-10-16	2-24-16	The J. W. Pratt Company	12 50	
39776	2- 3-16	2-21-16	Baker, Voorhis & Co.	50 00				President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
39759	1-18-16	2-21-16	Fairchild Bros. & Foster	87 90	43567		2-29-16	William A. Prendergast, Comptroller		
39749	1-25-16	2-21-16	Harry Delventhal	17 00				of The City of New York, trustee for		
39786	10-20-15	2-21-16	Seabury & Johnson					account of Street Opening Fund	\$28 00	

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28789	7-30-15. 11-24-15	1-25-16	Cranford Company	34 30	40789	1-19-16. 2- 1-16	2-24-16	Oriental Rubber & Supply Co., Inc.	19 80
28721	6-28-15. 11-24-15	1-25-16	Cranford Company	40 80	40788	2-10-16	2-24-16	Sturgis & Walton Co.	2 00
28787	9-19-15. 10-20-15	1-25-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	47 20	40787	1-28-16	2-24-16	Singer Sewing Machine Co.	4 00
28786	10-20-15	1-25-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	51 90	40743	1-17-16. 2- 4-16	2-24-16	L. Crocco & Son	38 88
28785	9-15-15	1-25-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	31 50	40672	1-11-16. 1-31-16	2-24-16	P. Lawless Sons	11 64
			Abraham & Straus	13 40	40791	2- 2-16	2-24-16	Annin & Co.	20 00
41939	1-31-16	2-25-16	Pete Bjurberg	1 25	37567	9-22-16	2-16-16	The American Laundry Machinery Co.	80 35
	2- 7-16	2-25-16	Oriental Rubber & Supply Co., Inc.	8 00	37571	12-31-15	2-16-16	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	75 00
36282		42248	Charles A. Myers Cont'g Co.	1,042 96	26983		43436	Adams Laundry Machinery Co.	2,546 02
28797			The Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co.	25 65	39153	12-31-15. 1-31-16	2-19-16	John Bellmann	139 92
28784	9-15-15. 10-20-15	1-25-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	39 95	39185	1-20-16. 1-27-16	2-19-16	Westchester Fish Co.	196 60
28783		1-25-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	47 25	39172	1- 4-16	2-19-16	Frank A. Hall & Sons	720 00
39080			Cranford Company	25 20	40792	2- 2-16	2-24-16	The Howe Scale Co. of New York	9 45
41914	6-19-15	2-25-16	The Elliott Nursery	6 18	40795	2-12-16	2-24-16	Frank A. Hall & Sons	90
41928	12-20-15	2-25-16	Remington Typewriter Co.	75	40797	2-10-16	2-24-16	Vacuna Sales Co.	7 00
36823	11-18-15	2-15-16	South Brooklyn Railway Co.	60 74	40793	2- 8-16	2-24-16	M. C. Illions & Sons	14 00
39435		40473	S. Jacobs & Sons	300 55	40799	1-15-16. 2-11-16	2-24-16	Charles Baeszler	60 00
39437		39077	The Marble Arch Co.	2,534 44	40800	2- 1-16	2-24-16	West End Auto Supply Co.	4 10
			President of the Borough of Queens.		40794	2-11-16	2-24-16	Bonner & Barnwell	75
	2- 1-16	2-25-16	Jamaica Auto Garage	20 00	42576		2-28-16	Thompson-Bonney Co.	40 00
41900	1-31-16	2-25-16	Crescent Garage	20 00				Sheriff, Richmond County.	
41895	2-10-16	2-25-16	G. R. Lawrence	5 25	40328			Schutte Bros.	\$4 49
41896	2-11-16	2-25-16	Montross & Clarke Co.	1 00				Sheriff, Kings County.	
41899	2-10-16	2-25-16	Elmhurst Coal Co.	8 00	40767	1-31-16. 2- 1-16	2-24-16	The Globe Wernicke Co.	\$19 32
41902	2-14-16	2-25-16	A. J. Hawley	1 00				Sheriff, New York County.	
41893		2-25-16	Crescent Garage	3 93	42440	1-31-16	2-26-16	Berkshire Products Co., Inc.	\$2 70
41903	2-11-16	2-25-16	The Long Island Hardware Company.	5 00	42439	2-14-16	2-26-16	William Cleary & Son	11 00
37315	12- 9-15	2-15-16	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.	500 00				Department of Street Cleaning.	
40580	1-20-16	2-23-16	The Kelly-Springfield Road Roller Co.	2 52	39345		43228	Rosenthal Engineering Cont. Co.	\$13,302 94
40581	2- 7-16	2-23-16	Department of Correction	3 60				Department of Taxes and Assessments.	
40583	2- 1-16	2-23-16	W. F. Sheehan Co., Inc.	3 05	41297	2-17-16	2-24-16	Keuffel & Esser Co.	\$27 25
40587	2- 7-16	2-23-16	Louis Bossert & Sons	8 54	41288	1-31-16	2-24-16	Clynta Water Co.	1 80
40588	2- 4-16	2-23-16	W. A. Duncan	7 00	41289	1-31-16	2-24-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	2 08
40579	2- 3-16	2-23-16	Walldorf, Hafner & Schultz	32 72	41290	1-31-16	2-24-16	Walter Curtis	6 25
41921	7-16-14. 12-18-14	2-25-16	A. B. See Electric Elevator Co.	7 10	41296	1-31-16	2-24-16	New York Bottling Co.	7 50
41020	6- 6-15. 9-24-15	2-25-16	The Long Island Railroad Co.	13 00	41286		2-24-16	New York Telephone Company	99 41
40568			Knickerbocker Ice Co.	57 90				Board of Water Supply.	
40576	1-29-16	2-23-16	G. R. Lawrence	15 55	41654		2-25-16	H. C. Buncke, as Auditor	\$558 52
			President of the Borough of Richmond.		37113	1- 7-16	2-15-16	Catskill Mountain News	8 75
41819	12-31-15	2-25-16	Eugene Dietzgen Co.	\$10 66	37112	1-17-16	2-15-16	The Catskill Daily Mail; M. Edw. Silberstein, editor and publisher	46 50
41834	12-31-15	2-25-16	Oscar Stolp	87 00			2-15-16	The Argus Company	52 50
41835	1- 6-15	2-25-16	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison.	13 20	37111	1-13-16	2-15-16	Yonkers Daily News	54 25
38515	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	16 80	37102	1-20-16	2-15-16	The Troy Record Company, publishers	54 25
38514	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	32 25	37100	1-13-16	2-15-16	Saratoga Sun; the Sun Printing Co., publishers	46 50
38512	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	6 00	37099	1-12-16	2-15-16	Nyack Evening Star; Star Publishing Company of Nyack, N. Y., Inc., publishers	46 50
38511	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	27 18	37097	1-14-16	2-15-16	Schenectady Union Star; Schenectady Union Publishing Company, publishers	46 50
38510	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	28 41			2-15-16	Schenectady Gazette; the Daily Gazette Company, publishers	54 25
38513	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	14 82	37131	1- 8-16	2-15-16	Evening Register; Record Printing and Publishing Co., publishers	47 25
38509	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	7 41	37130	1-11-16	2-15-16	The Prattsville News; Marsh & Griffin, publishers	8 12
38508	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	3 00			2-15-16	Poughkeepsie Eagle; Platt & Platt, publishers	15 13
38507	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	3 33	37128	1-13-16	2-15-16	The Newburgh Daily Journal; the Newburgh Journal Company, publishers	46 50
38506	12-10-15	2-17-16	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	13 20	37129	1-13-16	2-15-16	The Patterson Weekly News; George S. Williams, publisher	27 00
			Public Service Commission.		37126	1-20-16	2-15-16	Mohawk Valley Register; Mohawk Valley Register, Inc., publishers	12 25
42483	11-22-15. 12-30-15	2-28-16	The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	\$26 37	37127	1-14-16	2-15-16	The Morning Sentinel, Inc., publishers	43 50
42530	12-31-15	2-28-16	Benjamin H. Tyrrel, Inc.	20 35	37125	1-20-16	2-15-16	Middleburgh Gazette; Paul B. Mattice, editor and proprietor	10 50
42516	12- 1-15	2-28-16	Brooklyn Edison Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	1 00	37124	1-12-16	2-15-16	Farrington L. Mead	8 75
			Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	1 00	37122	1-15-16	2-15-16	Freeman Publishing Co.	49 50
42515	12-31-15	2-28-16	Duhamel & Brueckner	2 50	37123	1-20-16	2-15-16	The Kingston Daily Leader; the Leader Co., Inc., publisher	46 50
42532	12-31-15	2-28-16	Westchester Ice Company	2 00	41659		2-25-16	New York Telephone Co.	11 11
42521	12-31-15	2-28-16	Marine Ice Company	7 07	41655	12-31-15	2-25-16	Eric T. King, Assistant Engineer	8 17
42518			The Initial Towel Supply Co.	8 10	41658	2- 1-16	2-25-16	The Leader Company	40 30
42486			Thomas E. Ritter, attorney	57 00				Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
42482			A. W. Cherrington, agent for Title Guarantee and Trust Company, executor of estate of M. V. McNulty, deceased	60 00	42434		2-26-16	C. W. Rennie, Inspector	\$0 85
			The Emigrants Industrial Savings Bank Building	141 96	40459	12-29-15	2-23-16	Ford Motor Company	94 85
42491			National Railway Publication Company	165 00	150768	6-24-15	12-23-15	Vacuum Oil Company	19 45
42496			Frederick W. Seybel and William A. Knapp, executors of the will of D. E. Seybel and assignees of his devisees	166 66	41109		2-24-16	Merritt H. Smith, Chief Engineer	3 35
42500			Harry Goodstein Realty Co.	30 00	41106		2-24-16	William Hauck, Assistant Engineer	75
42493			Powell Building	150 00	41113	1-31-16	2-24-16	William F. Laase, Borough Engineer	68 97
42490			Ralph Hickox	100 00	41112		2-24-16	W. V. Barnes, Assistant Engineer	62 25
42504			Isaac J. Dukore	30 00	41108		2-24-16	W. V. Barnes, Assistant Engineer	14 66
42494			Weinbros Real Estate Co.	266 66	38341		2-17-16	James McEvoy	6,792 43
42499			Plaza Improvement Co.	95 00	41107		2-17-16	Soraci Contracting Co.	1,198 80
42494			Ellen Maloney	55 00	40454	12- 5-15	1-23-16	William Hauck, Assistant Engineer	4 25
42503			Clarence B. Smith	75 00	40452	1-25-16	2-23-16	John T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer	9 45
42498			Mary J. Odell	35 00	40451	1- 2-16. 1-28-16	2-23-16	Thomson Meter Co.	5 75
39952	10- 7-15	2-21-16	Lawyers Title and Trust Company	25 50	41151			Pittsburgh Meter Co.	3 75
40076	12-31-15	2-21-16	Kalt Lumber Company	45 00				Hersey Mfg. Co.	5 77
40035	12- 9-15	2-21-16	G. W. Bromley & Co.	75 00	41145			George H. Williams, Supervising Engineer	31 60
40000	12-22-15. 12-31-15	2-21-16	New York Stencil Works	41 40	41146			Joseph Dougherty, Inspector	69 87
39933	12- 8-15. 12-21-15	2-21-16	C. J. Tagliabue Mfg. Co.	30 00	41153	1- 7-16	2-24-16	John V. Harte, Clerk	1 50
39985	12-27-15	2-21-16	Empire Rubber and Tire Co.	81 42	41150	12-31-15	2-24-16	E. Braham, Messenger	2 70
39929	12-23-15	2-21-16	Library Bureau	93 60	41149	1-29-16	2-24-16	F. W. Hancock, Supervising Engineer	4 70
39925	12-20-15	2-21-16	General Fireproofing Co.	25 00	40855	1-31-16	2-24-16	Johann G. Borst	1 95
39920	12-20-15. 12-24-15	2-21-16	Defiance Mfg. Co.	73 94	40856			John T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer	133 19
39916		2-21-16	Buff & Buff Mfg. Co.	80 76	41111		2-24-16	F. W. Hancock, Supervising Engineer	13 25
40034	12-21-15	2-21-16	William Bratter & Co.	28 00	41118		2-24-16	John T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer	63 25
40012	12-21-15. 12-31-15	2-21-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.	37 85	39403		41386	R. W. Gulick, Mechanical Draftsman	24 55
40027	11-18-15	2-21-16	The New York Herald	34 40				H. B. Machen, Borough Engineer	6 80
132652		2-11-15	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc., assignee of Hagerty-Drummond Co.	2,787 08				Jos. H. Little, Inspector	72 37
			Department of Public Charities.					Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	2,701 37
40756	12-10-15	2-24-16	The McKenzie Furnace Co.	\$43 65	39405	11-30-15	41386	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	38,983 03
40764	12-17-15	2-24-16	James S. Barron & Co.	29 00	39406	12-30-15	41386	The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	757 00
40786			L. Barth & Sons	70 90	39407	11-30-15	41386	The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	9,613 08
40796	2-15-16	2-24-16	Kalt Lumber Co.	42 25	39404	12-30-15	41386	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	270 80
43298		2-29-16	Victor S. Dodworth, Acting Director	86 05	40850	2-24-16	2-31-16	Jas. Thompson & Sons	4 60
37607	12-24-15	2-16-16	General Oil Co., Inc.	224 80	40447	1-31-16	2-23-16	Charles Coords	2 50
37729	1- 9-16	2-16-16	Frank Baldwin & Son	46 71	40448	2- 3-16	2-23-16	Thomas Murphy	30 00
40775	1- 8-16	2-24-16	F. A. Walter	12 50	40443	1-19-16	2-23-16	Sibley-Pitman Electric Corp.	3 50
40776	2-10-16	2-24-16	A. B. Dick Co.	2 63					
40777	2-24-16	2-25-16	Wm. Henry Maule, Inc.	3 25					
40778	2- 7-16	2-24-16	Maple Ridge Farm	3 00					
40780	2-11-16	2-24-16	Geo. W. Millar & Co.	2 80					
39501	12-31-15	2-18-16	Durand Steel Locker Co.	29 70					
39494	1-21-16	2-21-16	A. Pearson's Sons	20 25					
40760	10- 2-15	10-24-15	C. H. F. Jurgens	28 75					
40761	8-31-15	2-24-16	Howell Condensed Milk & Cream Co.	6 51					
40763			Levy Dairy Co.	14 00					
39188	12- 8-15. 4-31-16	2-19-16	Samuel E. Hunter	53 66					
40749	12-20-15	2-24-16	Samuel Lewis	1 50					
40745	12-31-15	2-24-16	Municipal Garage	91 93					
40751	12-23-15. 12-30-15	2-24-16	James S. Barron & Co.	26 27					

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF
FINANCE, FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1916.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.		
44703	42962 T. R. Thorn & Co.	159 98
44704	42942 Clarksburg Coal Mining Co.	651 06
44705	42961 Burns Bros.	772 86
44706	44201 John Greig	66 75
44707	44197 Jas. A. Miller	7 75
44708	34429 J. H. Freidlander	11 63
44709	43476 McKim, Mead & White	1,017 50
44710	43608 Levin & Gewartz	1,800 00
44661	43833 Burns Bros.	366 65
44662	42994 Wm. Farrell & Son	433 30
44663	43954 Gavin Rowe	3,009 29
44664	43567 Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	5 10
44665	42055 Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	1,073 61
44666	43351 Waite & Bartlett Mfg. Co.	33 75
44667	43372 Seabury & Johnson	170 00
44668	43485 R. W. Geldart	586 60
44669	43365 Henry Allen	145 50
44670	43172 Thos. C. Dunham	156 88
44671	43173 Wm. Zinsner & Co.	13 50
44672	43934 Leo Hamberger	45 74
44673	43951 Richman & Samuels	80 18
44674	43948 Armour & Co.	5,325 25
44675	43949 Sulzberger & Sons Co.	12 82
44689	43931 Mutual Milk & Cream Co.	5,384 21
44690	43937 Westchester Fish Co.	561 99
44691	44134 Anthony Krayner	11 55
44692	44140 Chas. F. Matlage & Sons	22 56
44693	44142 Russell & Co.	207 19
44694	44136 Jos. Seeman	274 48
44695	43951 Richman & Samuels	62 01
44696	43933 Saml. E. Hunter	43 53
44697	43950 P. Lawless Sons	203 79
44698	43940 Francis H. Leggett & Co.	104 15
44699	43939 Conron Bros. Co.	11 53
44700	44133 John Bellmann	600 64
44701	43947 Swift & Co., Inc.	114 66
44702	42993 Olin J. Stephens, Chg., Against Chas. D. Norton Co.	1,683 79
44676	43944 Morris & Co.	2,775 45
44677	43946 Grand Central Market Co.	2,664 90
44678	43941 Francis H. Leggett & Co.	166 30
44679	43943 Shults Bread Co.	1,620 40
44680	44136 Jos. Seeman	1,354 73
44681	44111 Consumers Biscuit & Mfg. Co.	69 42
44682	42993 Olin J. Stephens, Chg., Against Acct. Chas. D. Norton Co.	98 51
44683	42942 Meyer, Denker, Sinram Co., Chg., Against Clarksburg Coal Mining Co.	55 00
44684	43878 Jamison & Bond Co.	1,177 50
44685	44202 Granite City Soap Co.	97 40
44686	44177 Rutherford Rubber Co.	96 58
44687	40902 Hospital Supply Co.	1,614 30
	Hospital Supply Co.	1,525 34
Coroners, Borough of Manhattan.		
44611	41845 N. Y. Tel. Co.	53 35
44612	41845 N. Y. Tel. Co.	55 86
44613	41845 N. Y. Tel. Co.	53 66
44614	41845 N. Y. Tel. Co.	54 13
44615	41845 N. Y. Tel. Co.	54 38
Court of General Sessions.		
44441	41823 N. Y. Tel. Co.	148 15
Supreme Court, First Judicial District.		
44655	2-29-16 The Banks Law Pub. Co.	49 00
44656	2-24-16 Chas. S. Cook	104 00
44657	2-25-16 West Pub. Co.	30 00
44658	2-1-16 Boston Book Co.	5 00
44659	2-9-16 American Law Book Co.	15 00
44660	2-5-16 Zachery P. Taylor	3 00
Department of Correction.		
44610	42676 Empire Door & Trim. Co.	582 81
44284	43763 Wm. Farrell & Son	182 86
44285	42994 Wm. Farrell & Son	669 02
44286	44286 Arthur J. La Croix, Inc.	23,407 61
44287	42675 Wm. H. Egan	1,649 85
44271	43948 Armour & Co.	2,461 27
44272	43942 Beyer Bros. Commission Co.	608 61
44273	44139 Lewis De Groff & Son	1,111 80
44274	43983 The Fleschmann Co.	167 20
44275	43998 Leo Hamburger	1,066 10
44276	43933 Saml. E. Hunter	248 96
44277	44135 Saml. E. Hunter	172 45
44278	44134 Anthony Krayner	177 22
44279	44140 Chas. F. Matlage & Son	478 80
44280	43944 Morris & Co.	3,093 56
44281	44136 Jos. Seeman	468 30
44282	43949 Sulzberger & Sons Co.	3,333 13
44283	44106 Thos. M. Blake	1,182 20
District Attorney, Bronx County.		
44738	1-6-16 Evening Post Job	12 55
44739	Francis Martin	138 55
44740	2-11-16 Julius Rattner	50 75
44741	The Northern Ohio Traction & Light Co.	131 57
44742	2-18-16 Appeal Printing Co.	8 00
44743	2-18-16 William Mellin	39 00
44744	2-4-16 Andrew O'Rourke	4 40
44745	3-1-16 Henry Martin	23 11
44746	1-31-16 N. Y. Tel. Co.	78 97

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Department of Education.		
44421	41667 Chas. E. Merrill Co.	13 86
44422	41207 Louis S. Gimbel	66 66
44423	39296 The Baker & Taylor Co.	16 09
44424	39290 G. P. Putnam & Sons	3 00
44425	41639 Ginn & Co.	7 50
44324	1-17-16 Barshop Bros.	10 20
44325	12-31-15 Louis Guerr	9 66
44326	1-10-16 Daniel J. Rice	53 74
44327	1-17-16 I. Youdelman	18 83
44328	1-16-16 Thomas Riley	6 71
44329	12-31-15 Wm. H. Kroepke	18 42
44330	1-10-16 John Gerrard	20 66
44331	12-17-15 Jos. A. E. Graf	35 58
44332	12-9-15 James I. Kelly	33 42
44333	12-18-15 Doncourt Constr. Co.	18 28
44334	1-21-16 A. Singer	10 45
44335	1-21-16 A. Singer	1 30
44336	12-14-15 Paul C. Taylor	19 98
44345	9-14-15 Thos. J. Toumey Co.	14 21
44346	1-11-16 William J. Olvany	34 50
44347	1-1-16 Paul Euell, Inc.	48 10
44348	11-12-15 J. D. Duffy	73 75
44349	12-31-15 Max Jackel	51 88
44350	1-6-16 Lorenzo & Byrns	116 38
44351	1-6-16 American Ornamental Iron Works	7 47
44352	12-14-15 William J. Olvany	48 26
44353	11-30-15 Paul Euell, Inc.	23 29
44354	12-20-15 John Wenning	20 66
44355	1-4-16 Isaac Brenner	32 16
44356	3-1-16 American Elevator Co.	37 99
44357	12-28-15 Thos. J. Tuomey	48 53
44358	12-20-15 John Wenning	26 60
44359	12-13-15 Philip & Paul	20 87
44360	11-17-15 Duncan Stewart	46 82
44361	1-8-16 James J. Fay	42 70
44362	12-31-15 Wm. H. Kroepke	12 20
44363	12-27-15 W. A. Leonard	21 00
44364	1-6-16 Anton Orgelfinger	4 94
44365	1-13-16 John A. O'Brien	27 41
44366	1-16-16 Thomas Riley	11 09
44367	1-15-16 Fannie Krubiner, Assignee of Interborough Guarantee Roofing Co.	17 90
44368	12-6-15 H. Fortenbach	4 65
44369	11-19-15 James H. Draper	27 25
44370	1-25-16 James Yorkston	4 47
44371	12-31-15 Goetz & Co.	35 25
44372	12-30-15 Isaac Brenner	34 47
44373	1-5-16 Robertson & Conry, Inc.	151 60
44374	12-23-15 Moss & Kendall	29 91
44375	1-17-16 Moss & Kendall	27 99
44376	12-23-15 J. Fitzgerald	39 52
44377	1-19-16 Marquard, Fay Co., Inc.	22 54
44378	1-19-16 Ernest W. Newman	86 54
44379	12-31-15 Herman Sachs Roofing and Contr. Co.	51 00
44380	12-31-15 William H. Kroepke	47 24
44381	12-13-15 A. D. Evertsen Co.	48 91
44382	12-31-15 William H. Kroepke	49 29
44383	1-10-16 John Gerrard, Jr.	4 69
44384	1-3-16 R. S. Lowy	3 00
44385	12-10-15 Reid's Express	31 35
44386	11-19-15 Rex, Harris Fire Appliance Co.	75
44387	12-14-15 Narragansett Machine Co.	3 85
44388	12-16-15 J. Kurzbach	12 95
44389	12-31-15 H. Hanig	5 50
44390	12-20-15 J. Friedman	8 25
44391	12-15-15 A. Weiss	9 96
44392	12-20-15 J. Friedman	8 25
44393	12-24-15 J. Kurzbach	25 15
44394	12-31-15 Philip Simberg	6 37
44395	12-31-15 Philip Simberg	2 91
44396	1-6-16 Emil F. Bertram	1 50
44397	1-3-16 Hermansen & Co.	43 60
44398	1-10-16 E. Leipuner	5 60
44399	1-5-16 S. Zacharkow	33 69
44400	12-31-15 Frank A. Sharrote	20 13
44401	1-5-16 S. Zacharkow	173 83
44402	1-5-16 S. Zacharkow	4 05
44403	1-11-16 William H. Gerdes	5 00
44404	12-10-15 A. J. Lederman	5 05
44405	9-25-15 Thos. J. Tuomey Co.	14 36
44406	1-5-16 J. F. Fitzgerald	58 52
44407	12-18-15 Jas. Curran Mfg. Co.	13 90
44408	12-14-15 John Wenning	35 73
44409	9-17-15 Thos. J. Tuomey Co.	20 76
44410	1-10-16 Henry Abesser	1 25
44411	10-23-15 Lignum Carpenter Works	50 00
44412	1-5-16 Robertson & Conry, Inc.	21 70
44413	1-12-16 American Ornamental Iron Works	12 00
44414	1-17-16 Moss & Kendall	8 94
44415	12-21-15 John Byrns	33 79
44416	1-4-16 Herman Sachs Rfg. & Contr. Co.	39 92
44417	41635 The Macmillan Co.	63 00
44418	41195 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	7 60
44419	41174 Alfred Field & Co.	70
44420	41743 A. B. Dick Co.	15 70
44421	41663 Longmans, Green & Co.	7 20
44422	41667 Chas. E. Merrill Co.	8 80
44423	41639 Ginn & Co.	19 00
44424	41640 Scott, Foresman & Co.	17 80
44425	41183 E. Steiger & Co.	17 36
44426	41183 E. Steiger & Co.	21 41
44427	41353 Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Inc.	1 02
44428	41352 The Smith Tablet Co.	35 43
44429	41252 Jas. H. Rhodes & Co.	1 10
44430	41209 Neostyle Envelope Co.	32 74
44431	41124 M. J. Tobin	19 61
44432	12-30-15 John Gerrard, Jr.	14 78
44433	12-24-15 A. D. Evertsen Co.	65 14
44434	12-15-15 D. J. Dady Co.	44 84
44435	12-14-15 A. Bergengarten	23 90
44436	12-1-15 L. H. Hughes	5 00
44437	12-30-15 Thos. A. Corwin	14 50

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44528	1-13-16 The Atlantic Heating & Engineering Co.	5 76
44529	1-14-16 Wm. T. Morton	10 01
44530	1- 6-16 Jas. Yorkston	2 50
44531	Thos. F. Duff	5 19
44532	12-28-15 Wm. H. Ellis	6 00
44533	12-10-15 U. W. Osborn & Son.....	24 37
44534	1- 3-16 Duryea Mfg. Co.....	21 80
44535	12-30-15 Combination Rubber Mfg. Co.....	56 00
44536	1-14-16 Wm. T. Morton	22 15
44537	1-21-16 L. E. Atherton	40 25
44538	1- 4-16 F. J. Kloes	51 70
44539	1-15-16 H. Gordon	2 25
44540	11-11-15 Maryland Storage Warehouse & Van Co.....	4 00
44541	1- 6-16 Hermansen & Co.....	62 57
44542	1- 3-16 Hermansen & Co.....	48 40
44543	1- 8-16 D. Stein	17 30
44544	1-17-16 Combination Rubber Mfg. Co.....	70 00
44288	1-15-16 J. H. Boozer	4 16
44289	1- 8-16 S. Zacharkow	44 74
44290	12-31-15 The Manhattan Supply Co..	165 60
44382	1- 7-16 Henry Pearl & Sons.....	27 33
44383	1- 3-16 Philip & Paul	20 40
44384	1-20-16 Moss & Kendall	47 81
44385	1- 8-16 Lignum Carpenter Works...	16 90
44386	1-11-16 E. J. Stanley	5 00
44387	12-31-15 Geo. Rabe	61 68
44388	1-21-16 Reid, King & Co., Inc.	97 69
44389	1-21-16 Reid, King & Co., Inc.	34 78
44390	1-18-16 Jas. J. Fay	21 41
44391	12-24-15 Wm. J. Olvany	22 58
44392	1- 7-16 Hall & Boyle	23 46
44393	7- 9-15 Lorenzo & Byrns	10 60
44394	1- 4-16 The Kenney Specialty Co...	3 20
44395	1- 7-16 Hall & Boyle	65 51
44396	1-11-16 Jos. F. Egan	10 41
44397	12-31-15 Godfrey, Keeler Co.	11 08
44398	1-19-16 Edward E. Stapleton.....	4 48
44446	41639 Ginn & Co.	5 20
44447	41667 Chas. E. Merrill Co.	9 00
44448	41635 The MacMillan Co.	140 00
44449	41484 The J. W. Pratt Co.	19 80
44450	41657 Atkinson, Mentzer & Co..	2 60
44451	41645 D. Appleton & Co.	4 52
44452	41743 A. B. Dick Co.	6 75
44453	41644 D. C. Heath & Co.	9 00
44454	41475 H. T. Dakin	87
44455	39293 Chas. Scribner's Sons.....	1 20
44456	41682 Parex Mfg. Co.	5 80
44457	41195 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	4 00
44458	41637 Henry Holt & Co.	84 96
44459	41743 A. B. Dick Co.	121 67
44460	41252 Jas. H. Rhodes & Co.	3 30
44461	41190 Geo. W. Millar & Co.	13 80
44462	41629 American Book Co.	98 38
44463	41380 A. G. Spaulding & Bros.	60
44464	41207 Louis S. Gimbel	1 32
44465	41180 Parker P. Simmons Co., Inc.	2 40
44466	41630 Isaac Pitman & Sons.	70 50
44467	41219 The Prang Co.	5 60
44468	41841 Alfred Field & Co.	9 00
44469	41644 D. C. Heath & Co.	26 00
44470	41639 Ginn & Co.	52 50
44471	41474 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	2 50
44472	41354 H. T. Dakin	55
44508	10-14-15 International Electric Co....	12 00
44509	12- 2-15 R. Solomon & Son, Inc.	18 00
44510	12-27-15 Julius C. Muller	1 00
44511	1- 3-16 R. S. Lowy	1 50
44512	1-12-16 Johnson Service Co.	24 86
44513	12-14-15 Sundh Electric Co.	7 07
44514	12-24-15 Hardy Voorhees & Co.	98 75
44515	11-30-15 Jos. G. Pollard.....	1 92
44516	12-30-15 Jos. D. Duffy	49 39
44517	1- 6-16 American Ornamental Iron Works	12 70
44518	12-24-15 Combination Rubber Mfg. Co.	42 00
44519	12-16-15 Acme Furnace Equipment Co.	7 00
44520	12-17-15 C. A. Celia	5 50
44521	1- 8-16 Kroepke Plumb. & Heating Co.	79 91
44338	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	25,351 76
44339	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	9,941 40
44340	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	31,184 52
44341	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	8,529 98
44342	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	2,024 66
44343	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	205 45
44344	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	634 57
44345	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	189 97
44346	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	425 34
44347	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	05
44348	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	398 82
44349	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	2 19
44350	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller	41
44351	Wm. A. Prendergast.....	05
44352	Wm. A. Prendergast.....	99 46
44562	1- 5-16 Pittsburg Plate Glass Co... 3 20	
44563	1- 6-16 F. J. McCaragher	20 93
44564	11- 1-15 Albert J. Keeting	2 62
44565	11-20-15 Jos. A. Graf	62 45
44566	1- 5-16 B. E. Gfroerer	24 78
44567	1-12-16 Garbutt Co.	13 87
44568	1-12-16 Garbutt & Co.	29 90

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44569	1- 5-16 Charles Williams	9 58	44800	The Western Union Tel. Co.	20 79	44647	Howard Orphanage and Industrial School	2,848 09
44570	12-11-15 A. C. Laurence	78 51	44801	12-31-15 The Standard Utility Co.	41 00	44648	New York Foundling Hospital	1,375 00
44571	10-13-15 Samuel Gallucci	16 00	44802	11-30-15 The Standard Utility Co.	82 00	44649	Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society, St. Josephs Female Orphan Asylum & St. Johns Home	10,118 16
44572	1-11-16 Louis Barnett	8 40	44803	2- 1-16 N. Y. & N. J. Products Co.	40 59	44650	Richmond County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	166 66
44573	1-10-16 Joseph Clark	12 25	44804	N. Y. Bottling Co.	9 00	44651	St. John's Guild	1,875 00
44574	1-14-16 Thos. A. Corwin	17 62	44805	2- 5-16 P. Lawless Sons	89 75	44652	Sanitarium for Hebrew Children	625 00
44575	12-29-15 George Roach	36 71	44806	1-28-16 Wm. Ladew Feed Co.	100 01	44653	Seaside Home for Crippled Children	208 33
44576	12-27-15 M. Shavel	4 00	44807	2-11-16 C. H. Reynolds & Sons	39 20	44654	St. Agnes' Hospital for Crippled and Atypical Children	3,154 13
44577	12-28-15 John F. Rogers & Co.	79 36	44808	2- 7-16 Meyer, Denker, Sinram Co.	15 50	44478	Joseph W. Roth	118 36
44578	12-31-15 Samuel Gallucci	8 50	44809	2-14-16 Montague Mailing Machinery Co.	13 57	44479	Richard Roes	90 72
44579	1- 5-16 Frank Kiebitz	156 01	44810	2-11-15 The Dentist Supply Co.	23 45	44480	Louis Bausback	9 70
44580	10-15-15 Self Winding Clock Co.	33 05	44811	2- 3-16 T. C. Moore & Co.	2 00	44481	Laura F. Hearn	383 35
44581	12-11-15 Geo. H. Waters Co.	8 70	44812	2- 9-16 Merck & Co.	2 25	44482	Jos. Martiniano	71 04
44582	12-30-15 H. J. Langworthy	30 39	44813	1-31-16 N. Y. Bottling Co.	2 75	44483	Morris Ring	68 16
44583	12-14-15 Paul C. Taylor	23 04	44814	Merck & Co.	27 84	44484	Transit Development Co.	136 25
44584	1- 7-16 William H. Ellis	19 60	44815	2-11-16 John Bellmann	8 63	44485	Nassau Electric	100 99
44585	James Yorkston	3 75	44816	2- 4-16 Harral Soap Co.	13 24	44486	James Natoli	10 35
44586	12-27-15 Geo. H. Water Co.	38 77	44817	2-15-16 Henry Bainbridge & Co.	3 68	44487	Consolidated Gas Co.	1,329 52
44587	12- 3-15 Michael Fogarty, Inc.	6 50	44818	1-31-16 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	6 68	44747	Board of Parole. Thos. R. Minnick	\$89 90
44588	12-31-15 J. L. Fries	6 50	44819	12-18-15 The American Multigraph Sales Co.	30 50	44720	12- 1-15 Cornell Bros.	6 46
44589	12-27-15 A. D. Evertson Co.	23 11	44820	2-15-16 Crown Stamp Works.	4 65	44721	J. Lee Tucker	5 00
44590	12-27-15 Louis Guerr	13 68	44821	2-15-16 Henry Bainbridge & Co.	1 47	44722	2-12-16 Wilkinson, Giusta & Mackeye	10 00
44591	11-15-15 Patrick Murphy	88 07	44822	2-18-16 N. Y. Ladder Co.	4 17	44723	William J. McGah	3 84
44592	12-15-15 John Wenning	33 55	44823	2-12-16 Adams, Flanigan Co.	4 92	44724	Receiver of Taxes	5 22
44593	12-27-15 Kroepke Plumb. & Heating Co.	74 59	44824	2-17-16 Manhattan Electrical Sup. Co.	4 24	44725	John Wiley & Sons, Inc.	7 50
44594	12-24-15 A. D. Evertson	29 38	44825	2- 9-16 Michael Paulini	8 00	44726	2-16-16 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	2 70
44595	12-27-15 Louis Guerr	9 25	44826	2-10-16 The Standard Utility Co.	6 00	44727	1-22-16 Title Guarantee & Trust Co.	52 06
44596	1- 3-16 Stolz & Greenberg	27 50	44827	2- 1-16 I. Hanerfeld	1 00	44728	2- 1-16 John N. Golding	343 33
44597	James E. Delaney	39 41	44828	1-20-16 The Union Stove Works.	2 25	44729	1-22-16 Goldsmith Bros.	14 31
44598	12-13-15 A. D. Evertson Co.	24 32	44829	2-17-16 Hammacher, Schlemmer Co.	1 80	44730	2-21-16 L. Ward Prince	75 00
44599	12-31-15 Mitchell Farrel & Adrian, Inc.	71 77	44862	43376 Metropolitan Hospital Supply Co.	5 93	44731	2-17-16 Edward M. West	50 00
44600	9-30-15 A. C. Laurence	15 65	44863	43328 Johnson & Johnson	225 00	44732	1-12-16 MacGowan & Slipper	31 00
44601	12-15-15 The Griscom Russell Co.	35 60	44864	43328 Johnson & Johnson	108 60	44733	1-31-16 Hermann & Merkel	191 78
44602	9-30-15 Joseph B. Brady & Son	23 48	44865	43372 Seabury & Johnson	75 25	44734	2-17-16 George R. Hilty	34 21
44603	1- 1-16 Frank Tracey	441 40	44866	43370 Stanley Supply Co.	21 90	44735	10-29-15 Kolesch & Co.	21 47
44604	12-21-15 H. Fortenbach	1 50	44867	43366 Burnitrol Mfg. Co.	274 00	44736	1-19-16 N. Y. Title Insurance Co.	4,869 77
44605	1-17-16 M. Wilinsky	15 12	44868	43328 Johnson & Johnson	200 00	44960	Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn. Leo Umanoff	\$321 34
44606	1- 6-16 Saml. Gallucci	8 00	44869	42967 The Oil Marketing Co.	25 86	44756	3- 1-16 Cabot Ward	\$150 00
44607	1-14-16 Emil F. Bertram	4 85	44870	43480 H. W. Baker Linen Co.	138 66	44757	3- 9-15 The J. L. Mott Iron Works	1 26
44608	1-13-16 Emil F. Bertram	6 25	44871	43393 Scientific Materials Co.	39 00	44758	2- 5-16 Edward W. Sheldon, Treas. the N. Y. Public Library...	3,921 33
44609	1-17-16 John T. Stanley Co., Inc.	4 50	44872	43366 Burnitrol Mfg. Co.	82 69	44759	Howard Mansfield, Treas. the Metropolitan Museum of Art	10,954 75
44610	41348 The Smith Tablet Co.	25 58	44873	43481 J. M. Gottesman	26 46	44760	2-11-16 Percy R. Pyne, Treas. N. Y. Aquarium	1,327 65
44611	41313 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	2 00	44874	43377 The Kny Scheerer Co.	2 70	44761	Henry P. Davison, Treas. the American Museum of Natural History	1,987 16
44612	41515 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	3 25	44875	43483 Bloomingdale Bros.	156 30	44737	12-31-15 Police Department. Gertrude Schoensiegel	\$383 00
44613	41322 C. H. F. Jurgens	19 49	44712	Board of Inebriety. Raymond Quackbush Co.	536 82	44337	Arthur Woods	3,849 84
44614	41315 Francis H. Leggett & Co.	5 98	44616	1- 5-16 Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County. Stevenson & Marsters, Inc.	3 75	44633	President of the Borough of Manhattan. Wm. Emerson	\$258 81
44615	41175 Milton Bradley Co.	5 00	44617	1-20-16 D. A. Schierenbeck	1 50	44634	42692 Wm. J. Olvany	337 70
44616	41215 The Texas Co.	10 00	44618	1-31-16 Stevenson & Marsters, Inc.	7 50	44635	34691 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	133 41
44617	41205 W. D. Harper, Inc.	44 86	44713	12-18-15 The J. W. Pratt Co.	1 50	44636	43848 Chas. E. Farrell Cont. Co.	952 69
44618	41176 Dehance Mfg. Co.	9 15	44714	1-31-16 The Banks Law Pub. Co.	38 00	44908	President of the Borough of Brooklyn. B. Picone & Son	\$1,842 15
44619	41639 Ginn & Co.	23 12	44715	1-15-16 West Pub. Co.	42 00	44909	42131 Litchfield Const. Co.	29,167 77
44620	41124 M. J. Tobin	60	44716	1-15-16 The Lawyers Cooperative Pub. Co.	15 00	44951	1-17-16 Jas. Harley	9 00
44621	41663 Longmans Green & Co.	4 32	44717	12- 8-15 Philip Livingston	3 30	44952	Fredk. A. Hutchinson	4 25
44622	41644 D. C. Heath & Co.	75	44718	12-30-15 Jos. Spengler	9 85	44910	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	11 50
44623	41213 Schieffelin & Co.	2 19	44719	1-25-16 Remington Typewriter Co.	13 60	44911	2- 2-16 William H. Giesler	4 00
44624	41195 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.	1 24	44720	Wm. H. Jasper	14 25	44912	1-27-16 N. Ryan Co.	15 00
44625	41671 The A. N. Palmer Co.	22 00	44721	Wm. J. Fawcett	7 13	44913	2-16-16 John Fox & Co.	60 17
44626	41654 The Century Co.	45	44722	The N. Y. Law Journal	7 00	44914	2- 1-16 E. George Co., Inc.	6 25
44627	41214 Abraham & Straus	1 08	44723	2-29-16 M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	15 25	44915	1- 5-16 Midwood Garage	53 25
44628	41743 A. B. Dick Co.	8 10	44724	The Globe-Wernicke Co.	2 80	44916	1-25-16 Oriental Rub. & Sup. Co.	1 58
44629	41635 The Macmillan Co.	16 65	44725	Miscellaneous.		44917	2-11-16 Royal Eastern Elec. Sup. Co.	4 86
44688	Department of Finance. Thomas J. Hogan	\$16 10	44726	Bklyn Lumber Co.	\$520 73	44918	2-14-16 Van Brunt Tandy	1 40
44711	43385 Fire Department. Croce Automobile Co.	\$6,224 00	44727	Mary Anna Zimieski	122 40	44919	1-26-16 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	6 75
44953	43553 The Manhattan Supply Co.	47 85	44728	Mary Anna Zimieski	41 80	44920	1-26-16 The Long Island Hdwe. Co.	7 40
44954	44110 J. W. Gasteiger & Son	2,190 85	44729	Sarah A. McGowan	20 00	44921	2-11-16 Buffalo Steam Roller Co.	21 95
44955	44104 Edward Wisely & Son	493 43	44730	Sarah A. McGowan	11 12	44922	1-25-16 H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	1 37
44956	43880 Long Island Wood Co.	56 60	44731	Henry S. Clark	1,000 00	44923	1-25-16 Auto Service & Specialty Co.	2 25
44957	42995 Geo. D. Harris & Co.	159 25	44732	Mathilde M. Porter	23 94	44924	12-28-15 Quaker City Rub. Co.	95 40
44958	42963 S. Haber	82 68	44733	Shennie R. Lewis	41 13	44925	12-28-15 John A. Scollay, Inc.	195 00
44959	44178 U. S. Tire Co.	25 67	44734	Anna B. Barnes	50 00	44926	12-30-15 The L. I. Hardware Co.	44 00
44830	2-18-16 The Dentists Supply Co.	\$30 00	44735	Nellie Moran	1 60	44927	12-28-15 Buffalo Steam Roller Co.	40 20
44831	2-23-16 John J. Cronin, M. D.	16 00	44736	Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	125 00	44928	12-31-15 Warren Bros. Co.	337 20
44832	2-23-16 John J. Cronin, M. D.	71 33	44737	Charles Muller	7 00	44929	12-31-15 Dept. of Public Charities.	20 67
44833	2-23-16 John J. Cronin, M. D.	17 35	44738	D. Mackay, Jr.	21 00	44930	11-12-15 Van Brunt Tandy	47 80
44762	11-30-15 Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	13 86	44739	D. Mackay	21 20	44931	12-27-15 Western Elec. Co.	9 00
44763	12-13-15 Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	10 44	44740	Charles H. Cooke	20 00	44932	12-31-15 Dept. of Correction	39 00
44764	11-30-15 Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	14 40	44741	James Everard's Breweries.	12 00	44933	11-11-15 Stevenson & Marsters	22 40
44765	1-22-16 Hunter & Trimm Co.	8 52	44742	John Konig	12 11	44934	12-22-15 Van Brunt Tandy	80 14
44766	Caroline E. Whitcher	9 87	44743	Staten Island Leader	17 64	44935	1-11-16 Stevenson & Marsters	29 55
44767	12-10-15 Wm. A. Geis	7 00	44744	Democrat Herald	1 66	44936	1-11-16 Great Bear Spring Co.	4 80
44768	9-30-15 Levy Dairy Co.	23 94	44745	Elisa Perelli	59 82	44937	2-16-16 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	122 84
44769	12-31-15 Schults Bread Co.	3 97	44746	Moses Keschner	100 00	44938	2-16-16 Taaffes Original Troy Steam Laundry	235 31
44770	12-31-15 P. Lawless Son	36	44747	Wm. A. Blauvelt	85 00	44939	2-21-16 Eric H. Palmer	64 68
44771	Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	34 57	44748	Frederic White Shepard	744 95	44940	2-16-16 Brooklyn Blue Print Works.	1 01
44772	Beyer Bros. Commission Co.	139 78	44749	Leon Botman	57 50	44941	1-12-16 Paddock Cork Co.	62 50
44773	Burton & Davis	34 04	44750	Pauline Nichter	25 00	44942	1-27-16 W. L. Glidden	3 00
44774	Jos. Seeman	1 54	44751	Antonio Catalano	15 00	44943	1- 6-16 C. W. Keenan	24 54
44775	Geo. A. Roberts	1 46	44752	Jas. O'Connor	9 00	44944	2- 2-16 H. J. Johns-Manville Co.	4 55
44776	12-14-15 Merck & Co.	45 00	44753	German Hospital of Brooklyn	1,165 59	44945	2- 2-16 Interior Parquet Floor Co.	30 00
44777	7-16-15 John Greig	49 30	44754	Bronx Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	750 00	44946	1- 2-16 Theo. Gaus Sons	104 40
44778	12-22-15 Henry Bainbridge & Co.	13 92	44755	Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	3,333 33	44947	1-31-16 Stevenson & Marsters	28 96
44779	The Manhattan Supply Co.	3 19	44756	Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum	9,451 63	44948	1-31-16 Great Bear Spring Co.	24 90
44780	12-20-15 Meinecke & Co.	86 64	44641	Good Counsel Training School for Young Girls	1,761 58			
44781	12-10-15 F. N. Du Bois & Co.	1 26	44642	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	17,348 34			
44782	9- 9-15 G. Hess & Co.	85 00	44643	Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	200 00			
44783	S. Hurvin	23 62	44644	House of Mercy	762 29			
44784	Oscar M. Leiser, M. D.	17 05	44645	Hope Farm	1,997 47			
44785	Geo. A. Roberts	3 40	44646	House of St. Giles the Cripple	402 25			
44786	Dr. Wm. H. Parks	48 76						
44787	Lucius P. Brown	50						
44788	12-15-15 Walldorf, Hafner & Schultz	2 20						
44789	10-11-15 Record & Guide Co.	25 00						
44790	4- 9-15 Francis H. Leggett & Co.	2 95						
44795	1-10-16 S. Dana Hubbard	53 20						
44796	1-10-16 S. Dana Hubbard	8 55						
44797	1-17-16 John H. Barry, M. D.	3 60						
44798	8-11-15 The Orange County Tel. Co.	41 12						
44799	1- 1-16 The Orange County Tel. Co.	41 71						

Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
44949	2-19-16 Fallon Law Book Co.....	56 40	44498	42968 Thos. W. Woods' Sons.....	272 28	44443	2- 8-16 Underwood Typewriter Co.	4 50
44950	2-10-16 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co..	93 77	44499	42968 Thos. W. Woods' Sons.....	395 41	44444	2- 3-16 Eimer & Amend	7 05
President of the Borough of Queens.			44834	Colonial Works, Inc.....	80	44445	2- 8-16 Munson Supply Co.....	3 50
44791	Wm. J. Casey.....	10 00	44835	1-31-16 John P. Kane Co.....	410 00	Sheriff, Richmond County.		
44792	John W. Moore.....	15 00	44836	Dept. of Correction.....	109 35	44406	1- 3-16 F. A. Lambert & Co.....	\$123 86
44793	Jamaica, N. Y.....	51 88	44837	12-31-15 Syndicate Trading Co.....	578 17	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.		
44794	Chas. A. Myers Cont. Co..	19 32	44838	12-23-15 Greenhut Co.....	1,262 80	44896	1-31-16 Nason Mfg. Co.....	\$4 75
President of the Borough of Richmond.			44839	1-24-16 Morse & Rogers.....	2,565 53	44897	Guarantee Typewriter Repair	
44861	42066 N. Y. Tel. Co.....	\$114 85	44840	1-17-16 A. G. Spalding & Bros.....	1 40		Co.....	7 60
Department of Public Charities.			44841	12-24-15 James S. Barron & Co.....	3 90	44898	2-23-16 W. W. Cornell	24 00
44876	Wm. J. Doherty	390 00	44842	12-31-15 Municipal Garage	6 80	44899	1-31-16 Fashion Boarding & Livery	
44877	A. M. Wilson	560 00	44843	J. & J. W. Elsworth Co.....	1 63		Stables	27 00
44878	Stuart A. Rice	36 26	44844	2-18-16 H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	1 44	44900	2- 1-16 O. & E. Huber	4 62
44353	John A. Kingsbury.....	365 00	44845	2-12-16 Belmont Packing & Rubber		44901	1-18-16 Henry R. Worthington.....	28 30
44354	Victor S. Dodworth.....	410 57		Co.....	22 07	44902	B. Nicoll & Co.....	804 10
44355	A. M. Wilson.....	270 00	44846	2-10-16 Patterson Brothers	3 56	44903	2-14-16 H. C. Biglin & L. E. Moffatt	
44356	Jos. D. Flick	9 75	44847	2-15-16 Dept. of Correction.....	1 92	44904	1-29-16 Abraham & Straus	1 13
44500	43365 Henry Allen	174 90	44848	2-10-16 C. H. & E. S. Goldberg....	2 75	44905	2- 2-16 E. F. Keating Co.....	150 00
44501	43374 F. S. Banks & Co.....	36 00	44849	2-11-16 Vacuna Sales Co.....	22 00	44906	2- 1-16 Clarence B. Williams.....	112 50
44502	43169 H. T. Jarrett	781 27	44850	2-17-16 Eureka Mfg. Co.....	19 10	44907	Bureau of Highways.....	779 75
44503	43123 Metropolitan Hospital Sup-		44851	1-27-16 The E. R. Mill & Lumber		44884	11-30-15 Knickerbocker Towel Supply	
	ply Co.	620 03		Co.....	40 00		Co.....	26 23
44504	43128 The Norwich Pharmacal Co.	518 03	44852	2- 3-16 Colonial Works, Inc.....	3 10	44885	10-13-15 The Danubil Co.....	18 35
44505	43381 Smith & Bouillon	42 38	44853	11- 4-15 James T. Dougherty	58 00	44886	10- 1-15 Egan, Ronan, Hausman Co.	63 45
44506	43378 The Watters Laboratories...	85 65	44854	11-24-15 The Norwich Pharmacal Co.	112 80	44887	1- 1-16 Geo. Trapp	19 00
44507	43820 Otto Metz	3,000 60	44855	12-31-15 Metropolitan Hosp. Sup. Co.	53 67	44888	2- 4-16 Murphy Bros.	96 55
44489	43378 The Watters Laboratories...	24 30	44856	12-31-15 Carbondale Calcium Co.....	108 07	44889	1-14-16 Belmont Packing & Rubber	
44490	43211 Wm. H. Jamouneau Co.....	1,948 22	44857	12-21-15 J. E. Kennedy & Co.....	9 60		Co.....	54 45
44491	42880 Chas. Meads & Co.....	5,067 00	44858	12-31-15 Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	47 73	44890	1-21-16 Belmont Packing & Rubber	
44492	37856 Chas. B. Meyers.....	211 13	44859	12-31-15 Municipal Garage	18 15		Co.....	60 60
44493	43944 Morris & Co.....	44 67	44860	2-23-16 Harrold's Motor Car Co.....	11,350 00	44891	1-24-16 Keasbey & Mattison Co....	4 12
44494	44136 Jos. Seeman	248 96	Staten Island Association of Arts and Sciences.			44892	2-18-16 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co....	3 75
44495	42944 John E. Donovan	4,851 14	44379	New York & Rich. Gas Co..	\$4 30	44893	H. Mueller Mfg. Co.....	135 00
44496	43925 John E. Donovan	343 35	44380	Richmond Light & R. R. Co.	4 80	44894	2-11-16 Rhinelander Machine Works	
44497	42995 Geo. D. Harris & Co., Inc..	1,983 03	44381	1-31-16 N. Y. Tel. Co.....	3 18	44895	1-31-16 Jere A. McCue.....	1 53
			44442	The Peerless Towel Sup. Co.	1 75			

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Abstract of Transactions for Week Ended Feb. 26, 1916.

Moneys Received—Subscriptions to the CITY RECORD, \$133.05. Cash sales of CITY RECORD, \$43.75. Total, \$176.80.

Vouchers Transmitted to Comptroller—Contracts, \$3,386.69. Open market orders, \$22,266.56. Total, \$25,653.25.

Open Market Orders Issued After Competitive Bidding.

Name of Lowest Bidder.	Orders.	Printing.	Stationery.	Books.	Total.
W. F. Albers	14			\$195 45	\$195 45
American Bank Note Co.....	1	\$145 50			145 50
W. Bratter & Co.....	25	310 20	\$23 00	103 95	437 15
The Brooklyn Daily Eagle...	3	1 50	14 49		15 99
M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co..	88	1,646 81	374 37	275 87	2,297 05
P. J. Collison & Co.....	18	340 69	156 11		496 80
Koller & Smith Co.....	4	26 95	5 90		32 85
J. J. Little & Ives Co.....	1	94 00			94 00
Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.....	15	406 18	166 90		573 08
The O'Connell Press, Inc....	3	94 75			94 75
The J. W. Pratt Co.....	19	250 68	68 82		319 50
Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	5		55 40		55 40
Tiebel Bros.	8		152 13		152 13
Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co....	5		49 60		49 60
Vacuo-Static Carbon Co.	1		2 38		2 38
	210	\$3,317 26	\$916 97	\$727 40	\$4,961 63

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor of the City Record.

Borough of Queens.

Report for week ended Feb. 5, 1916.

Moneys Received—For restoring pavement over street openings, \$300.50; for vault permits, \$172.44; for sewer connections, \$210; for other purposes, \$47.32. Total, \$730.26.

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller—General Administration, \$3,676.99; Bureau of Highways, \$9,298.96; Bureau of Sewers, \$5,906.65; Bureau of Street Cleaning, \$10,804.53; Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, \$3,116.61; Bureau of Topographical Surveys, \$725.63; Bureau of Building Construction, \$15. Total, \$33,544.37.

Permits Issued—To open streets to tap water pipes, 9; to open streets to repair water connections 4; to open streets to make sewer connections, 29; to open streets to repair sewer connections, 3; to place building material on streets, 2; to construct street vaults, 10; special permits, 3; to cross sidewalks, 2; to repair sidewalks, 5; for sewer connections, 28; for sewer repairs, 3; for other purposes, 1. Total, 99.

Work Done.

Bureau of Highways.

Macadamized Streets—Sq. yds. of macadam pavement repaired, 55; pavement cleaned, 2,000; dirt wings honed and cleaned, 540; lin. ft. of gutters cleaned, 6,620.

Paved Streets—Sq. yds. of granite pavement repaired, 53; asphalt pavement repaired, 108; pavement sanded, 200; lin. ft. of gutters paved, 139; cleaned, 700; sq. yds. of wood block pavement repaired, 40.

Unimproved Streets—Sq. yds. of roadway graded, 1,430; crowned and repaired, 1,334; lin. ft. of gutters formed and cleaned, 1,450.

Topographical Bureau.

By Office Force—Plotting Record Maps 123 and 135 and computing No. 134; checking plotting on Record Map No. 35; plotting changes and additions on Record Maps; copying Sewer and Water Department notes; approving applications for permits, assigning locations and compiling the necessary data for same; examining,

indexing and filing field notes, company data, miscellaneous plans, application prints and permit notices. Draft Damage Maps: Broadway, Campion St., Sutphin Rd., Woodside Ave., St. Felix Ave., Queens Blvd., 79th and 80th Sts. Final Damage Maps: Lake and Banta Sts., Liberty Ave., St. James St. and Corona Ave., Caspian and Zeidler Sts., King Pl., Cox Pl., Marabel Ave., Clermont Ave. Benefit Maps: Lake and Banta Sts., Liberty, Ulster, Westchester, 117th, Dearborn and Corona Aves., St. James St., Caspian and Zeidler Sts., King Pl. Copying old records, County Clerk's office, Queens; calculating and plotting field work.

By Field Force—Correction and addition work in Section 1, Long Island City; location of various substructures uncovered throughout the First, Second, Third and Fourth Wards. Monumenting: Far Rockaway, College Point, Whitestone, Malba, Hollis, Elmhurst, Winfield, Woodside, Rockaway Park, Highland Park, Bayside, Long Island City. Traverse and Location: Highland Park, Jamaica, Eastwood. Damage Survey: Woodside. Levelling: Long Island City.

Bureau of Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer cleaned, 114,000; number of basins relieved, 240; number of basins cleaned, 207; number of manholes cleaned, 463; linear feet of open drains cleaned, 8,500; loads removed from sewers, 122; loads removed from basins and drains, 285.

Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Street Sweepings, Garbage, etc., Collected and Disposed of—Cubic yards of mixed material, 8,296.21; of ashes, 533.21; of sweepings, 135.95; of rubbish, 3,304.11; of garbage, 118.79; miles of street swept, 128; miles of gutters cleaned, 30; cubic yds. snow removed, 24,362.29.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. Painting, carpenter work, plumbing, repairs to tin roof, leaders, etc., cleaning and electrical work.

Laboring Force Employed.

Bureau of Highways—Foreman, assistant foreman, mechanics and laborers, 199; horses and carts, 19.

Bureau of Sewers—Foreman, assistant

foreman, mechanics and laborers, 149; horses and carts, 24.

Bureau of Street Cleaning—Superintendent, district superintendent, clerks, foreman, laborers, etc., 394; teams and trucks, 56; horses and carts, 130; emergency snow laborers, 1,221.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Of-

fices—Superintendent, clerks, foreman, mechanics, laborers, etc., 98.

Bureau of Topographical Survey—Engineer in charge, assistant engineer, clerks, draftsmen, axemen, etc., 148; horses and wagons with driver, 1.

JAMES A. DAYTON, Acting President.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of Transactions for Week Ended February 11, 1916.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$8,106,527 00
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds.....	360,162 25
Total	\$8,466,689 25

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants.....	\$1,448,121 13
Special Revenue Bond Fund Accounts, "B" Warrants.....	45,097 32
Corporate Stock Fund Accounts, "C" Warrants.....	1,906,084 01
Special and Trust Fund Accounts "D" Warrants.....	134,785 64
Total	\$3,534,088 10

Notes, Bills and Bonds Issued.

Corporate Stock Notes	\$2,500,000 00
Revenue Bonds	3,000,000 00
Revenue Bills	495,686 30
Total	\$5,995,686 30

Bonds Redeemed.

Bonds of former Corporations now included in The City of New York. \$1,000 00

Suits, Court Orders, Judgments, Etc., Filed.

Feb. 4—Ruff, Christopher and Katie; consent by Theresia Landsberger and affidavit of H. E. Sloan re award for Parcel 124A, matter Central ave., etc., Queens. Boyd Realty Co.; release by Brooklyn Trust Co. and affidavit of J. Boyd, Jr., re award for Parcels 49, 50, 51, 52, matter Senator st., etc., Brooklyn. Ates, Frank A. and Lena; release by D. Fedden and affidavit re award for Parcels 407, 407A, matter Waterbury ave., etc., Bronx. Crilly, Annie E.; release by J. E. Brown and affidavit of H. P. Feig, re award for Parcel 45a, matter Perry ave., etc., Queens. Wilkening, Fred and Mary; release by Bushwick Savings Bank and affidavit re award for Parcels 225 and 225A, matter Perry ave., etc., Queens. Zielanis, Annie; release by Bushwick Savings Bank and affidavit of H. P. Feig, re award for Parcels 58, 58A, matter Perry ave., etc., Queens. Silverstone, Harry, and another; release by Williamsburg Savings Bank and affidavit of P. M. Bromberg re award for Parcel 60, etc., matter Hegeman ave., etc., Brooklyn. Lunny, Kate; Cert. Reg. County of Kings, and affidavit re award for Parcel 214, matter E. 95th st., etc., Brooklyn. Walsh, James J., and William R.; release by Millie Watkins and another, and affidavits of M. I. St. John re award for Parcels 46A and 256, matter Waterbury ave., etc., Bronx. Waldron, Benj. F.; release by Caroline A. McCormack and affidavit re award for Parcels 10, matter S. Villa st., etc., Queens. Farrell, William & Son; D. O'L. Cohalan, attorney; copy petition and notice of motion to be held at Special Term, Supreme Court, Part I, New York County, on Feb. 11, 1916, for peremptory writ of mandamus, etc.

Feb. 7—Rizzo, Antonio; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 4B, matter Castle Hill ave., etc., Bronx. Ladue, George F.; Edw. Maxson, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 3, 4 and 5, matter Avenue D, Cortelyou road, etc., Brooklyn. Thompson, Frank and another; C. Horner, attorney, 27 Cedar st., New York City; certified copy order resettleing order directing payment of award to Coll. A. & A., Parcels 86A and 87A, matter Magenta st., etc., Bronx. Eastern District Savings Bank of City of Brooklyn; C. L. Sicard, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against F. McSheffrey, City of New York, et al, Action No. 1. Eastern District Savings Bank of City of Brooklyn; C. L. Sicard, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against F. McSheffrey, City of New York, et al, Action No. 2. Shedd, Thomas A.; certified copy of order directing payment of award for Parcel 125, matter Olmstead ave., etc., Bronx. Kinsella, Clinton W., bankrupt; bankruptcy notice, meeting on Feb. 16, 1916. Rosenkrantz, Jacob, by David Rosenkrantz, guardian; Jacob Shapiro, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against City of New York. Froonjian, Nostran, by Dickran Froonjian, guardian; Jacob Shapiro, attorney; copy of summons and complaint, action against City of New York. Ayres, Stephen B.; Cert. Reg. County of The Bronx, and affidavit re award for Parcel 72, matter Lane ave., etc., Bronx. Bronxdale Realty Co.; affidavit of S. B. Ayres re award for Parcels 53A and 55, matter Lane ave., etc., Bronx. Fawcett, Wm. J.; affidavit re award Parcel 77, matter of Lane ave., Bronx. Lukowski, Boleslaw & Anastazia; affidavit re award on Parcel 188, matter of Cassel ave., Queens. Newtown Land Association; release by A. Iselin, Jr., etc., and affidavit re award on Parcels 53 and 53A, matter of Fieldston road, etc., Bronx. Bergen, Mary A.; release by Anna L. Livingston, and affidavit re award on Parcel 123, matter of Erasmus st., etc., Brooklyn. Reese, Harry F.; release by Virginia Wood, and affidavit re award on Parcel 63, matter of Raymond ave., etc., Bronx. Stolz,

George; affidavit re award on Parcel 12, matter of Timpson place, etc., Bronx. United Assets Corp.; three releases by J. B. Biffar, etc., consent and affidavit re award on Parcels 47, 47A, 48, 48A, matter of Prospect st., etc., Queens.

Feb. 8—Doecks, Alexander; J. R. McMullen, attorney; certified copy of order directing payment of award on Parcel 149, matter of 64th st., etc., Brooklyn. American Five and Ten Cent Stores; William Allen, referee in bankruptcy; notice of meeting of creditors. Goldstein, Samuel, 910 Brook ave., The Bronx; certified copy of order directing payment of counsel fee, case of Nicola Gori.

Feb. 9—Metropolitan Surety Co.; J. F. Yawger, receiver; notice to file claims. Weber, John and Barbara; release by J. Fluhrer and S. Fluhrer, and affidavit re award on Parcel 199, matter of Juniper ave., etc., Queens. Hedden, George A.; M. J. Mulqueen, attorney; application for part payment of award for Parcel 65, matter 7th ave., etc., Manhattan. Ziminski, Maryanna; Wm. E. Donavin, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 78, 78A and 78AA, matter Perry ave., etc., Queens. McGowan, Sarah A.; Wm. E. Donavin, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 181, matter Perry ave., etc., Queens. Grazulis, George; Wm. E. Donavin, attorney; certified copy of order directing payment of award for Parcel 183A, matter Clinton ave., etc., Queens; Marmo, Michele; Wm. E. Donavin, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 199 and 199A, matter Boulevard, etc., Queens.

Feb. 10—Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.; M. S. & I. S. Isaacs, attorneys; certified copy bill of costs, sum of \$117.01. Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.; M. S. & I. S. Isaacs, attorneys; certified copy of bill of costs, sum of \$160.53. Peters, Carolyn W.; Grange & Maloney, attorneys; copy summons and complaint, action against Herman Donnisch City of New York, et al.

Feb. 11—Quirk, Helen; Thos. Moore, attorney; copy transcript of judgment, sum of \$960.42. Voll, Robert S., and another; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 107, matter Erasmus st., etc., Brooklyn. McCarthy, John; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 313, matter Olmstead ave., etc., Bronx. Farrell, William; affidavit and order of substitution, Frank E. Hipple, substituted for William J. Walsh, deceased, as attorney. Dempsey, James; affidavit and order of substitution, Frank E. Hipple, substituted for William J. Walsh, deceased, as attorney. Reardon, William; affidavit and order of substitution, Frank E. Hipple, substituted for William J. Walsh, deceased, as attorney. McCarthy, Margaret T.; release by M. E. Connolly and another, re award for Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, matter Cassell ave., etc., Queens. Keller, Ernest; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 31, matter Central ave., etc., Queens. Colorado Realty Co.; release by Eliz. K. Dooling, and affidavit of Jas. A. Clynes re award for Parcels 71-71A, matter of Havemeyer ave., etc., Bronx. Menzel, Gottlob F.; three Cert. Reg. County of Kings, and affidavit re award for Parcels 14, 19 and 21, matter Rutland road, etc., Brooklyn. Brenneis, Jerome F. and Emily; release by Broadway Savings Institution and affidavit re award for Parcels 390 and 390A, matter Waterbury ave., etc., Bronx. Martin, Annie; H. McG. Curren, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 100, matter Erasmus st., etc., Brooklyn. Nealis, Catherine (Farrell); F. W. Gahrman, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 256, matter Purdy st., etc., Bronx. Rezzano, Josephine B.; F. W. Gahrman, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 184, matter Beach ave., etc., Bronx. Clark, John Kirkland, and Kelly, Joseph D.; copy of affidavits, order and Cert. of T. C. T. Crain, J., allowing \$571.87, counsel fees, etc., action against Gerasimos Zaberdis, Michael Savas.

Claims Filed.

Feb. 4—Williams, Vought; amount due under assignment from Rudolph Gersman, Inc., in connection with contract No. 1366 with Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for work at Massapequa Pumping Station, \$387.50; Wm. Weintraub, attorney. Williams, Vought; amount due under assignment from Rudolph Gersman, Inc., in connection with contract 1382 with Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for work at Ridgewood Pumping Station, \$262.50; Wm. Weintraub, attorney. Pick, Martin; burial expenses J. S. Judson, veteran, \$50. Stahle, Theresa; personal injuries, fell on defective sidewalk, front 1364 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn, on December 18, 1915, \$500; S. Lasher, attorney. Ditrich, Bernice; personal injuries, fell through defective manhole cover at northeast corner 5th ave. and 9th st., Brooklyn, on September 18, 1915, \$500; T. F. Twyford, attorney. Murcott & Campbell; damage to premises and merchandise caused by sewer overflow at 290-300 Union ave., 12-14 Richardson st. and 11 Frost st., Brooklyn, on August 4, 1915, and prior thereto, \$2,401.70; Knox & Dooling, attorneys.

Feb. 5—Dugan, E.; burial expenses L. H. Zines, veteran, \$50. Dugan, E., burial expenses, Jos. Hachmann, veteran, \$50. Madden, Thos. F.; burial expenses, Mary Higgins, widow of veteran, \$50. Royal Furniture Co., refund of fees for taking of inquests, beginning September 1, 1915, paid 8th District Municipal Court, \$20; Emil Breitenfeld, attorney. Steinhaus, Isaac; refund of jury fee, paid 1st District Municipal Court. Koert vs. Johnson, \$4.50. Steinhaus, Isaac; refund of jury fee paid 1st District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Johnson vs. Johnson, \$4.50. Edelhertz, Bernard; refund of jury fee paid 2d District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Benjamin vs. Interborough Rapid Transit Co., \$3. New York and Queens Gas Co.; gas supplied public buildings, Queens, November 1 to November 30, 1915, inclusive, \$156. Holman, Francis A.; amount due for installing lights in Town Hall, Elmhurst, Queens, on October 12, 1913, \$9. Mellin, Wm. J.; damage to automobile caused by defective pavement at southwest corner Boston road and Jefferson place, Bronx, on December 27, 1915, \$272.85. Lester, Geo. H.; personal injuries sustained while a passenger on Nostrand ave. car due to collision between surface car and wagon belonging to City of New York, at Nostrand ave. and Herkimer place, Brooklyn, November 15, 1915, \$5,000; F. X. Sullivan, attorney. Kahan, Henry O.; refund of jury fee paid 1st District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Burns vs. Van Schaik, \$4.50. Delaney, Richard J.; burial expenses, Frank Govani, veteran, \$50.

Feb. 7—Kopito, Max; personal injuries, run into by Department of Water Supply automobile at 8th st. and 4th ave., Manhattan, on January 24, 1916, \$1,000; J. Goldstein, attorney. Dall, J. Construction Co.; amount expended in opening up connection to water supply at 212 W. 184th st., \$28. Levinson, Janet E.; refund of trial fee paid 1st District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Baron Printing Co. vs. Thompson & Co., \$1. Hyde, A. G. & Sons; damage to merchandise at 361-63 Broadway caused by leak in water main on Broadway on December 4, 1915, \$72.77. New York Mutual Gas Light Co.; gas supplied public buildings, Manhattan, December 1 to December 31, 1915, inclusive, \$713.40. Brooklyn Borough Gas Co.; gas supplied street lamps, Brooklyn, during January, 1916, \$733.77. Knickerbocker Supply Co., amount deducted from contract price for delay in connection with contract 43066 with Department of Street Cleaning, \$180. Hotel York; damage caused during construction of subway at 482-90 7th ave.; F. H. Haynes, engineer in charge.

Feb. 8—Brooklyn Daily Eagle; amount for advertisements inserted in Brooklyn Daily Eagle January 31, 1916, \$1,200.68. Brooklyn Daily Times; amount due for advertisement inserted in Brooklyn Daily Times, January 31, 1916, \$1,222.08. Brooklyn Union Publishing Co.; amount due for publication of advertisements in Standard Union, January 31, 1916, \$1,329.70. Brooklyn Citizen; amount due for publication of advertisements in Brooklyn Citizen, January 31, 1916, \$1,253.66. Roehr Publishing Co.; amount due for publication of advertisements in Brooklyn Free Presse, January 31, 1916, \$1,290.08; Wm. Geo. Foster, attorney. Ager, Caroline; personal injuries due to slippery steps on stairway from Vernon ave. bridge to Borden ave., Long Island City, on January 6, 1916, \$15,000; H. A. Herold, attorney. Morrissey, William; personal injuries due to falling into hole in Marginal st., south of W. 79th st., Manhattan, on October 6, 1915, \$10,000; W. O'Shaughnessy, attorney. Hedden, George H., personal injuries and damage to automobile caused by automobile striking girder of bridge at Walton ave. and 151st st. on August 11, 1915, \$527.50; Samuel Silbiger, attorney. Tolleris, Chas., attorney; damage to property caused by sign falling from roof of 41 Lafayette st., Manhattan.

Feb. 9—Bauer, Chas. T.; damage to premises 213 W. 79th st., caused by leak in water main, \$82.50. Cullen, Michael; personal injuries, thrown from wagon due to horse stepping into open manhole at 50th st., west of 10th ave., Manhattan, on December 22, 1915, \$1,000; Burnstine & Geist, attorneys. Connolly, James; damages due to personal injuries sustained by Gertrude Connolly, infant, caused by door of lavatory at Public School 132, West side 182d st. and St. Nicholas ave., January 4, 1916, \$150; H. S. Fried, attorney. Connolly, Gertrude, infant, by James Connolly, guardian; personal injuries caused by door of lavatory falling on her at Public School 132, 182d St. and St. Nicholas ave., on January 4, 1916, \$500; H. S. Fried, attorney. Springer, C. Gladys; damage to premises, Lot 219, Block 2139, caused by change of grade of Haven ave., \$134.60. Rosengarten, David; refund of jury fee paid 8th District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Caputo vs. Glickstein, \$3.

Feb. 8—Standard Gaslight Co.; gas supplied public buildings, Manhattan and

Bronx, November 29 to December 31, 1915, inclusive, \$792.45. Fuchel, Kurt; damage to personal property at 458 W. 165th st., caused by overflow of sewer on February 3, 1916, \$5. Adler, Morris; personal injuries and damage to clothing caused by water from Department of Street Cleaning hose on north side Broadway, Brooklyn, on February 6, 1916, \$30.

Feb. 9—Hennessy, Maurice; refund of amount paid for Board of daughter at Holy Family House, \$4. Clancy, Mary; personal injuries, fell on defective pavement, front 426 to 430 E. 79th st., Manhattan, on December 13, 1915, \$1,000; N. Gordon, attorney. Kehoe, James; personal injuries, dragged from seat of ambulance due to defective king bolt holding front wheels to ambulance, Coney Island Hospital, accident at 25th st., 10 feet north of Surf ave., October 16, 1915, \$5,000; McDonnell & Lebett, attorneys. New Amsterdam Gas Co.; gas supplied Public building, Manhattan, from December 1 to 31, 1915, inclusive, \$4,108.87.

Central Union Gas Co.; gas supplied street lamps and public buildings and repairs to lampposts, Bronx, from December 1, 1915, to January 1, 1916, inclusive, and repairs asphalt pavement January 1, 1915, to December 31, 1915, inclusive, \$1,282.74. East River Gas Co.; gas supplied public buildings, Queens, from December 1 to 31, 1915, inclusive, \$484.95. Lamarca, Lena; personal injuries, fell on defective pavement, front 276 Cherry st., Manhattan, on February 1, 1916, \$1,000; H. M. Fertig, attorney. Selig, Jack; damage to personal property at 598 E. 136th st., caused by sewer overflow on September 29, 1915, \$125; L. McGee, attorney.

February 8—Preiser, Minnie; personal injuries, fell on defective sidewalk, front 351 E. 85th st., Manhattan, on December 26, 1915, \$1,000; I. Frankenberg, attorney. Treat, May B.; personal injuries, fell on defective pavement, front 40 W. 72d st., Manhattan, on December 11, 1915, \$10,000; A. Ruger, attorney. Lynam & Purvis; burial expenses of W. H. Ferdon, Veteran, \$50. Sutton, Frank E. E.; amount due for services rendered Dept. Pub. Charities in connection with preparation of plans, etc., for electrical work at City Hospital and City Home Dist., Blackwell's Island, and Kings Co. Hospital.

February 3—Meade, Edith G.; personal injuries, stepped in hole between boards covering excavation, front of 219 W. 84th st., Manhattan, on November 4, 1915, \$5,000; Rembaugh & Towle, attorneys. Austin, Samuel; personal injuries, thrown from D. S. C. cart and kicked by horse which fell on slippery pavement on Audubon avenue, between 168th and 169th sts., Manhattan, December 13, 1915, \$10,000; Jas. P. Kohler, attorney. Consolidated Gas Co.; gas supplied public buildings, street lamps and repairs to lampposts, December 1 to 31, 1915, inclusive, Borough of Manhattan, \$18,138.88.

February 10—Blauvelt, Wm. A.; return of check stolen by Jacob Rosenberg now in possession of Grand Jury, \$85. Magee, Winifred; personal injuries, fell on ice covered pavement, front 312 E. 134th st., Bronx, February 3, 1916; H. G. Guttman, attorney. Magee, Stephen; damages due to injuries sustained by Winifred Magee, caused by fall on ice covered sidewalk, front 312 E. 134th st., Bronx, February 3, 1916; H. G. Guttman, attorney. Brooklyn Borough Gas Co.; gas supplied for heating public buildings, during January, 1916, \$138.38. Brooklyn Borough Gas Co.; gas supplied for lighting public buildings, Brooklyn, during January, 1916, \$185.33. Brooklyn Union Gas Co.; gas supplied for street lighting, public buildings, repairs to lamps, heat and power, Brooklyn, during December, 1915, \$15,124.10. Richmond Hill & Queens Co.; gas supplied for street lighting, public buildings, lamp repairs, heat and power, Queens, during December, 1915, \$218.70. Jamaica Gas Light Co.; gas supplied for street lighting and public buildings, Queens, during December, 1915, \$185.46. Woodhaven Gas Light Co.; gas supplied for street lighting, public buildings and lamp repairs, Queens, during December, 1915, \$88.13. Newtown Gas Co.; gas supplied for street lighting, public buildings and lamp repairs, Queens, during December, 1915, \$463.30. Flatbush Gas Co.; gas supplied street lamps, public buildings, lamp repairs, heat and power, Brooklyn, during December, 1915, \$1,682.61. Mock, Henry I.; damage to property caused by bursting of water main on Decatur st., Brooklyn, \$42.90. Holt, Virginia May; refund of deposit paid as security for removal of building, Parcel 5, Castleton ave., proceeding, Richmond, \$50.

February 11—Fried, Sidonia; refund of jury fee, paid 2d Dist. Mun. Court, Bronx, Fried vs. Boulevard Theatre & Realty Corp. et al., \$3. Keschner, Moses; amount due for services rendered as visiting physician, Dept. of Correction, January, 1916, check stolen, \$100. Pollitz, Philip; amount due for services rendered as temporary storekeeper, Dept. of Correction, January, 1916, check stolen, \$110.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

February 7, 1916.

Central Purchasing Committee—For coal: J. F. Schmadeke, Inc., 497 Union St., principal; National Surety Co., surety; Middle Leigh Co., 50 Elmwood Ave., principal; certified check, surety.

Department of Education—For operating stages: H. Walter, Far Rockaway, principal; New Amsterdam Casualty Co., surety. J. C. Swade, Princess Bay, S. I., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

President, Brooklyn—For repairing sidewalks on Berry St., etc.: C. J. Doherty, 616 49th St., Brooklyn, principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety. For repairing sidewalks on Flatbush Ave.: C. J. Doherty, 616 49th St., Brooklyn, principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety. For repairing sidewalks on Driggs Ave., etc.: C. J. Doherty, 616 49th St., Brooklyn, principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Board of Elections—For wooden ballot boxes: Julius Haas's Sons, 436 E. 67th St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Department of Street Cleaning—For snowplows: Good Roads Machine Co., 50 Church St., principal; Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co., surety.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For automobiles: Monohan Express Co., 216 W. 18th St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Fire Department—For pumping engines: Ahrens-Fox Fire Engine Co., Cincinnati, O., principal; Royal Indemnity Co., surety.

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Department of Public Charities—For laying and cementing linoleum: Bloomingdale Bros., 3rd Ave. and 59th St., New York, principal; U. S. Guarantee Co., surety.

Department of Parks—For laying concrete walks, etc., in Straus Park, Manhattan: Adolph Grauer, 120 Broadway, New York, principal; New England Equitable Ins. Co., surety.

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Fire Department—For forage: Edward Wisely & Son, West Brighton, N. Y., principal; New England Equitable Ins. Co., surety.

Department of Education—For supplies: Oxyozon Disinfecting Co., 408 W. 13th St., principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety.

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Central Purchasing Committee—For gasoline: Indian Refining Co., 17 Battery pl., principal; U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., surety.

Board of Elections—For guard rails: Knickerbocker Supply Co., 189 Franklin St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz.:

February 7—Public Charities: For electric light wiring, gas piping, etc., for the group of buildings, New York City Home, Blackwell's Island. Bellevue and Allied Hospitals: For repairing of part of the 12-inch Fire Main and installing a new 6-inch Main in the basement of the laundry building; for the equipment of the power plant in Bellevue Hospital, and for the equipment of power houses at the Gouverneur, Harlem and Fordham Hospitals. Health Department: For furnishing and delivering Coal. Bridge Department: For furnishing and delivering Gasoline. Fire Department: For furnishing and delivering automobile parts and equipment. Bridge Department, Dock and Ferries, Fire Department, Park Department, Public Charities, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity: For furnishing and delivering Lumber. Water Supply, Gas and Electricity: For furnishing wet connecting sleeves and valves. Department of Education: For improving the premises at P. S. 2, Borough of Queens.

February 8—Fire Department: For furnishing and delivering three motor driven 75-foot aerial hook and ladder trucks. Health Department: For installing lighting fixtures, etc., at the Willard-Parker Hospital: for furnishing and delivering Ice to hospitals, laboratories and office buildings of the Department of Health, and for furnishing mineral waters, fresh fruits and vegetables to the tuberculosis camps in the various boroughs. President, Queens: For installing Judge's bench, jury box, stenographer's and clerk's table in the building occupied by the Surrogate of Queens

County, Jamaica, etc. Department of Education: For furnishing and delivering supplies to the Day and Evening High Schools, and the Day and Evening Elementary Schools. President, Bronx: For furnishing and delivering 900 tons of limestone dust; 9,000 cubic yards of grits; 900 tons of asphaltic cement; 40,000 gallons of tar road oil; 600 cubic yards of white quartz; 1,200 cubic yards of Cow Bay Sand; 5,000 cubic yards of wearing surface sand; 4,000 bags of Portland Cement; 400,000 gallons of road coal tar oil; 3,000 cubic yards of binder stone; 450 gallons of asphalt road oil, 50 tons of paving pitch, etc.

February 9—Fire Department: For furnishing and delivering 300 Fire Alarm Boxes of the non-interference type. Docks and Ferries: For building a pier near West 8th Street, Dreamland Park, Brooklyn. President, Manhattan: For regulating and paving with wood block pavement, the roadway of Chambers Street from Centre Street to Broadway (light oil treatment). For regulating and repaving with wood block (heavy oil treatment) the roadway of Chambers Street from Centre Street to Broadway; for repairs to sewer in 110th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues; for furnishing and delivering 10,000 cubic yards of asphaltic wearing sand; for the construction of Catharine Street sewer under pier 26, E. R. Public Service Commission: For the installation of tracks on White Plains Road, etc., and for the construction of section 2A, route No. 12 of the Broadway-7th Avenue Rapid Transit R. R. Park Department: For repairs to lawn mowers, Borough of Manhattan, and for furnishing and delivering one 3½-ton motor driven truck for Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.

February 11—Docks and Ferries: For dry docking, scraping, cleaning, painting, etc., the hulls of the Municipal Ferryboats; for building a freight shed, with appurtenances on the pier at the foot of West 46th Street, N. R., Manhattan.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Abstract of Transactions for Week Ended February 19, 1916.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury.....	\$12,569,964 89
To the credit of the Sinking Funds.....	364,471 73
Total.....	\$12,934,436 62

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants.....	\$6,386,469 70
Special Revenue Bond Fund Accounts, "B" Warrants.....	136,996 00
Corporate Stock Fund Accounts, "C" Warrants.....	8,354,165 33
Special and Trust Fund Accounts, "D" Warrants.....	433,848 44
Total.....	\$15,311,479 47

Notes and Bonds Issued.

Corporate Stock Notes	\$8,000,000 00
Revenue Bonds	2,000,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	1,000,000 00
Total.....	\$11,000,000 00

Notes and Bonds Redeemed.

Bonds of former Corporations now included in the City of New York..	\$110,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	196,975 34
Notes for Corporate Stock.....	5,765,284 93
Total.....	\$6,072,260 27

Suits, Court Orders, Judgments, Etc., Filed.

Feb. 11—Rothleder, Harry, bankrupt; bankruptcy notice, meeting on March 13, 1916. Cooney, John W., Co., bankrupt; bankruptcy notice, meeting on Feb. 21, 1916.

Feb. 14—Ryan, Robert; Max Sheinart, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against City New York. Edwards Millinery Shop, Inc.; Maurice M. Cohn, assignee; M. E. Goldberg, attorney; notice of motion to be held at Special Term, Supreme Court, Part 1, N. Y. County, on Feb. 23, 1916, for order confirming report, etc. Cochrane Manufacturing Co.; bankruptcy notice, meeting on Feb. 28, 1916. Kessler, Samuel A.; Choloney & Weinberger, attorneys; certified copy order discharging receiver, case of Jos. Rosenzweig. Matthes, Christian; cert. Clk., Co. Queens, and affidavit, re award for Parcels 124, 124A, matter Perry Ave., etc., Queens. Czerwinski, Julia; release by G. F. Hill and affidavit, re award for Parcels 73 and 73A, matter Perry Ave., etc., Queens. Aufrecht, Max; release by Mary E. Richards and affidavit, re award for Parcel 7A, matter Woodbine St., etc., Brooklyn. Egan, Mary E.; two releases by Kath. V. V. Huntington and another and affidavit, re award for Parcels 73, 73A, matter Havemeyer Ave., etc., Bronx. Reilly, Mary G.; cert. Reg., Co. Bronx, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 184, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. Pentreath, Albert H.; affidavit of Geo. Flassman, re award for Parcel 113A, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. Christian, Fannie E.; release of dower, Parcels 37, 37A, matter 80th St., etc., Brooklyn. Tishman, Celia; two releases by S. J. Belfer and another and affidavit by S. J. Belfer, re award for Parcel 5A, matter Woodbine Ave., etc., Brooklyn. Schwartz, Joseph; two releases by Trustees of Princeton University and another and affidavit, re award for Parcel 2, matter widening Third Ave., Bronx. Mackey, John; release by H. A. Förster, as executor, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 13, matter Newton Ave., Bronx.

Feb. 15—Brennan, Edward; Chas. A. Woods, attorney; transcript of judgment in sum of \$90.65. Berkeley, Fahie; E. C. Hamburg, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 44, matter E. 14th St., etc., Brooklyn. Aranow, Frank, and Thorne, Philip M.; copy affidavits, orders and certificate T. C. T. Crain, J., allowing \$502.25 counsel fees, etc., action against Allen Bradford. Helmes, Rena; E. A. Meyer, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against City New York. Criegio, Antonio and Francesca; H. B. Chambers, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 73, matter Needham Ave., etc., Bronx. Mafaraci, Antonio; H. B. Chambers, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 32, matter Needham Ave., etc., Bronx. Wieland, Gottlieb; Dessar & Ridgway, attorneys; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 100 and 100A, matter Havemeyer Ave., etc., Bronx. Capobianco, Fausto; J. J. Fitzgerald, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 54, matter Bronxwood Ave., etc., Bronx. Kaplan, Abraham; C. S. Rosenthal, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against City New York. Roberts, Eliza H.; S. H. Molleson, attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against W. A. Mallett et al. Fraad Cont'g Co., bankrupt; bankruptcy notice, March 20, 1916. Pinkney, Mary G., Estate of; Elkus, Gleason & Proskauer, attorneys; certified copy order on remittitur, notice of entry and bill of costs, \$168.86. Watt, Thomas L.; Elkus, Gleason & Proskauer, attorneys; certified copy order sustaining writ of certiorari and bill of costs, etc., \$240.40. Zinn, Anna; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 327 and 327A, matter Waterbury Ave., etc., Bronx. Schumacher, Anna K.; release by Swiss Gen. Mutual and Vene, Socy, and affidavit of G. W. Schumacher, re award for Parcel 36, matter Central Ave., Queens. Postiglione, Giovanni; consent by Mary C. Hodgman and affidavit Margherita Postiglione, re award for Parcel 140A, matter Alstve Ave., etc., Queens. Haas, Lillie; cert. Reg., Co. Bronx, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 5, matter Minerva Pl., etc., Bronx. Klinowski, Ignatz; release by Bushwick Savings Bank and affidavit of C. J. Klinowski, re award for Parcels 116, 116A, matter Perry Ave., etc., Queens. Elliott, Sarah E.; cert. Reg., Co. Bronx, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 15, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. McCort, Annie A.; two certs., Reg., Co. Bronx, Westchester and Bronx, re award for Parcels 61, 61A, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. Grote, Henry T.; release by Jos. Scholz and another and affidavit, re award for Parcels 164-176 and 176C, matter Waterbury Ave., etc., Bronx. Doerinkel, Adelaide; release by Title Guarantee and Trust Co. and affidavit, re award for Parcel 110, matter St. Raymond Ave., etc., Bronx. Myrans, J. Leon; cert. Reg., Co. Bronx, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 102, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx.

Feb. 16—Dorella, Albert; release by R. Hickox and affidavit re award for Parcels 22 and 22A, matter Magenta st., Bronx. Equitable Life Assurance Society of United States; Alexander & Green, attorneys; copy of summons and complaint, action against Emilio Monte, City of New York et al. Niedjalkowski, Stanislaus; R. Stewart, attorney; copy of transcript of judgment, \$629.03. Niedjalkowski, Sophia; by Stanislaus Niedjalkowski, guardian; transcript of judgment in sum of \$1,642. Ashland Place, etc., Brooklyn; notice of motion to confirm report at Special Term, Supreme Court, 2d Department, on April 19, 1916, Brooklyn.

Feb. 17—Martin, George W.; Ross, Leroy W.; copy affidavits, order and Cert.,

Callaghan, J.; allowing \$500 counsel fees, action against Vincenzo De Luca, Jr. Martin, Geo. W., and Ross, Leroy W.; copy affidavits, order and Cert. of S. Callaghan, J.; allowing \$500 counsel fees, action against Vincenzo De Luca, Jr.

Feb. 16—Dowling, Cecelia; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 8 and 9, matter Fowler st., etc., Queens. Basara, Stanilous and Julia; Cert., Clerk, County of Queens, consent by F. J. Hill and another, and affidavit re award for Parcel 215A, matter Perry Ave., etc., Queens. Hanzlik, Frank; consent by B. Dvorsky, and affidavit re award for Parcel 117A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Majewski, Anton; Cert., Clerk, County of Queens, and affidavit, re award for Parcels 65-65A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Pecora, Nicholas; Cert., Clerk, County of Queens, and affidavit re award for Parcel 57A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Passaro, Ambrogio; Cert., Clerk, County of Queens, and affidavit re award for Parcel 55A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Munziata, Nicolo; consent by Margaret S. Manson, and affidavit re award for Parcels 67A and 68A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Piaskoski, Frank; consent by Eliza Hazard, and affidavit, re award for Parcel 59A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. Desens, Gennaro and Antilia; consent by Sarah E. Thompson, and affidavit re award for Parcel 116A, matter Sherman st., etc., Queens. City Real Estate Co.; Cert., Reg., County of The Bronx, and affidavit re award for Parcels 56, 57, 58, 59 and 60, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. Mamlock, Albert; assignment, by Wellman Finance and Realty Co., Parcel 102A, matter Lane Ave., etc., Bronx. Stember, Selda; affidavit, re award for Parcels 209-210, matter Central Ave., etc., Queens. Hettesheimer, Olga; release by S. J. Burrows, and affidavit re award for Parcels 19 and 21, matter Clark Ave., etc., Queens. Miers, Edward E.; release by Susan A. Livingston, and affidavit re award for Parcel 44, matter St. Raymonds Ave., etc., Bronx.

Feb. 17—Rauch, Samuel, surety; certified copy order directing refund of \$2,000; Isaac Portman, principal. Hoffman, Charles Fred, et al.; Harris & Towne, attorneys; certified copy order directing payment of award for possession wharfage rights Piers, Old, Nos. 27 and 28, East River, Manhattan. Ludwig, Louis and another; M. J. Mulqueens, attorney; copy application for payment of part of award for Parcel 94, matter 7th Ave., etc., Manhattan. Trachsler, Rudolph and Margaret; William J. Hoffman, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 312, matter Powell Ave., etc., Bronx. O'Brien, Grace, and another; L. F. Moynahan, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 114 and 114A, matter Olmstead Ave., etc., Bronx.

Feb. 18—Godfrey, Rose, et al.; J. H. Goggin, attorney; copy affidavit and order to show cause at Special Term, Supreme Court, Bronx County, on Feb. 21, 1916, re award Parcels 19 and 20, matter Lane Ave., etc. Carpenter, John W.; H. Wishnew, attorney; copy affidavit and notice of motion to be held at Special Term, Supreme Court, Part I, Kings County, on Feb. 24, 1916, for order directing Comptroller to pay \$500, etc. Bassler, Louis; Baylis & Sanborn, attorneys; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 332, matter Gleason Ave., etc., Bronx. Byrne, Jos. J., and another; Michael Gold, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 80A, matter Fieldston road, etc., Bronx.

Feb. 17—Badger, Frances B.; release by J. J. Wright re award for Parcel 216H, matter Zerega Ave., etc., Bronx. Fleischman, Wm. M., et al.; Cert. Reg. County of The Bronx, and affidavit re award for Parcel 125, matter St. Raymond Ave., etc., Bronx. Hettesheimer, Olga; release by S. J. Burrows, and affidavit, re award for Parcels 10-10A, matter High st., etc., Queens.

Feb. 18—Brown, Annie and Mary; M. B. McHugh, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 192, matter Ellis Ave., etc., The Bronx. Bentz, Elise; M. B. McHugh, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 300D, matter Olmstead Ave., etc., Bronx. Dannenfeller, George; M. B. McHugh, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 125, matter Havemeyer Ave., The Bronx. Muhlmann, Frederick; M. B. McHugh, attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcels 183 and 183A, matter Odell st., etc., Bronx. Shepard, Frederic White; copy judgment and transcript of judgment, sum of \$881.49.

Claims Filed.

February 11—Dokter, Michael; damage to premises, 108 Eldert St., Brooklyn, caused by overflow of sewer on Sept. 25, 1915, \$50.51; H. C. Glone, attorney. Galvin, John A.; burial expenses, Ellen L. Thompson, widow of veteran, \$50. Barton, Mrs. A.; damage to fence and posts of stoop at 284 Bridge St., Brooklyn, run into by tender of Engine Co. 207 on Jan. 30, 1916. Holcomb, Hobart J.; amount due for land occupied by C. N. Y. for a school building at Jerome Ave., Fordham Road and E. 184th St., Bronx, \$500; H. D. Patton, attorney. Larney, Jane E.; damages due to death of Jas. F. Larney, caused by injuries sustained by handling heavy books in record room, Finance Department, during May, 1914. Gorman, Mary J.; personal injuries, fell on defective planking covering sewer excavation, corner Throop Ave. and Macon St., Brooklyn, Sept. 5, 1915, \$50; Foley & Martin, attorneys.

February 14—Manzi, Andrea; damage to property on Clasons Point Road and Westchester Ave., Bronx, due to closing of Clasons Point Road, \$3,500; Hirlman & Vaughan, attorneys. McCormick, Ella, guardian; Helen McCormick, infant; personal injuries sustained by Helen McCormick, run over by cart belonging to C. N. Y. on 67th St., between Broadway and Columbus Ave., Manhattan, Oct. 12, 1915, \$10,000; J. F. McCall, attorney. Hinkson, Gladstone M., M. D.; damage to auto, run into by fire engine at Washington and Gates Aves., Brooklyn, on Jan. 20, 1916, \$284. Isaacs, Mrs. Charles; damage to sidewalk of 303-305 E. 79th St., caused by contractors removing snow. Davidson, Mrs. Lizzie W.; damage to premises, 269 Macon St., Brooklyn, caused during construction of sewer. Marshall, Clyde H.; amount deducted from bill in payment of copy of minutes in case against Gennaro Mazzella, furnished Governor and copy furnished County Clerk, Kings County. Marshall, Clyde H.; amount due for copy of minutes in case of People v. Pasquale Vendetti, filed with Clerk, County of Kings. Gilligan, Edward J.; damage to premises, south side Clason Point Road, 50 feet east of Newman Ave., Bronx, "Historic Inn," due to defective sewer system, \$7,500; Wm. Weintraub, attorney. Gottlieb, Mrs. Fannie; personal injuries, fell on rubbish on mezzanine floor, Manhattan Terminal, Brooklyn Bridge, Aug. 15, 1915, \$1,000; Jos. Kahn, attorney. Ahland, Fred and Chas.; damages, due to injuries to horse and damage to harness, struck by D. S. C. auto on east side Union Square near 16th St., Manhattan, on Jan. 5, 1916, \$482; K. C. Bates, attorney. Giamonda, Michele; damage to premises, 114 President St., Brooklyn, caused by defective sewer, July 19, 1915. McDowell, H. G.; refund of jury fee, paid First District Municipal Court, Rakauckas v. Interboro R. T. Co. Haberman, Samuel N.; refund of trial fee, paid to Second District Municipal Court, Manhattan, Fratman v. Workman, \$1. Van Dorn Iron Works Co.; material furnished and services rendered Dept. W. S. G. and E., April 6 and May 1, 1914, \$5.85. Clancy & Van Alst; amount deducted from final payment for restoration pavement in connection with contract No. 34,888 for constructing of sewer, etc., Ralph Ave., etc., Queens, \$100.

February 16—Carey, Thomas; amount due for overtime work performed at Metropolitan Hospital. Grimm, Geo. H.; damage to wagon at Nostrand Ave. and Sterling place, Brooklyn, \$25. Northern Union Gas Co.; gas supplied street lamps, public buildings and repairs to street lamps, Bronx, November 30 to December 31, 1915, inclusive, \$3,077.33. Wise, Sara Morris; damage to property, 306 Second Ave., Astoria, L. I., N. Y., caused by construction elevated railroad; J. S. Wise, Jr., attorney.

February 15—Wheeler, Walter H.; damage to merchandise at 2-12 Lawton Ave., W. Washington Market, caused by flooding of ice box, due to broken faucet on January 24, 1916, \$430.91. Krakaur Poultry Co., Inc.; damage to awning at 21-24 Thirtieth Ave., Manhattan, run into by D. S. C. cart. Bellmann, John; amount deducted from final payment under Contract No. 43005 for furnishing canned goods, etc., Dept. Charities, \$18.

February 16—Blasius, Peter, & Son; burial expenses H. Boell, Veteran, \$50. Hoffman & Hyams; balance due for work performed under Contract No. 42239, 5th floor, 49 Lafayette st., Manhattan, \$432.50; L. H. Robinson, attorney.

February 17—Bertz, Max; personal injuries, fell on defective sidewalk, on s. w. cor. Avenue H and 14th st., Brooklyn, on December 11, 1915, \$500; Abr. Greenberg, attorney. Beaudry, Fred P.; burial expenses, Edgar V. Moore, Veteran, \$50. Burbank, Louise Roche; personal injuries, fell through defective planking covering subway at 59th st. bet. 5th and 6th Aves., Manhattan, on November 13, 1915, \$1,000; L. Forst, attorney. Rubens, Harry S., by Jas. Rubens, guardian; personal injuries, fell over exposed stop-cock box, s. s. yard of F. smus H. S., 350 feet from westerly curb of Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, on September 29, 1915, \$500. Mullaly, Mrs. Anna; personal injuries, fell on defective manhole cover at s. w. cor. Sylvan terrace and Bay st., Rosebank, S. I., N. Y., on August 31, 1915, \$1,000; R. J. Donovan, attorney.

February 18—Cohen, Joseph; personal injuries, fell on defective sidewalk, front 1065 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, on September 8, 1915, \$5,000; Edw. Cahn, attorney. New

York & Queens Elec. Light & Power Co.; gas supplied for street lighting, public buildings, heat and power, Queens, December 1 to 31, 1915, inclusive, \$40,313.35. Lewis, Albert G.; personal injuries, fell on ice on bridge crossing Park ave. and 166th st. on February 16, 1916. Metropolitan Casualty Insurance Co.; damage to plate glass at 70 New Chambers st., caused by public cart about February 12, 1916, \$12.28. Olsen, Rasch; damage to lunch wagon, caused by employees, Dept. Dock and Ferries, while guiding wagon from ferry boat at Richmond Borough Terminal on October 5, 1915, \$30; C. D. Isaacs, attorney. Rodenberg, Gesine, by Ida Rosenberg; personal injuries, fell on defective sidewalk near n. w. cor. Cedar and Greenwich sts., Manhattan, on December 10, 1915, \$10,000; W. T. Van Alstyne, attorney.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz:

February 14, 1916.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For automobiles: Standard Truck Corporation of New York, 250 W. 54th St., principal; Mass. Bonding and Insurance Co., surety.

February 15, 1916.

Department of Education—For supplies: H. W. Johns-Manville Co., Madison Ave. and 41st St., principal; certified check, surety.

February 16, 1916.

President, Bronx—For sewer, etc., in the east side of Crotona Parkway: C. E. Farrell Contg. Co., Inc., 875 E. 180th St., principal; National Surety Co., surety. For sewer, etc., in Merriam Ave., etc.: P. Di Mennon Contg. Co., Inc., 2336 Cumberling Ave., principal; Illinois Surety Co., surety.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For frame building at Clove Pumping Station: Moreland Operating Co., 5 Beekman St., New York, principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety.

Department of Health—For screens: Milliken-Kelliam Co., 56 Willoughby St., Brooklyn, principal; New England Equitable Ins. Co., surety. For alterations to the east and west porches, Isolation Pavilion, Kings County Hospital: W. F. Places & Bro., 145 W. 18th St., principal; U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., surety.

Central Purchasing Committee—For oils: Indian Refining Co., 17 Battery pl., principal; U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., surety. For dry goods: Manhattan Supply Co., 115 Franklin St., principal; New England Equitable Ins. Co., surety. For coal: Meyer-Denker-Sinram Co., 910 E. 5th St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety; G. W. Seiler, 1 Broadway, principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Department of Education—For conveying pupils: J. J. Bible, 1524 Pelham rd., principal; National Surety Co., surety. For supplies: H. T. Dakin, 90 W. Broadway, principal; New England Equitable Ins. Co., surety.

Central Purchasing Committee—For dry goods: J. S. Barron & Co., 221 W. Broadway, principal; U. S. Guaranty Co., surety; A. T. LaCroix, Inc., 50 Church St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

February 17, 1916.

Central Purchasing Committee—For coal: J. F. Schmadeke, 497 Union St., principal; certified check, surety.

President, Manhattan—For repairs to sewer in 110th St.: Patrick Reilly, 118 E. 89th St., principal; National Surety Co., surety.

Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For transporting boilers: Campbell & Smiley, Inc., 30 Church St., principal; Royal Indemnity Co., surety.

Department of Education—For conveying pupils: B. Sandman, Ozone Park, L. I., principal; Fidelity and Casualty Co., surety; P. Plunkett, 1579 Grant Ave., principal; Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co., surety; A. Field & Co., 93 Chambers St., principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety. For supplies: Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co., 326 Broadway, principal; American Surety Co. of New York, surety; M. J. Tobin, 34 Warren St., principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

February 18, 1916.

Department of Public Charities—For electric wiring, etc.: Jandous Electric Equipment Co., 109 W. 31st St., principal; Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co., surety.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For repairing Worthington Engine No. 1 at Ridgewood Pumping Station: Voss Ice Machine Works, 242 E. 122nd St., principal; Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co., surety.

February 19, 1916.

Department of Education—For heating, etc., work at Public School 93, Queens: Wells & Newton Co., 292 Avenue B, principal; Casualty Co. of America, surety.

Department of Street Cleaning—For constructing dumping board at E. 139th St.: Riverside Contg. Co., 39 Cortlandt St., principal; National Surety Co., surety.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz:

February 14—Department of Education: For installing electric equipment in P. S. 93, Queens. Street Cleaning Department: For furnishing and delivering 2,500 galvanized iron ash cans; 10,000 yards of ticking for horse collars; 5,000 scraper handles, and 5,000 push broom handles. For furnishing malleable iron "T" castings and clamps.

February 15—Health Department: For furnishing equipment at various power plants in operation at various hospitals, and for repairs to brick work at various boiler furnaces. Fire Department: For furnishing and delivering electrical fittings and supplies. Board of Water Supply: For furnishing bronze castings for the City Tunnel of the Aqueduct in New York City. Fire Department, Public Charities: For furnishing and delivering Hose, hose fittings, etc. Fire Department, Public Charities, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Public Charities, Correction: For furnishing and delivering drugs, chemicals, wines, liquors, elevator apparatus, surgical supplies and dry goods.

February 16—President, Queens: For furnishing and delivering Coal.

February 17—President, The Bronx: For constructing sewer and appurtenances in Sackett Avenue, between Colden and Williamsburgh Avenues, etc. Bridge Department: For furnishing and delivering castings and machinery for the Williamsburgh Bridge. Hunter College: For furnishing 260 gross tons of Coal. Park Department: For repairs to and keeping in repair motor, horse and hand lawn mowers, The Bronx. For regulating and repaving, etc., the roadway of Forest Park, Queens, from its junction with the old Macadam Road to the golf house.

February 19—President, Manhattan: For furnishing iron castings; for 600 heads for receiving basins; for 400 manhole covers, etc.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.



Department of Education.

Contracts Awarded February 26, 1916.

For furnishing and delivering supplies: Select Charcoal Crayon Co., 536 West 29th street, City; surety, American Surety Co. Syndicate Trading, 2 Walker St., City; surety, The Aetna Accident and Liability Co. Frank & Marburger, N. W. corner of 87th street and 3rd avenue, City; surety, National Surety Co. For conveying pupils to and from public

schools: Harris Neisloss, Farmes ave., Hollis, N. Y.; surety, Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland. Syndicate Trading Co., 2 Walker street, City; surety, The Aetna Accident & Liability Co. Callaghan & Roulet, Maspeth, L. I.; surety, Globe Indemnity Co. John J. Foley, 616 Grand street, Brooklyn; surety, National Surety Co. Jacob Griffin, 6th street, Bay-side, L. I.; surety, Globe Indemnity Co. John I. Diehl, 1313 Fort Schuyler road, The Bronx; surety, Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company. Peter Plunkett, 1579 Grant avenue, Westchester, N. Y.; surety, Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company. John F. Mulgrew, 136 East 74th street, City; surety, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. John J. Skelly, East 18th street and avenue M, Brooklyn; surety, Casualty Co. of America. Bellotti & Co., Inc., 705 East 215th street, City; surety, American Surety Company. Winkler's N. Y. and Rockaway Express, Inc., Far Rockaway, N. Y.; surety, American Surety Company. Louis Schmul, Melvin ave., Linoleumville, Staten Island, N. Y.; surety, Fidelity & Casualty Company. Geo. A. Kinsey, Springfield Gardens, L. I.; surety, Fidelity & Deposit Co. of

Maryland. Richard Morrison, 3448 Station street, The Bronx; surety, Fidelity & Casualty Co. William C. Card, Corona avenue, Elmhurst, N. Y.; surety, National Surety Co. A. E. PALMER, Secretary.

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Manhattan, Municipal Building—Second Floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, Worth, 3711.

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont ayes. Telephone, 1250 Tremont, 8 a. m. to midnight, every day. 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.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August. Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swann, District Attorney.

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

Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

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

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August. John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st. Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

SUBROGATES.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cobalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 4934 Main.

William E. Kelly, 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, Room 17.

18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 m. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

James C. Crosey, District Attorney.

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

Jacob Brenner, 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.
4560 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

COUNTY CLERK.
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.

James Vincent Ganiv, 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 JUDICIAL.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.

John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 3d ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturday to 12 m.

Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.

Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.

James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur Ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.

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

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 m.

County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
302 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.

Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.

Paul Stier, Sheriff.

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

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SUBROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Juries, 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 JUDICIAL.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

First District—Criminal Courts Building. Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—2d ave. and 1st st. Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—125 st. and Sylvan place. Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st. Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 6th ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

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

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st., Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st. Second District—Court and Butler sta.

Fifth District—261 Bedford ave. Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush. Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st. Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt ayes.

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.

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

Second District—164-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—314 West 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

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

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 East 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

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

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

Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Borough of Queens.
First District—115 Fifth st., Long Island City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

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

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

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part V, 161st st. and 3d ave., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 9088 Melrose.

Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
New York County—157 E. 22d st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.

Brooklyn County—355 E. 137th st. Court held on Wednesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose.

Michael Murray, Clerk.

Kings County—102 Court st. Telephone, 627 Main.

William C. McKee, Clerk.

Queens County—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Monday and Thursday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica.

Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk.

Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Building, St. George. Court held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

William J. Browne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department.

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

Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.

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

John B. Byrne, Clerk.

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

Joseph H. De Bragg, Clerk.

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

William J. Schneider, Clerk.

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

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.

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

James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.
County Court House, Long Island City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September.

In Part I, Trial Term, Part 2, February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.

Clerk's Office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 m. from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, every Friday at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesday, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall,

every Thursday at 10.30 a. m., upon notice of the Secretary.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of City Record.
The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the One Hundred and Eighty-third Public Auction Sale, consisting of Condemned Police Department Horses, will be held at the Sales Stables of Messrs. Fiss, Doerr and Carroll Horse Company, Nos. 153-155 East 24th Street, Borough of Manhattan, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916, at 11 A. M.

Lot Nos. 1 to 15, respectively: Horses—George 630, Zeke 306, Orion 483, Harmony 42, Bunny 634, Rescue 109, Tiger 513, Tory 615, Colin 341, Fireball 31, Keeler 408, Elk 697, Wampus 706, Dattrey 765, Wakefield 774.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner. f28,m9

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 240 Centre st., for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners, or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 72 Poplar st., Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916, FOR REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ON THE BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.

The repairs shall be made from time to time as required and the contract completed on or before December 30, 1916.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated March 2, 1916. m4,16

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

Corporation Sale by Sealed Bids of the Lease of Certain City Real Estate.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held February 9, 1916, the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids

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

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

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

5. In the event of the failure of the lessee to conform to all the requirements of the lease, the building and any alterations or improvements on the premises will become the property of the City of New York.

Any building erected upon the demised premises, together with the alterations and improvements thereon, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease or any renewal thereof.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FREDERICK J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.
Department of Bridges, Commissioner's Office,
February 11, 1916. 116,m6

STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION— DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Public Notice.

Whereas, an application having been filed by the Dobbie Foundry & Machine Co. of Niagara Falls, praying for a variation from the provisions of Section 8-a of the Labor Law so as to permit it to work certain of its employees on Sunday, January 30th, 1916; and

Whereas, an investigation of the facts stated in said petition having been made and reports thereon having been filed by the Chief factory inspector and supervising inspector, wherein it appears that the Dobbie Foundry & Machine Co. worked three of its employees for seven hours on the 30th day of January, 1916, and seven of its employees for five hours on the 30th day of January, 1916; and

Whereas, it further appears from said reports that the employment of said workmen was made necessary by reason of an extraordinary emergency existing at the factory of the Union Carbide Co., by reason of the breakdown of a furnace in continuous operation; it is

Resolved, that the Dobbie Foundry & Machine Co. of Niagara Falls be and it hereby is granted a variation from the provisions of Section 8-a of the Labor Law, permitting it to work three of its employees for seven hours on the 30th day of January, 1916, and seven of its employees for five hours on the 30th day of January, 1916; and it is further

Resolved, that the said variation be and the same is hereby granted, nunc pro tunc, as of the 30th day of January, 1916.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, HENRY D. SAYER, Secretary of the State Industrial Commission of the State of New York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original thereof, duly adopted by the State Industrial Commission on the 17th day of February, 1916, and duly filed in the office of said Commission, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State Industrial Commission this 28th day of February, 1916. H. D. SAYER, Secretary.
(Seal.) m4

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at Room 2, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BOXES OF TOILET SOAP TO THE STOREHOUSE, 237 DUFFIELD STREET, BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the soap and the full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) calendar days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of soap, per pound, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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 Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 180,000 GALLONS OF REFINED ASPHALT IN LIQUID FORM AND 200 TONS (2,000 POUNDS EACH) OF REFINED ASPHALT IN CONTAINING PACKAGES.

To be delivered to the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

Time for completion of contract, on or before December 31, 1916. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30 per cent. of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, gallon, 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.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

NO. 1—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN CHESTER STREET, FROM NEWPORT STREET TO LOTT AVENUE AND A SEWER IN LOTT AVENUE, FROM CHESTER STREET TO ROCKAWAY AVENUE, WITH A TEMPORARY CONNECTION AT CHESTER STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 35 linear feet of 22-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.10.....

2. 570 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.35.....

3. 380 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70.....

4. 140 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.75.....

5. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

6. 7 manholes complete with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$50.....

7. 3 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basins and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$125.....

8. 2,000 feet board measure of sheeting and bracing driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per thousand feet, board measure, \$18.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars.

NO. 2—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 78TH STREET FROM 5TH AVENUE TO 6TH AVENUE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

41 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.50.....

666 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50.....

165 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70.....

7 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

1,500 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, \$18.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750).

NO. 3—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN RIVERDALE AVENUE FROM PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE TO NEW JERSEY AVENUE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 220 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.85.....

2. 60 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....

3. 3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

4. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

5. 1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

NO. 4—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 20TH AVENUE FROM 65TH STREET TO 66TH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 220 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.85.....

2. 60 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....

3. 3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

4. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

5. 1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

NO. 5—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 20TH AVENUE FROM 65TH STREET TO 66TH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 220 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.85.....

2. 60 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....

3. 3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

4. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

5. 1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

NO. 6—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 20TH AVENUE FROM 65TH STREET TO 66TH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

235 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50.....

130 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70.....

2 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

10 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract, will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

NO. 5—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM OSBORN STREET TO THATFORD AVENUE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

215 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50.....

78 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70.....

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250).

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 notice to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for each 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."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN LAWRENCE AVENUE, FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO 47TH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

313 linear feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.40.....

149 linear feet of 6 inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.65.....

4 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45.....

One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$115.....

Total.....

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

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 notice 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.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAY RIDGE AVE., FROM 13TH AVE. TO 14TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

595 cu. yds. excavation to subgrade.

395 cu. yds. concrete.

2,380 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Total.....

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$1,300.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON CROSBY AVE., FROM VERMONT AVE. TO A PROPERTY LINE ABOUT ONE HUNDRED (100) FEET SOUTHWEST OF BULWER PL.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

480 cu. yds. excavation.

480 cu. yds. fill to be furnished.

1,350 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

6,560 sq. ft. cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

6,560 sq. ft. 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$700.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON KATLANDS AVE., FROM ROCKAWAY AVE. TO EAST 92ND ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

340 cu. yds. excavation.

730 cu. yds. fill to be furnished.

2,800 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

11,870 sq. ft. cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

11,870 sq. ft. 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.

Time allowed, 35 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$1,100.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 17TH AVE. FROM 45TH ST. TO 46TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

255 cu. yds. excavation to subgrade.

170 cu. yds. concrete.

1,030 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 20 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$600.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 5-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 71ST ST., FROM 18TH AVE. TO 19TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

670 cu. yds. excavation to subgrade.

20 cu. yds. fill (not to be bid for).

34 lin. ft. bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

1,390 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

320 cu. yds. concrete.

2,280 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$1,400.

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 50,000 IRON SLAG PAVING BLOCKS, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

20,000 blocks to yard adjoining the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

20,000 blocks to corporation yard, 67th St. near 18th Ave.

10,000 blocks to corporation yard, N. 8th St. near Union Ave.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of the Queens Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of October 19th, Dec. 7, 1915, Jan. 18, February 29, 1916, has been continued to

TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the third floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. m4,7,14,21,28,41,11,18,25

Notice of Continuation of Manhattan Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of August 26th, 1915, Oct. 7, Nov. 18, 1915, January 6 and February 17, 1916, has been continued to

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1916, at 2 P. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fifth floor of the Municipal Building (room 512), Manhattan, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f19,26,m4,11,18,25,a1,8,13

Notice of Continuation of Richmond Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes on the Real Estate of Corporations and Special Franchises, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of July 7 and July 21, Aug. 4, Aug. 18, Sept. 1, Sept. 15, Sept. 29, Oct. 13, 1915, Dec. 15, 1915, Feb. 16, 1916, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 129 in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f19,26,m4,11,15

Notice of the Continuation of The Bronx Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID SPECIAL FRANCHISE TAXES AND REAL ESTATE OF CORPORATION TAXES for the Borough of The Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sale of August 9, Nov. 1, 1915, Feb. 7, 1916, has been continued to

MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont Avenues, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f14,m20

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICES TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

SECTION 1.

RECEIVING BASINS ADJACENT TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF DUTCH STREET AND JOHN STREET, with connecting sewer basin adjacent to the NORTHEAST CORNER OF DUTCH AND JOHN STREETS. Area of assessment affects block 78.

ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO RECEIVING BASINS at the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BEEKMAN AND FRONT STREETS. Area of assessment affects block 96.

SECTION 3.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTEENTH STREET AND AVENUE B and the SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SIXTEENTH STREET AND AVENUE A. Area of assessment affects block 973.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF TENTH AVENUE AND WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET. Area of assessment affects block 698.

RECEIVING BASIN AND INLET ADJACENT TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WEST THIRTIETH STREET AND TENTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 728.

EAST THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET—RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FIRST AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 943.

SECTION 4.

RECEIVING BASIN IN WEST FORTY-EIGHTH STREET ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF EIGHTH AVENUE and the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BROADWAY. Area of assessment affects block 1019.

SECTION 5.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 1267.

SECTION 6.

RECEIVING BASINS ADJACENT TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET AND LENOX AVENUE AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET AND FIFTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 1730.

SECTION 8.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE and the SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FORT WASHINGTON AVENUE AND BROADWAY. Area of assessment affects block 2136.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

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

SECTION 1.

BROADWAY — RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT on the east side, 11 feet east of Cedar Street. Area of assessment affects lot 1 in block 47.

The above assessment was certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same was entered on February 29, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

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, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, February 29, 1916. m4,15

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

FIRST WARD.

SOUTH WASHINGTON PLACE—REGULATING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING THE ROADWAY from Academy Street to Jackson Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 96 and 97.

HOPKINS AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING from Grand Avenue to Main Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 26, 28, 29, 50, 51, 52 and 53.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 15.

KRUGER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES from Baker Avenue to Morris Park Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 4033, 4034, 4037 and 4038.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13.

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET from Kingsbridge Avenue to Riverdale Avenue; WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH 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 Two Hundred and Forty-second Street, and Greystone Avenue from Riverdale Avenue to

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 Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont ayes, Borough of The Bronx, 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 May 1st, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

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

SECTIONS 8, 12, 13 and 19.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS at 1896 to 1904 DOUGLAS STREET, on the west side, between Pitkin and Sutter Avenues; southwest corner of BATH AVENUE and BAY TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET; southwest corner of CLEVELAND STREET and FULTON STREET; 156 GLENMORE AVENUE, south side, between Sackman and Powell Streets; 376 KEAP STREET, east side, between South Second and South Third Streets; 547 LIBERTY AVENUE, north side, between Hendrix Street and Schenk Avenue; 341 LIVONIA AVENUE, northeast corner of Stone Avenue; northeast corner of PITKIN AVENUE and ALABAMA AVENUE; 353 SACKMAN STREET, east side, between Belmont Avenue and Sutter Avenue; 307-309 WALLABOUT STREET, north side, between Harrison and Throop Avenues, and 401 WILLIAMS AVENUE, east side, between Blake and Dumont Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 3515, 6445, 3953, 3711, 2424, 3963, 3794, 3718, 3745, 2250 and 3785.

SARATOGA AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Livonia Avenue to East Ninety-eighth Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 3582, 3583, 3595, 3596, 3607 and 3608.

SACKMAN STREET — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING from Livonia Avenue to Riverdale Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 3812 and 3813.

ROBINSON AVENUE—PAVING between Bedford Avenue and Rogers Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5049 and 5056.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING from New Utrecht Avenue to Fourteenth Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5691 and 5698.

SIXTY-SIXTH STREET — REGULATING AND GRADING from Fourth to Fifth Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5827 and 5843.

SECTIONS 18 and 19.

EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING AND CURBING from Seventh to Twelfth Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 6011, 6012, 6021, 6022, 6301 and 6307.

SECTIONS 20 and 21.

AVENUE U—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Coney Island Avenue to Gravesend Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 6681, 7105 to 7112, 7124, 7127 to 7136.

SECTIONS 23.

KENMORE PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Avenue G to a line 520 feet southerly therefrom. Area of assessment affects blocks 7548 and 7549.

—the above entitled assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29th, 1916, and entered March 1st, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET from Kingsbridge Avenue to Riverdale Avenue; WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH 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 Two Hundred and Forty-second Street, and Greystone Avenue from Riverdale Avenue to

West Two Hundred and Forty-second Street. Confirmed January 24th, 1916; entered February 28th, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Fortieth street and the northeasterly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as these streets are laid out between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue, and running thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Broadway to the intersection with a line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, as these streets are laid out between Broadway and Putnam avenue West; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southeasterly right of way line of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence northeasterly along the said right of way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Albany road on the west; thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Albany road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Albany road; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Albany road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between Broadway and Putnam Avenue West; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street as these streets are laid out between Spuyten Duyvil road and Tibbett avenue; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street as this street is laid out between Cambridge avenue and Riverdale avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westwardly along the said prolongation of a line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street to a point distant 65 feet westerly from the easterly line of Riverdale avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverdale avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 65 feet westerly from and parallel with the easterly line of Riverdale avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street as these streets are laid out between Cambridge avenue and Riverdale avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Cambridge avenue and Riverdale avenue, as these streets are laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Cambridge avenue and Riverdale avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverdale avenue, as this street is laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverdale avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverdale avenue and its southerly prolongation as laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Riverdale avenue and passing through a point on its easterly side where it is intersected by a line distant 350 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street where it adjoins Fieldston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to Riverdale avenue to the intersection with its easterly side; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the intersection with a line midway between Fieldston road and Grey-stone avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Fieldston road and Grey-stone avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road where it adjoins West Two Hundred and Fortieth street on the north, the said distance being measured at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road, distant 100 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil road and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road and passing through a point on its westerly side distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Waldo avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Waldo avenue; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road to the intersection with its westerly side; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Waldo avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as this street is laid out between Waldo avenue and Spuyten Duyvil road, and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point or place of beginning.

—the above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafore 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, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

will be collected thereon, as provided by section 987 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 Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 28, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 28, 1916. m2,13

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for **OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE** to the following named avenue in the **BOROUGH OF QUEENS**:

FIRST WARD.
NEWTOWN AVENUE—OPENING. from Flushing Avenue to Grand Avenue. Confirmed June 22, 1914, and January 27, 1916; entered February 25, 1916. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point midway between Clark and Taylor streets 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst Avenue, and running thence southeastwardly on a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Clark street to the intersection with a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Grand street; thence southeastwardly on a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Grand street to the middle of the block between Marc place and Debevoise Avenue; thence southeastwardly on a line midway between Marc place and Debevoise Avenue and midway between Lockwood street and Debevoise Avenue to a point 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Grand street; thence southeastwardly on a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Grand street to a point 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Brielle street; thence northeastwardly on a line 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Brielle street to a point midway between Grand street and Vandeventer Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line midway between Vandeventer Avenue and Grand street and midway between Vandeventer Avenue and Newtown Avenue to a point midway between Rapelle Avenue and Debevoise Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line midway between Rapelle Avenue and Debevoise Avenue to its intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Flushing Avenue, as laid out between their intersection and Carver street; thence northwesterly along the line midway between Flushing Avenue and Newtown Avenue above referred to and the prolongation of the same to a point 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of the Crescent; thence northeastwardly on a line 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of the Crescent to a point 100 feet northeast of the northwesterly side of Flushing Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line 100 feet northeast of the northwesterly side of Flushing Avenue to a point between the Crescent and Hallett street; thence northwesterly on a line 100 feet northeast of the northwesterly side of Flushing Avenue to a point between the Crescent and Hallett street to a point in the prolongation of a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of North Washington place, as laid out between Van Alst Avenue and Hallett street; thence northwesterly along a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of North Washington place, between Van Alst Avenue and Hallett street, and the prolongations thereof, to a point 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst Avenue; thence southwesterly on a line 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

—the above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 987 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 Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 17, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 17, 1916. f23,m4

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

SECTION 20.
EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from Avenue M to Avenue N. Area of assessment affects blocks 6746 and 6747.

EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING from Avenue N to Avenue O. Area of assessment affects blocks 6754 and 6755.

The above entitled assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on February 17th, 1916, and entered February 17th, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 17, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 17, 1916. f23,m4

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 23, 1916, and entered on

February 23, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 24, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f26,m8

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

SECTION 14.
ZEREGA AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB STONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES from Ludlow Avenue to Westchester Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 3824, 3825 and 3827 to 3846.

SECTION 16.
EAST TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB STONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES from White Plains Avenue to Oakley Avenue. Area of assessment includes blocks 4663 to 4666, 4674 to 4677, 4686 to 4689, 4698 to 4701, 4710 and 4711.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on February 17, 1916, and entered on February 17, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 17, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 17, 1916. f23,m4

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

SECTION 20.
EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from Avenue M to Avenue N. Area of assessment affects blocks 6746 and 6747.

EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING from Avenue N to Avenue O. Area of assessment affects blocks 6754 and 6755.

The above entitled assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on February 17th, 1916, and entered February 17th, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides . . . "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 17, 1916, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 17, 1916. f23,m4

Corporation Sales by Sealed Bids of the
Lease of Certain City Real Estate.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on **MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916,**

at 12 o'clock M., in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of Lot 13, in Block 543, Section 2, known as Nos. 120-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, for a period of five years from August 1, 1916, with the privilege of one renewal for an additional term of ten years, at the minimum or up to price of \$2,400 per annum, payable quarterly in advance; the rental for the renewal term of ten years to be determined by two discreet and disinterested appraisers, one of whom shall be named by the lessor, the other by the lessee, and, in the event of a disagreement between said appraisers as to the amount of rental to be paid for said renewal term, the question shall be decided by a third discreet and disinterested appraiser, to be named by the two appraisers first above mentioned; and the said sale will be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:
The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

He will also be required to give an undertaking in the amount of the annual rental bid, with sufficient surety to be approved by the Comptroller, for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance of the covenants and terms of the lease.

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

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property and will contain, in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows: 1st—A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water, per meter measurements, and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

2nd—A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

3rd—A clause providing that during the term of the lease the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

4th—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

5th—A clause providing that the lessee shall have possession of the premises immediately upon the execution of the lease without the necessity of paying rent until the date of the commencement of the lease, but he shall be liable for any damages which may occur in or to the premises to be demised from the date of possession.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any or all bids if deemed to be to the interest of The City of New York.

W. M. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller. City of New York.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
February 29, 1916. m3,30

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COM-
panies 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 Pavement.

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.

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE APRIL 1, 1916, ON
Registered and Coupon bonds and stock of The City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 847, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, Borough of Manhattan).

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable April 1, 1916, will be closed from March 15, 1916, to April 1, 1916.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m1,a1

Corporation Sales of Buildings and Appur-
tenances Thereon on City Real Estate by
Sealed Bids

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for dock and street cleaning purposes in the

Borough of Manhattan.
BEING 18 small shacks along the East River front, 9 small shacks along the Harlem River front, 25 shacks and 3 small houses along the North River front, and 12 shacks and one house along the Brooklyn water front, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map or 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 February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids, of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:
Parcel No. 1—1 shack foot of Rivington St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 5th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 9th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 18th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 21st St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 32nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 36th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 38th St., E. R.; 1 shack

foot of East 42nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 49th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 53rd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 62nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 65th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 72nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 78th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 91st St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 94th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 96th St., E. R.

Parcel No. 2—1 shack foot of 100th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 101st St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 110th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 117th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 119th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 125th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 135th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 138th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 138th St., Pt. Morris, Bronx.

Parcel No. 3—1 shack at Pier No. 1, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 10, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 16, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 24, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Canal Street, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Barrow Street, N. R.; 1 house at Pier No. 52, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Cansevoort St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 14th St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 16th St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 22nd St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 23rd St., N. R.; 1 shack and 2 houses foot of West 26th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 30th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 35th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 39th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 42nd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 52nd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 55th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 79th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 96th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 133rd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 134th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 156th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 158th St., N. R.

Parcel No. 4—1 shack foot of North Henry St., Whale Creek, Greenpoint; 2 shacks foot of Noble Street, E. R.; 1 shack foot of So. Fifth Street, Wallabout Canal, Brooklyn; 2 shacks in yard at Wallabout Canal, Brooklyn; 1 shack foot of Washington St., E. R.; 2 shacks foot of 39th Street, So. Brooklyn; 1 shack foot of 52nd Street, So. Brooklyn; 2 shacks and 1 house, foot of Bay Ridge Avenue, So. Brooklyn.

These buildings are to be removed within five days from the date of sale.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 20th day of March, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

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

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

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

All bids must state clearly (1) the number on 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 March 20, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

W. M. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. m3,20

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 Sacket Avenue, from the westerly line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge Road, 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 February 23, 1916, 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, MARCH 17, 1916,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:
Parcel 31—Part of one and one-half story frame barn, fences, fruit and shade trees within the line of Sacket Avenue, between Haight Avenue and Williamsbridge Road. Cut barn 34.6 feet on east side by 10.9 feet on westerly projection. Upset price, \$25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 17th day of March, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the

successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

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

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

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

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened March 17th, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. m1,17

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Woodbine Street, from Irving Avenue to Knickerbocker Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,

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

Parcel 5-7—Three two-story brick houses, No. 611, No. 613, No. 615 Knickerbocker Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. Upset price \$200.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 16th day of March, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

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

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

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

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

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened March 16th, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. f29,m16

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids a certain building standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used by it for school purposes in the

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the building on the plot on the northerly side of Pearl Street, 75 feet east of Beekman Street, known as 293 Pearl Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—Four-story brick building No. 293 Pearl Street, 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 11.00 a. m. on the 15th day of March, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

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

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

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be re-

turned 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 March 15, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f28,m15

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids a certain building standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for Fire Department purposes, in the

Borough of Queens.

Being the building on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, in the Borough of Queens, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916,

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

PARCEL NO. 1: Frame building, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

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 14th day of March, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described building 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 March 14, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f26,m14

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1916,

at premises No. 130 East 13th Street, Borough of Manhattan, at 12 m., on said date, the following twelve horses:

HORSES REGISTERED NOS. 293-B, 774-B, 785-N. Y., 375-N. Y., 626-B, 267-B, 864-N. Y., 339-N. Y., 631-N. Y., 684-B, 810-N. Y. AND 860-N. Y.

The above horses may be seen at any time before the date of sale at department stables, Bolar and St. Edward's Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. m2,7

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections at Room 1840, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 M., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OFFICIAL AND SAMPLE PRIMARY BALLOTS, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, FOR SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION, APRIL 4, 1916.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract and the delivery of the ballots is ten (10) calendar days after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

The amount of security required to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract is fifty (50) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Delivery will be required to be made at the various police stations or other points, as directed, in the City at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the General Office of the Board of Elections, Room 1840, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

EDWARD F. BOYLE, MOSES M. McKEE, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON, Commissioners of Elections.

S. HOWARD CONNOR, Chief Clerk.
Dated February 25th, 1916. f25,m7

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Room 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR PAINTING FENCE AROUND THE JEROME PARK RESERVOIR.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is Fifty (50) Consecutive Working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

m4,15 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR PAINTING THREE BRIDGES IN THE CROTONA WATERSHED.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

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

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

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

m4,15 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS, VALVES AND DOUBLE NOZZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days on Section I, seventy-five (75) calendar days on Section II, one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days on Section III and seventy-five (75) calendar days on Section IV. The security required will be eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000) on Section I, three thousand dollars (\$3,000) on Section II, five thousand dollars (\$5,000) on Section III, and four thousand dollars (\$4,000) on Section IV.

Bids will be received for each Section singly, or for all sections; but in comparing the bids, the bids for each Section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by Sections.

Brooklyn and Richmond.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS, VALVES AND DOUBLE NOZZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) calendar days on each section.

The security required will be five hundred dollars (\$500) on Section I, three hundred dollars (\$300) on Section II, one hundred dollars (\$100) on Section III, and two hundred dollars (\$200) on Section IV.

Bids will be received for each Section singly, or for all Sections; but in comparing the bids, the bids for each Section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by Sections.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

March 2, 1916.

m4,16 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st.) until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS TO CUT NEW OPENINGS AND TO INSTALL NEW TRANSOMS, ETC., IN THE FORDHAM HOSPITAL, SITUATED AT CROTONA AVENUE AND SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is SIXTY (60) CONSECUTIVE CALENDAR DAYS. The security required will be ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000). (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of a bid, a deposit of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50) must be made with the department,

in accordance with section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

Bids must be submitted upon blank forms prepared by the department.

No proposal, after it shall have been deposited with the department, will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance No. 400 East 29th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, by JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

ARMORY BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor at 3 o'clock p. m.,

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,

for the following work:

ITEM 1—INSTALLATION OF NEW LIGHTING SYSTEM, ETC., IN DRILL SHED, 13TH COAST DEFENSE COMMAND ARMORY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. SECURITY, \$1,500. DEPOSIT TO ACCOMPANY BID, \$75. TIME ALLOWED TO COMPLETE THE WORK, 60 CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

ITEM 2—ALTERATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR LOCKER AND STORAGE ROOMS, IN 2D BATTALION NAVAL MILITIA ARMORY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. SECURITY, \$2,000. DEPOSIT TO ACCOMPANY BID, \$100. TIME ALLOWED TO COMPLETE THE WORK, 60 CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS. A separate proposal shall be submitted for each item.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Armory Board, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD. JOHN PURKROY MITCHELL, Mayor; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen; GEORGE R. DYER, Brig. Gen. 1st Brigade; JOHN G. ENDY, Brig. Gen. 2d Brigade; R. P. FOARSHAW, Commodore, Naval Militia; LAWSON PURDY, President, Dept. of Taxes and Assessments. m3,16

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916.

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 225 TONS ICE (NATURAL).

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1916.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, New York City.

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. m3,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1916.

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,500 BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT, IN BAGS. To be delivered to New Hampton Farms, Orange County, New York.

The time for the delivery of the cement, and the performance of the contract is by or before August 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per barrel, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, New York City.

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. f24,m6

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1488, CLASSES 1 AND 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A FREIGHT SHED WITH APPURTENANCES ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST FORTY-SIXTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, IN THE BOR

bined form one contract, and award, if made, will be made to the bidder whose total price for doing all of the work called for in both classes is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated February 26, 1916. f28,m10

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916,**

CONTRACT NO. 1501.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PROPELLER WHEELS.

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 twenty (120) calendar days.

The amount of security required shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The security deposit to accompany bid shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Item 1 of the contract calls for 6 propeller wheels for the Staten Island ferries. Item 2 calls for 2 propeller wheels for the 39th Street ferries. Awards, if made, will be made in each item to the lowest bidder in the item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated February 23, 1916. f25,m8

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Auction Sale of Condemned Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-ance with the provisions of Section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Department of Street Cleaning will sell at public auction at Stable "A," 17th Street and Avenue "C," Borough of Manhattan, the following described condemned property of the said Department in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, at 10 o'clock a. m.,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916.

FIFTY (50) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

The horses shall be paid for in full at the time of the sale and shall be removed by the purchasers before 3 o'clock, p. m., on the day of the sale. Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the condition and value of each horse before paying for the same, as in no case will money be refunded, or the return of the horses accepted, after the sale.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated February 24, 1916. f28,m8

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1916, TO FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1916,

for the position of **STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER, MALE, GRADE 2.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Dictation, 5 (of which Rapidly in taking shorthand notes will count 2 and Accuracy in transcription will count 3); Tabulation, 2; Copying Test, 1 (Speed in transcribing from plain copy to machine); Facility in Transcribing, 1 (Speed in transcribing a passage dictated at the rate of 90 words per minute); Spelling, 1. 70% will be required on the Dictation Test and 70% on all.

In the Dictation Test, four readings will be given; one at 100 words per minute, one at 110 words per minute, one at 120 words per minute and one at 130 words per minute, carrying the ratings respectively of 70%, 80%, 90% and 100% on Rapidly.

In rating Accuracy, exactness, correctness of form, neatness, freedom from interlineations, alterations, etc., will be considered. Time limits will be set in connection with each test. Candidates must furnish their own note books, typewriting machines, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines nor will any allowance be made where machines are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

Candidates are required to be registered nurses of the State of New York and must furnish proof of registration when filing application.

Certifications will be made from this list to the Health Department for public school work, milk stations, preventable diseases and other work.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The usual salary is \$900 per year.

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

m3,17 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1916, TO MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916,

for the position of **INSPECTOR (DISPOSAL OF TRADE WASTE), FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 3; 70% required. Oral, 3; 70% required.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the

examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

A physical qualifying examination will be given. Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

Requirements: Candidates must have had at least three years' experience as an Inspector, Investigator, Examiner, Business Agent or Representative of a corporation or municipality, or must have been employed in similar occupation which would prepare for work of this character.

Duties: The duties of an Inspector of Trade Waste will include the supervision of at least five subordinates engaged in investigating and verifying work records, making statistical studies of street cleaning methods as related to the disposal of waste. The incumbent will be required to make critical and constructive reports on the manner of collection of wastes from business and industrial establishments and must be familiar with the most recent and improved practice. The incumbent will represent the Department of Street Cleaning at civic and public functions or citizens' meetings, and through lectures will seek co-operation in the matter of the disposal of wastes. Familiarity with laws, ordinances and charter provisions relating to the Department is essential.

Candidates must be at least 25 years of age, and not more than 40 years of age, on the closing date for the receipt of applications. There is one vacancy in the Street Cleaning Department at \$1,800 per annum.

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

f28,m13 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1916, TO FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916,

for the position of **LABORATORY ASSISTANT (PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY—HISTOLOGY OR BACTERIOLOGY AND SEROLOGY).**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

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

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

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The usual salary is \$720, with maintenance. Vacancies occur from time to time.

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

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

f25,m10 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916, TO THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916,

for the position of **NURSE, FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; Duties, 4; 70% required. Practical Test, 4; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

Candidates are required to be registered nurses of the State of New York and must furnish proof of registration when filing application.

Certifications will be made from this list to the Health Department for public school work, milk stations, preventable diseases and other work.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The usual salary is \$900 per year.

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

f24,m9 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

Amended Notice.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1916, TO THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,

for the position of **DIETITIAN.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4:00 P. M. THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 4;

70% required. Oral, 2; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C.

Requirements: Training and experience: Candidates must have a certificate showing the completion of an approved course of study in dietetics of at least one year or the equivalent and must in addition have had not less than one year of practical experience in institutional dietary work in an executive or subordinate capacity.

Duties: The Dietitian exercises a general supervision over the dietary department of the hospital to which assignment is made; has charge of the employees and is responsible for the requisitions and preparation of menus, etc., and conducts classes in dietetics in the Training School for Nurses.

There are two vacancies in the Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at a salary of \$720 per annum, with maintenance.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m2,16 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

HUNTER COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College of the City of New York, at the office of the Board of Trustees, at Hunter College, Park Avenue and 68th Street, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 225 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, PEASIZE, MORE OR LESS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of January, 1917.

The amount of security required shall be not less than 30 per cent. of the estimated cost of the coal.

Certified check or cash to the amount of 5 per cent. of the security required must be submitted with the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded as a whole.

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College, southwest corner of Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

ADRIAN VAN SINDEREN, Chairman, Committee on Finance.

m4,16 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 grades of West 134th Street between Broadway and Riverside Drive Viaduct, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grades of West 134th Street between Broadway and Riverside Drive Viaduct, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 January 12, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

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 widen West 165th Street from Audubon Avenue to Amsterdam Avenue, and to discontinue the public park bounded by Audubon Avenue, Croton Place and West 165th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Roosevelt Avenue, Glean Street, Britton Avenue, Ithaca Street, Baxter Avenue and 26th 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 Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Roosevelt Avenue, Glean Street, Britton Avenue, Ithaca Street, Baxter Avenue and 26th 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 April 30, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York so as to change the grade of East 173rd Street between 3rd Avenue and Fulton Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grade of East 173rd Street between 3rd Avenue and Fulton Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated October 21, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

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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 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of the City of New York so as to establish

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 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

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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 grade of East 173rd Street between 3rd Avenue and Fulton Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated October 21, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

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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 17

lines and grades for 195th Street from 98th Avenue (Sagamore Avenue) to 99th Avenue (Atlantic Avenue), Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for 195th Street from 98th Avenue (Sagamore Avenue) to 99th Avenue (Atlantic Avenue), in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated December 11, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

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 the street system within the territory bounded by Caldwell Avenue, Juniper Avenue, Helen Place, Lisbet Place, Eliot Avenue and Harriet Avenue, and adjust the dimensions of the angle at the westerly intersection of Brown Place and Caldwell Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Caldwell Avenue, Juniper Avenue, Helen Place, Lisbet Place, Eliot Avenue and Harriet Avenue, and adjusting the dimensions of the angle at the westerly intersection of Brown Place and Caldwell Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated September 29, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Cedar Place from Sullivan Street to Malbone Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Malbone Street where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Franklin Avenue and the westerly line of Cedar Place as these streets are laid out between Sullivan Street and Malbone Street, and running thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northerly line of Sullivan Street; thence northwardly at right angles to Sullivan Street a distance of 100 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Sullivan Street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Sullivan Street and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Cedar Place as this street is laid out between Sullivan Street and Malbone Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Cedar Place; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Sullivan Street to the intersection with its southerly side; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Cedar Place and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Malbone Street; thence southwardly at right angles to Malbone Street a distance of 100 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Malbone Street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Malbone Street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Malbone Street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record and in the Corporation Newsletters for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under resolutions adopted on January 26, 1911, January 8, 1915, and December 3, 1915, authorized a proceeding for acquiring title to Corona Avenue from Hampton Street to Rodman Street, Borough of Queens; and

Whereas, the Board is considering the advisability of further amending the said proceeding so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 21, 1916, and approved by the Mayor on January 25, 1916, in which Lurting Street was discontinued in the block between Junction Avenue and Corona Avenue, this incidentally involving the fixing of the northerly line of Corona Avenue across the former intersection with Lurting Street; the amendment now proposed providing for the acquisition of title to Corona Avenue from Hampton Street to Rodman Street, as said Corona Avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of the City of New York.

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 area of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the southerly property line of the Long Island Railroad where it is intersected by a line at right angles to Corona Avenue, and passing through a point on its northwesterly side, midway between Hampton Street and Neil Place, and running thence easterly along the said property line of the Long Island Railroad to the intersection with a line midway between Way Avenue and Alburis Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Way Avenue and Alburis Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Lurting Street and Merritt Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Lurting Street and Merritt Street to a point distant 600 feet north-easterly from the northeasterly line of Corona Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Corona Avenue; thence southwardly and always distant 600 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Corona Avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of the northerly line of Rodman Street; thence southwardly along a line at right angles to Rodman Street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tredwell Street and Urquhart Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Tredwell Street and Urquhart Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line parallel with Seminole Avenue and passing through a point on the southerly line of Scudder Street, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Van Doren Street and Waldron Street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Seminole Avenue to the southerly line of Scudder Street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Van Doren Street and Waldron Street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 600 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Corona Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Corona Avenue; thence generally northwesterly and always distant 600 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Corona Avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Gerry Avenue and Maurice Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Gerry Avenue and Maurice Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Etna Place and Medina Place; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Etna Place and Medina Place and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Corona Avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Corona Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering a Tentative Plan showing proposed lines and grades for Riverside Drive West from West 155th Street to Riverside Drive East, about opposite West 177th Street; a proposed change in the lines and grades of West 158th Street between Riverside Drive West and Riverside Drive East; proposed lines for West 171st Street from Riverside Drive West to Riverside Drive East; and a proposed change in the grade of Audubon Place from Riverside Drive East to West 157th Street; and a proposed change in the grade of Riverside Drive East from West 157th Street to a point about 300 feet north of West 158th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; the said Tentative Plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated February 18, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board hold an informal hearing on the said Tentative Plan at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

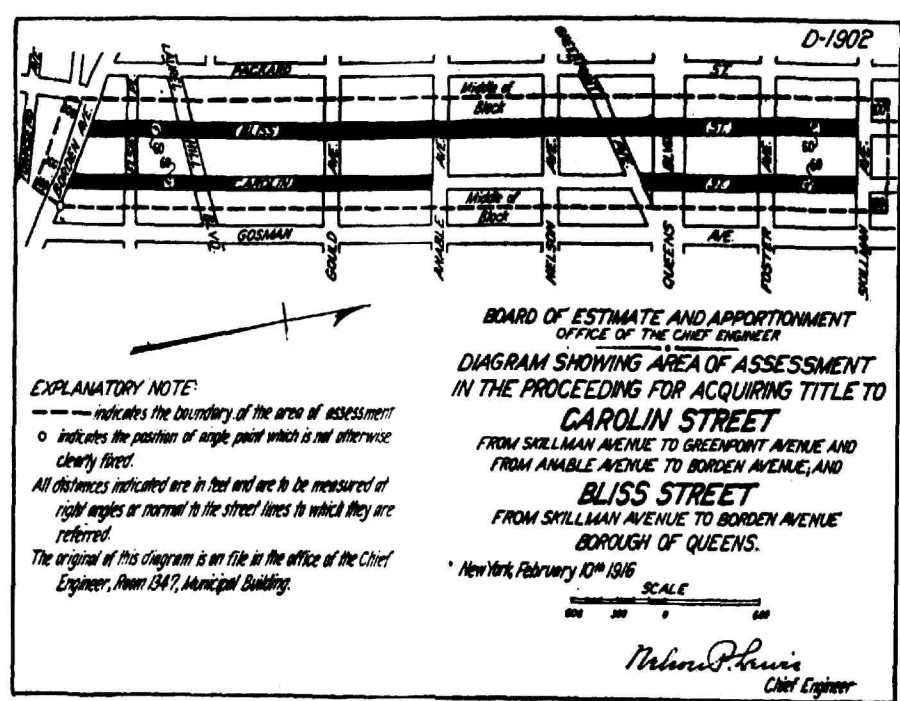
Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Bliss Street from Skillman Avenue to Borden Avenue; Carolin Street from Skillman Avenue to Borden Avenue, and from Anable Avenue to Borden Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



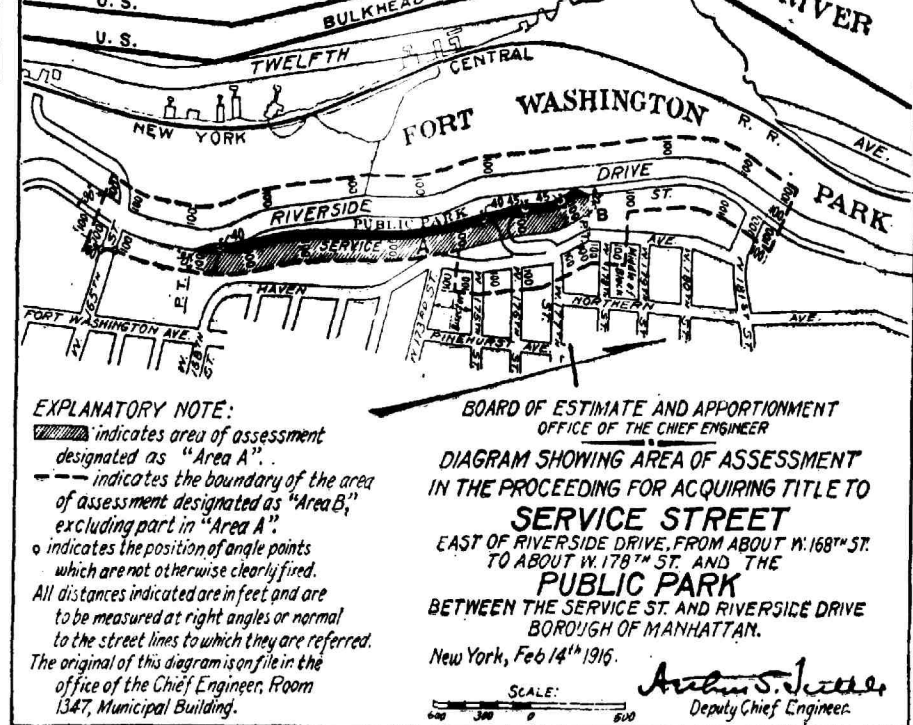
Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 25, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Service Street from East of Riverside Drive, from about W. 168th St. to about W. 178th St. and the Public Park between the Service St. and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan.



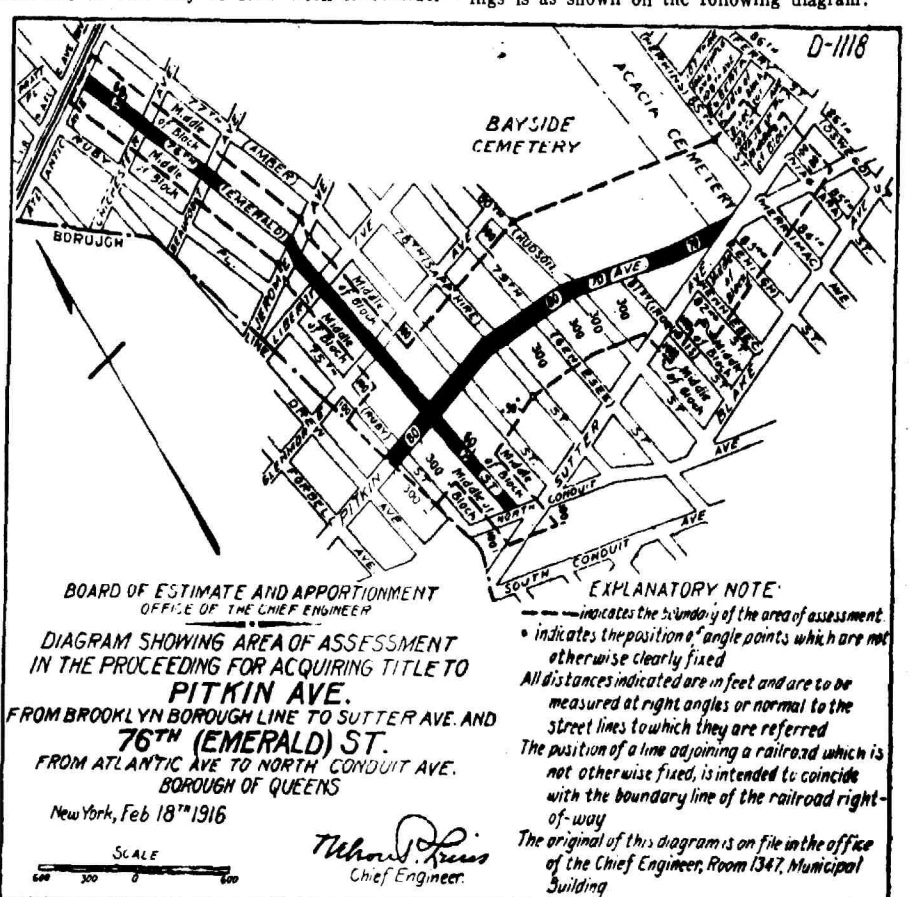
Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 25, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Pitkin Avenue from Brooklyn Borough Line to Sutter Avenue and 76th (Emerald) St. from Atlantic Ave. to North Conduit Ave. Borough of Queens.



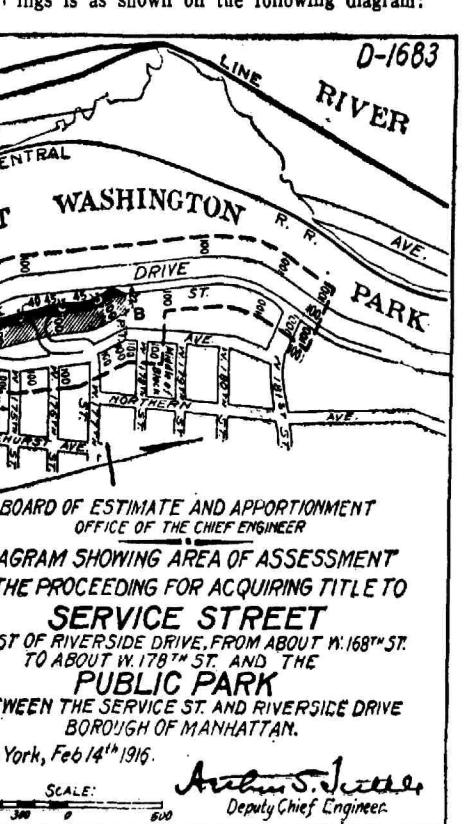
Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of The Service Street located on the easterly side of Riverside Drive, extending from a point near West 168th Street to a point near West 178th Street, together with the Public Park intervening between the Service Street and Riverside Drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



ing the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Seventy-sixth Street (Emerald Street) from Atlantic Avenue to North Conduit Avenue, and Pitkin Avenue from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Sutter Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:

Local Board Meetings.

MARKUS M. MARKS, President.
JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-
ance with Chapter 432 of the Charter of The
City of New York, that a report signed by
the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending
alteration and improvement to basin at the north-

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-
ance with Section 432 of the Charter of The
City of New York, that a report signed by
the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending
the construction of receiving basin adjacent to the
northeast corner of 125th street and St. Nicholas
avenue and alteration and improvement to basin
at the northwest corner of 125th street and 8th
avenue, with inlets and all work incidental there-
to, has been filed in this office and is now
ready for public inspection, and that a

ance with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a report signed by the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending construction of inlet adjacent to the northwest corner of Delancey and Suffolk streets, and all work incidental there, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Corlears Hook District for the purpose of said report will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, Room 1101, at 11 o'clock, A.M., 1916, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-
ance with Section 432 of the Charter of The
City of New York, that a report signed by
the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending
alteration and improvement to basin at the north-
east corner of Bowery and Bayard street, with
inlets and inlet adjacent to the southeast corner
of Bowery and Canal street, with all work inci-
dental thereto, has been filed in this office and is
now ready for public inspection, and that a
meeting of the Board of Local Improvements

is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Murray Hill District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 1st day of March, 1916, at 11 a. m. at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a report signed by the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending construction of receiving basin adjacent to the

southeast corner of Lexington avenue and 31st street, and inlet adjacent to the northeast corner of Lexington avenue and 30th street, with all work incidental thereto, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Kips Bay District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a report signed by the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending alteration and improvement to basin at the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and 31st street, with inlets and inlet adjacent to the northwest corner of Lexington avenue and 30th street, with all work incidental thereto, has been filed in his office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Murray Hill District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a report signed by the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending alteration and improvement to basin at the southeast corner of Lexington avenue and 32d street, with inlets and all work incidental thereto, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Kips Bay District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a report signed by the Chief Engineer of Sewers, recommending alteration and improvement to basin at the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and 32d street, with inlets and all work incidental thereto, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Murray Hill District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said report will be submitted to the Board.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
JAMES W. ADAMS, Secretary. m4

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916.

FOR CONSTRUCTING A STAIRWAY AT 137TH STREET AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

25 cu. yds. Earth Excavation.
25 cu. yds. Rock Excavation.
15 cu. yds. Concrete.
10 cu. yds. Rubble Masonry in mortar.
20 cu. yds. Granite Ashlar Masonry.
215 cu. ft. Granite in Steps and Landings.
200 cu. ft. Granite in Parapets, Coping, Cornices, etc.
10 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.
150 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalks, Class A.
75 lin. ft. Bronze Hand-railing.
2 Bronze Lampposts.
1 Electric Lighting System.
Removing 1 Granite Obelisk.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be sixty (60) 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 will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. The contracts, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Borough of Manhattan. MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated March 4, 1916. m4,15

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING DRIP PAN OVER THE PUBLIC MARKET UNDER THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be sixty (60) calendar consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve hundred (\$1,200) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

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

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
Dated February 26, 1916. f26,m8

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens, at his office, Third floor, Borough Hall, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City, until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916.

FOR A CONTRACT FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF PICKING OVER AND APPROPRIATING FROM AMONG THE GARBAGE, ASHES, STREET SWEEPINGS AND RUBBISH IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, IN THE WOODSIDE, WINFIELD, NEWTOWN, CORONA, ELMHURST AND EAST ELMHURST SECTIONS OF THE SECOND DISTRICT, AND IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH DISTRICTS, DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR, AND AT THE

REMSEN AVENUE DUMP AND CREMATORY IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT DURING THE MONTHS OF APRIL, MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, AND AT ALL DUMPS IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT DURING THE MONTHS OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER; IN CONSIDERATION OF THE WORK OF FEEDING THE INCINERATORS SITUATED AT (NO. 3) CHURCH STREET, JAMAICA, (NO. 4) REMSEN AVENUE, FAR ROCKAWAY, AND (NO. 5) BERGEN'S LANDING, AQUEDUCT; AND LEVELING, GRADING AND DISINFECTING AT INLAND DUMPS, AND A PAYMENT OF A SUM OR SUMS OF MONEY, FOR THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING THE FIRST MONDAY NEXT AFTER THE SIGNING AND DELIVERY OF THE CONTRACT AND ENDING ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF SIGNING OF CONTRACT, WITH THE RIGHT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO RENEW THE CONTRACT FOR ANOTHER PERIOD OF FOUR YEARS ON THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS, EXCEPTING THE PROVISIONS FOR RENEWAL.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars (\$500). In addition to this, a special deposit of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) in lawful money of the United States will be required to be made to the Comptroller of the City of New York on or before the signing, sealing and delivery of the contract, to remain on deposit with the said Comptroller until the completion of the contract.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the highest bidder. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated March 3rd, 1916.
m3,14 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at his office, Third Floor, Borough Hall, Fifth Street and Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF GRAVEL OR BROKEN STONE CHIPS AT VARIOUS POINTS AS DIRECTED IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING 200,000 GALLONS OF ASPHALTIC OIL ON THE ROADS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE HUNDRED (900) NET TONS OF LIME STONE OR OTHER SUITABLE INORGANIC DUST, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 13,300 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS 30,000 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 600,000 GALLONS OF LIGHT ROAD OIL IN TANK CARS, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND (35,000) GALLONS OF LIQUID FUEL OIL, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS DIRECTED, 50 TONS OF ASPHALTIC CEMENT TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated February 24th, 1916.
f24,m6 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Invitation to Contractors.

For Station Finish Work for Part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of station finish for seven (7) stations on the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of Manhattan will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 9th day of March, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The stations for which said station finish is to be provided are seven (7) stations on that part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad beginning at a point under Trinity Place, about fifty (50) feet north of the northerly building line of Morris Street, and extending thence northerly under Trinity Place, Church Street, private property, Vesey Street and again under private property to Broadway and thence under Broadway and Union Square to and including the northerly approach to the Fourteenth Street station.

The work to be done will also include other finish work along the line of the Railroad.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract on such station or stations or other parts of said Railroad as the Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of said Railroad within ten (10) days after notice and shall complete all work within seven (7) months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, February 17, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

THOMAS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f19,m9

For Completion of Station Finish Work for Part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE completion of construction of station finish for the Hunters Point Avenue station on the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of Queens, located at 4th Street, Van Alst and Hunters Point Avenues, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 9th day of March, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The work to be done will also include certain work of constructing enclosures between stations.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract and shall complete all work within four (4) months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, February 17, 1916.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

THOMAS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f19,m9

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Completion of Assessments.

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

Borough of Manhattan.
5023. Paving and curbing West 160th Street from Fort Washington Avenue to Riverside Drive. Affecting Block 2136.

5024. Paving and curbing Exterior Street from 67th Street to a point 100 feet south of 70th Street and from a point 100 feet north of 70th Street to 79th Street. Affecting Blocks 1479 to 1490, 1576 and 1589.

5065. Basin at the southwest corner of East 78th Street and First Avenue. Affecting Block 1452.

5066. Basin and inlet adjacent to the northwest corner of West 161st Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2136.

5067. Basin adjacent to the southwest corner of West 171st Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5068. Basin adjacent to the southwest corner of West 172nd Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5069. Basins adjacent to the northeast corner of West 172nd Street and Haven Avenue, and the southwest corner of West 173rd Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5071. Paving and curbing Haven Avenue from West 170th Street to West 172nd Street. Affecting Block 2139.

5075. Paving and curbing West 179th Street from Northern Avenue to Haven Avenue. Affecting Block 2177.

Borough of The Bronx.
4832. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, paving, etc., Exterior Street from East 151st Street to Jerome Avenue. Affecting Blocks 2497 and 2499.

5062. Paving and curbing Manida Street from Garrison Avenue to Lafayette Avenue. Affecting Block 2740.

5084. Repairing the sidewalk on the northerly side of East 140th Street, west of Cypress Avenue. Affecting Block 2553, Lot 45.

5085. Repairing the sidewalk on the southerly side of East 187th Street from Webster Avenue to Marion Avenue. Affecting Block 3024, Lot 25.

Borough of Richmond.
5087. Repairing the sidewalk in Bentley Street from Amboy Road to Ferry Entrance, Fifth Ward. Affecting Block 13, Lot 82.

Borough of Queens.
4938. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Packard (Grove) Street from Middleburg Avenue to Borden Avenue. Together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 38 to 43 and 45 to 50, First Ward, and Blocks 1383, 1388, 1389, 1394, 1396, 1397, 1398, 1403 and 1407, Second Ward.

5060. Basins and appurtenances on the four corners of Van Alst Avenue and Paynter Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 86, 104 and 146.

5061. Basins on Woolsey Avenue: on the northerly and easterly corners of Seventh Avenue; on the northerly and easterly corners of Sixth Avenue; and on the easterly corner of Park Place, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 65, 75, 78 and 87.

5076. Basin on the easterly corner of Twelfth Avenue and Graham Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Block 200.

5077. Basins on Flushing Avenue: on the southerly corner of Caspian Street; on the easterly and southerly corners of Zeidler Street; on the easterly corner of Emma Street; on the east-

erly corner of Sophie Street, and on the easterly corner of Martin Street, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2339, 2340, 2341 and 2347.

5078. Sewer and appurtenances in Briggs Avenue (Park Street) from Jamaica Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, and in Myrtle Avenue from Briggs Avenue to Hamilton Avenue, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 192, 196, 197 and 198.

5080. Sewer and appurtenances in Cedar Avenue from Jamaica Avenue to Scott Street, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 219, 220 and 266 to 269.

5083. Sewer and appurtenances in Woodmere Place from Freedom Avenue to the Rockaway Beach Branch of the Long Island Railroad, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 240 and 241.

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 Tuesday, April 4, 1916, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.
ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
March 4, 1916. m4,15

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

Borough of Manhattan.
5021. Alteration and improvement to sewer in East 76th Street between Lexington and Park Avenues. Affecting Blocks 1410 and 1411.

5022. Alteration and improvement to sewer in West 32nd Street between Broadway and Fifth Avenue. Affecting Blocks 833 and 834.

Borough of Queens.
4673. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks in Cooper Street between Irving Avenue and the Brooklyn Borough Line, Second Ward. Affecting Block 2830.

4674. Regulating and grading Creek Street from Borden Avenue to Hunterspoint Avenue, First Ward. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 109 to 114.

4937. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving Hughes Street from Doscher Avenue to a line 75 feet westerly from Buchman Avenue, Second Ward. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 2568 and 2575.

4961. Sewer and appurtenances in Van Alst Avenue from Broadway to Ridge Street, and in Ridge Street from Van Alst Avenue to Ely Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 39 to 42, 44 and 64 to 68.

5027. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks in Sophie Street from Flushing Avenue to Nurge Street, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2338 and 2339.

5032. Paving Putnam Avenue from Forest Avenue to a line 65 feet west of Buchman Avenue, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2573, 2574, 2576 and 2579.

5033. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks on the westerly side of Union Street between Sanford Avenue and Bedford (Monroe) Street, Third Ward. Affecting Block 68.

5059. Sewer and appurtenances in Cedar Avenue from Beaufort Avenue to Chichester Avenue, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 466 and 468.

Borough of Brooklyn.
4815. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East 34th Street from Tilden Avenue to Canarsie Lane. Affecting Blocks 4918, 4919, 4933 and 4934.

4948. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving Hemlock Street between Glenmore and Pitkin Avenues. Affecting Blocks 4216 and 4217.

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 Tuesday, March 28, 1916, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.
ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
February 26, 1916. f26,m8

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 Thursday, March 9, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

Borough of The Bronx.
5063. Muliner Avenue from Morris Park Avenue to Bear Swamp Road (Bronxville Avenue).
5073. Unnamed Street from Rogers Place and East 165th Street westerly to East 165th Street.

Borough of Richmond.
5089. Belmont Place from Vine Street to Fort Place, First Ward.

Borough of Queens.
5090. Borden Avenue from Van Alst Avenue to Dutch Kills Creek, First Ward.

5091. Clinton Avenue from Clermont Avenue to Broad Street, Second Ward.

5092. Decatur Street from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Cypress Avenue, Second Ward.

5093. Ditmars Avenue from Astoria (Flushing) Avenue to Frigate Street, Second Ward.

5094. Hancock Avenue from a point 100 feet north of Thomson Avenue to Greenpoint Avenue, First Ward.

5095. Myrtle Avenue from the Brooklyn Borough Line to McComb Place, Second Ward.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.
ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
February 26, 1916. f26,m8

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City, until 11 A. M., on

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1916,

for CONTRACT 120.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GRANITE BUILDING FOR THE HUDSON DRAINAGE CHAMBER AND A BRICK AND CONCRETE-STONE BUILDING FOR THE CROTON LAKE DRAINAGE CHAMBER.

The larger one of the buildings will be, ap-

proximately, 58 feet by 58 feet by 50 feet, and the other will be somewhat smaller. The work is located in the towns of Fishkill, Dutchess county, and Yorktown, Westchester county, New York.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is nine consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

NOTE: SEE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS ON LAST PAGE, LAST COLUMN, OF THE CITY RECORD, SO FAR AS APPLICABLE HERETO AND NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR. m2,21

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until four o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916,

Borough of Queens, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GLASS TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The bid to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

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

Blank forms 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 March 1, 1916. m1,13

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until four o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1916,

Borough of The Bronx, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GLASS TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

The bid to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

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

Blank forms 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.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, February 23, 1916. f23,m6

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SUPREME COURT — FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RIVERDALE AVENUE, from its junction with Spuyten Duyvil Road at a point near West 231st Street to the northerly boundary line of the City of New York, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 17, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 18, 1916, Edward D. Dowling, Philip J. Kearns and John D. Jones, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Edward D. Dowling, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Edward D. Dowling, Philip J. Kearns and John D. Jones, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other persons having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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 MANOR AVENUE, from Westchester Avenue southwardly to Bronx River Avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Joseph I. Berry, Edward McLaughlin and Thomas L. Green, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Joseph I. Berry, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Joseph I. Berry, Edward McLaughlin and Thomas L. Green, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

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. LAWRENCE AVENUE, from Clasons Point Road to Bronx River Avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Francis J. Kuerzi, Charles J. Brady and Lawrence N. Martin, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Francis J. Kuerzi, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Francis J. Kuerzi, Charles J. Brady and Lawrence N. Martin, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

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 239TH STREET, from Broadway to Reuven Place, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Abraham M. Schwartz, Charles J. Cavanagh and James J. McMahon, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Abraham M. Schwartz, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Abraham M. Schwartz, Charles J. Cavanagh and James J. McMahon, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,11

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PUTNAM AVENUE WEST, from West 233rd Street to Van Cortlandt Park South, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Maurice S. Cohen, James F. Delaney and Bernard J. Isecke, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Maurice S. Cohen, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Maurice S. Cohen, James F. Delaney and Bernard J. Isecke, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

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 LUDLOW AVENUE, from Tremont Avenue, near Avenue A, to Whitlock Avenue; WHITLOCK AVENUE, as widened, from Ludlow Avenue to Hunt's Point Road, and the PUBLIC PLACE at the intersection of Whitlock Avenue, Hunt's Point Road and Southern Boulevard, opposite Dongan Street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and the triangular parcel located at the junction of Ludlow Avenue and Tremont Avenue, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 28th day of February, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 10, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 11th, 1916, FREDERICK C. HUNTER, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the said order bearing date February 10, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 11th, 1916, the said Frederick C. Hunter, Esq., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to his qualification to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 23rd, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f23,m4

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 BEAR SWAMP ROAD, from West Farms Road to White Plains Road, subject to the easements of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railroad and of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad in the area within the limits of their right of way, in the 10th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, ARTHUR N. GEIGERICH, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the said order bearing date February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10th, 1916, the said Arthur N. Geigerich, Esq., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to his qualification to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 23rd, 1916. LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f23,m4

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MUNKOE AVENUE, from Sacket Avenue to Van Nest Avenue, and Haight Avenue from Sacket Avenue to Van Nest Avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22nd day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 25th day of June, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Van Nest Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Nest Avenue; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Munroe Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Munroe Avenue; and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Sacket Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sacket Avenue; and on the west by a line midway between Haight Avenue and Lurting Avenue and by the prolongation of the said line.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit,

together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of March, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated New York, February 24th, 1916.

CLARENCE C. ROGERS, Chairman; MARTIN GEISLER, MORRIS ARNSTEIN, Commissioners of Estimate; CLARENCE C. ROGERS, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOSEPH J. SQUIER, Clerk. f29,m16

Filing Reports.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the easterly side of LORILLARD PLACE, between East 189th Street and East 190th Street, in the 24th Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated February 2, 1916, and entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 4, 1916, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 12th day of November, 1915, was granted.

Notice is hereby further given that a description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

"All those lots, pieces and parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situated on the easterly side of Lorillard Place, between East 189th Street and East 190th Street, in the 24th Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Lorillard Place and the northerly line of the lands of Public School 45, which point is distant 169.53 feet northerly from the northerly line of East 189th Street, and running thence easterly along the northerly line of said lands of Public School 45, 94.38 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Lorillard Place 99 feet; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said lands of Public School 45 94.38 feet to the easterly line of Lorillard Place; thence southerly along the easterly line of Lorillard Place 99 feet to the point or place of beginning."

—and each and every owner of or person interested in said real property having any claim or demand on account thereof is hereby required to file his written claim or demand duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested and his Post Office address with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on or before the 10th day of March, 1916, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1743, 17th Floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the said 10th day of March, 1916, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

In the Matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the southerly side of RHINELANDER AVENUE, between BOGART AVENUE and RADCLIFF AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

FIRST.—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at its office, situated at the southwest corner of 59th Street and Park Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

SECOND.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, February 23rd, 1916, file their objections, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 1728, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 6th day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated, New York, February 23, 1916. CLARENCE C. ROGERS, HENRY L. HAFEN, WILLIAM H. POUND, Commissioners. f23,m4

SUPREME COURT — SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Final Reports.

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 WEST 28TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue; WEST 29TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue; WEST 30TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean; WEST 31ST STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue, excluding in

each case the right-of-way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad, 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 10th day of March, 1916, 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, March 4th, 1916.
HENRY P. VELTE, SOLOMON BARBANELL,
JESSE C. SCHENCK, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.
JESSE C. SCHENCK, Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. m4,9

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 and premises required for the opening and extending of RADDE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Paynter Avenue to Ridge Street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final supplemental and amended 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 Trial Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the Queens County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final supplemental and amended reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, March 3rd, 1916.
GEO. A. GREGG, CHAS. H. GEORGI, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.
GEO. A. GREGG, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m3,8

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson Avenue to the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 11th day of October, 1911, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 13th day of October, 1911, so as to relate to said Eighteenth Avenue, from Jackson Avenue to Berrian Avenue, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of June, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final supplemental and amended report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Trial Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the Queens County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final supplemental and amended report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, March 3rd, 1916.
WM. J. BURNETT, THOMAS F. MULLIGAN, JOHN SILVESTRO, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m3,8

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

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 MAPLE STREET from Troy Avenue to Utica Avenue, in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the City of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter, as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the City of New York in fee for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Maple Street from Troy Avenue to Utica Avenue, in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Troy Avenue as now laid out on the map of the City with the westerly prolongation of the south line of Maple Street as laid out on the map of the City east of Troy Avenue; thence northerly along the west line of Troy Avenue 60.0'; thence easterly deflecting 90 deg. to the right 1,600.0' to the west line of Utica Avenue; thence southerly along the west line of Utica Avenue 60.0'; thence westerly 1,600.0' to the point of beginning.

Maple Street from Troy Avenue to Utica Avenue, in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, was laid down on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners pursuant to an Act of the Legislature passed May 1st, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the map of the City of New York and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by this proceeding made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by E. W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works, and Charles R. Ward, Chief Engineer, and dated December 22, 1915, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 7th day of January, 1916, and signed by Joseph Haag, Secretary of said Board.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 29th day of October, 1915, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between East New York Avenue and Maple Street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Utica Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Utica Avenue; on the south by a line midway between Midwood Street and Maple Street and by the prolongation of the said line; and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Troy Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Troy Avenue.

Dated, New York, February 29th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f29,m10

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 BATH AVENUE from the line between the former Towns of New Utrecht and Gravesend to Stillwell Avenue, excepting the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter, as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by the City of New York in fee for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Bath Avenue from the line between the former Towns of New Utrecht and Gravesend to Stillwell Avenue, excepting the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the 31st Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

PARCEL "A."
Beginning at a point on the southwest line of Bath Avenue, distant 1.15 feet southeasterly from the intersection of the southwest line of Bath Avenue with the northwest line of Bay 34th Street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City;

1—Thence northerly along the line between the former towns of New Utrecht and Gravesend 27.75 feet to the right of way line of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad;

2—Thence southeasterly deflecting 110° 26' 50" to the right 154.28 feet along the right-of-way line of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad;

3—Thence southeasterly deflecting to the right on a curve whose radius is 1,069.0 feet 236.25 feet;

4—Thence northwesterly 378.92 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."
Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Stillwell Avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of the northeast line of Bath Avenue; as the same are laid out on the map of The City;

1—Thence southerly along the east line of Stillwell Avenue 116.50 feet;

2—Thence northwesterly deflecting 136° 37' 54" to the right 3,306.02 feet to the southeast line of 24th Avenue;

3—Thence northwesterly deflecting 0° 07' 08" to the left 80.0 feet to the northwest line of 24th Avenue;

4—Thence northwesterly deflecting 3° 48' 34" to the right 25.29 feet to the easterly right-of-way line of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad;

5—Thence northwesterly deflecting to the left on a curve whose radius is 1,096.0 feet, 342.24 feet along the right-of-way line of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad;

6—Thence northwesterly along the right-of-way line of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad and tangent to the last-mentioned course 164.35 feet to the former town line of New Utrecht and Gravesend;

7—Thence northerly along the former town line of New Utrecht and Gravesend 28.82 feet;

8—Thence southeasterly deflecting 110° 26' 50" to the right 531.25 feet to the northwest line of 24th Avenue;

9—Thence southeasterly 3,301.33 feet to the point of beginning.

Bath Avenue from the line between the former Town of New Utrecht and Gravesend to Stillwell Avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, was laid down on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners pursuant to an Act of the Legislature passed May 1st, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming part of the map of the City of New York and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by this proceeding made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by E. W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works, and Charles R. Ward, Chief Engineer, and dated December 22, 1915, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 7th day of January, 1916, and signed by Joseph Haag, Secretary of said Board.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 29th day of October, 1915, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Stillwell Avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Bath Avenue and Croysey Avenue, as these streets are laid out between Bay 41st Street and 26th Avenue, and running thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Bath Avenue and Croysey Avenue, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the center lines of Bath Avenue and Croysey Avenue as these streets are laid out between Bay 34th Street and Bay 35th Street; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Bay 32d Street and 23d Avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Bay 32d Street and 23d Avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the center lines of Bath Avenue and Benson Avenue as these streets are laid out between Bay 34th Street and Bay 35th Street; thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to the

intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Bath Avenue and Benson Avenue as these streets are laid out between Bay 41st Street and 26th Avenue; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between Bath Avenue and Benson Avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Stillwell Avenue; thence easterly at right angles to Stillwell Avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Stillwell Avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Stillwell Avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence westerly along the said line at right angles to Stillwell Avenue to the point or place of beginning."

Dated, New York, February 29th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f29,m10

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 ELDERTS LANE, from Jamaica Avenue to Atlantic Avenue, in the 26th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter, as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, in fee, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of ELDERTS LANE, from Jamaica Avenue to Atlantic Avenue, in the 26th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Jamaica Avenue with the west line of Elderts Lane as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence east along the south line of Jamaica Avenue 60.36'; thence southerly deflecting 96 deg. 14' 47" to the right 951.64 feet to the north line of Graves Place; thence southerly deflecting 7 deg. 21' 21" to the left 50.35' to the south line of Graves Place; thence southerly deflecting 6 deg. 12' 45" to the right 209.96'; thence southerly deflecting 1 deg. 45' 47" to the left 316.48'; to the north line of Ridgewood Avenue; thence southerly deflecting 0 deg. 03' 16" to the left 80.38' to the south line of Ridgewood Avenue; thence southerly deflecting 1 deg. 56' 27" to the left 143.42'; thence southerly deflecting 4 deg. 10' 37" to the right 90.59'; thence southerly deflecting 0 deg. 48' 43" to the left 280.02'; thence southerly deflecting 1 deg. 35' 56" to the left 52.26'; thence southerly deflecting 7 deg. 51' 54" to the right 420.15'; thence southerly deflecting 4 deg. 15' 43" to the left 262.21' to the north line of Atlantic Avenue; thence westerly deflecting 78 deg. 17' 30" to the right 61.28' along the north line of Atlantic Avenue; thence northerly deflecting 101 deg. 42' 30" to the right 276.63'; thence northerly deflecting 4 deg. 15' 43" to the right 379.32' to the south line of Fulton Street; thence northerly deflecting 3 deg. 59' 23" to the left 71.56' to the north line of Fulton Street; thence northerly deflecting 2 deg. 16' 35" to the left 406.85'; thence northerly deflecting 1 deg. 22' 14" to the left 115.93' to the south line of Ridgewood Avenue; thence westerly deflecting 93 deg. 57' 53" to the left 0.37' along the south line of Ridgewood Avenue; thence northerly deflecting 96 deg. 03' 30" to the right 70.39' to the north line of Ridgewood Avenue; thence northerly deflecting 0 deg. 05' 51" to the left 332.91 ft.; thence northerly deflecting 1 deg. 45' 47" to the right 170.44 ft. to the south line of Etna Street; thence northerly deflecting 4 deg. 48' 02" to the left 70.09' to the north line of Etna Street; thence northerly 965.82' to the point of beginning.

Elderts Lane extending from Jamaica Avenue to Atlantic Avenue, in the 26th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, was laid down on a map known as the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an act of the Legislature passed May 1, 1869, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, in so far as said Elderts Lane is located in the Borough of Queens, upon the following sections of the final maps of the said Borough of Queens:

Sec. No. 108. Adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 2, 1909; approved by Mayor July 28, 1909; filed at Borough President's office, Queens, Oct. 6, 1909; filed at County Clerk's office, Queens, Oct. 1, 1909; filed at Corporation Counsel's office Sept. 1, 1909.

Sec. No. 112. Adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 2, 1909; approved by Mayor July 28, 1909; filed at Borough President's office, Queens, Oct. 6, 1909; filed at County Clerk's office, Queens, Oct. 1, 1909; filed at Corporation Counsel's office Sept. 1, 1909.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by a resolution adopted on the 22nd day of October, 1915, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Jamaica Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jamaica Avenue; on the east by a line always distant 200 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Elderts Lane and the prolongations thereof, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elderts Lane; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Atlantic Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Atlantic Avenue; and on the west by a line always

distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Elderts Lane and the prolongations thereof, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elderts Lane.

Dated, New York, February 29th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f29,m10

Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WHITLOCK AVENUE, from Brown Place to Calamus Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE first partial bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter up to and including January 28th, 1916, 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 for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, March 3rd, 1916.

WALTER H. BUNN, PATRICK J. MARA, W. J. HAMILTON, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

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amined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other persons having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, March 2, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2,13

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 MARSTON AVENUE, from Murray Street to Dunsing Street; DUNSING STREET, from Marston Avenue to Matthew Place, and MATTHEW PLACE, from Dunsing Street to Hoogland Street, in the 3rd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 18, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 24th, 1916, William E. Stewart, Walter M. Palmer and John K. Gillette, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William E. Stewart, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William E. Stewart, Walter M. Palmer and John K. Gillette, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other persons having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, March 2, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2,13

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 CASPIAN STREET, from Andrews Street to Metropolitan Avenue; ZEIDLER STREET, from Andrews Street to Metropolitan Avenue, and KING PLACE, from Caspian Street to Metropolitan Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, Herman E. Winne, William B. Parsons and George G. Goetz, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Herman E. Winne, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Herman E. Winne, William B. Parsons and George G. Goetz, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

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 NINTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson Avenue; TENTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson Avenue, and PEEL STREET, from Broadway to Hayes Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, George W. Pople, Harry I. Huber and Emil A. Guenther, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order George W. Pople, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said George W. Pople, Harry I. Huber and Emil A. Guenther, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

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 BAYREUTH STREET, from Parsons Avenue to Dutchess Street, in the 3rd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, Harry T. Weeks, Joseph Kaiser and Charles A. Brodek, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Harry T. Weeks, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Harry T. Weeks, Joseph Kaiser and Charles A. Brodek, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

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 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, from Winthrop Avenue to Berrian Avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, John Hetherington, Robert Price Bell and Samuel J. Wood, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John Hetherington, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John Hetherington, Robert Price Bell and Samuel J. Wood, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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 MILTON STREET, from Flushing Avenue to Grand Street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, John A. Rapelye, Emile E. Rathgeber and Alfred G. Buckmaster, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John A. Rapelye, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John A. Rapelye, Emile E. Rathgeber and Alfred G. Buckmaster, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, William W. Gillen, William G. Johnson and Harry S. Rushmore, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William W. Gillen, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William W. Gillen, William G. Johnson and Harry S. Rushmore, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WASHINGTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East River to Jackson Avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, dated the 7th day of January, 1916, Clarence Edwards, Harrison S. Moore and Eugene V. Daly, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Wallace E. J. Collins, Charles H. Bailey and Herman E. Winne.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the

said order the said Clarence Edwards, Harrison S. Moore and Eugene V. Daly, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, held for the hearing of motions, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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 MITCHELL AVENUE, from Whitestone Avenue to Dunsing Street (16th Street), and CONNORTON AVENUE (Myrtle Avenue), from Parsons Avenue to Dunsing Street (16th Street), in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, JAMES H. QUINLAN, ESQ., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of GEORGE W. POPLE, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the said order bearing date February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, the said James H. Quinlan, Esq., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

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 BORDEN AVENUE, from Greenpoint Avenue to Laurel Hill Boulevard, and of GOULD AVENUE, from Greenpoint Avenue to Madden Street, and from Locust Street to Addison Place, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, FREDERICK W. DAWSON, ESQ., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of FRANK ENTWISLE, deceased.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the said order bearing date February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, the said Frederick W. Dawson, Esq., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GRAVESEND NECK ROAD, from Van Sicken Street to Ocean Avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, of the Long Island Railroad and of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad; SHEEPSHEAD BAY ROAD, from Gravesend Neck Road to Emmons Avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and of the Long Island Railroad; AVENUE W, from Ocean Parkway to the junction with Gravesend Neck Road and Sheepshead Bay Road; EAST 12TH STREET, from Gravesend Neck Road to Avenue W; JEROME AVENUE, from East 17th Street to Sheepshead Bay Road; AVENUE Z, from East 13th Street to Sheepshead Bay Road, and EAST 18TH STREET, from Jerome Avenue to Voorhies Avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 20th day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so ob-

jecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 21st day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 31st day of October, 1912, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

BEGINNING at a point on a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Village Road North and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, as these streets are laid out between Van Sicken street and Gravesend avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Sicken street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Sicken street, and running thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the westerly line of Gravesend avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point in the easterly line of Gravesend avenue, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Village Road North and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck Road, as these streets are laid out between Van Sicken street and Gravesend avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Sicken street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Sicken street, and running thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the westerly line of Gravesend avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point in the easterly line of Ocean Parkway, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road as these streets are laid out between East 7th Street and East 8th street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, as these streets are laid out immediately adjoining East 12th street on the west; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, as these streets are laid out between East 16th street and East 17th street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Gravesend Neck road; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Gravesend Neck road to the intersection with the westerly line of Ocean Avenue; thence eastwardly at right angles to Ocean Avenue a distance of 200 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Ocean Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Avenue W, the said distance being measured at right angles to Avenue W; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Avenue W and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the westerly right-of-way line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad; thence southwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck Road and the northerly line of Avenue X as these streets are laid out between East 14th Street and East 15th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue X and Avenue Y; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Avenue X and Avenue Y to the intersection with a line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue Z; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue Z to the intersection with a line midway between East 17th street and East 18th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 17th street and East 18th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue Z; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue Z to the intersection with a line midway between East 18th street and East 19th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 18th street and East 19th street to the intersection with the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Voorhies avenue and the northerly line of Emmons avenue, as these streets are laid out between East 19th street and Ocean avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Emmons avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Emmons avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Emmons avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Emmons avenue and passing through a point on its northerly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of East 16th street and Sheepshead Bay Road as these streets are laid out between Sheepshead Court and Bay Court; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Emmons avenue to the intersection with its northerly side; thence northwardly along said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Voorhies avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Voorhies avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Voorhies avenue to the intersection with the easterly right-of-way line of the Long Island Railroad; thence northwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road and the northerly line of Voorhies avenue as these streets are laid out between East 14th street and East 15th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue Z and Voorhies avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Avenue Z and Voorhies avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 12th street and Homecrest avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 12th street and Homecrest avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Avenue W and Avenue X; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Avenue W and Avenue X and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between East 4th street and East 5th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 4th street and East 5th street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Avenue W,

as these streets are laid out between East 2nd street and East 3rd street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between West street and West 1st street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West street and West 1st street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Village Road south, as these streets are laid out between Gravesend avenue and Village Road East; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Village Road South, as these streets are laid out between Van Sicken street and Gravesend avenue; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line parallel with Van Sicken street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Van Sicken Street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 25th day of March, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.
EDWARD P. LYON, F. A. M. BURELL, THEODORE L. FROTHINGHAM, Commissioners of Estimate. EDWARD P. LYON, Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. f26,m14

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 ASHLAND STREET, from Cypress Hills Cemetery to Myrtle Avenue, from Birch Street to Spruce Street and from North Curtis Avenue to Metropolitan Avenue, as shown upon a map or plan, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 16, 1912, and approved by the Mayor May 22, 1912, together with the small unacquired portions of Forest Park, opposite Nstrand Place, and at the intersection of Ashland Street, Myrtle Avenue and Guion Street, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 20th day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the amended area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of July, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Metropolitan Avenue distant 400 feet northerly from the northerly line of Ashland Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ashland Street, and running thence northwardly at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from its northerly side; thence eastwardly and parallel with Metropolitan Avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Hillside Avenue, as this street is laid out between North Villa Street and Ambrose Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hillside Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue to the intersection with its southerly side; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Hillside Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Hamilton Avenue and Stothoff Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hamilton Avenue and Stothoff Avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Brandon Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Brandon Avenue to the intersection with the easterly line of Oxford Avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Oxford Avenue, where it is intersected by a line midway between Brazil Street and Brandon Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Brazil Street and Brandon Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Willard Avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line

of Willard Avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between Elmwood Street and Blackford Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Elmwood Street and Blackford Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Yarmouth Street; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Yarmouth Street, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Shipley Place and Window Street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Forest Parkway; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Shipley Place and Window Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Forest Parkway; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Forest Parkway, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Shipley Place and Farragut Street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Leggett Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Shipley Place and Farragut Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Leggett Avenue; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Leggett Avenue, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Farragut Street and Shipley Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Farragut Street and Shipley Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Truant Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Truant Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ashland Street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Truant Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ashland Street; thence eastwardly and always distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the successive tangents in the northerly line of Ashland Street or their prolongations to the intersection with a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Myrtle Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Myrtle Avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Myrtle Avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Ashland Street, as this street is laid out between North Vine Street and North Curtis Avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Ashland Street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, February 15th, 1916.
CLINTON T. ROE, Chairman; JOHN L. KLAGES, Commissioners of Estimate. JOHN L. KLAGES, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. f24,m11

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 66TH STREET, from 4th Avenue to the westerly line of New Utrecht Avenue, and from the easterly line of New Utrecht Avenue to 22nd Avenue, excluding the land of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, in the 30th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their amended and supplemental estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 8th day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed amended and supplemental estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 9th day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 18th day of June, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Twenty-second avenue, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and along the prolongation

of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Eighteenth avenue; thence southwardly along the centre line of Eighteenth avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the northeasterly line of Ovington avenue, as laid out between New Utrecht avenue and Eighteenth avenue, and the southwesterly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the centre line of New Utrecht avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of New Utrecht avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street; thence northwardly along a line always midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Fourth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fourth avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Fourth avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street; thence southeastwardly along a line always midway between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street, and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with a line parallel with Twenty-second avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Twenty-second avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said amended and supplemental estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 20th day of March, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916.
JOHN P. HURLEY, RAYMOND D. THURBER, RICHARDSON WEBSTER, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN P. HURLEY, Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. f24,m6

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

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

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

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against 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 furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

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

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

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

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

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

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.