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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Budget Hearings on Departmental Estimates for Year 1918 Before the Subcommittee of the Committee on Tax Budget of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

CALENDAR FOR PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 12, 1917.

COMMITTEE ROOM, CITY HALL.

Wednesday, September 5, 1917.

10 A. M. Board of Assessors.
Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Sheriff, New York County.

Thursday, September 6, 1917, 10 A. M.

Register, Kings County.
Board of Elections.
Department of Licenses.

Friday, September 7, 1917.

10 A. M. District Attorney, Bronx County.
District Attorney, New York County.

Saturday, September 8, 1917, 10 A. M.

Tenement House Department.

Monday, September 10, 1917.

10 A. M. Board of City Record.
Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Tuesday, September 11, 1917.

10 A. M. Law Library, Bronx County.
City Chamberlain.
Central Purchase Committee.
Supreme Court Library, Queens County.

Wednesday, September 12, 1917.

10 A. M. Register, New York County.
Register, Kings County.
Metropolitan Museum of Art.

SAMUEL C. HYER, Clerk to Sub-Committee.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar of Hearings Commencing September 4, 1917.

Tuesday, Sept. 4, 1917—10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2236—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—"Motive power and service"—Whole Commission.

Wednesday, September 5, 1917—11.30 a. m.—Room 2562—R. T. 7167—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Section 2, Route 26, Opening of bids for the completion of construction of a part of the Queens Borough Subway Rapid Transit Railroads"—Whole Commission. 11.30 a. m.—Room 2562—R. T. 7228—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Route No. 31, Opening of bids for the construction of a Railroad duct line for a part of the Eastern Parkway Rapid Transit Railroad (Livonia ave. and E. 98th st.)"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2102—Interborough Rapid Transit Company et al.—"Brake shoes on cars of elevated lines"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2230—Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company—"Application for approval of changes in service between South Beach and St. George and Arlington and St. George"—Whole Commission.

Thursday, Sept. 6, 1917—10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2193—The Long Island Railroad Company—"Alteration of grade crossings at Lawrence st. and other streets on Whitestone Branch and Northside division"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2234—New York Consolidated Railroad Company and New York Municipal Railway Corporation—"Equipment, appliances and service in subways at Centre, Walker and Delancey sts."—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2074—New York Consolidated Railroad Company—C. E. Reed, Complainant—"Service between Cypress Hills and Chambers st. and Station facilities at Cypress Hills and Chambers Street stations"—Whole Commission.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Eligible Lists Promulgated August 29, 1917.

Promotion to Clerk, 2nd Grade, Department of Street Cleaning.

Manhattan and The Bronx—

1. Edw. P. Kearney, 115 Sherman st., Brooklyn, 85.
2. Wm. P. Steuer, 189 S. 9th st., Brooklyn, 84.82.
3. Victor H. Abbott, 254 E. 5th st., Brooklyn, 84.60.
4. James V. Collins, 163 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, 82.05.
5. Peter J. Whalen, 1819 Woodbine st., Ridgewood, 79.55.

Brooklyn—

1. John J. Cummings, 4 Richard st., Brooklyn, 78.92.

Promotion to Electrical Inspector, 2nd Grade, Department of Education—Bureau of Buildings.

1. William J. Brophy, 356 Sixth st., Brooklyn, 93.70.
2. Alton Costuma, Sparkill, N. Y., 83.30.
3. William F. Cusack (N. O., no medical), 323 Ninth st., Brooklyn, 82.80.
4. William R. Schofield, 259 Lefferts ave., Brooklyn, 82.
5. Charles F. Lawlor, 1647 Putnam ave., Queens, 73.50.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1917.

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.				
110160	44704	8-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$139 32
110159	44704	8-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	128 00
110165	6-1-17	8-20-17	John F. Ferguson	348 00
Department of Plant and Structures.				
110501	46938	8-21-17	Library Bureau	4,246 78
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
113566		8-29-17	William Diebold	\$6 85
113567		8-29-17	J. T. W. Brass	11 55
113565		8-29-17	A. H. Witschleben	3 75
113563		8-29-17	George A. White	300 00
110218	6-9-17	8-20-17	Armour & Co.	270 00
110217	6-25-17	8-20-17	Lewis De Groff & Son	351 12
110221	7-23-17	8-20-17	Owen M. Dawson	185 08
110226	2-13-17	8-20-17	Gimbel Brothers	783 91
110225	7-18-17	8-20-17	Chas. W. Brucher	169 73
110216	6-6-17	8-20-17	Peters & Heins	247 00
110223	3-20-17	8-20-17	Peter J. Constant	354 10
110231	6-16-17	8-20-17	Gurney Elevator Co.	105 00
110207	7-21-17	8-20-17	William Meier	135 00
110206	6-21-17	8-20-17	T. J. Murphy Co., Inc.	165 00
110233	7-10-17	8-20-17	Wm. A. Johnson	923 00
110232	7-14-17	8-20-17	Wm. A. Sander	357 08
Surrogate's Court, Richmond County.				
113260		8-29-17	William J. Ruggles	\$14 70
Board of City Record.				
112958		8-28-17	Joseph N. Quail, Supervisor	\$30 00
District Attorney, Kings County.				
113401		8-29-17	William F. Ryan	\$97 90
District Attorney, New York County.				
110007		8-20-17	Clarke Brothers, Assignee of William T. Fishbough	\$644 10
Department of Docks and Ferries.				
113396		8-29-17	Richard C. Harrison	\$31 75
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.				
105675		8-8-17	R. A. Gushee Co.	\$806 90
105674		8-8-17	Pierce-Arrow Renting Co.	360 00
105668		8-8-17	Walters & Mahon, Incorporated	119 50
105670		8-8-17	The Plaza	172 50
Department of Education.				
111527	7-10-17	8-23-17	H. Ahlers	6 30
111637	4-19-17	8-23-17	Thos. Garnar & Co., Inc.	51 33
111638	4-7-17	8-23-17	Frank's Dept. Store	12 50
111616	6-1-17	8-23-17	Charles Kreamer	44 00
111538		8-23-17	Elsie Gardner	63 75
111647	6-21-17	8-23-17	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	58 75
111267	6-12-17	8-23-17	J. Zinkand	52 05
111534	6-13-17	6-20-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	1 29
111535	5-31-17	8-23-17	New York & Brooklyn Towel Supply Co.	4 40

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
111683	4-28-17. 5-1-17	8-23-17	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co....	21 80	111594	4-27-17	8-23-17	J. S. Woodhouse Co.	2 80
111569	7- 5-17	8-23-17	The American Multigraph Sales Co....	2 50	111593	5- 2-17	8-23-17	Vaughan's Seed Store	8 05
111682	4-13-17. 4-18-17	8-23-17	Louis De Jonge & Co.....	3 90					
111844	4- 4-17	8-23-17	The Macmillan Co.....	2 64	113173		8-28-17	Fire Department.	
111843	5-14-17	8-23-17	Wilson & Co., Inc.....	4 75	113178		8-28-17	R. H. Laimbeer, Jr.	\$25 00
111786	5- 2-17	8-23-17	B. & P. Krajci	20 00	113179		8-28-17	J. O. Hammitt, Chief	44
111528	6-29-17	8-23-17	Charles Kreamer	42 00	113177		8-28-17	Clarence H. Fay	10 15
111443	6- 2-17	8-23-17	Jamaica Plate Glass Co.....	7 64	113174		8-28-17	William F. Doyle, Veterinarian	18 15
111462	6- 9-17	8-23-17	R. Warren Lawrence	8 60	113176		8-28-17	Putnam A. Bates, elec. engr.	58 15
111567	5-31-17	8-23-17	A. W. Brauer	12 00			8-28-17	Putnam A. Bates, elec. engr.	91 70
111599	5- 5-17	8-23-17	Brooklyn Window Shade Co.....	9 60					
111604	5- 8-17	8-23-17	Sohmer & Co.....	2 00	110324	6- 1-17. 7- 7-17	8-21-17	Department of Health.	
111605	3-19-17. 5-17-17	8-23-17	Pease Piano Co.....	6 00	110279	11-20-16	8-21-17	E. Michaels	\$230 00
111147	3- 7-17. 3-29-17	8-23-17	New York Blue Print Paper Co.....	7 25	110304	7-26-17	8-21-17	Conron Bros. Company	161 77
111522	7-11-17	8-23-17	Flushing Automobile Garage, Inc.....	8 50	110289	7- 2-17. 7- 6-17	8-21-17	Conron Bros. Company	115 51
111696		8-23-17	Wm. Bratter & Co.....	5 75	110287	6-25-17	8-21-17	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons, Inc.	231 25
111700		8-23-17	Syndicate Trading Co.....	21 34	110301	7-12-17	8-21-17	Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison ..	315 00
112405		8-24-17	H. T. Dakin	5 40	110322	7-21-17	8-21-17	Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison ..	202 50
111715		8-23-17	Metropolitan Supply Co.	29 65	110277	8-11-17. 8-28-17	8-21-17	Wm. Zinsser & Co.	270 41
111716		8-23-17	Hugo L. Grote	93 60	110053		8-21-17	Mersfelder & White	171 60
112371		8-24-17	Educational Magazine Publishing Co..	4 45	110054		8-20-17	Syndicate Trading Company	100 20
112408		8-24-17	M. F. Collins	54 30	110055		8-20-17	New York Telephone Company	185 88
112368		8-24-17	M. Feigel & Bro., Inc.....	16 59	110074	7-17-17	8-20-17	New York Telephone Company	1,165 98
111705		8-23-17	Wm. Bratter & Co.....	20 50	110074	7-17-17	8-20-17	E. Michaels	127 05
112329		8-24-17	The A. N. Palmer Co.....	24	110068	6- 4-17. 6- 5-17	8-20-17	Miller, Tompkins & Co.	105 28
112319		8-24-17	Atkinson, Mentzer & Co.....	16 95	110081	5-15-17. 5-28-17	8-20-17	John D. Killian Auto Co., Inc.	109 00
112401		8-24-17	G. P. Putnam's Sons	1 80	110063	7-23-17	8-20-17	Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison ..	266 70
112369		8-24-17	William R. Jenkins Co.....	13 50			8-20-17	F. S. Banks & Co.	590 00
112327		8-24-17	Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	20 16	110185		8-20-17	Law Department.	
112322		8-24-17	Funk & Wagnalls Company.....	30			8-20-17	Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y., assignee	
112337		8-24-17	Syndicate Trading Co.....	20 24			8-20-17	of Charles R. Temple, assignee of John	
112342		8-24-17	Metropolitan Supply Co.	3 04	110181		8-20-17	T. Allan	\$365 00
111738		8-23-17	Metropolitan Supply Co.	18 24	110187		8-20-17	John J. Kennelly	600 00
112349		8-24-17	M. J. Tobin	1 03	110180		8-20-17	Jere W. Kennedy	145 00
111596	4-20-17	8-23-17	C. W. Daly	5 50	110186		8-11-17	D. A. Breen	350 00
111531	3- 7-17. 5-18-17	8-23-17	Royal Card and Paper Co.....	26 90			8-20-17	P. K. Meynen	245 00
111269	5- 7-17	8-23-17	J. E. Linde Paper Co.....	15 50	113935		8-31-17	Miscellaneous.	
111611	5-31-17	8-23-17	E. W. Blatchford Co.....	37 50	113926		8-31-17	St. Andrews Realty Company	\$23 00
111609	6-13-17	8-23-17	American Book Co.....	60			8-31-17	Daniel W. Quinn, Jr., receiver of the	
111783	5-22-17	8-23-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	1 87	113927		8-31-17	Queens Plaza Court Building	12 50
111784	5-22-17	8-23-17	Houghton, Mifflin Company	30	113928		8-31-17	Antonio Maviglia and Studia Maviglia	120 00
111608	6- 8-17	8-23-17	D. C. Heath & Co.....	2 88	113929		8-31-17	Sophie Weiss	75 00
111610	6- 7-17	8-23-17	Wm. H. Robertson Co.....	5 00	113930		8-31-17	Cecelia Kaicher	75 00
111456		8-23-17	Wm. Bratter & Co.....	9 50	113931		8-31-17	Jacob Marx	90 00
111668		8-23-17	The Macmillan Company	16 00			8-31-17	Charles E. Coffey, individually and as	
110907	5-23-17	8-22-17	James H. Adamson	88 00			8-31-17	committee of the person and property	
111648		8-23-17	G. Froelich	78	113934		8-31-17	of Emma Coffey	150 00
112414		8-24-17	Newson & Co.....	39 15			8-31-17	Thomas G. Field, as trustee of the es-	
112413		8-24-17	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	36 00	113933		8-31-17	tate of Henry Weil	135 00
112325		8-24-17	The Gregg Publishing Co.....	53 60	113936		8-31-17	Mrs. Fannie Bagatell	75 00
111707		8-23-17	Scott, Foresman & Co.....	63 40	113924		8-31-17	Mrs. Fannie Levy	120 00
112411		8-24-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	1 65	113925		8-31-17	Realty Associates	155 00
112331		8-24-17	Frank D. Beattys & Co.....	14 95			8-31-17	Abraham Berkman, as assignee of Sam-	
112326		8-24-17	The Gregg Publishing Co.....	64 07	113920		8-31-17	uel Chalossow	75 00
110805		8-22-17	Parker P. Simmons Co., Inc.....	31 15	113921		8-31-17	James S. Herrman	1,750 00
111733		8-23-17	The Macmillan Company	39 60	113922		8-31-17	Patrick Purcell	150 00
111729		8-23-17	Saverno Products Co., Inc.....	20 80			8-31-17	Paul F. Pyburn, executor, and Mary E.	
112345		8-24-17	Geo. W. Millar & Co.....	3 83			8-31-17	Pyburn, as executrix of the estate of	
111722		8-23-17	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.....	5 68	113923		8-31-17	John J. Pyburn, deceased	105 00
112351		8-24-17	Swan & Finch Co.....	26 36			8-31-17	B. Theresa Kelly, as assignee of Geo.	
112344		8-24-17	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	1 29	110381		8-21-17	Plunkitt, and E. L. Bush, as trustee,	
113516		8-29-17	David T. Levinson, Clerk.....	9 40	110384		8-21-17	for B. Theresa Kelly and others	1,000 00
113493		8-29-17	John A. McCarthy	2 60	110383		8-21-17	David Hirschfeld	260 00
109955		8-20-17	Michael Josephsohn, Assignee of Leon	990 00	110384		8-21-17	George C. Holt	1,000 00
			Ornstein	2,639 41	109905		8-21-17	William P. Cherry	404 70
109948		8-20-17	Auto Trucking Co.....	193 00			8-18-17	New York Title and Mortgage Com-	
109976	4-23-17	8-20-17	Greenhut Co., Inc.....	139 00	109904		8-18-17	pany	875 00
109965	5-25-17	8-20-17	John D. Cooley	111 58	110556		8-15-17	New York Title and Mortgage Com-	
110048	7- 5-17. 7-13-17	8-20-17	Brooklyn Window Shade Co.....	239 00	110557		8-22-17	pany	3,975 00
109971	5-19-17	8-20-17	Edward Harley	179 00			8-22-17	Rudolph Dillman	75 00
109978	5-31-17. 6-30-17	8-20-17	The Tabulating Machine Co.....	150 00				John T. Mayers, or Sarah Mayers, At-	
109990	5- 1-17	8-20-17	The Legislative Index Publishing Co..	127 00	110166			torney	66 65
109983	6-30-17	8-20-17	Tabulating Machine Co.....	282 00				Queens Borough Public Library.	
109967	5-26-17	8-20-17	Joseph F. Egan	1,558 75			8-20-17	The Queens Borough Public Library..	8,057 70
110001		8-20-17	Schoverling, Daly & Gales.....	13 00	110563		8-10-17	Brooklyn Public Library.	
111257	5-12-17	8-23-17	Max Inkelas, Inc.....	10 00	110188		8-20-17	Brooklyn Public Library	24,399 18
111256	5-22-17	8-23-17	Fr. Jos. Unger	14 00			8-20-17	Brooklyn Public Library	1,225 55
111254	5-18-17	8-23-17	Arnold Leven Iron Works.....	3 59	111309	7- 1-17. 8- 1-17	8-23-17	Bronx Parkway Commission.	
111119	5- 2-17	8-23-17	L. E. Atherton	2 00	111307	6- 1-17. 8- 1-17	8-23-17	Fowler & Sellars Co.....	7 75
111606	6-14-17	8-23-17	J. & C. Fischer	22 00	111304	6-29-17	8-23-17	Estate of J. Kane	5 20
111168	4-27-17	8-23-17	John Buchanan	16 75	111308	7-19-17	8-23-17	Scarsdale Supply Company	12 75
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111472	5-31-17	8-23-17	E. J. Stanley	10 80	112973		8-28-17	tory	838 15
111471	5-20-17	8-23-17	William Hahn	15 00	112978		8-28-17	The Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	287 69
111603	3-31-17. 4-30-17	8-23-17	The New York Association for the	30 00	112981		8-28-17	The New York Public Library.....	3,634 52
			Blind	41 95	112970		8-28-17	The Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	96 43
111854	6-25-17. 7-11-17	8-23-17	H. Gordon	13 93	112975		8-28-17	The Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	150 00
111458	6-11-17	8-23-17	The Royal Co. of New York, Assignee	22 77	112976		8-28-17	The Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	21,524 31
			of Herman Sacks Roofing and Con-		112978		8-28-17	The Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	888 89
			tracting Co., Inc.....	13 93			8-28-17	New York Aquarium	7,618 70
111450	6- 7-17	8-23-17	The Royal Co. of New York, Assignee	7 35	113205		8-28-17	Police Department.	
			of American Ornamental Iron Works..	3 00	113206		8-28-17	Emil Panevino	4 50
111118	5- 5-17	8-23-17	Ph. Simberg	7 50	113208		8-28-17	Joseph F. Toner	4 35
111337	12-31-16. 6- 1-17	8-23-17	Goetz & Co.....	8 00	113207		8-28-17	John F. Rotchford	7 85
111874	6-12-17	8-23-17	Educational Equipment Co., Inc.....	7 50			8-28-17	William G. Herbert	8 85
111460	6- 6-17	8-23-17	Jas. Schneider	5 70	113012			President of the Borough of Manhattan.	
111457	6-14-17	8-23-17	R. Solomon & Son, Inc.....	37 02			8-28-17	John A. Conner, Cashier	500 00
111104	5-21-17	8-23-17	L. P. Groerer Co.....	25 20	110141	7-31-17	8-20-17	President of the Borough of The Bronx.	
111614	6-12-17	8-23-17	The Brooklyn Heights Railroad Co....	9 32	110134	6-27-17	8-20-17	Dimock & Fink Co.....	148 84
111879	3-14-17	8-23-17	The H. C. Hansen Type Foundry.....	42 00	110505		8-21-17	Electric Hose and Rubber Company....	312 00
111615	6-12-17	8-23-17	New York Consolidated Railroad Co..	22 00	46423		8-21-17	Fred Schneider	4,680 10
111788	5-14-17	8-23-17	Haupt Paint & Hardware Co.....	19 00	47417		8-21-17	Streat Coal Co., Inc.....	1,713 60
111820	6- 9-17	8-23-17	Ernest Capelle	2 00				President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	
111869	4-21-17	8-23-17	H. W. Wilson Co.....	2 00	110237		8-21-17	Frank J. Gallagher	3,460 40
111602	6-13-17	8-23-17	Hardman, Peck & Co.....	13 95	112100	6-27-17	8-23-17	William H. Gieseler	3 00
111461	6-11-17	8-23-17	J. Gelshion	13 00	112101	6-30-17	8-23-17	Annis & Co.....	97 20
111828	6-25-17	8-23-17	August Wille, Jr.....	5 87	112230	7-20-17	8-23-17	Stewart Products Service Station Co..	6 00
111444	6-12-17	8-23-17	Patrick Gallagher	13 50				President of the Borough of Queens.	
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Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
110510	36270	8-21-17	Borough Asphalt Co.	34 74	110342	5-18-17	8-21-17	Agent and Warden of Clinton Prison.	134 75
110364		8-28-17	Charles U. Powell, Engineer in Charge.	203 48	110333	6-30-17. 7-31-17	8-21-17	James Lucey	614 10
110172	46341	8-20-17	Albert Decker	15,425 50				Board of Water Supply.	
110170	47684	8-20-17	The Green Contracting Co.	4,589 79	110762		8-22-17	Elizabeth McDowell	\$20 00
110171	47687	8-20-17	Joseph L. Sigretto & Co.	7,077 01	110763		8-22-17	Isaac Purdy	180 00
			Public Service Commission.					Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
109751		8-18-17	Beckie Lacov, Assignee of David Michel	500 00	110497	47564	8-21-17	United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co.	\$2,335 76
110346		8-21-17	Grover C. Emery	300 00			8-21-17	Westchester Lighting Co.	100 15
112981		8-20-17	Long Island Railroad Co.	161 63	110475	8-1-17	8-21-17	R. L. Blake, Assistant Engineer.	10 28
109586		8-17-17	Equitable Office Building Corporation	6,268 36	113243		8-29-17	Geo. H. Williams, Supervising Engineer	117 20
109748		8-18-17	Laurence McGuire	5,000 00	113245		8-20-17	Brooklyn Borough Gas Co.	835 47
			Department of Public Charities.		110131		8-20-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	1,459 72
110397	5-15-17. 6-3-17	8-21-17	Agent and Warden of Sing Sing Prison	\$2,229 56	110106		8-20-17	Richmond Light and Railroad Co.	13,505 94
110407	7-21-17	8-21-17	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.	4,062 20	110108		8-20-17	New Amsterdam Gas Co.	2,417 17
110457	8-7-17. 8-8-17	8-21-17	Eugene Prager	800 50	110110		8-20-17	New York and Richmond Gas Co.	457 74
110456	7-2-17	8-21-17	Hardy & Tierney	196 00	110122		8-20-17	Richmond Light and Railroad Co.	2,377 28
110465	8-7-17	8-21-17	The East River Mill & Lumber Co.	198 00	110123		8-20-17	Richmond Light and Railroad Co.	399 20
110379		8-21-17	Albert Winternitz	18,642 40	110129		8-20-17	Welsbach Street Ltg. Co. of America	14,586 80
110378	47597	8-21-17	Benjamin W. Levitan	517 84	110107		8-20-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	511 58
110458	8-9-17	8-21-17	Eugene Prager	210 00	110111		8-20-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	580 54
110450	6-15-17. 7-19-17	8-21-17	Acme Supply Co.	103 35	110120		8-20-17	Queens Borough Gas and Electric Co.	208 90
110442	6-14-17	8-21-17	Eureka Fire Hose Manufacturing Co.	157 50	110117		8-20-17	The Jamaica Gas Light Co.	116 14
110426	6-28-17. 7-23-17	8-21-17	L. Barth & Son	274 87	110119		8-20-17	The Newtown Gas Co.	194 80
110409	6-28-17. 6-30-17	8-21-17	Seiler-Rogers-Brown Co., Inc.	4,269 90	110118		8-20-17	The Newtown Gas Co.	165 53
110402	7-26-17	8-21-17	Haber & Tilbor	175 00	110126		8-20-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	2,158 57
110101		8-20-17	C. N. Cronyn Co.	290 59			8-20-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	294 78
110098	47957	8-20-17	R. F. Stevens Co.	2,282 45	110128		8-20-17	Queens Borough Gas and Electric Co.	306 60
110093	47928	8-20-17	Grand Central Market, Inc.	8,685 71	109936		8-18-17	Samuel Van Wickler	117 00
110089	47645	8-20-17	Condon Bros. Co.	980 28	109935		8-18-17	William Briggs	117 00
110094	47983	8-20-17	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	710 19					
110099	47480	8-20-17	The Manhattan Supply Co.	1,798 08					
110102		8-20-17	The City of New York	689 89					
			Sheriff, Richmond County.						
110337	8-1-17	8-21-17	F. A. Lambert & Co.	\$251 89					

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1917.

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.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
		Board of Coroners.	
114276	6-30-17	North End Coach & Auto Co.	\$87 00
114277		Boulevard Renting Co.	62 25
114278	8-21-17	M. Lamden	6 00
114279		John Parker	10 00
		County Clerk, Queens County.	
114288	3-16-17	Geo. Gaige	\$18 60
		Department of Correction.	
114304	46996	Chas. B. Meyers	\$700 00
114305	46995	Chas. B. Meyers	3,380 60
114306	46994	Chas. B. Meyers	320 00
114307	47800	Chas. B. Meyers	300 00
114308	47822	J. F. Herbert	129 20
114309	46344	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	1,696 51
114293	47301	Morris & Co.	180 10
114294	47309	Mutual McDermott Dairy Co.	3,032 97
114295	47497	Mutual McDermott Dairy Co.	555 52
114296	47305	Wilson & Co.	105 50
114297	47298	Armour & Co.	3,357 82
114298	47316	Saml. E. Hunter	727 11
114299	47548	Saml. E. Hunter	2,652 12
114300	47292	Levy Dairy Co.	187 59
114301	47483	Paramount Trading Co.	621 25
114302	47388	Thos. M. Blake	1,331 53
114303	47158	J. P. Duffy Co.	525 30
		Miscellaneous.	
114289		Alfred L. Becker	\$191 97
114223		Alfred L. Becker	231 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
114222		Pinkertons' National Detective Agency	223 71
114224		Bartholomew Moynahan	1,482 20
114225		Hotel Cecil	32 10
114226		Frank S. Beard	4 80
114227		Harris & Stacy	9 00
114228		Jas. A. McKenna	1,983 00
114229		Loren C. Horton	243 00
114230		Schindler National Detective Agency, Inc.	1,008 98
114290		Paul Gabler	4 55
114291		Hazel Shields	6 86
114292		Asa Coddington	90
		Department of Plant and Structures.	
114286	46135	M. J. O'Hara	\$5,180 20
		President of the Borough of Manhattan.	
114231		Scranton Wyoming Coal Co., Inc.	\$2,214 63
		President of the Borough of Queens.	
114257	7-31-17	The Long Island R. R. Co.	\$33 15
114258	6-14-17	A. J. Juster	25 00
114259	8-13-17	W. J. Scanlan Co.	8 05
114232	1-19-17	Elmhurst Coal Co.	42 50
114233	7-31-17	Montross & Clarke Co.	20 10
114234	8-1-17	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	41 25
114235	5-18-17	Jamaica Ice Co., J. P. Johnson, Prop.	12 58
114236	6-25-17	Edw. E. Buhler Co.	321 49
114237	5-22-17	Edw. E. Buhler Co.	54 00
114238	8-4-17	Chemo Co.	145 60
114239	6-2-17	Casey's Automobile Station, Edward Casey, Prop.	21 60
114240	8-2-17	The Robt. Bishop Mfg. Co.	21 45
114241	7-31-17	A. B. Dick	26 00
114242	8-15-17	Gall & Lambke, Inc.	6 30
114243	7-30-17	G. R. Lawrence	5 25
114244	6-17-17	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	59 64
114245	7-31-17	A. Pearson's Sons	69 80
114246	8-1-17	The Geo. Kaiser Lumber Co.	18 65
114247	8-1-17	Stehlin, Miller, Henes Co.	19 05
114248	6-19-17	Stehlin, Miller, Henes Co.	10 95
114249	8-14-17	Luhle Kilgallon	120 89
114250	8-13-17	Stehlin, Miller, Henes Co.	16 00
114251		Geo. Schuler	1 50

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
114252	7-23-17	Court Repair Shop	1 40
114253	7-15-17	Nicoll & Imholz	19 80
114254	8-10-17	Madison Avenue Garage & Stables, J. H. Connell, Prop.	80 00
114255		Dennis Shugrue	80 00
114256	8-16-17	Madison Avenue Garage & Stables, J. H. Connell, Prop.	20 00
114318	45742	The Green Cont. Co.	111 61
		Department of Public Charities.	
114273		Ella A. Lawrence	\$5 23
114274		The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western R. R. Co.	153 30
114275		A. M. Wilson	1,324 00
114263		Frank Doyle	247 00
114264		E. M. Dinwiddie	29 75
114265		E. M. Dinwiddie	10 37
114266		E. M. Dinwiddie	25 88
114267		E. M. Dinwiddie	33 41
114268		E. M. Dinwiddie	466 78
114269		Wm. B. Buck	34 55
114270		Wm. B. Cornell	3 30
114271		Stuart A. Rice	13 20
114272		N. Y. State Hospital for Incipient Tuberculosis	1,705 54
114310	47597	Albert Winternitz	2,976 89
114311	47664	B. Nicoll & Co.	5,075 95
114312	47967	Westchester Fish Co.	587 97
114313	47967	Westchester Fish Co.	449 60
114314	47302	Frank J. Murphy Co.	62 75
114315	47292	Levy Dairy Co.	236 00
114316	46808	Knickerbocker Sup. Co.	72 71
114317	47425	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	339 30
		Staten Island Association of Arts and Sciences.	
114283	8-17-17	D. K. Hawkins Coal Co.	\$51 00
114284	9-1-17	Peerless Towel Supply Co.	1 75
114285	8-13-17	Geo. W. Batz	1 75
114280		New York & Richmond Gas Co.	1 10
114281		Richmond Light & R. R. Co.	2 00
114282		New York Telephone Co.	3 35
		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
114262	47644	Arnold Hoffman & Co., Inc.	\$2,070 60
114260		H. R. Emerson	138 31
114261		Wm. T. Wallace	1 00

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of the City of New York, Held Thursday, July 19, 1917, at 10.30 A. M.

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz, President, and Alexander Keogh, Commissioner. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification (Exempt Class), under the heading "Department of Public Charities," by changing the line "8 Superintendents of Nurses" to read "9 Superintendents of Nurses." Clifford J. Gordon, Clerk in the Department of Public Charities, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was called on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by striking from the Competitive Class, Part I, Group 3, the title "Gardener," and by including the same in the Labor Class, Part III. There were no appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and, on motion the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the classification of positions in the exempt class, under the heading "Department of Public Charities," be and the same is hereby amended by changing the line "8 Superintendents of Nurses" to read "9 Superintendents of Nurses."

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same is hereby amended by transferring from the Competitive Class, Part I, Group 3, to the Labor Class, Part III, the title "Gardener."

A report dated July 14, was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner relative to a communication dated June 21, from S. Josephine Baker, M. D., and twelve other physicians in the Department of Health, protesting against the action of the Commission in opening the examination for promotion to the position of Director of the Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Department of Health, to all employees in

Part XII, the Medical Service. The Secretary was instructed to communicate the substance of the report to the protestants.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, July 25, 1917, at 10.30 a. m.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of the City of New York, Held Tuesday, July 24, 1917, at 11 A. M.

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

On the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in a report dated July 24, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Institutional Inspector (female) be and the same hereby is promulgated, subject to future investigation of the candidates thereon.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, July 25, 1917, at 10.30 a. m.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, July 25, 1917, at 10.30 A. M.

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz President, Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh, Commissioners. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the Non-Competitive Class, Part I, the following:

"Positions in the Retirement Board, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance: 3 Physicians, \$600 per annum."

Harriet Porrett, representing the Retirement Board, and George B. Buck, Actuary

in the Retirement Board, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and, on motion, the minutes of the meeting held June 20, 1917, were approved.

On motion, the matter of the foregoing proposed amendment of the Classification was laid over.

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

Resolved, That certification of the name of James Esposito, 233 First ave., Manhattan, from the eligible list of Laborer to the President, Borough of Manhattan, be and the same hereby is revoked; and the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to direct the President of the Borough of Manhattan to terminate the services of the said Esposito forthwith, and be it further

Resolved, That the name of James Esposito, 233 First ave., Manhattan, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Laborer, it appearing that he had been under the minimum age of twenty-one years at the time he filed his application for that position.

Resolved, That the following names be and they hereby are removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the city service: George H. Ewans, 152 Seventh ave., Manhattan; Anthony Cirlotta, 132 Cherry st., Manhattan.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the following names on the eligible lists specified be and the same hereby is removed: Martin Reilly, 109 Java st., Brooklyn, Prison Keeper; John Molloy, 30 Vine st., Richmond Hill, Prison Keeper; Abraham Mendell, 1764 Madison ave., Manhattan, Interpreter (Yiddish and Italian).

Resolved, That the name of John M. Loughlin, 70 Vernon ave., L. I. City, be and it hereby is removed from the eligible list of Prison Keeper under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the city service.

Peter Cardello, 330 E. 113th st., Manhattan, appeared, as directed, in connection with his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the department in the matter.

George R. Guard failed to appear as directed to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Cable Tester. The Secretary was instructed to continue the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name.

Joseph P. Carr, 226 E. 181st st., Bronx, failed to appear, as directed, in connection with his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list. The papers were ordered filed.

Walter Walsh, 66 Gouverneur st., Manhattan, appeared before the Commission in connection with his employment as Automobile Engineman, Ambulance, in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals under the provisions of clause 11 of Rule XVIII. The Secretary was instructed to certify the candidate's payroll for all services rendered.

Paul DeNome, 473 Lincoln rd., Brooklyn, appeared as directed, in connection with his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list. It appearing that the candidate had been appointed a Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning on March 7, 1917, and had been dismissed therefrom on March 30, 1917, for failure to report for duty, the Secretary was instructed to amend its records by construing the candidate's failure to report for duty as a declination, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Paul De Nome, 473 Lincoln rd., Brooklyn, be and the same hereby is removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the city service.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved: John Reilly, from Stablenman to Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, Richard N. Daly, Clerk, from Fire Department at \$600 per annum, to Police Department at \$720 per annum. Daniel J. Sullivan, from Prison Keeper at \$900 per annum in Department of Correction, to Patrolman on Aqueduct at \$1,050 per annum in Board of Water Supply. Joseph H. Dietz, Clerk at \$600 per annum, from Tenement House Department to Municipal Civil Service Commission. John R. Crozier, Clerk at \$300 per annum, from Department of Health to Police Department. Pasquale Barone, from Sweeper to Driver, Department of Street Cleaning. William Britt, from Sweeper to Dump Boardman, Department of Street Cleaning. Richard William O'Meara, Bricklayer, from Department of Parks, Brooklyn, to Fire Department. Henry Diehl, from Sweeper to Assistant Foreman, 2nd grade, at \$936 per annum (Rule XIV, clause 3), Department of Street Cleaning. George T. Sherwood, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at \$4.50 a day, to Department of Parks, Bronx, at \$100 a month, effective June 28.

The following named persons from the Board of Water Supply to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity: John C. Groves, Transitman, from \$1,788 to \$1,740 per annum. Edmund J. Bowen, Gate Tender, at \$1,095 per annum. Herbert E. Smith, Assistant Engineer, at \$2,388 per annum. Robert W. Howell, Gate Tender, at \$1,095 per annum. Frederick S. Tebbutt, Assistant Engineer, at \$1,788 per annum. Charles B. Fell and Thomas M. Luram, Gate Tenders, at \$1,095 per annum. James P. Kavanagh, Auto Engineman, from \$1,500 to \$1,200 per annum. Harry F. DuBois, Rodman, from \$1,140 to \$1,080 per annum. John P. Mack, Clerk, at \$1,350 per annum. Winfred Hubbard, Assistant Engineer, from \$3,000 to \$2,940 per annum. Llewellyn J. Lewis, Foreman, at \$1,800 per annum. Oscar Dudley, LeGrand D. Bishop, John F. Whelan and William Zimmerman, Gate Tenders at \$1,095 per annum. Frank A. Barringer, Walter E. Bogart, Philip Dwyer, Frederick Brooks, Herman Jones, Theodore Tutenberg and Apples Satterlee, Watershed Inspectors at \$900 per annum. Felix A. McGuinness, Gate Tender at \$1,095 per annum.

The following named Laborers from the Board of Water Supply to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity: Frederick T. Giles, Eugene L. Rau, Bert Tompkins, Mark Flaherty, LeRoy Farrington, Frank Hutchins, George H. Mason, Rufus Matthews, Frank Ryder, James L. Green, Aaron Mackey, Ellsworth Ruger, Arthur Morgan, John W. Brooks, William Shultis, James Hughes, Joseph Constable, Francis Hogan, Henry Bell, Simon H. DuBois, Harold Ellicott, Alton A. Phipps, Edgar W. Barnes, George G. Innis, Charles A. Carroll, Samuel Carty, John Burke, Frank Warren, Felix Richards, Bruno Rationale, George W. Lawrence, Samuel Mitchell, David K. Gibson, James Kear, Harry Jones, Thomas Lynch, Walter Burland, Albert Bell, George Worden, Eugene Ostrander, Julius Ryder, Franklyn Hogan, Floyd M. Gollman, Francis E. Hughes, Truman Phillips, Mazie Wager, Bertram Flagler, George Heist.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved: John B. Goddard, from Expert Accountant at \$2,400 per annum in Department of Finance, to Auditor at \$2,700 per annum in Teachers' Retirement Board, a preferred list existing for the latter position. George F. Fitzgerald, from Clerk at \$660 per annum in Department of Health, to Clerk at \$840 per annum in Department of Docks and Ferries, there being a preferred list of Searcher containing the name of a person laid off by the latter department. Joseph Norton, from Bookkeeper at \$840 per annum in office of the Commissioner of Accounts, to Clerk at \$840 per annum in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, a preferred list existing for the position of Searcher.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved: Bernard P. Mullin and James T. Reilly, No. 1, in the position of Fireman, Fire Department (section 1543-a of the Charter). John J. F. Collins as Clerk at \$3 a day, Department of Street Cleaning. Charles F. Betz as Typewriter Accountant at \$1,200 per annum, Department of Finance. Florentine Ryan, as Nurse at \$900 per annum, Department of Health. Nathan Rosenblum, as Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning. Joseph Minotti, as Laborer, Department of Health.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, the following appointments were approved in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

CLAUSE 1, RULE XII.

July 17—Marguerite B. Power, Typewriter Copyist, Board of Water Supply, \$600 per annum, for an additional two months.

CLAUSE 3, RULE XII.

July 13—Clerks, Grade 2, Department of Licenses, pending promotion eligible list; effective July 13: James S. Doyle, \$840; Thomas J. O'Hare, Carmine J. Cammarota, \$600.

CLAUSE 12, RULE XVIII.

July 17—Department of Public Charities, for thirty days each: Helen V. Burbes, Matron, \$600, June 1; Walter Storey, Laundryman, \$960, July 8; Wm. H. Fairlie, Caretaker (Mortuary), \$840, July 9. Trained Nurses, \$600; July 11: Edith Arthur, Amander J. Angle, Grace L. Lewis, Della A. Killen.

July 16—Frank J. Cahir, Trained Nurse, Department of Correction, for thirty days from July 1.

July 11—Physician, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$900 per annum, for thirty days each, July 1: Charles W. Dunn, John Miller, Alex. Altschul, Louis G. Schroeder, \$600; James C. Pinkerton, Roland Blythe.

July 13—Anna M. Norton, Matron, Department of Public Charities, \$600, for thirty days from June 1.

July 16—Patrick F. Burke, Driver's Tender, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$3.50 a day, for fifteen days from July 16.

CLAUSE 4, RULE XII.

July 16—John Kennedy, Stephen Ruddy, Clerks, Department of Licenses, \$300, for fifteen days each from July 16. Clerks, Department of Public Charities, for fifteen days each: George Reiss, Mary Cleary, \$300; Arthur Brennan, \$480; James Carlin, \$540; Elinor C. Lubben, \$540; Julius Freedman, \$840; Evelyn Healy, Clerk (Clinic), \$540. Department of Public Charities, for fifteen days each: Nettie Rafel, Maybelle Pulis, Typewriter Copyists, \$600; Minnie Kuper, Typewriter Copyist, \$600; Marcella White, Telephone Operator, \$780; F. S. Smithwick, Deputy Lay Superintendent, \$1,080; Lindsay Bolley, Pilot, \$1,400; Madeline Martin, Social Investigator, \$1,080; Amanda Hayes, Stenographer & Typewriter, \$720; Michael J. Rickard, Stable Foreman, \$1,000, thirty day. Department of Public Charities, for thirty days each, July 1: John Daniels, Director, \$4,000; Ella F. Harris, Chief Social Investigator, \$2,280; Elizabeth Woodward, Senior Social Investigator, \$1,380; George M. Calloway, Senior Social Investigator, \$1,380; Mary G. Beggs, Esther Hoffman, Jessie Goldberger, Helen Klockner, Floy V. Gilmore, Helen H. Touhey, C. E. VanEmden, Bridget Rooney, Margaret McElroy, Teresa Sentner, Helen P. Benjamin, Mabel E. Johnston, H. F. McDevitt, Viola Howe, Florence Hillebrand, Anna Polak, Kathryn Cooks, Social Investigators, \$1,080; Ralph H. Garlick, Physician, \$1,200; F. O. Kraemer, Dentist, \$600; Nanetta Muenzer, Nettie Rafel, Maybelle Pulis, Stenographers and Typewriters, \$720; Ruth Barnett, Gertrude Bernstein, Marie Prentiss, Typewriter Copyists, \$600 per annum; Mary Zalkiud, Mary Lent, Attendants, \$600; Aadie Dormody, Annie Dermody, Mary Rooney, Clerks, \$600; Einer Hernes, Clerk, \$300; Libbie Samuels, Mary Mulasky, Cleaners, \$360; Julia B. Bell, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$720; Kate S. Britton, Chief Nurse, \$900.

July 17—Ray M. Bonsib, Junior Draftsman, Fire Department, \$75 per month, for fifteen days from July 17.

July 16—Benj. M. Bernstein, Radiographer, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, \$1,200, for thirty days from July 16.

July 14—Charles F. Bissinger, Marine Engineer; Vincent Marsh, Chief Marine Engineer, Department of Docks and Ferries, for fifteen days each from July 13.

July 13—Helen Patton, Clerk, Board of Education, \$600, for thirty days from July 5, 1917.

July 18—Anna Burkhardt, Stenographer and Typewriter, Industrial Education Survey Committee, \$3 a day, for six days from July 11; E. Krancher, Stenographer and Typewriter, Teachers' Retirement Board, \$960 per annum, for fifteen days from July 18.

July 11—Trained Nurses, Department of Health, \$900, for thirty days each: Helen Leary, Florence Shanahan, Ella Gerber, Marian A. Bowne, Rose Felder.

July 16—James I. R. O'Connor, Junior Draftsman, Fire Department, \$75 per month, for fifteen days from July 16.

July 11—Interpreters, Court of Special Sessions, for periods stated: Abe Meyers, Syrian, \$5 a day, July 11; Dicron P. Siraganian, Armenian, \$3 a day, July 2; Samuel Meratchnik, Polish and Russian, \$5 a day, 4 days.

CLAUSE 11, RULE XIX.

July 17—Laborers, President of the Borough of Richmond, during week ending July 14: John J. Breen, 1/4 day; John Metcalfe, 5 days; Bernard McGovern, 5 days; Wm. H. McSorley, 5 days; Wm. Hawkins, 2 1/2 days.

July 16—Antonio Bracco, Asphalt Worker, President of the Borough of Manhattan, pending eligible list.

July 14—Department of Docks and Ferries, for five days each: Walter B. Hoffman, Oiler, July 13; Michael Gibbons, Water Tender, July 13; James Brady, Patrick Connors, John J. Dolan, Mortimer Engelbracht, William J. Fallon, Jens Forgensen, John Hannigan, William Hogan, James Johnson, John J. McCarthy, George Melville, John Moran, Frank J. Murphy, Patrick Murphy, No. 3, Paul Nissen, Frank Powers, Walter Pullis, William Teale, Marine Stokers, July 15.

The Commission approved the action of the Committee on Special and Temporary appointments in directing that the following named candidates be marked "Qualified" for employment under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII in the departments specified, in accordance with the recommendations of Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, in reports set forth below: Nurse, at \$900 per annum, in the Department of Health: Q-225, Sarah Cogan; Q-235, Annie M. Mane; Q-226, Anna Hubbell; Q-246, Ella Gerber; Q-248, Helen Leary; Q-242, Grace J. Flynn; Q-234, Katherine McGurk; Q-224, Anna M. Beslove; Q-245, Rose A. Felder; Q-247, Marian A. Browne; Q-241, Helena Morrissey; Q-243, Charlotte Seldin. Department of Correction: Q-203, Leo Meola, as Instructor of Industry, at \$900 per annum; Q-221, Charles McAdam, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum; Q-237, William Reilly, Prison Keeper, at \$900 per annum; Q-236, James S. Costigan, Prison Keeper, at \$900 per annum; Q-239, Ernest Pauli, Junior Chemist, at \$900 per annum, in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; Q-223, Eugene D. Garvey, Swimming Instructor, at \$3 per day, in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn. Junior Draftsmen, at \$75 per month, in the Fire Department: Q-228, Frank R. Riesenberger; Q-230, William Netschert, Jr.; Q-232, Howard Nestlen; Q-229, Harold J. Mahnkne; Q-231, Robert Thomson; Q-233, Harry Klein; Q-240, Ray M. Bonsib; Q-238, Irving Casper; Q-249, James I. R. O'Connor. Bookkeeper, at \$4 per day, in the Department of Finance: Q-227, Matthew M. Ryan; Q-253, Horace A. Child; Q-254, Louis Fallig; Q-252, John J. Baney.

The Commission approved the action of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments in directing that the following named persons be marked "Qualified" for employment in the departments specified under the provisions of clause 11 of Rule XVIII in accordance with the recommendations of Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, in reports set forth below: Department of Health—Hospital Physician at \$1,200 per annum: R-340, William F. Wiggins; R-336, Roland J. Lynch. Interne at \$120 per annum: R-336, Attilio Robertello; R-349, Jacob Lattman; R-337, Meyer A. Halperin. Helper at \$390 per annum: R-339, Margaret L. McHugh. Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Assistant Alienist: R-346, Samuel M. Miller, Jr.; R-347, Stephen P. Jewett; R-348, Monroe A. Meyer; R-345, William Steinach. Physician: R-341, Louis C. Schroeder; R-344, Alexander Altschul. Cook, R-342, John F. Galvin. Trained Nurse, at \$600 per annum, in the Department of Correction, R-350, Anna C. Greene. Department of Public Charities: R-351, William H. Faulie, Caretaker (Mortuary) at \$840 per annum; R-338, Paul V. Delanoix, Head Cook, at \$720 per annum. Trained Nurse in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals: T-48, T-49, T-51, T-52, T-53, T-54, T-40, T-41, Ellen M. Conley, Gladys G. Wigley, Jeanne S. Wheeler, Margaret Craig, Margaret O. Nesbit, Dorothy E. Francis, Estelle Le Van, Marion C. Duncan and Florence Letengood. Trained Nurses in the Department of Health: T-36, T-37, T-38, T-39 and T-55, Annie B. Walker, Alda V. Gamhill, Laura A. Brown, R. Edith Walhay and Edith A. Dout.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following named candidates for re-ratings of their papers, special examinations, etc., were denied, no error of marking or rating having been shown: Henry M. Moeller and Patrick J. Farley, Patrolman; J. Franklyn Perrine, promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grade E; William Cohn, Medical Consultant, Law Dept.; Abraham Cohen, Bookkeeper; Edward J. Lennon, Lieutenant, Police Department; James McGee, Court Attendant; Alice M. Duffane, Nurse; G. C. Kline, Electrician; Alice Costello, Institutional Inspector; Bernard Magelesky, Accountant, Grade 4.

The Commission approved the action of the Secretary on July 20 in revoking certification of the following names from the eligible list of Patrolman to the Police Department and directing that they be marked "Not qualified" thereon until further notice: Thomas A. Nielsen, Joseph Nemec, Angelo Benedetto, Henry A. Willner, Abraham Solomon, Walter H. Relling, Roger Powers, John Eppler, Joseph Burke, John Regis, William Schanover, William Watkins.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that the employment of Lillian J. Finegan as Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Commission be and the same hereby is authorized for a second period of fifteen days under the provisions of clause 4 of Rule XII.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in a report dated July 18, it was

Resolved, that the promotion eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, Department of Street Cleaning be and the same hereby is promulgated.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in a report dated July 24, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated:

Messenger, Department of Parks, Bronx.
Attendant, Bureau of General Administration, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bronx.

Inspector of Fuel, Grade 2, Bureau of Supplies, Department of Education.
After consideration of a report, dated July 21, from Miss Upshaw, Assistant Chief Examiner, the Secretary was instructed to note on the records that no list had resulted from the promotion examination for Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 4, Department of Education, held Jan. 18, 1917.

After consideration of a report, dated July 20, from the Acting Chief Examiner, the Secretary was instructed to note on the records that no list had resulted from the promotion examination for Assistant Engineer, Grade D, Department of Street Cleaning, held Feb. 2, 1917.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in a report dated July 25 the following plan of examination for promotion to Captain in the Bureau of Ferries, Department of Docks and Ferries, was adopted: Mental examination, 50 per cent.; record and seniority, 50 per cent. Subjects and weights of mental examination: Written examination, 5; practical test, 5; total, 10. Necessary to pass: 75 per cent. on the written examination; 75 per cent. on the practical test; 70 per cent. on the entire examination. Candidates who do not pass on the written examination will not be summoned to appear for the practical test.

The following reports were presented from the Acting Chief Examiner:

Report dated July 24 recommending that the receipt of applications for the examinations for Patrolman be extended for two weeks from July 31.

Report dated July 24, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to Clerk, Grade 2, in the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, to be open to all Clerks, Grade 1, who have served for not less than one year in the grade and who are otherwise eligible for examination.

Report dated July 19, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to Clerk, Grade 2, in the Department of Licenses to be open to all Clerks, Grade 1, who have served for not less than one year in the grade and who are otherwise eligible for examination.

The recommendations were adopted.

Upon the recommendation of Miss M. B. Upshaw, in a report dated July 24, it was

Resolved, that Edward A. McAllister, 518 Seventeenth st., Brooklyn, be and he hereby is appointed a Per Diem Examiner in the office of the Commission from the eligible list of Civil Service Examiner, Accounting and Business Methods, with compensation at the rate of \$10 per diem for a period not to exceed three months under the provisions of clause 1 of Rule XII.

A report (R-335) dated July 17 was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to Timothy J. Fallon, a candidate for employment as Helper in the Department of Health at a salary of \$450 per annum under the provisions of clause 11 of Rule XVIII. The matter was referred to the Bureau of Investigation.

A report dated July 23 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to ten candidates in the examination for Nurse's Assistant. The Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of the name of Mary A. Ward; to mark the nine other candidates named in the report "Qualified," and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Nurse's Assistant, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report dated July 23 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to ten candidates in the examination for Nurse. The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the change of name through marriage of Helen E. Ryan to Helen E. R. Bennett; to mark the ten candidates named in the report "Qualified," and, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Nurse be and the same hereby is promulgated.

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

Reports (3) dated July 18, recommending that Martin Golding, Thomas J. McDonough and David S. Davidson, candidates on the eligible list of Fireman, be summoned before the Commission.

Report dated July 18, recommending that Stephen P. Walsh be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Storekeeper.

Report dated July 19, recommending that Elwin A. Hubbard, a candidate on the eligible list of Fireman, be summoned before the Commission.

Report dated July 18, recommending that Thomas H. Stedman, Frank A. McEneaney and James W. Moog, candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman, be summoned before the Commission.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated July 25 was presented from the Application Clerk stating that Abraham F. Mason, a candidate on the eligible list of Fireman who had been rejected by the Medical Officers of the Fire Department, had passed the physical re-examination for that position. The Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name on the eligible list and to re-certify it to the Fire Commissioner.

A report dated July 23 was presented from the Certification Clerk relative to Frank Nearing, whose name appeared on the Preferred List of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, Grade 2. The report stated that the said Nearing had been appointed to the position of Inspector of Public Works, Grade 2, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and recommended that his name be removed from the Preferred List of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, Grade 2. The recommendation was adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Certification Clerk in a report dated July 21, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an examination for Climber and Pruners, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

A report dated July 19 was presented from the Certification Clerk requesting approval of his action in certifying from the list of Prison Keeper the names of persons not reported upon by the Bureau of Investigation. The action of the Certification Clerk was approved.

A report dated July 20 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records relative to the complaint of William R. Bradley, Secretary of the New York Civil Service Society, that Laborers in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and Climbers and Pruners and Laborers in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, were inappropriately assigned to the driving of auto trucks and auto lawn mowers. The Commission ruled that there was no merit in the complaint that laborers in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity were inappropriately assigned as Auto Truck Drivers, and the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, relative to the alleged inappropriate assignment of Edward Galvin, Thomas Reynolds, William Galvin, William Moran, Charles Brady and Timothy Buckley.

A report dated July 14 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records relative to the complaint of the Civil Service "Chronicle" with reference to the service records of Nurses in the Department of Health. The matter was laid over.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the changes of name through marriage of the following named employees, in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified: July 19, Mary A. Masterson, Typewriting Copyist in the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, to Mary A. Carmody; July 14, Mary T. Hart, Nurse in the Department of Health, to Mary T. Corcoran.

A communication dated July 13 was presented from the Police Commissioner stating that Louis Laznovsky, Michael Kent and Timothy J. Murphy, candidates for the position of Patrolman, had been rejected by the Police Surgeons. The Secretary was instructed to mark the candidates "Not Qualified" on the eligible list and to arrange a physical re-examination by the Commission's physicians.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class the position of Secretary to the Retirement Board, in accordance with the request of the Acting Chairman of that Board dated July 19.

After consideration of a communication dated July 18 from the President of the Board of Education, the Secretary was instructed to certify the payroll in favor of

John W. McMillan, in the sum of \$187.50, in settlement of Claim 85146 for services rendered as Assistant Foreman Carpenter in the Department of Education from Sept. 11, 1915, to Nov. 6, 1915.

A communication dated July 11 was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals transmitting vouchers in favor of Anna Sheridan, Anna Silverstein, Amanda Angle, Edith Lounquist, Hazel Henry and Margaret M. Higgins, for services as Special Nurses, and in favor of Marie S. Barr, Mary Margolis, Jane Stenhouse, Katinka de Winje and Anna Higgins for services as Masseuses during the month of June. The Secretary was instructed to certify the vouchers under the provisions of clause 8 of Rule XII.

A communication dated July 18 was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals transmitting vouchers in favor of Isabelle Johnson, Helen A. Cram, Ora Shoffner, Ella Hanson and Mamie O'Brien for services rendered as Special Nurses. The Secretary was instructed to certify the vouchers under the provisions of clause 8 of Rule XII.

A communication dated July 18 was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, transmitting a voucher in favor of Miss Carrie J. Brink, amounting to \$862, in payment of services rendered by the following named persons as Special Nurses: Daisy Hill, Add M. M. Cann, Very Armstrong, Barbara Lent, D. C. Lasko, Sadie E. Theobald, A. Huddart, M. M. Duckers, J. S. Shea, C. E. Cole, Jeanie S. Wheeler, Martina Levin, Mildred G. Rowley, O. Shoffner, Florence Cameron, Mrs. Johnson, N. J. Chichester, C. Rhoda Roberts, E. Melin, James Horton, Mabel Shofer, Mary Sheehan, Carrie Hoskins, Estelle Largent, Alma Johnson, L. M. Henninger, Helen A. Crane, E. A. McVity, Estelle Sargent, Margaret Kane, Anna McCarthy, Grace F. Small, Fred Schmidt, Isabel McLean, P. C. Halliday, M. O. Sheehan, M. I. Snider, K. Hosken, Mollie A. McCarthy. The Secretary was instructed to certify the voucher under the provisions of clause 8 of Rule XII.

The Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the payrolls of the following named persons for services rendered pending the selection of permanent appointees from the eligible list, in accordance with the requests of the departments concerned under the dates specified:

July 20, Anna Jablonski, as Typewriting Copyist, at \$600 per annum, in the Department of Public Charities.

July 18, John J. Gavigan, Clerk, Grade 1, at \$300 per annum in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

July 6, Arthur Schwartz, as Clerk, Grade 1, at \$300 per annum, in the College of the City of New York.

A communication dated July 18 was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Board of Water Supply requesting approval of the appointment of J. H. Joyce, Beechford, N. Y., as Gauge Keeper at \$10 per month, effective Aug. 1, 1917, under the provisions of clause 7 of Rule XII. The request was granted.

After consideration of a communication dated July 18 from William G. Willcox, Acting Chairman of the Teachers' Retirement Board, the Secretary was instructed to note on the records the appointment of George B. Buck as Actuary at \$1,800 per annum in the Teachers' Retirement Board.

A communication dated July 13 was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of Correction requesting permission to continue the employment of Patrick J. Sheridan, whose application for employment as Prison Keeper under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII. had been rejected because he was over the maximum age, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The employment of Patrick J. Sheridan was authorized up to July 18, and the Secretary was instructed to pass his payroll for services rendered up to that date.

A communication dated July 16 was presented from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning stating that he had no objection to the removal of the name of Samuel Schnapf, who had been dismissed from that department, from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City service. The Secretary was instructed to summon Mr. Schnapf before the Commission.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the reassignments to duty of the following named employees in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified: Department of Docks and Ferries: July 18 (2), Cornelius J. Britt, Dock Builder, and Thomas E. Walsh, Diver; June 25, William J. Asley, Storekeeper's Helper; July 17, Cornelius J. Hogan, Ticket Chopper. Department of Street Cleaning: July 17, Michael De Luca, Sweeper. Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn: June 14, John Murphy, Inspector of Sewer Construction; July 18 (2), William J. Schumacher, Inspector of Sewer Construction and Mary Murphy, Cleaner. Office of the President of the Borough of Queens: July 17, Joseph H. Samuels, Sweeper. Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond: July 18 (2), Martin Brown, Laborer, and Edward Brennan, Tinsmith. Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx: July 17, Francis C. Ziegler, Carpenter, and Gregorio Martucci, Laborer. Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan: July 18, Robert H. Kenner, Laborer; July 19, Josephine S. Cronin, Stenographer and Typewriter.

A report dated July 23 was presented from the Certification Clerk submitting a statement of certifications of names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules. The certifications were approved, the additional names having been certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified on account of location, impracticability of leaving other employment, etc., were approved: Preferred List of Oiler: Thomas J. Hanlon, Laborer, Queens; Emery C. Jackson, Joseph J. Trammel, John A. Fogarty, Henry F. Rogers, Laborer, The Bronx; Robert Auerhahn, John Shortell, Preferred List of Licensed Fireman, Queens; Martin J. Moore, Preferred List of Licensed Fireman, Manhattan. John Gestal, Laborer, Brooklyn; Harry Ginsberg, Henry McCormick, Nunzio Pizzulli, Charles J. McGrath, William Tabb, Christian Miller, Thomas Rhatigan, Michele Puglia, Clerk, Grade 2, Rose M. Bennett, Health Inspector (Foods), Joseph A. Dunn, Clerk, Grade 1; Edward A. Sullivan, Max Kramer, Gertrude Badish, Joseph D. McNerny, Walter J. Hanlon, Edward A. Mulvihill, Laborer, Manhattan; Kiernan Daly, Salvatore Amoreno, Robert Mancuse, Attendant: Isidor Wolkenfeld, Francis J. Hickey, Edward F. Shields. Preferred list of Sergeant on Aqueduct, Oliver Stutt, Social Investigator, Mrs. Stuart A. Rice. Nurse, Emma Schutte, Anna C. Tunison, Cleaner, Manhattan; Lillian Dunn, Temporary Preferred List of Attendant, Catherine A. Cassidy, Pilot, George C. Ehrsam, Auto Engineman, Daniel F. Lane, Elevatorman, Abraham Pollock. Preferred List of Attendant, Mary T. Allan. Patrolmen: Hugh P. Sheridan, Thomas F. Meehan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2; Catherine M. Guy, Jennie Fein. Preferred List of Climber and Pruner, James J. Cosgrove.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified for the reasons previously set forth were approved, and the Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of their names until further notice: Health Inspector (Foods), James J. Keeler. Attendant: Annie O'Donnell, Thomas E. Purcell, John P. Malloy, Morris Josephs, Gustave Gerland, Charles Decker, John F. McDonald. Telephone Operator, Peter C. McArdle. Probation Officer, Philip Rusgo. Storekeeper, Lawrence F. Murray, Clerk, Grade 1; Charles Bruderle, Isidore Hanover, Clerk, Grade 2, Temporary Preferred List, Morris Josephs. Sweeper, Brooklyn, Rosario Stovolo. Old Preferred List of Temporary Clerk, Michael Lipfield. Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention, Sigmund Schuler. Probation Officer, Thomas J. McGee.

The declinations of appointment of the following named candidates from the eligible lists specified were disapproved, and the Secretary was instructed to record them as ineligible for further certification therefrom: Attendant, Grade 1, Male, Peter W. Sullivan. New Preferred List of Temporary Clerk, Samuel Cohen. Temporary Clerk, Maurice J. Waldinger. Typewriting Copyist, Mary Mullony. Laborer, Manhattan: John Gallagher, Sigmund Engelhardt, Giuseppe Digilio. Laborer, The Bronx, Harry A. Meigham. Playground and Gymnasium Attendant, Stella A. Yuells. Laborer, Queens, William Wegebauer. Laborer, Brooklyn: Luis Feller, Joseph Cuilla, John F. Lippi, Rafael Bianculi, Vincenzo Giordano, William J. Woods. Laborer, Richmond: Irving F. Crook, Charles H. Mitchell. Laborer, Westchester County, Michael Buzzoto.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records

That John H. Behrens desired certification from the eligible list of Probation Officer for appointment as Probation Officer in the courts only.

That Renee M. O'Hara desired certification from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, for appointment at \$720 per annum or over.

That Max Stera desired certification from the eligible list of Clerk, Grade 1, for appointment at \$480 per annum or over.

That Henry L. Seidman desired certification from the eligible list of Accountant, Grade 5, for appointment at \$2,400 per annum or more.

The Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of the name of Mable K. Bassford from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, pending the production of proof as to her change of name by marriage.

The requests of the following named candidates for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted, their failure to respond to certifications, declarations of appointment, etc., having been satisfactorily explained to the Commission: Joseph J. Genthman, Probation Officer; James McGovern, Louis P. Senk and August J. Fierro, Patrolman; Robert Siegel, Laborer, Brooklyn; Samuel B. Cooper, Preferred List of Temporary Clerk for appointment at \$840 per annum or over; Clara Hyman, Reuben Levy, John J. Dowd and Solie Bliss, Clerk, Grade 1; Herbert L. Wolf and Louis Kurtz, Attendant, Grade 1; Louis Kurtz, Temporary Preferred List of Attendant; John J. Schultz, Laborer, Queens; Reuben Bramson, Temporary Preferred List of Playground and Gymnasium Attendant; Edwin A. Hayward, Inspector of Plumbing, Grade 2; Luke Scally, Janitor Engineer; Jean Day, Social Investigator.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records that S. H. Weissman desired certification from the eligible list of Storekeeper for appointment at \$1,372 per annum or more, only.

A communication dated July 14 was presented from Ralph Schwartz, 313 72nd st., Manhattan, requesting that his name be retained on the promotion eligible list of Departmental Storekeeper, Department of Health, for appointment at \$1,980 per annum, he having declined appointment at \$1,320 per annum. The request was granted.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records that George W. Cooke had declined appointment from the promotion eligible list of Accountant, Grade 4, in the Department of Health on account of Temporary inability.

The Secretary was instructed to summon Lawrence Sands before the Commission in connection with his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list.

The requests of the following named candidates for permission to correct their statements as to dates of birth where in error in their papers in the examinations specified: John Hart, Inspector of Public Works; Ruth R. Hoffman, Nurse; William J. Farrell, Janitor-Engineer; Irene Turk, Laboratory Assistant.

Matters, Not on the Calendar, Considered by Unanimous Consent.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that Arthur V. Horn, 504 Marcy ave., Brooklyn, be and he hereby is appointed to the position of Clerk, Grade 1, in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission with compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in a report dated July 24, the following form of advertisement for the examination for Asphalt Steam Roller Engineer was approved:

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

"The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 6; 70 per cent. required. Technical, 4; 75 per cent. required. A qualifying physical examination will be given. Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

"Duties—The duties of the position involve responsibility for the care and condition of the machine, the details of scarifying and surfacing pavements and making such repairs, etc., as the seasonal character of the outdoor work may demand. They must be familiar with the various ordinances affecting the running and operation of Rollers.

"Requirements—Candidates must show an experience of at least one year on new or repair asphalt work, together with one year experience as a hoisting, pile driving, or stationary engineer. Candidates must show a license as a stationary engineer.

"Certifications may be made from the list resulting from this examination to the positions of pile driving, hoisting or steam roller vacancies.

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

"Appointments are made from time to time in the Department of Parks and Docks and Ferries and to the Bureau of Highways.

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

A report dated July 25 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records recommending that the records submitted by the Department of Licenses for the period ending Dec. 31, 1916, be accepted. The recommendation was adopted.

The Commission again considered the request of the President of the Borough of Queens that the name of Hans Tradelius be restored to the Preferred List of Topographical Draftsman, Grade C, for appointment at \$1,200 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to note on the records that Hans Tradelius had declined appointment as Topographical Draftsman at \$1,200 per annum in the Department of Taxes and Assessments on account of temporary inability and to restore the candidates' name to the said Preferred List for certification at \$1,200 per annum.

A communication dated July 19 was presented from the Police Commissioner revoking the appointment of Lawrence Gundersen as Caretaker from the eligible list of Attendant, the candidate having reported for duty but refused to go to work. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, August 1, 1917, at 11 a. m.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending August 25, 1917.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 Feet; Above the Sea, 97 Feet. Under Supervision of U. S. Weather Bureau, James H. Scarr, District Forecaster, Acting Director.

Barometer.

Date.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean for the Day	Maximum.	Minimum.
August.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 19	67 29.99	84 29.95	75 29.90	29.95	78 29.99	10 a. m. 78 29.90
Monday, 20	72 29.90	87 29.82	77 29.80	29.84	74 29.90	8 a. m. 81 29.78
Tuesday, 21	72 29.82	87 29.76	74 29.81	29.80	74 29.85	12 p. m. 84 29.74
Wednesday, 22	70 29.89	76 29.87	72 29.86	29.87	72 29.91	10 a. m. 70 29.84
Thursday, 23	69 29.80	74 29.69	75 29.62	29.70	70 29.83	0 a. m. 74 29.57
Friday, 24	74 29.54	86 29.51	74 29.58	29.88	73 29.58	12 p. m. 78 29.49
Saturday, 25	72 29.63	84 29.62	72 29.77	29.67	64 29.86	12 p. m. 73 29.58
Mean for the week.....						29.82 inches
Maximum for the week at 10 a. m., August 19.....						29.99 inches
Minimum for the week at 4.30 p. m., August 24.....						29.49 inches
Range for the week.....						0.50 inch

Thermometers.

Date.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.
August.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday, 19	67 58 84 66 75 68 75 64 84	1.15 pm 69	9 pm 63	5 am 57	5 am 126	
Monday, 20	72 66 87 72 77 68 79 69 87	2 pm 73	3 pm 69	6.30 am 67	5 am 126	
Tuesday, 21	72 68 87 76 74 68 78 71 88	1.10 pm 77	1.10 pm 71	5.30 am 66	5.30 am 123	
Wednesday, 22	70 68 76 70 72 70 73 69 78	1.55 pm 71	3 pm 70	5.15 am 66	2 am 124	
Thursday, 23	69 66 74 70 75 74 73 70 75	6.30 pm 74	6.30 pm 68	3.50 am 65	5 am 115	
Friday, 24	74 72 86 76 74 70 78 73 86	2 pm 77	1 am 72	7.50 pm 68	7 pm 132	
Saturday, 25	72 65 84 65 72 60 76 63 86	3 pm 71	1 am 64	12 pm 55	12 pm 129	

	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week.....	77.4 degrees	68.4 degrees
Maximum for the week at 1.10 p. m., Aug. 21.....	88 degrees	77 degrees
Minimum for the week at 5 a. m., Aug. 19.....	63 degrees	55 degrees
Range for the week.....	25 degrees	22 degrees

Wind.

Date.	Direction.	Velocity in Miles.	Force in Pounds per Square Foot.
August.	7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m.	9 p. m. 7 a. m. 2 p. m. 7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Day.	7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Max. Time.
Sunday, 19	W S S	31 33 37	101 0 0.8 0.5 1.0 7.21 p. m.
Monday, 20	SW S SW	49 57 51	165 0.5 2.0 1.9 2.1 6.25 p. m.
Tuesday, 21	SW S NE	67 29 30	114 0.4 0.4 0.3 1.7 12 p. m.
Wednesday, 22	NE NE E	45 54 50	154 1.3 0.9 0.4 1.8 12.14 a. m.
Thursday, 23	NE NE E	54 64 38	155 1.0 1.4 0.4 1.7 10.16 a. m.
Friday, 24	SW S SW	53 43 44	137 0.7 0.8 0.4 4.8 5.55 p. m.
Saturday, 25	NW SW W	31 40 66	155 5.1 1.7 1.5 2.5 11.45 p. m.
Distance traveled during the week.....			981 miles
Maximum force during the week.....			4.8 lbs.

Hygrometer.

Date.	Force of Vapor.	Relative Humidity.	Clear.	0	Overcast.	10
August.	7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Mean.	7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Mean.	7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m.			
Sunday, 19	.387 .432 .595 .471	57 38 68	54 1 Ci. St.	0	2 Ci.	
Monday, 20	.575 .616 .575 .589	73 46 65	61 Few Ci.	{ Few Ci. }	2 Ci. St.	
Tuesday, 21	.638 .783 .616 .679	81 59 74	71 Few Ci.	{ Lt. haze }	1 A. Cu.	
Wednesday, 22	.661 .661 .707 .676	88 77 90	85 10 St.	6 A. St.	10 St.	
Thursday, 23	.595 .684 .838 .706	88 82 93	88 8 St.	10 St.	10 St.	
Friday, 24	.757 .783 .684 .741	91 64 84	80 10 St.	6 St.	10 St.	
Saturday, 25	.536 .402 .387 .442	68 35 47	50 { 4 St. }	1 Cu.	0	

Rain and Snow.

Date.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
August.					
Sunday, 19					
Monday, 20					
Tuesday, 21					
Wednesday, 22	Abt. 1.30 a. m.	Abt. 2.30 a. m.	1 h. 0 m.	.06 in.	
Thursday, 23	1.55 p. m.	2.05 p. m.	0 h. 10 m.		
	9.00 p. m.	4.37 p. m.	1 h. 37 m.	.08 in.	
	Abt. 11.35 p. m.		0 h. 25 m.		
Friday, 24	2.50 p. m.	3.30 p. m.	0 h. 40 m.		
	3.57 p. m.	4.05 p. m.	0 h. 8 m.	.67 in.	
	Abt. 5.30 p. m.	Abt. 6.40 p. m.	1 h. 10 m.		
	Abt. 8.20 p. m.	Abt. 9.35 p. m.	1 h. 15 m.		
Total amount of water for the week.....				.081 inch	
Duration for the week.....				10 hours 25 minutes	

Date.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.
Sunday, August 19.....	Clear, cool	Clear, moderately warm
Monday, August 20.....	Clear, warm	Pleasant, warm
Tuesday, August 21.....	Clear, warm	Clear, warm
Wednesday, August 22.....	Cloudy, humid	Clearing, cool breeze
Thursday, August 23.....	Cloudy, cool	Cool, sprinkling
Friday, August 24.....	Cloudy, warm	Unsettled, warm
Saturday, August 25.....	Cool, clearing	Clear, warm



Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

Title Changed—William P. Price, 200 W. 144th st., from Driver to Laborer, at \$2.50 a day, Aug. 25.

Transferred—Thomas Gill, 346 W. 44th st., Laborer at \$2.50 a day to Department of Docks and Ferries, Aug. 10.

Services Ceased—Grace Cahill, 3134 Broadway, School Farm Attendant at \$3 a day, Aug. 25.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS—NEW YORK COUNTY.

Died—Daniel Sullivan, 339 Cherry st., Clerk, Aug. 21.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Transferred—Joseph C. Finn, Clerk, at \$720 per annum to President of the Borough of Queens, and salary fixed at \$840 per annum, Sept. 1.

Borough of Manhattan.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for week ended Aug. 18, 1917. Plans filed: For new buildings, 6; estimated cost, \$368,600; for alterations, 50; estimated cost, \$168,125. Buildings reported as unsafe, 19; other violations of law reported, 146; exit orders, 5.

Borough of Richmond.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for week ended Aug. 25, 1917—Plans filed: For new buildings (estimated cost, \$40,105), 19; for alterations (estimated cost, \$8,140), 17; for plumbing (estimated cost, \$3,270), 7; construction inspections made, 294; plumbing and drainage inspections made, 125. RAPHAEL LANGERE, Acting Superintendent.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall. Telephone, 1000 Cortlandt. John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor. Theodore Rousseau, Secretary. Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary. Paul C. Wilson, Assistant Secretary. Bureau of Weights and Measures. Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.

COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4315 Worth. Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth. P. J. Scully, Clerk. President of the Board of Aldermen. City Hall. Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt. Frank L. Dowling, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.

Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

ARMORY BOARD.

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

ART COMMISSION.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth. William C. Ormond, Chairman.

St. George B. Tucker, Secretary. BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.

Dr. John W. Brannan, President. J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE.

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

BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.

Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth. Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain.

BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.

City Hall. Telephone, 4127 Cortlandt. Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth. P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Supervisor's Office, Municipal Building, 8th floor. Distributing Division, 96 Reade st. Telephone, 3490 Worth.

Joseph N. Quail, Supervisor. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth. Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Pier "A," North River. Telephone, 300 Rector. R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Board of Education. Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.

Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4.

p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in August and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

William G. Willcox, President.
A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS

General Office and Office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.

Edward F. Boyle, President.
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.

Other Borough Offices.

The Bronx.
368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 356 Melrose.
Brooklyn.
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.

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

Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays to 12 noon.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Joseph Haag, Secretary.

Bureau of Records and Minutes.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Office of the Chief Engineer.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Public Improvements.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth.

Harry P. Nichols, Engineer.

Bureau of Contract Supervision.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Central Testing Laboratory, 125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin.

Tilden Adamson, Director.

Bureau of Personal Service.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

George L. Tirrell, Director.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.

Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Edmund D. Fisher, Albert E. Hadlock, Shepard A. Morgan, Hubert L. Smith.

Receiver of Taxes.

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

Brooklyn—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140 Tremont.

Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.

Queens—5 Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 3386 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.

William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes.

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

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

Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340 Main.

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

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

Daniel Moynahan, Collector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 7600 Main.

Robert Adamson, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.

Bureau of Health.

Brooklyn, 3731 Third ave. Telephone, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.

Haven Emerson, Commissioner.

Alfred E. Shioley, Secretary.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.

600 Mulberry st. Telephone, 2990 Spring.

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

Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

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

Lamar Hardy, Corporation Counsel.

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

Bureau of Street Openings.

Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.

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

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

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.

Main office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.

George H. Bell, Commissioner.

Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Telephone, 1497 Main.

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

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

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

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

Henry Moskowitz, President.

Robert W. Belcher, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY.

Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1072 Worth.

9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.

Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2640 Tremont.

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

Borough of Queens.

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

John E. Weier, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth. Cabot Ward, President; Louis W. Fehr, Secretary.

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

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

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

F. J. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

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

Janet A. G. Hahn, Clerk.

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

Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.

John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.

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

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

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.

James B. Walker, Secretary.

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.

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

John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.

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

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.

Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 184 Worth.

Rudolph P. Miller, Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Lawson Purdy, President.

C. Rockland Tys, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.

John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.

Charles Strauss, President.

George Featherstone, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors. Telephone: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.

Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

Douglas Mathewson, President.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

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

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

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

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

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

Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.

Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st. Telephone, 3960 Main.

Lewis H. Pounds, President.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

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

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

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

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

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Marcus M. Marks, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

Maurice E. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

CORONERS.

Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.

Brooklyn—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. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

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, 5389 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 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward S. Smith, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3406 Worth.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. 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 F. Cohalan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 4930 Main.

William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed.

Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House.

Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

66 Court st. 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main.

Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main.

Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 2830 Main.

Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.

50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Wm. 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 a. m. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.

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

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

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

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.
Joralemon and Fulton sts. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records. Telephone, 5460 Main.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.
County Court House, Long Island City. Two jury trial parts each month except July, August and first two weeks in September. Motions heard and ex-parte business in Part 1 on court days. Special terms for trial of issues in January, April, June and October. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 noon, and during July and August until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3895 Hunters Point.
John D. Peace, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at 1.30 p. m.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in Room 16, City Hall, Fridays at 10.30 a. m.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in Room 16, City Hall, on Thursdays at 11 a. m. at call of the Mayor.
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in Room 16, City Hall, upon notice of the Secretary.
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Appeals.
The Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m. in Room 919, Municipal Building.
RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

Board of Standards and Appeals.
The Board meets in Room 919, Municipal Building, every Thursday at 2 p. m.
RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

Board of City Record.
The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.
JOSEPH N. QUAIL, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Police Commissioner at the Bookkeeper's Office, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., until 12 noon, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1917.
NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED IN MAKING AND COMPLETING REPAIRS AT THE 276TH PRECINCT STATION HOUSE.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED IN THE INSTALLATION OF NEW PLUMBING WORK AND FIXTURES AT THE 276TH PRECINCT STATION HOUSE.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED IN THE INSTALLATION OF A STEAM HEATING APPARATUS AT THE 276TH PRECINCT STATION HOUSE.

The time allowed for the performance of each contract is one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contracts as specifications, for which he desires to bid.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest bidder on each contract.

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

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Manhattan.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Manhattan.

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.
New York, Aug. 22, 1917.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 22 Poplar st., 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.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, 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.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1917.
NO. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING A MASONRY STAIRWAY AT W. 138TH ST. AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1. 40 cubic yards earth excavation.
Item 2. 20 cubic yards rock excavation.
Item 3. 35 cubic yards concrete.
Item 4. 20 cubic yards granite ashlar.
Item 5. 130 linear feet granite steps.
Item 6. 45 square feet granite platform landings.

Item 7. 37 linear feet granite handrail.
Item 8. 47 cubic feet granite balustrade.
Item 9. 36 linear feet granite stair stringer.
Item 10. 35 cubic feet granite newel posts.
Item 11. 195 square feet concrete sidewalk.
Item 12. 68 linear feet bronze handrail.
Item 13. 1 bronze lamp standard.
Item 14. 1 electric lighting system.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall 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 5 per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President at or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF W. 123RD ST. FROM MORNINGSIDES AVE. TO AMSTERDAM AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 1. 3 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.
Item 2. 1 new sewer manhole cover.
Item 3. 1 new sewer manhole ring.
Item 4. 1 new water manhole head and cover, complete.
Item 5. 800 linear feet new 3-inch blue stone curb.
Item 6. 800 linear feet old curb.
Item 7. 10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.
Item 8. 10 linear feet new granite header.
Item 9. 10 linear feet temporary header.
Item 10. 3 cubic yards brick masonry.
Item 11. 530 cubic yards concrete.
Item 12. 2,670 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for 5 years from date of completion.
Item 13. 10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500 and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be 5 per cent. of the amount of security required.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President at or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
Dated, Sept. 4, 1917.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1917.
NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS, INLETS AND RE- MODELED BASINS ON SEVENTH AVENUE EXTENSION FROM LEROY ST. TO GREENWICH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (CHARGEABLE AGAINST C. F. M.—25. PAVING, ETC., OF 7TH AVE. AND VARIK ST. FROM LEONARD ST. TO GREENWICH AVE.)

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

Item 1—12 receiving basins (Type "A"), complete.
Item 2—16 receiving basins (Type "C"), complete.
Item 3—3 settling basins (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 4—7 receiving basins altered (Method "A" or "C"), complete.
Item 5—22 inlets (Type "A," "B" or "C"), complete.
Item 6—3 shallow inlets (Type "A" or "C"), complete.
Item 7—1,013 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete.
Item 8—2 manholes, complete.
Item 9—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 10—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 11—2 cubic yards of concrete (Class "A").
Item 12—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 13—10 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 14—100 pounds of miscellaneous structural iron or steel, in place.
Item 15—1,550 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.
Item 16—3,750 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.
Item 17—250 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.
Item 18—380 linear feet of curb (Class "C"), set in concrete.
Item 19—250 linear feet of curb (Class "D"), set in concrete.
Item 20—83 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.
Item 21—216 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basins and inlets, and remodeling the basins, will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 4. FOR RECONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 42ND ST., EAST OF 1ST AVE.

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

Item 1—38 linear feet of 6-foot circular brick sewer, complete.
Item 2—30 cubic yards of concrete, Class "D."
Item 3—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.
Item 4—44 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the reconstruction of sewer and appurtenances will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 5. FOR THE REPAIRS TO SEWER IN LIBERTY ST., BETWEEN WILLIAM AND NASSAU STS.

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

Item 1—70 linear feet of 3 foot 6 inch by 2 foot 4 inch brick sewer, complete.
Item 2—5 linear feet of transition section (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 3—5 spurs for house connections.
Item 4—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 5—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 6—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A")
Item 7—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 8—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 9—64 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 10—500 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the repairs to sewer and appurtenances will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASIN AND APPURTENANCES ADJACENT TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF 5TH AVE. AND 34TH ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—7 linear feet of gutter drain, complete.
Item 2—1 receiving basin (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 3—1 shallow manhole, complete.
Item 4—100 pounds miscellaneous structural iron and steel in place.
Item 5—28 linear feet of 8-inch cast iron basin connection, complete.
Item 6—71 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete (in open cut).
Item 7—17 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection (in tunnel section), complete.
Item 8—10 cubic yards of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 9—3 cubic yards of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 10—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A").
Item 11—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.
Item 12—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 13—6 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.
Item 14—70 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 15—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basin and appurtenances will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

Item 22—3,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basins and inlets, and remodeling the basins, will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASIN AND APPURTENANCES ADJACENT TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF 5TH AVE. AND 34TH ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—7 linear feet of gutter drain, complete.
Item 2—1 receiving basin (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 3—1 shallow manhole, complete.
Item 4—100 pounds miscellaneous structural iron and steel in place.
Item 5—28 linear feet of 8-inch cast iron basin connection, complete.
Item 6—71 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete (in open cut).
Item 7—17 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection (in tunnel section), complete.
Item 8—10 cubic yards of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 9—3 cubic yards of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 10—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A").
Item 11—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.
Item 12—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 13—6 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.
Item 14—70 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 15—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basin and appurtenances will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS, INLETS AND RE- MODELED BASINS ON VARIK ST. FROM LEONARD TO CARMINE ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (CHARGEABLE AGAINST C. F. M.—25. PAVING, ETC., OF 7TH AVE. AND VARIK ST. FROM LEONARD ST. TO GREENWICH AVE.)

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

Item 1—15 receiving basins (Types "A," "B" or "C"), complete.
Item 2—36 inlets (Types "A," "B" or "C").
Item 3—6 inlets (Shallow "A," "B" or "C").
Item 4—2 shallow receiving basins (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 5—7 settling basins (as shown on Plan Diagram 1), complete.
Item 6—7 receiving basins altered and improved (as shown on Plan Diagram 2), complete.
Item 7—1 settling basin altered and improved (as shown on Plan Diagram 3), complete.
Item 8—1,030 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete.
Item 9—12 linear feet of 12-inch cast-iron basin connection (Class "A"), complete.
Item 10—1 manhole, complete.
Item 11—3 shallow manholes, complete.
Item 12—3 linear feet of gutter drain, complete.
Item 13—100 pounds miscellaneous structural steel in place.
Item 14—6 cubic yards of rock (Class "A") excavated and removed.
Item 15—6 cubic yards of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 16—5 cubic yards of concrete (Class "A").
Item 17—20 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 18—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 19—4,225 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.
Item 20—200 square feet of granite block sidewalk pavement relaid.
Item 21—1,100 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement contained and relaid.
Item 22—250 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.
Item 23—615 linear feet of granite curb (Class "C") set in concrete, complete.
Item 24—428 linear feet of granite curb (Class "D") set in concrete, complete.
Item 25—100 linear feet of curb reset in concrete, complete.
Item 26—100 linear feet of bridgestone flagging recut and refaced to form curb.
Item 27—154 square yards permanent roadway pavement (all kinds) restored.
Item 28—3,000 feet E. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basins and inlets, and remodeling the basins, will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 4. FOR RECONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 42ND ST., EAST OF 1ST AVE.

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

Item 1—38 linear feet of 6-foot circular brick sewer, complete.
Item 2—30 cubic yards of concrete, Class "D."
Item 3—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.
Item 4—44 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the reconstruction of sewer and appurtenances will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 5. FOR THE REPAIRS TO SEWER IN LIBERTY ST., BETWEEN WILLIAM AND NASSAU STS.

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

Item 1—70 linear feet of 3 foot 6 inch by 2 foot 4 inch brick sewer, complete.
Item 2—5 linear feet of transition section (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 3—5 spurs for house connections.
Item 4—1 cubic yards of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 5—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 6—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A")
Item 7—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 8—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 9—64 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 10—500 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the repairs to sewer and appurtenances will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASIN AND APPURTENANCES ADJACENT TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF 5TH AVE. AND 34TH ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—7 linear feet of gutter drain, complete.
Item 2—1 receiving basin (as shown on plan), complete.
Item 3—1 shallow manhole, complete.
Item 4—100 pounds miscellaneous structural iron and steel in place.
Item 5—28 linear feet of 8-inch cast iron basin connection, complete.
Item 6—71 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete (in open cut).
Item 7—17 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection (in tunnel section), complete.
Item 8—10 cubic yards of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 9—3 cubic yards of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 10—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A").
Item 11—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.
Item 12—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 13—6 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.
Item 14—70 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 15—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basin and appurtenances will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS, INLETS AND RE- MODELED BASINS ON VARIK ST. FROM LEONARD TO CARMINE ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (CHARGEABLE AGAINST C. F. M.—25. PAVING, ETC., OF 7TH AVE. AND VARIK ST. FROM LEONARD ST. TO GREENWICH AVE.)

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Item 5—7 settling basins (as shown on Plan Diagram 1), complete.
Item 6—7 receiving basins altered and improved (as shown on Plan Diagram 2), complete.
Item 7—1 settling basin altered and improved (as shown on Plan Diagram 3), complete.
Item 8—1,030 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete.
Item 9—12 linear feet of 12-inch cast-iron basin connection (Class "A"), complete.
Item 10—1 manhole, complete.
Item 11—3 shallow manholes, complete.
Item 12—3 linear feet of gutter drain, complete.
Item 13—100 pounds miscellaneous structural steel in place.
Item 14—6 cubic yards of rock (Class "A") excavated and removed.
Item 15—6 cubic yards of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 16—5 cubic yards of concrete (Class "A").
Item 17—20 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 18—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 19—4,225 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.
Item 20—200 square feet of granite block sidewalk pavement relaid.
Item 21—1,100 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement contained and relaid.
Item 22—250 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.
Item 23—615 linear feet of granite curb (Class "C") set in concrete, complete.
Item 24—428 linear feet of granite curb (Class "D") set in concrete, complete.
Item 25—100 linear feet of curb reset in concrete, complete.
Item 26—100 linear feet of bridgestone flagging recut and refaced to form curb.
Item 27—154 square yards permanent roadway pavement (all kinds) restored.
Item 28—3,000 feet E. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basins and inlets, and remodeling the basins, will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 4. FOR RECONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 42ND ST., EAST OF 1ST AVE.

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

Item 1—38 linear feet of 6-foot circular brick sewer, complete.
Item 2—30 cubic yards of concrete, Class "D."
Item 3—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank- ing for bracing and sheeting.
Item 4—44 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the reconstruction of sewer and appurtenances will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the amount of security.

NO. 5. FOR THE REPAIRS TO SEWER IN LIBERTY ST., BETWEEN WILLIAM AND NASSAU STS.

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

Item 1—70 linear feet of 3 foot 6 inch by 2 foot 4 inch brick sewer, complete.
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Item 3—5 spurs for house connections.
Item 4—1 cubic yards of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.
Item 5—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.
Item 6—1 cubic yard of concrete (Class "A")
Item 7—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.
Item 8—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.
Item 9—64 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.
Item 10—500

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate certain conduits with the necessary branches and extensions therefrom, leading directly into private property, for the sole purpose of supplying refrigeration to consumers, provided that except as hereinafter specified in this section, no conduit be of a greater outside diameter than twelve (12) inches, including insulation and other covering; the same to be constructed and operated only beneath the surface of such of the streets, avenues and highways situate within the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as are included within the districts bounded and described as follows:

Section 1 of said contract is further amended by adding to said section, at the end thereof, the following new paragraph:

In the following locations the company shall have the right to construct, maintain and operate a conduit of an outside diameter, including insulation and other covering not to exceed 35x20 inches:

In North Moore street from a point about 138 feet 6 inches east of the eastern line of Hudson street, westerly along North Moore street to Hudson street, thence southerly along Hudson street to Harrison street; then westerly along Harrison street to the southwesterly corner of Staple and Harrison streets with a branch from the Hudson Street line westerly along Franklin street to a point about 187 feet west of the westerly line of Hudson street.

In Staple street from a point about 87 feet north of the northerly line of Duane street, southerly along Staple street across Duane street and the triangle known as Duane Park to the southerly line of Duane street at a point about 125 feet west of westerly line of Hudson street.

In the following locations the Company shall have the right to construct and maintain a conduit of an outside diameter, including insulation and other covering not exceeding 20 x 14 inches:

In Staple street from a point about 85 feet north of the northerly line of Duane street to a point about 85 feet north of the northerly line of Jay street with connections to abutting buildings between Duane and Jay streets.

In Jay street from the center line of Staple street to a point about 92 feet west of the westerly line of Staple street with one connection to an abutting building.

In Franklin street from a point about 197 feet east of the eastern line of Greenwich street to the center line of Washington street with four connections to abutting buildings.

In Washington street from the center line of Franklin street to a point about 20 feet south of the southerly line of North Moore street with two connections to abutting buildings.

Section 2, Subdivision Second, Clause (b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) From October 21, 1910, to May 15, 1913, an annual sum which shall be equal to two (2) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than eight hundred dollars (\$1,600).

From May 15, 1913, to October 21, 1915, an annual sum which shall be equal to two (2) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600).

From October 21, 1915, to October 21, 1917, an annual sum which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400).

From October 21, 1917, to October 21, 1920, an annual sum which shall be equal to four (4) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

From October 21, 1920, to October 21, 1925, an annual sum which shall be equal to four (4) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500).

The gross receipts mentioned above shall be the total receipts of the Company and of any subsidiary of the Company and of any purchaser of refrigeration from the Company for purpose of resale from all business of furnishing refrigeration to consumers.

Section 2, Subdivision Second, Clause (c) first and second paragraphs are hereby amended to read as follows:

(c) An annual payment for each linear foot of conduit constructed within the limits of the streets (excepting, however, such conduits as are constructed within the vault space or vault spaces of any building or buildings used or occupied exclusively by the Company for the purpose of its business), as follows:

For conduits of outside dimensions, including insulation and other covering, not exceeding 12 inches in diameter, twenty-five cents (25 cents).

For conduits of outside dimensions, including insulation and other covering, exceeding 12 inches in diameter, but not exceeding 20 x 14 inches, thirty cents (30 cents).

For conduits of outside dimensions, including insulation and other covering, exceeding 20 x 14 inches, but not exceeding 35 x 20 inches, thirty-five cents (35 cents).

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

Section 2. It is mutually understood and agreed that except as expressly provided herein, nothing in this contract contained shall be deemed to affect in any manner the provisions of the contract entered into between the City and the Company, dated October 21, 1910, as amended by said resolution adopted April 24, 1913, approved by the Mayor April 28, 1913, and by said contract dated May 15, 1913; and the Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in such contract of October 21, 1910, as modified by said resolution and by said contract as further modified by the provisions of this instrument.

Section 3. This contract shall take effect on the date of the execution thereof by the Mayor. In witness whereof, The party of the first part, by its Mayor, hereto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers hereto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
By Mayor.

[CORPORATE SEAL]
Attest: City Clerk.
THE MERCHANTS' REFRIGERATING CO.,
By President.

[SEAL]
Attest: Secretary.
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the proposed franchise and the adequacy of the compen-

sation proposed to be paid therefor and of the terms and conditions as specified and set forth in the said contract dated October 21, 1910, as amended by said contract dated May 15, 1913, as further amended by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the consent to such modifications and alterations;

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modifications and alterations as applied for by the Merchants Refrigerating Company, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise, or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published in full for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, September 21, 1917, in the City Record, together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment before authorizing any contract for the consent of the City to certain modifications and amendments in and to the terms and conditions of the said contract of October 21, 1910, as amended by said contract of May 15, 1913, such modifications and amendments being fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise, or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, September 21, 1917, at 10:30 a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee, during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, September 21, 1917, in the "Journal of Commerce" and "Evening World," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary.
Room 1307, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560
West.

Dated, New York, June 29, 1917. s4.21

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company has under date of April 25, 1917, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate five standard gauge railroad tracks over and across Western Avenue in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapters 629 and 639 of the Laws of 1905, and Chapter 467 of the Laws of 1914, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on June 1, 1917, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as June 29, 1917, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Brooklyn Times" and the "Evening World," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

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

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This Contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of _____, 1917, by and between THE CITY OF NEW YORK (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILWAY COMPANY (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

SECTION 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate, five (5) standard gauge railroad tracks over and across Western Avenue in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, the center line of the northerly four of said five tracks to be approximately one thousand five hundred and thirty (1,530) feet northerly from the center line of Washington Avenue; said five tracks to connect the terminal yard of the Company located on either side of Western Avenue.

All as shown on a map entitled: "Map showing proposed tracks across Western Ave., the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Ry. Co. to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

—Signed by W. H. Averell, General Manager, and Wm. B. Redgrave, District Engineer; which map is attached to and made a part of this contract.

SECTION 2. The grant of this right and privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The said right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate said railroad tracks shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor to and until October 28, 1934, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of twenty-five (25) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board at any time not earlier than two (2) years and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The time within which such application for renewal must be made is of the essence of this contract, and a failure of the Company to present

its application within the time fixed shall be considered as an election on the part of the Company not to take advantage of the renewal privilege and as a relinquishment of its right to such renewal, in which event the franchise shall terminate on the last day of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day nine (9) months before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the parties hereby agree that the annual rate for the renewal term shall be determined by three disinterested persons selected in the following manner:

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

Second—The Company shall pay to the City for this right and privilege during the original term of this contract expiring October 28, 1934, the following sums of money:

(a) The sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000) in cash within three (3) months after the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor and before anything is done in exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

(b) From the date when the annual charges commence as hereinafter provided until October 28, 1924, the annual sum of five hundred dollars (\$500).

During the succeeding term of five (5) years, the annual sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750).

During the last term of five (5) years the annual sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000).

The annual charges shall commence on the date upon which the Company obtains the permission and approval of the Public Service Commission as required by Section 53 of the Public Service Commissions Law. The Company hereby agrees to file its application with the Public Service Commission for such permission and approval within ten (10) days from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

The annual charges above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to September 30 next preceding; provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between the date when the annual charges commence as hereinabove provided and September 30 following shall bear to the whole of one year. Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company, shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Third—The annual charges or payments herein provided for shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any railroad or railway company providing for payment for railroad or railway rights or franchises at a different rate.

Fourth—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned or transferred, either in whole or in part, whether by consolidation, merger, reorganization or otherwise, or leased or sublet in any manner, either in whole or in part, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation, merger or reorganization of corporations or otherwise, unless, in addition to obtaining the above consent of the Board, the proposed successor in title to the rights of the Company shall file with the Board an instrument under seal, agreeing to assume and be bound by each and all of the terms and conditions of this contract and agreeing to waive any more favorable conditions created by its charter or any statute relating to the consolidation, merger or reorganization of corporations or otherwise. The filing of such agreement shall constitute a condition precedent to the passing to or vesting in such proposed successor in title to the rights of the Company of the rights and privileges hereby granted, or of any portion thereof, or of any right, interest or property therein. In case of the failure of such proposed successor in title to the rights of the Company to file such agreement within sixty (60) days after the date on which such succession in title is to take effect, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited, or the consent of the City provided for herein may be revoked by resolution of the Board.

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

If, however, at any time preceding the date upon which this contract shall terminate the Board shall so order by resolution and give notice to the Company, the Company shall, upon the termination of this contract, remove any and all of its tracks and other property constructed or existing pursuant to this contract and the said streets shall be restored to their original condi-

tion at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Sixth—The Company shall commence and complete the construction of the tracks and appurtenances herein authorized within three (3) years from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor, otherwise this right and privilege shall cease and terminate.

Seventh—The tracks hereby authorized shall be constructed and maintained across Western Avenue upon a bridge or viaduct. The Company shall pay the entire cost of the construction and maintenance of such tracks and bridge or viaduct and in addition shall pay the following:

(a) The cost of the protection of all surface and subsurface structures which shall be in any way disturbed by the construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of such tracks, and the bridge or viaduct.

(b) All changes in sewer or other subsurface structures made necessary by the construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of the said tracks and the bridge or viaduct including the laying or relaying of pipes, conduits, sewers or other structures.

(c) The replacing or restoring the pavement in said street which may be disturbed during the construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of the tracks, and the bridge or viaduct.

(d) The inspection of all work during the construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of the tracks, and the bridge or viaduct, as herein provided, which may be required by the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Eighth—Before the work of construction, reconstruction, repair or removal shall be begun the Company shall obtain permits to do the work from the President of the Borough of Richmond and from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The Company shall perform all the duties which may be imposed upon it by these officials, as conditions of such permits, provided such conditions are not inconsistent with the provisions of this contract. The Company shall submit to these officials working plans, which shall include and show in detail the method of construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of said railroad tracks and the bridge or viaduct, and the mode of operation of or changes in all subsurface structures required by such construction, reconstruction, repair or removal.

Ninth—The bridge or viaduct to be constructed under this contract shall, subject to the approval of the President of the Borough of Richmond, be constructed in a single span from house-line to house-line, and there shall not be any supporting columns erected in the street. Such bridge or viaduct shall have a vertical clearance of not less than sixteen (16) feet above the surface of said street at the center line thereof and shall have strip-pans placed under the same for the entire width of the street. The said tracks and bridge or viaduct shall be constructed, maintained and operated at the expense of the Company, subject to the supervision, control and inspection of the proper authorities of the City, who have jurisdiction over such matters under the Charter of the City or under this contract.

Tenth—Should the grade or lines of Western Avenue be changed at any time during the term of this contract, whether original or renewal, the Company shall, at its own cost and expense, change or reconstruct the said bridge or viaduct under the supervision of the proper authorities of the City so that there shall be at all times a vertical clearance of not less than sixteen (16) feet above the surface of the street at the center line thereof, and that no portion of the piers or abutments of said bridge or viaduct shall encroach within the lines of said street as changed.

Should Western Avenue be widened, the Company shall make no claim for, nor shall it be entitled, as against the City, to any compensation or damages by reason of the taking of any portion of the piers or abutments of the bridge or viaduct in condemnation proceedings.

Eleventh—Free and uninterrupted access to and passage over Western Avenue shall be maintained at all times, both during construction and thereafter, unless otherwise directed by the President of the Borough of Richmond, and no cars shall be allowed to stand upon said railroad tracks within the limits of said street.

Twelfth—This right and privilege is granted on the further express condition that all laws or ordinances now in force, or which may hereafter be adopted, shall be strictly complied with.

Thirteenth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights and privileges hereby granted, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000), either in money or securities to be approved by the Comptroller, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract and of its compliance with all the orders of the Board and of the officials of the City acting under the powers herein reserved. From the said fund deductions may be made as hereinafter provided.

(a) Should the Company, within such time after notice as may be herein prescribed, or where no time is prescribed, within such time as the Board or the proper official of the City may hereafter prescribe, fail to comply with the provisions of this contract or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City herein named or referred to, relating to

Paving and repairing of the streets, Protecting the City's structures during the construction, reconstruction, repair or removal of the tracks and bridge or viaduct hereby authorized,

Protecting the Company's tracks, appurtenances or other structures during the performance of any public work or as may be required on account of the changing of the lines or grades of the streets,

Or with any other provision of this contract which may affect the repair, protection and maintenance of the streets or of the City's structures within the streets,

the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done or to effect remedial work and to reimburse itself for the cost of such work, by deducting such cost, with interest from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(b) Should the Company, within ten (10) days after demand has been made upon it, fail to pay to the City the cost of any alterations to the sewerage or drainage systems occasioned by the construction, maintenance or operation of the tracks and bridge or viaduct hereby authorized, or fail to repay to the City any damages caused to persons or property which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of the construction, maintenance or operation of the said tracks and bridge or viaduct, or by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company in connection therewith, the City shall have the right to collect such costs or damages, with interest, by deducting the amount of the same, with interest, from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(c) Should the Company fail to pay to the City the annual charges required to be paid by this contract, within the time fixed for the payment thereof, the City shall have the right to

collect the amount of such charges, with interest by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller without further or other direction.

(d) Should the Company fail to comply with the provisions of this contract, or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City herein named or referred to, then the Company may be required to pay to the City as liquidated damages for each breach or violation, the following sums:

For failure to maintain the tracks and bridge or viaduct in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for each day during which the default or defect remains.

For failure to comply with any other provision of this contract as to which liquidated damages are not fixed herein, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each day during which such failure or default shall continue.

All of such sums may be collected by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

The procedure for the collection of such liquidated damages shall be as follows:

Whenever the Board shall have knowledge of any such breach or violation on the part of the Company, the Board shall give notice to the Company, specifying the nature of such breach or violation and the amount of liquidated damages which it is proposed to collect therefor, and directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day, not less than ten (10) days after the service of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be required to pay such liquidated damages in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, the Board shall forthwith direct the Comptroller to collect such liquidated damages by deducting the amount of the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

(e) In case of any deductions from the security fund pursuant to this contract, either for the reimbursement of the City for work done by it or amounts expended by it on behalf of the Company, or amounts paid by it to any person, or for the collection by the City of the annual charges herein provided, or of liquidated damages, the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice by the Comptroller, deposit with the Comptroller a sum, either in money or securities, sufficient to restore such security fund to its original amount of two thousand dollars (\$2,000), and in default thereof, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by the City.

(f) Should the right and privilege hereby granted be forfeited pursuant to the provisions of this contract, or should such right and privilege be terminated upon the dissolution of the Company as herein provided, the security fund hereinabove provided for shall be forfeited to the City as liquidated damages for failure of the Company to perform this contract pursuant to the terms hereof.

(g) No action or proceeding shall lie under the provisions of this subdivision right after any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

The provisions for the reimbursement of the City for work done by it or amounts expended by it on behalf of the Company, or amounts paid by it to any person, or for the collection by the City of the annual charges, or of liquidated damages, are and shall be in addition to the rights and privileges hereby granted, to forfeit the right and privilege hereby granted.

FOURTEENTH—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board or any official of the City acting under the powers herein reserved, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by resolution of the Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the tracks and bridge or viaduct constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring this right and privilege forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Nothing herein contained shall affect in any way the right of the Company to apply to a court of competent jurisdiction for a review of any action of the Board forfeiting the right and privilege hereby granted.

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

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

SEVENTH—Nothing in this contract contained shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the Laws of the State of New York.

EIGHTH—Nothing in this contract contained shall be deemed to limit in any way the police power now vested in or hereafter to be delegated or granted to the City by the State of New York.

NINTH—The Company promises, covenants and agrees to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers, hereto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
By..... Mayor.
(Seal.)
Attest:..... City Clerk.
THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILWAY COMPANY.
By..... Vice-President.
(Seal.)
Attest:..... Secretary.
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preamble and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be published for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, September 21, 1917, in the "City Record," together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, and fully set forth and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, September 21, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee, during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, September 21, 1917, in the "Brooklyn Times" and "Evening World," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary,
Room 1307 Municipal Building, Telephone 4560
Worth.
Dated New York, June 29, 1917. s4,21

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees in the office of the General Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st., Manhattan), until 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1917,
FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR VARIOUS IRON WORK AND SCREENS TO BE PAINTING AND INSTALLED ON THE WARD BALCONIES OF FORDHAM HOSPITAL, SITUATED AT SOUTHERN BOULEVARD AND CROTONA AVE., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is forty-five (45) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be five hundred dollars (\$1,500). (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception and consideration of a bid a deposit of seventy-five dollars (\$75) 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 bid 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 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, by JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. s4,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees in the office of the General Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st., Manhattan), until 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1917,
FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE PAINTING OF ALL PLASTER WALL AND CEILING SURFACES IN THE NEW OUT PATIENT DEPARTMENT AT GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL SITUATED AT FRONT ST. AND GOUVERNEUR SLIP, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is sixty-five (65) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800). (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception and consideration of a bid a deposit of Forty Dollars (\$40) 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 bid, 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 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder for the line or class, as stated in the schedules.

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

No bid will be accepted unless these provisions are complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance No. 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, by JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. s4,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12:30 p. m.,

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE POTATOES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. s29,s10

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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OF MISCELLANEOUS UNDERGROUND LEAD-COVERED CABLES, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work to be as follows:

Items 1 and 2—120 consecutive working days.
Items 3 to 7, inclusive—90 consecutive working days.

Items 8 to 11, inclusive—110 consecutive working days.
Item 12—90 consecutive working days.
Item 13—75 consecutive working days.
Items 14 to 17, inclusive—90 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of amount of contract awarded.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company, signed by a duly authorized officer thereof drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of not less than 1 1/2 per cent. of amount of bid made.

Awards, if made, will be to the lowest bidder on each item.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5) in cash will be required from all intending bidders for each set of specifications received. The deposit will be returned in full on surrender of the specifications or filing of bid.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. s27,s7

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIX (6) ONE-TON TRUCK UNITS TO BE MOUNTED ON FORD CHASSES.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is forty (40) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is fifty per cent. (50%) of the total amount of the bid.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company, signed by a duly authorized officer thereof drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than two and one-half per cent. (2 1/2%) of the total amount of the bid.

Award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. s24,s5

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917,
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK (EXCLUSIVE OF PLUMBING, HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK); CONTRACT NO. 2—PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE WORK; CONTRACT NO. 3—HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK. FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF NEW CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of each contract is four hundred (400) consecutive working days.

The security required will be as follows: Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) on Contract No. 1; Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) on Contract No. 2, and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) on Contract No. 3. The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required. On Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 the bidder shall state a separate price for the work described in Bids Nos. 1 and 2 respectively, and award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder in the aggregate on either proposition at the option of the Commissioner.

On Contract No. 3 the bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Ludlow and Peabody, Architects, 101 Park ave., Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated, Aug. 10, 1917. s10,s10

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of The Bronx Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF TAX LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Jan. 15, Feb. 19, April 2, April 23, May 21, June 18 and Aug. 6, 1917, has been continued to

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1917,
at 2:30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. s13,20,27,s4,10,17

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE OCT. 1, 1917, ON Registered and Coupon Bonds and Stock of The City of New York, and of former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 851, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre sts., Borough of Manhattan).

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable Oct. 1, 1917, will be closed from Sept. 15, 1917, to Oct. 1, 1917.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Sept. 1, 1917. s1,01

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

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

Borough of Brooklyn.
BEING the three-story brick building and appurtenances thereto on the northwesterly corner of N. 4th and Roebling sts., known as 134-142 Roebling st., Brooklyn, 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, Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1917,
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 5—Three-story brick factory building and machinery therein at No. 134-142 Roebling st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 13th day of September, 1917, 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 Sept. 13, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."
E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 16, 1917. a27,s13

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the easterly side of Driggs ave. and the northerly side of North 4th st., known as 613 and 621 Driggs ave., and 183 and 185 N. 4th st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 4—Three-story brick building No. 613 Driggs ave.; three-story frame building No. 621 Driggs ave.; two-story frame building No. 183 N. 4th st.; and two-story frame building No. 185 N. 4th st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 12th day of September, 1917, 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 Sept. 12, 1917," 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."

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 16, 1917. a25,s12

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the westerly side of Roehling st., known as 126 to 130 Roehling st., 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, Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 3—Four-story brick building No. 126 Roehling st.; three-story frame brick building, 128 Roehling st.; and three-story frame building No. 130 Roehling st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 11th day of September, 1917, 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.

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All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed

envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened Sept. 11, 1917," 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.

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E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 16, 1917. a24,s11

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the southerly side of N. 5th st., known as 194 to 206 N. 5th st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 2—Three brick buildings, Nos. 194, 202 and 204 N. 5th st., and four frame buildings, Nos. 196, 198, 200 and 206 N. 5th st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 10th day of September, 1917, 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.

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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 Sept. 10, 1917," 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.

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EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 16, 1917. a23,s10

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Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the northerly side of N. 4th st., known as 187 to 205 N. 4th st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—Nine frame buildings Nos. 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 199, 201, 203 and 205 N. 4th st., and one brick building No. 197 N. 4th st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 7th day of September, 1917, 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

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All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened Sept. 7, 1917," 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.

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EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 16, 1917. a21,s7

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the southerly side of Baltic st., known as 176 to 192 Baltic st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 3—Nine brick buildings, Nos. 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190 and 192 Baltic st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 6th day of September, 1917, 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.

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All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened September 6, 1917," 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.

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EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 14, 1917. a20,s6

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the northerly side of Harrison st., known as 175 to 191 Harrison st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 2—Nine brick buildings, Nos. 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189 and 191 Harrison st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 5th day of September, 1917, 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.

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EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Aug. 14, 1917. a18,s5

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings on the plot of ground on the easterly side of Henry st., from Baltic st. to Harrison st., 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held July 12, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1917, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—Ten three-story brick buildings, Nos. 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429 and 431 Henry st., Brooklyn.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 4th day of September, 1917, 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 Sept. 4, 1917," 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."

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, July 14, 1917. a17,s4

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 THE BRONX:

SECTION 17.

E. 243D ST.—TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWER between White Plains rd. and Barnes ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5115 and 5116.

—That the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Aug. 21, 1917, and entered Aug. 21, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Oct. 20, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, Aug. 21, 1917. a23,s4

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000. When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

Construction.
One company on a bond up to \$25,000. Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavement.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1917.
NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND RESTORING THE PAVEMENT REMOVED AND DAMAGED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER IN THE ROADWAY OF RALPH AVE., FROM CHAUNCEY ST. TO FULTON ST. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 2021.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
5 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete.

100 square feet granite crosswalks relaid.
100 cubic yards concrete.
100 square yards grade 1 granite pavement, with joint filler of cement grout.
480 square yards grade 2 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel.
Time allowed, 25 consecutive working days.
Security required, \$800.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND RESTORING THE PAVEMENT REMOVED AND DAMAGED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER IN THE ROADWAY OF 15TH ST., FROM PROSPECT PARK WEST TO 8TH AVE. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1995.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
360 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.
240 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.
15 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

2,500 square feet cement sidewalks.
2,500 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.
390 cubic yards concrete.
2030 square yards asphalt pavement.
Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.
Security required, \$2,200.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,500 TONS OF LIMESTONE OR OTHER SUITABLE INORGANIC DUST TO BE DELIVERED TO THE MUNICIPAL ASPHALT PLANT, SEVENTH ST. BASIN, GOWANUS CANAL.

Time for completion of contract on or before Dec. 31, 1917.

Security required, 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 linear foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND RESTORING THE PAVEMENT WITHIN THE RAILROAD AREA REMOVED AND DAMAGED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS IN THE ROADWAYS OF: INTERSECTION OF DEAN ST. AND NORTON AVE. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1907; INTERSECTION OF MACON ST. AND SUMNER AVE. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1908; DE KALB AVE. FROM SKILLMAN ST. TO BEDFORD AVE. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1922; TOMPKINS AVE. FROM GREENE AVE. TO FULTON ST. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1924; CLASSON AVE. FROM PARK AVE. TO MYRTLE AVE.; MYRTLE AVE. FROM CLERMONT AVE. TO CLASSON AVE. SEWER CONTRACT NO. 1984.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
5 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

400 cubic yards concrete.
245 square yards asphalt pavement.
4,215 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand.
15 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of cement grout.
295 square yards grade 2 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and gravel.
2,130 square yards grade 2 granite pavement, with joint filler of cement grout.
Time allowed, 40 consecutive working days.
Security required, \$3,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square yard, cubic yard, 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.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN SNEDEKER AVE., FROM DUMONT AVE. TO NEWPORT ST. AND IN NEWPORT ST. FROM VAN SINDEREN AVE. TO HINSDALE ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

258 linear feet of 36-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear

foot, \$6 \$1,548 00

570 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$5.80 3,306 00

570 linear feet of 22-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$5.50 3,135 00

230 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.40 782 00

450 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.50 1,125 00

17 manholes complete, with standard manhole head and cover, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$70 1,190 00

5 sewer basins complete of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per sewer basin, \$160 800 00

1,500 feet, board measure, of foundation plank, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$40 60 00

1227 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.25 1,533 75

5 cubic yards of extra excavation, per cubic yard, \$0.75 3 75

Total \$13,483 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty-five (65) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN ON BEDFORD AVE. AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF GLENWOOD RD.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

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, \$200 \$200 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimates of the total cost for the completed work is to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Bids shall 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 notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages 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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Auction Sale.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, Pier A, North River, Manhattan, City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1917,

commencing at 10 a. m., at Pier A, North River, Manhattan, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the floating plant and equipment described below, situated in the Timber Basin of the Department of Docks and Ferries at the foot of Nott ave., Queens, the scow "W", Richmond, and at the yards of the Department of Docks and Ferries at the foot of E. 24th st., East River, Manhattan.

Lot No. 1—10-ton Derrick, built in 1874; rebuilt in 1893. Size of scow, 40 feet by 35 feet. Depth 7 feet 1 inch. Draught forward 1 foot 6 inches. Draught aft 3 feet 6 inches. Derrick boom about 40 feet long. Forward overhang of boom when horizontal about 17 feet. Boiler U. T. 36 inches diameter by 84 inches high. Diameter of tubes 2 inches, length 56½ inches. Number of tubes 70. Diameter of furnace 30 inches. Stack 14½ inches diameter by 6 feet 6 inches high. Main steam line 2 inches. Safety valve 1½ inches. Blow-off ¾ inch. Engine—Horizontal, double cylinder, 6 by 12 inches. Steam at chests 1¼ inches. Steam at throttle 1½ inches. Exhaust 1½ inches. Wrecking Pump—Worthington Duplex. Size 7½ by 4½ by 10 inches. Steam 1½ inches. Exhaust 2 inches.

Lot No. 2—Deck Scow "N." Size of scow, 70 feet 30 inches by 7 feet 6 inches.

Lot No. 3—Deck Scow "W." Size of scow, 70 feet by 30 feet by 7 feet 6 inches.

TERMS OF SALE.
Each lot number will be sold "as is" separately to the highest bidder on each lot number for a sum in gross.

The description herein contained is believed to be correct, but the Commissioner of Docks will not make any allowance from the purchase money for any inaccuracies, and bidders must satisfy themselves as to the correctness of the description when making their bids.

Successful bidders must make payment in cash or certified check drawn to the order of Department of Docks and Ferries at the time and place of the sale, as follows: On bids of \$500 or less, in full; on bids in excess of \$500, deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at time of sale.

In the event of acceptance of bid by the Commissioner of Docks, the balance of the purchase money on lots where payment is not made in full at time of sale must be paid at the office of the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, at or before noon on Sept. 18, 1917, and the successful bidder on each lot shall remove the property covered by the lot at or before noon on Oct. 17, 1917.

An order will be given to the successful bidder by the Commissioner of Docks on the day of final payment for the material as herein detailed, and he will execute the necessary bill of sale, such bill of sale to be prepared by and at the expense of the successful bidder, subject to approval by the Corporation Counsel as to form.

The bidding will be kept open after the highest bid is received, subject to action by the Commissioner of Docks. The Commissioner of Docks reserves the right until 12 noon on Sept. 15, 1917, to reject any or all bids received, if in his opinion he deems it to be for the best interests of the City to so reject the bids.

If the successful bidder fails or refuses to pay the balance of the purchase money, or fails or refuses to remove the material as herein provided for, the deposit submitted at the time and place of sale, and any other money paid by him will be forfeited as liquidated damages and the

successful bidder shall also forfeit any claim to any ownership in the material; and in such event the City reserves the right to resell, the proceeds of any such resale to be the property of The City of New York.

These lots are located as follows: The 10-ton derrick is at the Department's Timber Basin at the foot of Nott ave., Queens; the scow "N" is at St. George, Richmond; the scow "W" is at the Department's yard at the foot of E. 24th st., East River, Manhattan. All lots may be inspected on any week day between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., except Saturday, on which day the inspection hours are 9 a. m. to 11 a. m.

RICHARD C. HARRISON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks.
Dated, Aug. 24, 1917. a28,s12

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1580.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING IN THE SLIPS ADJOINING THE PIERS, FOOT OF W. 55TH, 56TH AND 57TH STS., NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$42,000.

The Engineer's estimate of dredging is about 350,000 cubic yards.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for doing all of the work called for. Award, if made, will be to the bidder whose price per cubic yard is the lowest for doing all of the work and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Dredging must be done at the time and in the manner directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

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

Dated, Aug. 29, 1917. a30,s12
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1575.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 7,500 GALLONS OF MARINE ENGINE OIL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety (90) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of the security for the performance of the contract shall be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bid shall be accompanied by a deposit which shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder shall state on the schedule the price per unit of measure at which he is prepared to furnish and deliver the oil, and shall extend such totals as may be required on the schedule. In case of discrepancy between the unit and the total price, the unit price will be considered as the bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

RICHARD C. HARRISON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, Aug. 22, 1917. a23,s4
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1583.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND PUTTING IN PLACE ABOUT 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF RIP RAP STONE AT DOVER STREET SECTION, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of thirty consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$2,400.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for furnishing, delivering and putting in place all of the rip rap stone called for. Award, if made, will be to the bidder whose price per cubic yard 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.

The furnishing, delivering and placing of the rip rap will be required 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.

RICHARD C. HARRISON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, Aug. 20, 1917. a22,s4
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12:30 p. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COFFEE.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., Commissioner. a29,s10
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.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917.

LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING A COMPLETE LOW PRESSURE STEAM HEATING APPARATUS ON THE DAY CAMP "MANHATTAN," MOORED AT THE FOOT OF E. 90TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 2¼ per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; A. F. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary.

Dated, August 22, 1917. a23,s5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of The Bronx at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, Tremont ave. and 3rd ave., until 10:30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SPORFORD AVE., FROM HUNTS POINT RD. TO COSTER ST., ADJUSTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO (PRELIMINARY PAVEMENT).

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

2,450 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

360 cubic yards of Class B concrete.
500 linear feet of curbstone adjusted.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 25 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

NO. 2. FOR REPAVING WITH REDRESSED GRANITE BLOCKS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 138TH ST., FROM ALEXANDER AVE. TO THE EASTERLY SIDE OF WILLIS AVE., AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

2,525 square yards of redressed granite block pavement on a concrete foundation, laid with asphaltic cement joints, outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for one year from date of completion.

1,525 square yards of redressed granite block pavement on a concrete foundation, laid with asphaltic cement joints, in railroad area.

700 cubic yards of Class B concrete.
370 linear feet of new curb.
130 linear feet of old curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 40 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Fifty-eight Hundred Dollars (\$5,800).

NO. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES AND REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN BUCK ST., BETWEEN ZEREGA AVE. AND SEDDON ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

770 cubic yards of earth excavation.
225 cubic yards of rock excavation.
180 cubic yards of filling.

1,150 linear feet of new curb.
5,860 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

20 cubic yards of Class C concrete.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber sheeting.

191 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15 inch.
295 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
25 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.

73 spurs for house connections.
5 manholes.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 90 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Twenty-eight Hundred Dollars (\$2,800).

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN BUTLER PL., FROM ZEREGA AVE. TO HERSHEY ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

30 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
2,050 cubic yards of filling.
620 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

3,260 square feet of concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

675 cubic yards of earth excavation.
100 cubic yards of rock excavation.
240 cubic yards of filling.
760 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
3,600 square feet of concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
860 square feet of new bridge stone.
100 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.
140 linear feet of old bluestone curb.
200 square feet of new bluestone flagging.
550 square feet of old flagging.
160 square feet of old flagging.
The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 40 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN PURDY ST., FROM WESTCHESTER AVE. TO STARLING AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

20 cubic yards of earth excavation.
3,800 cubic yards of filling.
400 cubic yards of special filling.
80 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
1,410 linear feet of concrete curb (including maintenance for one year).
7,275 square feet of concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
25 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
70 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.
350 linear feet of new guard rail.
45 linear feet of old bluestone curb.
310 square feet of old flagging.
420 square feet of old bridge stone.
5 cubic yards of Class B concrete.
1 receiving basin alteration, special.
1 receiving basin alteration, Type 3C.
The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 60 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Twenty-three Hundred Dollars (\$2,300).

NO. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS, APPROACHES AND GUARD RAILS WHERE NECESSARY IN SACKET AVE., FROM GOLDEN AVE. TO WILLIAMSBURGH RD.; PIERCE AVE., FROM BRONXDALE AVE. TO WILLIAMSBURGH RD.; TOMLINSON AVE., FROM SACKET AVE. TO PIERCE AVE.; HAIGHT AVE., FROM SACKET AVE. TO VAN NEST AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

23,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.
100 cubic yards of rock excavation.
8,000 cubic yards of filling.
11,600 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
48,300 square feet of two-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
5,500 square feet of dry rubble masonry.
15 cubic yards of Class B concrete.
100 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.
500 linear feet of new guard rail.
4 receiving basins, Type C.
The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 150 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000).

NO. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BOSTON RD., BETWEEN HARPER AVE. AND BOLLER AVE., AND IN BOSTON RD. (BOTH SIDES), BETWEEN BOLLER AVE. AND CORSA AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

Proposition "A."
776 linear feet of concrete sewer, 5 feet 0 inches diameter.
220 linear feet of concrete sewer, 4 feet 0 inches diameter.
261 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3 feet 9 inches diameter.
281 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3 feet 6 inches diameter.
524 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3 feet 3 inches diameter.
10 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2 feet 9 inches diameter.
12 linear feet of cast iron pipe sewer, 30-inch.
1,225 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 30-inch.
15 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 24-inch.
445 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 18-inch.
1,265 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15-inch.
2,907 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
130 linear feet of basin connections.
200 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.
387 spurs for house connections.
120 linear feet of risers.
78 manholes.
5 receiving basins, Type B.
10,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.
200 cubic yards of Class C concrete.
5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber sheeting.
Bidders may bid on either Proposition A or Proposition B, or on both propositions.

The award, if made, will be to the lowest of all the bids received on both propositions.

The time allowed for the full completion of

the work herein described will be 300 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

Whether a bidder bids on one proposition or upon both propositions, the person or persons making such bid or bids, will be required to deposit only one certified check or sum of money equal to five per cent. of the amount of security required.

NO. 9. FOR CONSTRUCTING TEMPORARY SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES FROM WEBSTER AVE. AT EAST 235TH ST. TO BULLARD AVE. AT E. 236TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

625 linear feet of cast iron pipe sewer, 12-inch.
625 linear feet of cast iron pipe sewer, 8-inch.
8 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
45 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
3 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 8-inch.
50 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.
9 manholes.
25 cubic yards of rock excavation.
10 cubic yards of Class C concrete.
2,000 feet (B. M.) of timber sheeting.
1 controlling chamber.
The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 100 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Thirty-three Hundred Dollars (\$3,300).

NO. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURB, LAYING AND RELAYING SIDEWALKS, BUILDING OR REBUILDING INLETS, RECEIVING BASINS, DRAINS, CULVERTS AND APPROACHES WHERE NECESSARY IN, AND PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF UNIVERSITY AVE. FROM THE GRADE POINT 130.0 FEET SOUTH OF FEATHERED LANE TO THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF W. 174TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO (PERMANENT PAVEMENT).

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

6,250 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (heavy traffic mixture) outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.
890 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (heavy traffic mixture) in railroad area.
640 cubic yards of Class B concrete.
200 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
340 linear feet of old bluestone curb.
20 cubic yards of earth excavation.
350 cubic yards of rock excavation.
50 cubic yards of filling.
225 linear feet of concrete curb (including maintenance for one year).
180 square feet of new bluestone flagging.
1,600 square feet of old flagging.
130 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber.
3,100 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.
1 inlet, Type D.
The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 50 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the proper performance of the contract will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, cubic yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or certified check of 5 per cent. of the amount of the bond required as security for the proper performance of the contract bid for.

Blank forms of bids, upon which bids must be made, can be obtained upon application therefor; the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

a24.56 DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President.

a24.56 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1917.

Various Boroughs.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING MATERIALS FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK, ETC., IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN VARIOUS BOROUGHES.

Borough of Manhattan.

Item 1—Fire Apparatus.
Item 2—Sawdust Bins, Raffle Bins, Cotton Waste Chests, Large Cotton Waste Cans, Small Clean Cotton Waste Cans, Raffle Cans and Oil Waste Cans.
Item 3—Paint Cabinets.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Item 1—Fire Apparatus.
Item 2—Sawdust Bins, Raffle Bins, Cotton Waste Chests, Large Cotton Waste Cans, Raffle Cans, Oil Waste Cans and Small Clean Cotton Waste Cans.
Item 3—Paint Cabinets.

Borough of The Bronx.

Item 1—Fire Apparatus.
Item 2—Sawdust Bins, Raffle Bins, Cotton Waste Chests, Large Cotton Waste Cans, Raffle Cans, Oil Waste Cans and Small Clean Cotton Waste Cans.
Item 3—Paint Cabinets.

Borough of Queens.

Item 1—Fire Apparatus.
Item 2—Sawdust Bins, Raffle Bins, Cotton Waste Chests, Large Cotton Waste Cans, Raffle Cans, Oil Waste Cans and Small Clean Cotton Waste Cans.
Item 3—Paint Cabinets.

Borough of Richmond.

Item 1—Fire Apparatus.
Item 2—Sawdust Bins, Raffle Bins, Cotton Waste Chests, Large Cotton Waste Cans, Raffle Cans, Oil Waste Cans and Small Clean Cotton Waste Cans.
Item 3—Paint Cabinets.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows:

Borough of Manhattan: Item 1—One hundred (100) consecutive working days. Item 2—one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

Borough of The Bronx: Item 1—One hundred (100) consecutive working days. Item 2—one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

Borough of Brooklyn: Item 1—One hundred (100) consecutive working days. Item 2—one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

Borough of Queens: Item 1—One hundred (100) consecutive working days. Item 2—one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

Borough of Richmond: Item 1—One hundred (100) consecutive working days. Item 2—one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The time allowed for the full completion of

Borough of Queens: Item 1—Fifty-five (55) consecutive working days. Item 2—Fifty-five (55) consecutive working days. Item 3—Fifty-five (55) consecutive working days.

Borough of Richmond: Item 1—One hundred and ten (110) consecutive working days. Item 2—One hundred and twenty (120) consecutive working days. Item 3—One hundred and ten (110) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Borough of Manhattan: Item 1—Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500). Item 2—Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000). Item 3—Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

Borough of The Bronx: Item 1—Five Hundred Dollars (\$500). Item 2—Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000). Item 3—One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

Borough of Brooklyn: Item 1—Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000). Item 2—Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000). Item 3—Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

Borough of Queens: Item 1—One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000). Item 2—Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000). Item 3—Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Borough of Richmond: Item 1—One Hundred Dollars (\$100). Item 2—Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500). Item 3—One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

The deposit accompanying bid on each item for each borough shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each item for each borough, and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, Aug. 28, 1917. a28.810

a28.810 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Supplies at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL FOR USE IN THE SCHOOLS AND THE SEVERAL OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS THEREOF OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the coal and supplies and the performance of the contract will be for the period of four months, commencing the 15th day of September, 1917, as provided in the contract.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1 1/2%) of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price, per gross ton, by which the bids will be tested.

Separate bids must be submitted for each Borough, each District, alongside or item by item.

Contracts, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder for each Borough, each District, alongside or item by item, if deemed for the best interest of the City.

The Board of Education reserves the right to award the contracts by Borough, District, alongside or item by item, if deemed for the best interest of the City.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, Aug. 25, 1917. a25.87

a25.87 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WOOD PAVING BLOCKS TO THE QUEENSBORO BRIDGE.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the material and for the complete performance of the contract will be fifty (50) calendar days after the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit in the sum of one and one-half (1 1/2) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The amount of security to guaranty the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids, should he deem it to be in the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated, Aug. 20, 1917. a24.86

a24.86 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Correction at the office of the Department of Correction, Room 2400, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A POWER HOUSE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY LOCATED AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE PLUMBING, HEATING AND CHIMNEY, WHICH ARE PROVIDED FOR UNDER SEPARATE CONTRACTS.

The amount of security is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The time required to complete the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days. Certified check or cash in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) must accompany bid.

ITEM 2—FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION AND COMPLETION OF THE PLUMBING, HEATING AND CHIMNEY, WHICH ARE PROVIDED FOR UNDER SEPARATE CONTRACTS.

The time required to complete the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days. Certified check or cash in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, Room 2400, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a25.86

a25.86 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED FOR PAVING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT MASTIC WHERE DIRECTED, THE WALKS OF THE CENTRAL AND OTHER PARKS.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days from such date as the Commissioner shall notify the contractor to begin the work.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred Dollars must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Manhattan, Room 1004, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a25.86

a25.86 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF FORT HAMPTON PARKWAY BETWEEN OCEAN PARKWAY AND 72ND ST. BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, COMPRISING REGULATING

ING WORK, DRAINAGE AND WATER SUPPLY OF A POWER HOUSE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY LOCATED AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) must accompany bid.

ITEM 3—FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION AND COMPLETION OF THE HEATING EQUIPMENT OF A POWER HOUSE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY, LOCATED AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The amount of the security required is Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be two hundred and five consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900) must accompany bid.

ITEM 4—FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A RADIAL BRICK CHIMNEY FOR THE POWER HOUSE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY, LOCATED AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash to the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) must accompany bid.

Blank forms, drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction in the Municipal Building; at the Construction Office of the Department of Correction at New Hampton, New York; and at the office of the Architect, Charles B. Meyers, 1 Union Square West, N. Y.

Blank forms, specifications and orders for blue prints may be obtained from the Architect. Prints of the drawings may be obtained at cost from the National Blue Print Co., 110 W. 32d st., Manhattan, upon presentation of an order from the architect.

Dated, Aug. 24, 1917.

a24.85 BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

a24.85 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF COMFORT STATION IN MADISON SQUARE PARK.

The amount of security required is Seventy-five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500).

The time allowed to complete the work will be two hundred (200) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-five Dollars (\$375) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Manhattan, Room 1004, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a25.86

a25.86 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY AND REQUIRED FOR PAVING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT MASTIC WHERE DIRECTED, THE WALKS OF THE CENTRAL AND OTHER PARKS.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days from such date as the Commissioner shall notify the contractor to begin the work.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred Dollars must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Manhattan, Room 1004, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a25.86

a25.86 See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

AND GRADING, CONSTRUCTION OF ASPHALTIC CONCRETE PAVEMENT UPON EXISTING FOUNDATION, AND RESURFACING OF EXISTING MACADAM OR GRAVEL ROADWAYS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. The amount of security required is Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000). The time allowed to complete the work will be eighty (80) consecutive working days. Certified check or cash in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) must accompany bid. Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a24,s6

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Friday, Sept. 28, 1917, at 10 a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their 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 Manhattan.

5737—215th st., from Park Terrace West to Indian rd.
A220—22nd st., from Broadway to 4th ave. and from 5th ave. to 6th ave.
A221—Columbus ave., from 96th st. to 110th st.

A222—Clark st., from Dominick st. to Spring st.

A223—88th st., from Central Park West to Broadway.

A224—18th st., from 6th ave. to 7th ave.

A225—54th st., from 6th ave. to 7th ave.

A226—Broadway, west side, from 10th st. to 121st st. and east side, from 92nd st. to 121st st.

Borough of The Bronx.

5242—Dyre ave., from Boston rd. to the City Line.

5697—Wilkins ave., from Boston rd. to Crotona Park East.

5711—University ave., from Washington Bridge to Burnside ave.

5721—Jerome ave., from Kingsbridge rd. to Bainbridge ave.

5722—Valentine ave., from E. 194th st. to E. 196th st.

5728—E. 203rd st., from Webster ave. to the New York and Harlem Railroad.

5729—W. 180th st., from Loring pl. to University ave.

5731—Rosedale ave., from Walker ave. to Tremont ave.

5732—Benedict ave., from Storrow st. to Pugsley ave.

5733—Kingsbridge Terrace, from Kingsbridge rd. to 115 feet south of W. 229th st.

5735—W. 174th st., between Davidson ave. and Jerome ave.

A237—Crotona Park South from Fulton ave. to Prospect ave.

A238—Southern Boulevard from a point 270 feet north of E. 147th st. to a point about 15 feet north of Leggett ave., and from a point about 130 feet south of Longwood ave. to Barretto st.

Borough of Queens.

5685—Beach 130th st. (Montauk ave.), from Bayside Drive to Newport ave., 5th Ward.

5689—87th rd., from 80th st. to 85th st. and 90th rd. from 80th st. to 84th st., 4th Ward.

5695—Hart st., from Ouderdonk ave. to Woodward ave., 2nd Ward.

5696—Hancock st., from Wyckoff ave. to Cypress ave.; Decatur st., from Brooklyn Borough Line to Wyckoff ave.; and Cornellia st., from Wyckoff ave. to the Borough Line, 2nd Ward.

5698—Grove st., from Grandview ave. to Forest ave., 2nd Ward.

5708—Queens Boulevard, from Hill st. to Harold ave., 1st Ward.

5710—Maspeeth ave., from Newtown Creek to a point east of Sophie st. and Rust st., from Maspeeth ave. to Clark ave., 2nd Ward.

5712—40th st. (Clinton st.), from Roe pl. (Forest st.) to property line about 303 feet southerly, 2nd Ward.

5727—96th (Brandon) ave., from 109th st. (Napier ave.) to 110th st. (Bedford ave.), 4th Ward.

A240—10th st., from 7th ave. to Avenue C; College ave., from Avenue C to North Boulevard, and North Boulevard from College ave. to 13th st., 3rd Ward.

Borough of Richmond.

5740—Ridgewood pl., from Forest ave. to Castleton ave.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5686—63rd st., from 15th ave. to 18th ave.

5687—Douglass st., from Blake ave. to Dumont ave.

5688—Tapscott st., from East New York ave. to Sutter ave.

5705—Chester st., Nos. 202-204; Clay st., No. 81; Diamond st., No. 101; Franklin st., Nos. 43 and 238-40 and southeast corner Freeman st.; Freeman st., Nos. 145; Fulton st., Nos. 2139 and 2141 and northwest corner Sackman st.; Greenpoint ave., No. 179; Java st., No. 191; Kent ave., Nos. 90 and 303-05 and southeast corner North 9th st.; Manhattan ave., No. 406; Meeker ave., Nos. 2-8; Milton st., northwest corner Manhattan ave.; Meserole ave., northeast corner Franklin st.; Metropolitan ave., Nos. 432 and 466 and southeast corner Marcy ave.; Newell st., Nos. 45-49; St. Marks ave., No. 1615; Somers st., Nos. 70, 70½, 72, 72½ and 74; South 1st st., No. 325, and northeast corner Rodney st.; South 2nd st., Nos. 275-277; Sutter ave., Nos. 326-332, and southeast and southwest corners Watkins st.; Wythe ave., Nos. 350-352 and southwest corner South 2nd st.; 14th ave., No. 4301 and south corner of 43rd st.; 51st st., No. 349; 53rd st., No. 539; and 55th st., No. 565.

5706—E. 10th st., from Avenue O to Avenue Q.

5707—79th st., from 21st ave. to 22nd ave.

5709—Union pl., from Railroad ave. to Grant ave.

5714—76th st., from New Utrecht ave. to 17th ave.

5715—13th ave., from 58th st. to 59th st.

5716—Ovington ave., from 11th ave. to a line about 280 feet westerly, and 7th ave., from 40th st. to 41st st.

5717—Washington ave., from Malbone st. to Lincoln rd.; Franklin ave., from Malbone st. to Washington ave.; and Liberty ave., from Milford st. to Logan st.

5718—Avenue J., from Gravesend ave. to 22nd ave.

5724—Hemlock st., from Liberty ave. to Glenmore ave.

5726—5th ave., from 62nd st. to 63rd st.

5730—13th ave., from New Utrecht ave. to 57th st. and New Utrecht rd. from 47th st. to 17th ave.

5734—Herzl st., from Blake ave. to Dumont ave.

5736—E. 40th st., from Avenue I to the new street located about 665 feet northerly.

5738—Riverdale ave., from Snediker ave. to Hinsdale st.

5739—Junius st., from Sutter ave. to Belmont ave.

A217—4th ave., from 99th st. to 101st st.

A218—Taylor st., from Kent ave. to Wythe ave.

A219—68th st., from 115 feet east of 16th ave. to 148 feet east of 17th ave.

A227—3rd ave., from 26th st. to 38th st.

A228—Greene ave., from Stuyvesant ave. to Reid ave.

A229—River st., from Metropolitan ave. to Grand st.

A230—27th st., from 3d ave. to 4th ave.

A231—Main st., from Plymouth st. to Front st.

A232—Neptune ave., from W. 15th st. to Warehouse ave.

A233—Fulton st., from Crescent st. to the Borough Line.

A234—Summit st., from Commercial Wharf to Van Brunt st.; Bowne st., from Imlay st. to Van Brunt st.; Commerce st., from Imlay st. to Richards st.; and Verona st., from Imlay st. to Van Brunt st.

A235—Throop ave., from Myrtle ave. to Vernon ave.

A236—Degraw st., from 3rd ave. to 4th ave.

A239—Chauncey st., from Ralph ave. to Broadway.

A241—Vanderbilt ave., from Flushing ave. to Myrtle ave.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors. a4,6,11,13,18,20,25,27

Completion of Assessments.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

5690. Alteration and improvement to sewer in E. and W. 28th sts., between Madison ave. and Broadway. Affecting Blocks 829, 830, 831, 857 and 858.

5692. Basins on 215th st. adjacent to the southwest and northeast corners of Park Terrace West and the southeast and northeast corners of Indian rd.; 218th st., northeast corner Seaman ave.; and 217th st., northwest corner Park Terrace East and northeast corner of Park Terrace West. Affecting Blocks 2243, 2244 and 2250.

5693. Sewer in W. 189th st., between Wadsworth and St. Nicholas aves. Affecting Block 2168.

5694. Sewer in W. 188th st., between Wadsworth and St. Nicholas aves. Affecting Block 2168.

Borough of The Bronx.

5588. Paving Findlay ave. from E. 166th st. to E. 167th st. Affecting Block 2434.

5618. Paving Rogers pl., from E. 163rd st. to a point about 127 feet southerly. Affecting Blocks 2696 and 2697.

5652. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving E. 149th st., from Southern Boulevard to Timpson pl. Affecting Blocks 2600 and 2603.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5644. Paving and curbing Thalford ave. from Lott ave. to Hegeman ave. Affecting Blocks 3626 and 3627.

5649. Paving Bay 34th st. from 86th st. to Bath ave. Affecting Blocks 6861, 6862, 6873 and 6874.

5657. Paving 55th st., from 15th ave. to 16th ave. Affecting Blocks 5484, 5488, 5678 and 5685.

5659. Paving Douglass st., from Dumont ave. to Livonia ave. Affecting Blocks 3569 and 3570.

5660. Paving Hinsdale st. from New Lots rd. to Hegeman ave. Affecting Blocks 3866 and 3867.

5663. Sewer in Delamere pl. (E. 23rd st.), from Avenue L to Avenue M. Affecting Blocks 7640 and 7641.

5665. Sewer in 61st st., from 7th ave. to 8th ave. Affecting Blocks 5785 and 5794.

5699. Sewer in E. 19th st., from Avenue N to Avenue O. Affecting Blocks 6756 and 6757.

5701. Basins on Faragut rd. at the northwest corners of Brooklyn ave., E. 37th st., E. 38th st. and E. 40th st. Affecting Blocks 4982, 4984, 4986, 4999 and 5000.

5702. Basins on 20th ave. at the north corners of 77th st. and 78th st. Affecting Blocks 6239 and 6250.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments and who are opposed to the same, either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1917, 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. a1,13

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Sale of Double Girder Deck Spans.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1917.

FOR THE SALE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Six double girder deck spans, each 42 ft. 4 in. long over all and 5 ft. ½ in. deep back to back of angles. The webs of these girders are ¾ in. thick, and girders are spaced 6 ft. 6 in., center to center. These spans are provided with cross frames, longitudinal and transverse angle bracing. One 3-girder deck span, girders being spaced 6 ft. 6 in., center to center, making distance between outside girders 13 ft., center to center. The over-all length of this span is 42 ft. 4 in., and the depth, back to back, of angles is 5 ft. ½ in. The web of the central girder is ¾ in. thick, the side girders having webs ¾ in. thick. This span is provided with cross frames, longitudinal, transverse and lateral bracing.

These girders were designed under the 1910 specifications of the Maintenance of Way Association. Their total approximate weight, including bed plates, is 213,000 pounds. They are now stored where they can be seen on lands of the City near the Ashokan station of the Ulster & Delaware Railroad Co.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of 10 per cent of the bid.

These girders will be sold to the highest bidder. Checks of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned within three days. The successful bidder shall, within 15 days of the date of notice that the girders have been sold to him, make payment therefor by certified check in the full amount of his bid, and payment must be made before removal will be permitted. The deposit check of the successful bidder will be held by the Board as a guarantee that he will make good all damage to lands or property of the City

occasioned by the removal of the girders, and will be returned to him when the removal has been completed, and all damage, if any, repaired. All checks should be made payable to the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York. a23,s10

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1917.

FOR A CONTRACT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SHANDAKEN TUNNEL, THE TUNNEL IS PART OF THE SCHOHARIE WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT FOR THE NEW YORK CITY WATER SUPPLY. IS 18 MILES LONG, AND WILL CARRY WATER FROM THE SCHOHARIE RESERVOIR TO ESOPUS CREEK. THE TUNNEL WILL BE 11 FEET 6 INCHES HIGH BY 10 FEET 3 INCHES WIDE, LINED WITH CONCRETE MASONRY, AND WILL HAVE 8 SHAFTS. The tunnel has been divided into two portions, to be known as the north and south portions, so that bids may be submitted for either portion or for the entire tunnel.

A 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 or contracts, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bonds in the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$550,000), Six Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$650,000), and Eight Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$850,000), respectively, for the north portion, south portion and the entire tunnel 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 One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) for either portion and Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000) for the entire tunnel.

Time allowed for the completion of the work under each portion, as well as for the entire tunnel, is 7 years from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid for the portions and the entire tunnel, form of 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 Twenty Dollars (\$20) in cash or its equivalent for each set or part of set. 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, Board of Water Supply, Manhattan, New York City. a23,s11

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.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Sale of Dead or Abandoned Gas Lampposts.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AND publicly opened in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR THE PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF APPROXIMATELY 5,865 DEAD OR ABANDONED GAS LAMPPOSTS NOW STANDING IN THE STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

For the purpose of taking bids and making awards thereon, the lampposts have been divided into two classes, as follows:

Class A—Lampposts set in dirt between the curb and the sidewalk, the number of which is estimated at 1,500.

Class B—Lampposts set in concrete, flagstone, or other artificial durable sidewalk material, the number of which is estimated at 4,365.

It is the intent to provide for the sale and removal of all dead and abandoned lampposts, excepting only those upon which will be found mail boxes.

The bidders will, however, be required to determine for themselves by personal inspection the exact number of lampposts of each class to be sold and removed.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the terms of the agreement will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000). Such security, either in the form of a certified check or bond satisfactory to the Commissioner must be furnished prior to the execution of the agreement.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than five per cent of the amount of security.

The successful bidder will be required to execute the agreement hereinafter referred to within three days after receipt of notice of the acceptance of the bid.

The purchaser must commence the removal of the lampposts within ten days after the delivery of the agreement, and will be required to effect removal at the rate of not less than seventy-five (75) for each working day.

Before removing any lampposts it will be necessary for the purchaser to procure a permit from the Borough President upon such conditions as he may prescribe. Such permit will be issued only upon the written approval of the Department, which approval will be given only after payment by the purchaser to the Department of a sum equivalent to the purchase price, based upon the unit prices named in the agreement of the lampposts in respect to which the permit is sought.

Awards, if made, will be made as soon after the opening of bids as practicable. The right is reserved to reject all bids.

Blank forms upon which the bids must be made, and lists showing the location and approximate number of lampposts, and the form of agreements which the successful bidder will be required to execute, may be obtained in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, until 2 p. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING LIQUID CHLORINE MACHINES AND APPURTENANCES IN THE

EXISTING CHLORINATING PLANT NEAR WEST MAIN ST., MOUNT KISCO, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK, AND FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EXISTING BUILDING.

SECTION I—FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND INSTALLING LIQUID CHLORINE MACHINES, SCALES AND APPURTENANCES.

SECTION II—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THE NECESSARY MATERIALS AND MAKING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EXISTING BUILDING.

SECTION III—FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A HOT WATER HEATING PLANT WITHIN THE EXISTING BUILDING.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is before the expiration of ninety (90) consecutive working days on each section.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) on Section I, Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) on Section II, Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) on Section III.

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 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, Municipal Building, Manhattan. Dated, Aug. 24, 1917.

a27,s7 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION AND HEALTH.

Proposals.

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE POTATOES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, the route of such relocated railroad to be as follows:

Beginning at a point in Fulton st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, at or near York st. where a connection can conveniently be made with the existing structure in Fulton st. west of York st.; and thence extending over and along Fulton st. to York st.; and thence over and along Adams st. to a point at or near Myrtle ave. (where a connection can conveniently be made with the existing Myrtle Avenue Line); and thence over and along Adams st. to Fulton st. and over and along Fulton st. to a point at or near the east building line of Boerum pl., where a connection can conveniently be made to the existing Fulton Street Line.

Modifying the certificate dated March 19, 1913, issued by said Public Service Commission to said New York Municipal Railway Corporation for additional tracks so as to provide for the construction of relocated additional track commencing at a point of connection in Adams st. about midway between Concord st. and Tillary st. in the Borough of Brooklyn and extending thence upon, over and along Adams st. to Fulton st., and thence along Fulton st. to a point at or near the east building line of Boerum pl., in lieu of the construction of an additional track upon the portion of the Fulton Street Line as now existing west of the east building line of Boerum pl.

Copies of said form of certificate may be obtained at said office of said Public Service Commission for One Dollar (\$1) each.
New York, Aug. 20, 1917.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. a1,17

Invitation to Contractors.

Railroad Duct Line for Part of the Eastern Parkway Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of a Railroad duct line for a part of the Eastern Parkway Rapid Transit Railroad will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") on behalf of The City of New York, at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 5th day of September, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Railroad duct line is to consist of a line of twenty (20) ducts extending from President st. through Buffalo ave., East New York ave., East 98th st. and Livonia ave. to Rockaway ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation.
The Contractor must complete the work within six (6) months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.
New York, Aug. 15, 1917.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. a17,85

Part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE completion of construction of Shaft No. 2 of Route No. 26, a part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") on behalf of The City of New York, at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 5th day of September, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Shaft No. 2 of Route No. 26 is located in City property on the northerly side of E. 42nd st., in the Borough of Manhattan, between 1st ave. and the East River. Shaft No. 2 has been partly excavated by other contractors, and is to be enlarged and completed for use as an emergency exit, duct manhole and ventilating shaft. A superstructure is also to be constructed at the top of the shaft.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The Contractor must complete all work covered by the contract within nine (9) months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, bond and Contractor's Proposal and in the contract drawings, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.
New York, Aug. 3, 1917.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. a11,85

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
THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1917, TO FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1917,

for the position of

SOCIAL INVESTIGATOR, FEMALE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1917, 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: General paper, 4; 70 per cent required.

Training and Experience, 4; 70 per cent required. Oral, 2; 70 per cent required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Candidates should be familiar with the laws affecting the care and relief of indigent persons and needy children in New York City; with the methods and agencies for the care and assistance of needy children, the sick and the poor, and with the present work and historical growth of both public and private agencies and institutions for the care and relief of such persons. Experience or special training in connection with charitable institutions, hospital social service, societies for the relief of the poor in their homes, or for aiding or protecting children, or training along similar lines is desirable and will be given weight.

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

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,080 to \$1,380 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate. Vacancies occur from time to time.

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

a30,814 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1917, TO THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917,

for the position of

PLAYGROUND AND GYMNASIUM ATTENDANT, MALE, GRADE 1.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917, 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; Practical Test, 5; 70 per cent required. Duties, 3; 70 per cent required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Only those who pass the physical examination will be summoned for the Practical Test. Only those who pass the Practical Test will be summoned for the written test on Duties.

The Practical Test will be a test of the candidates' knowledge of and proficiency in baseball, basketball, soccer football, track and field athletics, tennis and gymnasium apparatus work. Candidates will also be required to demonstrate their ability to teach the various playground games and setting-up exercises.

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

Duties—To organize, lead and supervise the outdoor play and athletic activities of boys; to conduct the customary activities in indoor gymnasiums; to oversee public tennis grounds and other fields given over to public recreation.

Requirements—Candidates should possess a high school education or its equivalent, and should have had successful and extensive experience as play leaders or athletic officials, or as amateur or professional competitors or coaches in one or more appropriate branches of sport. They should also understand the proper care and use of playground and gymnasium equipment and supplies and should possess a practical knowledge of First Aid remedies and practices.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on the date of filing applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$900 to \$1,080 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate. Persons employed for seasonal work are paid at the rate of \$3 a day.

The list resulting from this examination will be used in certifying eligibles for both permanent and seasonal employment.

Eligibles are certified each year for seasonal work in the Department of Parks, while vacancies for permanent appointees occur from time to time.

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

a22,86 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1917,

Borough of Richmond.
FOR ELEVATOR WORK OF AN ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT HOUSE IN THE COUNTY OF RICHMOND, JAY ST., DE KALB ST. AND STUYVESANT PL., ST. GEORGE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, NEW YORK CITY.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is three (3) consecutive calendar months.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent of the amount of security.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

Plans and other information may be obtained at the office of the architects, Carrere and Hastings, 52 Vanderbilt ave., Manhattan, New York City. CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.
Dated, Aug. 22, 1917. a25,86

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon, on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917,

Borough of Richmond.
FOR REGULATING AND REGRADING THE ROADWAY OF DECKER AVE., WITHIN THE DEDICATED AREA 60 FEET IN WIDTH FROM POST AVE. TO A POINT 342 FEET SOUTHERLY THEREFROM, MEASURED ON THE CENTRE LINE, CENTRALLY LOCATED AT POST AVE., AND

DELECTING IN A STRAIGHT LINE TO A POINT 62 FEET TO THE WEST AT THE SOUTHERLY TERMINUS; AND 80 FEET IN WIDTH FROM THIS POINT TO CATHARINE ST.; LAYING BITUMINOUS MACADAM PAVEMENT; CONSTRUCTING CONCRETE CURB WITH STEEL GUARD, LAYING VITRIFIED BRICK GUTTERS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

6,675 square yards of bituminous macadam pavement, complete.

770 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, complete.

50 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, relaid.

2,620 linear feet of concrete curb, with steel guard, constructed.

140 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

50 square feet of new concrete sidewalk, constructed.

50 square feet of sidewalk, relaid.

110 linear feet of bluestone curbstone, re-joined, redressed and reset.

500 linear feet of roof leader outlets, relaid.

1,100 cubic yards of excavation.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Six Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$6,200), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.
Dated, Aug. 20, 1917. a24,85

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION, HEALTH, FIRE AND POLICE.

Proposals.

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1917,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent of the contract amount awarded. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, ARTHUR WOODS, Commissioner.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to owners abutting on OLD KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, for damages caused by the closing of portions of Old Kingsbridge road, situated in Blocks 3100, 3101, 3113 and 3085, 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 July 27th, 1917, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on August 15th, 1917, John P. Dunn, Alfred B. Hall and Edward J. McLaughlin were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John P. Dunn, Alfred B. Hall and Edward J. McLaughlin will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, held in and for the County of Bronx, at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of September, 1917, 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, August 25, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. a25,86

Notice to File Claims.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the southerly side of East 63d street, between 2d and 3d avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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, entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on August 6th, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 23d day of March, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

ALL those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of East 63d street with the easterly line of the lands of Public School 74, which point is distant 355 feet easterly from the easterly line of 3d avenue, and running thence southerly along said easterly line of the lands of said school 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with East 63d street 50 feet; thence northerly and parallel with said easterly line of the lands of said school 100 feet to the southerly line of East 63d street; thence westerly along the southerly line of East 63d street to said easterly line of the lands of said school, the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less; said lands and premises being known as Lot No. 33, in Block 1417, Section No. 5, of the Tax Maps of the Borough of Manhattan.

and each and every owner of 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 New York on or before the 11th day of September, 1917, 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 11th day of September, 1917, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, August 24, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a24,85

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 ADAMS STREET, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; MELVILLE STREET, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and VAN BUREN STREET, from Morris Park avenue to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, dated May 17, 1916, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of The Bronx on May 20, 1916, so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 12, 1915, and approved by the Mayor November 18, 1915, in which provision is made for modifying the alignment of Adams street in the section adjoining Morris Park avenue; the proceeding as now amended providing for the acquisition of title to Adams street, Melville street and Van Buren street, from Morris Park avenue to the northerly line of the right of way of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad as they are now laid out upon the map or plan of 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 supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of September, 1917, 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 September, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of September, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 18th day of September, 1917, 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 amended area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of January, 1916, 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 northwest by a line always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Morris Park avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Morris Park avenue; on the northeast by a line midway between Melville street and Taylor street, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by the southerly property line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; and on the southwest by a line always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Adams street and its prolongation, the said distance being measured at right angles to Adams street.

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, Room 1529,

15th floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of September, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 1st day of November, 1917, 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, August 20, 1917.
CHAS. C. MARRIN, Chairman; WILLIAM E. SMITH, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Commissioners of Estimate; CHAS. C. MARRIN, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. a24,s11

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to File Claims.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises bounded on the west by the center line of 130th street, on the south by the center line of 31st road, on the east by the center line of 131st street, and on the north by a straight line which intersects the center lines of 130th street and 131st street, respectively, 292.596 feet and 199.568 feet north of the center line of 31st road, in the Third Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a refuse destructor for the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on August 10th, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 8th day of June, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

ALL those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Third Ward of the Borough of Queens, in the City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point formed by the intersection of the center lines of the 31st road (Uhlund avenue) and 131st (Valonia) street, as said street and road are laid down upon map showing the street system for the territory bounded by 129th street, 31st avenue, Willets Point Boulevard and College Point Causeway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, said map, having been dated March 28, 1917, and forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval on April 9, 1917; thence westerly for 276.141 feet along the center line of 31st road (Uhlund avenue), as said road is laid down upon aforesaid map, to the center line of 130th (Urania) street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 109 degrees 41 minutes 14 seconds for 292.596 feet along the center line of 130th (Urania) street, as said street is laid down upon aforesaid map; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 260 feet to the center line of 131st (Valonia) street; thence southerly, deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 199.568 feet along the center line of 131st (Valonia) street to the center line of 31st road (Uhlund avenue), the point or place of beginning.

—and each and every owner of 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 Queens on or before the 11th day of September, 1917, 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 11th day of September, 1917, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, Aug. 24, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a24,s5

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the northerly side of Parcell street and the southerly side of Corona avenue east of the corner of Parcell street and Corona avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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, entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on August 14th, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 29th day of June, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

ALL those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Second Ward of the Borough of Queens in the City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the northerly side of Parcell street, distant 200 feet 8 3/4 inches easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Corona avenue as now existing and the said northerly side of Parcell street; thence northerly at right angles to the northerly side of Parcell street and along the easterly line of Lot No. 45 and the continuation thereof to Corona avenue as now existing 103 feet 4 3/4 inches; thence northerly along the southerly side of Corona avenue as now existing 92 feet 8 inches to a point on the westerly line of Lot No. 3; thence southeasterly at right angles to the southerly side of Corona avenue as now existing and along the westerly line of Lot No. 3, 51 feet 5 3/4 inches to a point on the north-

erly line of Lot No. 36; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot No. 36, 5 feet 1 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Lot No. 39; thence southerly along said easterly line of Lot No. 39 100 feet, striking the northerly side of Parcell street at right angles; thence westerly along said northerly side of Parcell street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, said premises being known as Lots Nos. 1, 39, 41, 42 and 44, in Block 934, Ward 2, of the Tax Maps of the Borough of Queens.

—and each and every owner of 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 Queens on or before the 11th day of September, 1917, 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 11th day of September, 1917, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, August 24, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a24,s5

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded on the north by ELIZABETH PLACE, on the east by BARBADOES CREEK, JAMAICA BAY, on the south by THURSBY STREET, and on the west by BEACH 63RD STREET, in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a refuse destructor for the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on May 8, 1917, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 30th day of March, 1917, was granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

ALL those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Queens, in the City and State of New York.

BEGINNING at a point at the intersection of the northerly line of Thursty street (Morris avenue) and the easterly line of Beach 63rd street (Sea View avenue), Thursty street (Morris avenue) being 50 feet in width, and being defined by two monuments placed upon a line 5 feet northerly measured at right angles from the southerly line thereof; Beach 63rd street (Sea View avenue) being 60 feet wide and being defined by two monuments placed 5 feet easterly measured at right angles from the westerly line thereof; thence northerly 200 feet along the easterly line of Beach 63rd street (Sea View avenue) to the southerly line of Elizabeth place, as laid down upon a map filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens as Map 250; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 355 feet, plus or minus, along the southerly line of Elizabeth place to the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, Jamaica Bay; thence southerly along the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, as said line winds and turns, to the northerly line of Thursty street (Morris avenue); thence westerly along the northerly line of Thursty street (Morris avenue) for 360 feet, plus or minus, to the easterly line of Beach 63rd street (Sea View avenue), the point or place of beginning.

—and each and every owner of 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 Queens on or before the 11th day of September, 1917, 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 11th day of September, 1917, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, August 24, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a24,s5

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharves and bulkheads not now owned by The City of New York, and all rights, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant thereto, situate, lying and being on Otsego, Halleck, Sigourney, Columbia, Bay, Court, Clinton and other streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 776 of the Laws of 1911 and the various acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, to be acquired for terminal facilities, and the equipment thereof and therefor.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Apportionment of 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 Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, Room 1356, Municipal Building, 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, August 24, 1917, file their objections, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 1728, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at once said office, on the 6th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated, New York, August 24, 1917.
STEPHEN C. BALDWIN, WILLIAM L. MOFFAT, EDWARD F. LINTON, Commissioners.
WILLIAM H. JASPER, Clerk. a24,s5

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 real property required for the opening and extending of SOTH-ERN AVENUE, from Queens Boulevard to Corona avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, September 4, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. a24,s14

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 street to Dunsing street (16th street), in the 3rd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the Garfield Building, 26 Court street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of September, 1917, 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, August 23, 1917.
WILLIAM W. GILLEN, JOHN H. FOX, I. H. OUNIAN, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. a23,s4

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.
Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days

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

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

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

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All 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.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

All bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope, in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done or the supplies are to be furnished. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.