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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for Week Commencing January 1, 1912.

Thursday, January 4—11.00 a. m.—Room 310—Degnon Contracting Company—“Arbitration, City's Appeal”—H. H. Whitman of Counsel. 11.00 a. m.—Room 310—Degnon Contracting Company—“Arbitration No. 2, Contractor's Appeal”—H. H. Whitman of Counsel. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1395—New York Edison Company, Geo. Stadtlander et al., Complainants—“Rates for electricity in Manhattan and The Bronx.”—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1427—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—“Additional elevators at 181st street and St. Nicholas avenue.”—Commissioner Eustis. 3.00 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1411—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—“Escalators at 155th street elevated station.”—Commissioner Eustis.

Friday, January 5—10.00 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1418—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—“Improvements to cars, tracks and stations on elevated lines.”—Commissioner Eustis. 2.15 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1398—New York and North Shore Traction Company—“Application for approval of \$1,500,000 bonds and \$771,764.12 stock.”—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—14th floor—Case No. 1438—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company et al.—“Additional cars and service.”—Commissioner McCarroll. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1429—Gas Corporations—“Removal and discontinuance of untested gas meters.”—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1426—Street Railroad Corporations—“Heating, heating regulations and ventilation in closed passenger cars.”—Whole Commission.

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

Regular meetings of the Commission held on Tuesday and Friday at 12 noon—Room 310.

Department of Correction.

Abstract of Transactions for the Week Ending December 9, 1911.

Communications were received as follows: From City Prison, Manhattan—Report of fines received during week ending December 2, 1911, City Magistrates' Court, \$41.

From District Prisons—Report of fines received, week ending December 2, 1911, City Magistrates' Courts, \$422.

From Penitentiary, Blackwells Island—List of prisoners received during week ending December 2, 1911: Men, 64; women, 7.

From Workhouse, Blackwells Island—Reporting that fines received during week ending December 2, 1911, amounted to \$27.

From City Prison, Brooklyn—Report of fines received week ending December 2.

1911: Court of Special Sessions, \$25; City Magistrates' Courts, \$15.

Contract awarded: Conron Brothers & Co., 40 10th ave., for 13,200 pounds chicken at \$0.1498 per pound, \$1,977.36; surety, International Fidelity Insurance Company.

Appointed temporarily: Donald P. McCreas, as Resident Physician, at the Branch Workhouse, Rikers Island, for fifteen days, to date from December 8, 1911. Salary, \$1,500 per annum.

John H. Morris, Orderly, at Branch Workhouse, Harts Island, at \$240 per annum, to date from December 6, 1911.

Died: Joseph O'C. Graley, Keeper, at City Prison, Manhattan, on November 29, 1911.

Robert A. Walsh, Orderly, at Storehouse, Blackwells Island, on December 7, 1911. Salary, \$360 per annum. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

Transferred: Charles Wolf, M. D., Resident Physician at the Branch Workhouse, Rikers Island, transferred to Department of Health as Medical Inspector, to take effect December 7, 1911. Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

Salary increased: James Farrelly, Keeper, District Prisons, from \$900 to \$1,050 per annum, to date from December 12, 1911.

Dropped from the roll: Edward J.

Dooley, Keeper, at \$800 per annum, at the Reformatory, Harts Island, to take effect November 30, 1911. Cause, absence from duty without leave.

Edward Brennan, Orderly at Storehouse, Blackwells Island, to take effect November 30, 1911. Cause, absence without leave.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Friday, December 29, 1911, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

In the absence of the President the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Present:
Aldermen

| | | |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| Francis P. Bent, Vice-Chairman. | William Drescher | George Markert |
| Thomas F. Baldwin | Alexander Dujat | Samuel Marx |
| Thomas F. Barton | Edward Eichhorn | John J. Meagher |
| Niles R. Becker | O. Grant Esterbrook | James J. Molen |
| John A. Bolles | Lawrence J. Fagan | George A. Morrison |
| John H. Boschen | William Fink | James J. Mulhearn |
| Edward Brady | William H. Finley | Courtlandt Nicoll |
| William D. Brush | James H. Finnigan | James J. Nugent |
| Stephen Callaghan | Ralph Folks | Lewis M. Potter |
| James E. Campbell | John S. Gaynor | John J. Reardon |
| Michael Carberry | Waldo S. Godwin | John C. Ruff |
| Charles P. Cole | Henry F. Grimm | Joseph Schloss |
| Daniel R. Coleman | James Hamilton | Peter Sheridan |
| Daniel T. Cornell | Joseph M. Hannon | W. Augustus Shipley |
| Frank A. Cunningham | Abram W. Herbst | James J. Smith |
| Henry H. Curran | John J. Hickey | Frederick Snell |
| Percy L. Davis | John F. Hoertz | Michael Stapleton |
| Charles Delaney | William P. Kenneally | Michael J. Volkmann |
| William J. Desmond | Francis P. Kenney | Leonard A. Van Nostrand |
| John Diemer | Max S. Levine | John F. Walsh |
| Frank J. Dotzler | John Loos | Louis Wendel, Jr. |
| Frank L. Dowling | Thomas J. McAleer | John J. White |
| Robert F. Downing | John McCann | Bryant Willard |
| Alexander S. Drescher | George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond. | James R. Weston |
| George Connolly, President Borough of Queens. | Maurice E. Connolly, President Borough of Queens. | |
| Cyrus C. Miller, President Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works. | Alfred E. Steers, President Borough of Brooklyn, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works. | |
| George McAneny, President Borough of Manhattan. | The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the Stated Meeting of December 26, 1911. | |
| On motion of Alderman Davis further reading was dispensed with and the minutes were approved as printed. | | |

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, December 29, 1911.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I return herewith, disapproved, proposed resolution No 513, entitled: “Resolution to permit Ward's Baking Co. to parade an advertising automobile.”

This proposed ordinance would permit an advertising automobile with an organ to parade through the streets of the City. If we allow one baker to make such a fuss in the streets, all of them will ask to do the like, and could not be consistently refused, on the rule of special privilege to none.

Very truly yours,

W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ward's Baking Co. to parade an advertising automobile, with an organ through the least congested streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 5154.

Being a number of communications in relation to the Building Code, which were read by title and ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 5154.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, December 26, 1911.

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

Gentlemen—I have the honor to request your authority for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of one hundred and thirteen thousand dollars (\$113,000) for the purpose of replenishing the fund established several years ago for the repair of street pavements in the Borough of Manhattan, where the period of maintenance covered by contracts has not expired, and where the contractors have failed to meet the contract requirements.

The estimated cost of keeping these abandoned streets in proper repair during the year 1912 is as follows:

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Streets abandoned by the Atlantic-Alcatraz Asphalt Co..... | \$8,895 00 |
| Streets abandoned by the Barber Asphalt Paving Co. (Broadway, Canal st. to 14th st.)..... | 9,100 00 |
| Streets abandoned by the California Asphalt Co..... | 2,525 00 |
| Streets abandoned by the Fruin-Bambrick Paving Co..... | 19,880 00 |
| Streets abandoned by the Mack Paving Co..... | 48,700 00 |
| Streets abandoned by the Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Co..... | 39,630 00 |
| | \$128,730 00 |

Unencumbered balance of revenue bonds in fund December 1, 1911..... \$14,187 37

Balance of retained moneys available..... 1,136 42

15,323 79

\$113,406 21

The following detailed statements show the estimated amount required for each street:

Atlantic-Alcatraz Asphalt Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|---|------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 1st ave.—60th to 61st st.; 72d to 74th st.; 83d to 84th st.; 85th to 86th st.; 91st to 92d st.... | June, 1912 | Old stone | 5,064 | 3,000 |
| Avenue D, Houston to 11th st.... | July, 1912 | Stone | 7,611 | 2,500 |
| 20th st., 4th ave. to Broadway; 19th st., 6th ave. to 7th ave.... | | Stone | 4,672 | 1,500 |
| | | | 17,347 | 7,000 |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|---|------------|
| 7,000 square yards sheet asphalt, at \$1.25..... | \$8,750 00 |
| 100 square yards old stone relaid, at \$0.70..... | 70 00 |
| 10 cubic yards concrete, at \$7.50..... | 75 00 |
| \$8,895 00 | |

Barber Asphalt Paving Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|---------------------------------|------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Broadway, Canal to 14th st..... | Apr., 1912 | Old stone | 19,023 | 7,000 |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|--|------------|
| 7,000 square yards sheet asphalt, at \$1.25..... | \$8,750 00 |
| 50 cubic yards concrete, at \$7..... | 350 00 |
| \$9,100 00 | |

California Asphalt Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 16th st., 6th ave. to 7th ave..... | | | 2,763 | 1,800 |
| 18th st., 6th ave. to 7th ave..... | Apr., 1913 | Old stone | 2,719 | |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|--|------------|
| 1,800 square yards sheet asphalt, at \$1.25..... | \$2,250 00 |
| 25 cubic yards concrete, at \$7..... | 175 00 |
| 100 square yards old stone relaid, at \$1..... | 100 00 |
| \$2,525 00 | |

Fruin-Bambrick Paving Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|--|-------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 80th st., Avenue A to 1st ave.... | Oct., 1912 | Stone | 2,109 | 700 |
| 15th st., 2d ave. to Irving place... | Apr., 1913 | Stone | 3,602 | 900 |
| 15th st., 6th ave. to 10th ave.... | Sept., 1912 | Stone | 11,017 | 3,800 |
| 51st st., 1st ave. to Park ave.... | Sept., 1912 | Stone | 7,043 | 2,000 |
| 48th st., 1st ave. to Lexington ave.... | Apr., 1913 | Stone | 5,856 | 2,000 |
| 54th st., Lexington ave. to Madison ave..... | Nov., 1912 | Stone | 2,851 | 1,000 |
| 61st st., 1st ave. to Madison ave.. | Nov., 1912 | Stone | 8,676 | 1,200 |
| 68th st., 1st ave. to 3d ave..... | Aug., 1913 | Stone | 4,351 | 800 |
| 10th st., Stuyvesant st. to 5th ave. | Apr., 1913 | Stone | 7,120 | 1,800 |
| 46th st., 1st ave. to 4th ave..... | Apr., 1912 | Stone | 7,264 | 1,500 |
| | | | 59,889 | 15,700 |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 15,700 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, at \$1.25..... | \$19,625 00 |
| 150 square yards of old stone pavement, at \$0.70..... | 105 00 |
| 20 cubic yards of concrete, at \$7.50..... | 150 00 |
| \$19,880 00 | |

Mack Paving Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|--|------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Broadway, 14th to 23d st., and 25th to 42d st..... | Apr., 1916 | Old stone | 49,688 | 24,000 |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 24,000 square yards of sheet asphalt, at \$2..... | \$48,000 00 |
| 100 cubic yards of concrete, at \$7..... | 700 00 |
| \$48,700 00 | |

Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Company.

| Street. | Expires. | Foundation. | Total Sq. Yds. | Estimated Sq. Yds. |
|--|------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 5th st., 6th ave. to 8th ave..... | Apr., 1913 | Stone | 5,432 | 1,200 |
| 4th st., Lewis st. to 2d ave.... | May, 1912 | Stone | 12,430 | 9,000 |
| 3d st., Lewis st. to 2d ave..... | | Stone | 12,533 | |
| 6th st., Lewis st. to Avenue D.... | Aug., 1913 | Stone | 1,052 | 1,000 |
| 7th st., Lewis st. to Avenue C.... | | | 3,542 | |
| Lewis st., Houston to 8th st.... | Apr., 1915 | Stone | 2,971 | 1,300 |
| 1st ave.—59th to 60th st.; 61st to 72d st.; 74th to 83d st.; 84th to 85th st.; 86th to 91st st.; 92d to 109th st.... | Aug., 1912 | Stone | 61,208 | 16,000 |
| Mercer st., 4th to 8th st.; Washington st., Broadway to University place..... | May, 1912 | Stone | 2,388 | 1,500 |
| Astor place, Broadway to 4th ave.; 8th st., Broadway to 4th ave..... | Apr., 1915 | Stone | 3,992 | 1,500 |
| | | | 108,511 | 31,500 |

Estimated Quantities.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 31,500 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, at \$1.25..... | \$39,375 00 |
| 150 square yards of old stone pavement relaid, at \$0.70..... | 105 00 |
| 20 cubic yards of concrete, at \$7.50..... | 150 00 |
| \$39,630 00 | |

Very truly yours,

EUGENE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Finance—

No. 5129.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 26, 1911 (Minutes, page—), the annexed resolution in favor of amending resolution for \$100,000

for construction of female dormitory, Blackwells Island, to include furnishing, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed amendment to be necessary. It permits the expenditure of a portion of this appropriation for the furnishing of this building. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held December 21, 1911:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and adopted by the Board of Aldermen on June 28, 1910, as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to provide means for the construction of a dormitory for female employees, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwells Island, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, and that when authority therefore shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid,"—be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to provide means for the construction and furnishing of a dormitory for female employees, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwells Island, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, WM. P. KENNEALLY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, BRYANT WILLARD, THOMAS J. McALEER, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Finley, Folks, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, Willard; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Bullion st. with the easterly side of Kingsland ave.; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Bullion st. 515 feet 1/4 inches to the westerly side of Debevoise ave.; thence northerly along the westerly side of Debevoise ave. 199 feet 10 1/2 inches to the southerly side of Benton st.; thence westerly along the southerly side of Benton st. 473 feet 5 1/2 inches to the easterly side of Kingsland ave.; thence southerly along the easterly side of Kingsland ave. 206 feet 11 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less; together with all the right, title and interest, if any, of the owner of, in and to the streets in front thereof to the centre thereof; said property being known on the tax maps of The City of New York as Section 10, Block 2885."

—and authorizes the Comptroller to enter into a contract for the acquisition of the said property at private sale, at a price not exceeding sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000), said contract to be submitted to the Corporation Counsel for approval as to form.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, WM. P. KENNEALLY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, THOMAS J. McALEER, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently, Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Davis, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finnigan, Folks, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannan, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Miller, President Steers, and President McAneny; the Vice-Chairman—61.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 5132.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on December 26, 1911 (Minutes, page—), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing compensation of certain Janitors of public schools, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be necessary. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held December 21, 1911:

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

Whereas, The matter of adjusting the compensation of Janitors and the fixation of their salaries under the provisions of section 56 of the Charter is now in the hands of a Special Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; therefore be it

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pending the report of said Committee, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified, in accordance with the following list:

Janitor-Engineer, Public School 140, Brooklyn; compensation, \$3,480 per annum.
Janitor-Engineer, Public School 152, Brooklyn; compensation, \$3,564 per annum.
Janitor, Public School 8, Brooklyn; compensation, \$2,808 per annum.
Janitor Public School 104, Brooklyn; compensation, \$3,000 per annum.
Janitor-Engineer, Public School 188, Manhattan; compensation, \$1,800 per annum.
Janitor-Engineer, Public School 85, Manhattan; compensation, \$2,448 per annum.
Janitor-Engineer, Public School 163, Manhattan; compensation, \$1,332 per annum.
Janitor, Public School 40, The Bronx; compensation, \$4,812 per annum.
Janitor, Public School 21, Brooklyn; compensation, \$87 per month.

Cleaner in Public School 188, Manhattan, additional compensation \$2 per day for work on Sundays in connection with evening lectures.

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

JOHN J. WHITE, JOHN McCANN, F. SNELL, SAMUEL MARX, WILLIAM DRESCHER, JAS. H. FINNIGAN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Finley, Folks, Hamilton, Hannan, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, Willard; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, and the Vice-Chairman—53.

Reports of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 5014.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on December 5, 1911 (Minutes, page 443), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Borough President of Manhattan to move the subway kiosks at 14th st. and 6th ave., and 23d st. and 6th ave. at a cost not to exceed \$40,000, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. The reasons for the authorization are set forth in the letter of request. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract without public letting for the removal and relocation of the kiosks of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company at the intersection of 14th st. and 6th ave., and 23d st. and 6th ave., the work to be done in accordance with plans approved by the Consulting Engineer of the Borough of Manhattan and the Consulting Engineer of the Public Service Commission, at a cost not to exceed forty thousand dollars (\$40,000).

FRANCIS P. BENT, JAMES J. SMITH, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN McCANN, MAX S. LEVINE, JOHN J. REARDON, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, November 28, 1911.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, 51 Chambers St., New York City:

Dear Sir—Application is hereby made for exemption from public letting of a contract for the removal and relocation of the subway kiosks of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company at the intersection of 14th st. and 6th ave., and 23d st. and 6th ave. The estimated cost of this work is \$40,000.

The reasons for this request are as follows:

On the 9th day of March, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution directing the widening of 23d st. between certain limits therein mentioned, and on the 25th day of May, 1911, directed the widening of the roadway of 14th st. between certain limits therein mentioned. To carry out the work described in these resolutions requires the removal and relocation of the kiosks of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company at the points above mentioned. The Railroad Company has consented to make the necessary alterations provided the consent of the Public Service Commission can be obtained. Application for such consent has already been made, and favorable action is expected.

Upon the advice of the Corporation Counsel it has been agreed that the original expense shall be borne by the City, but that after the work has been completed an agreed statement of facts shall be submitted to the Appellate Division

with the request that a determination be made as to whether the City or the Railroad Company shall ultimately pay the cost of the work.

If this work can be done by the contractor who carried out the original construction of this tunnel, it will result in a considerable saving, as he is familiar with the plans and details of all subsurface structures and has in his possession all the plans, profiles and engineering data necessary for such alterations.

I am convinced that in these circumstances it would result in unnecessary waste and delay to advertise for bidders for this work, and I therefore respectfully urge upon your Board the desirability of adopting the resolution granting the necessary exemption of this contract from public letting. Such a resolution is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully,

GEORGE MCANENY, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was referred. Subsequently Alderman Smith moved the adoption of this report.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution:

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finnigan, Folks, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannan, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Miller, President Steers, and President McAneny; the Vice-Chairman—61.

No. 5015.

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on December 5, 1911 (Minutes, page 443), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Bridges for authority to contract with the Bradley Contracting Company for filling in and excavating under the Queensboro Bridge, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be advisable. The details are fully set forth in the letter of request. The Commissioner of Bridges recommends this contract as a benefit to the City. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Bridges be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract with the Bradley Contracting Company, without public letting, for the filling of land, including marginal and cross streets, under the Queensboro Bridge, between Vernon ave. and Jackson ave., Borough of Queens. Also the regulating and grading, including earth and rock excavation and supplying necessary fill, between Vernon ave. and the bulkhead line, together with constructing the bulkhead and doing all necessary dredging, the consideration to the Bradley Contracting Company to be the use and occupancy of bulkhead and space immediately to the rear of same for a period of ten (10) years, under terms of occupancy satisfactory to the Department of Bridges, and form and terms of contract to be approved by the Corporation Counsel.

FRANCIS P. BENT, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, MAX S. LEVINE, JOHN McCANN, JOHN F. WALSH, JOHN J. REARDON, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, December 1, 1911.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request your Honorable Board, under the powers conferred by section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize a contract, without public letting, between the Department of Bridges and the Bradley Contracting Company, for the filling of land including marginal and cross streets under the Queensboro Bridge between Vernon ave. and Jackson ave., Borough of Queens. Also the regulating and grading including earth and rock excavation and supplying necessary fill between Vernon ave. and the bulkhead line, together with constructing the bulkhead and doing all necessary dredging, the consideration to the Bradley Contracting Company to be the use and occupancy of bulkhead and space immediately to the rear of same for a period of ten (10) years under terms of occupancy satisfactory to this Department and form and terms of contract to be approved by the Corporation Counsel.

The total value of the work to be done under this contract by the Bradley Contracting Company is far in excess of the consideration as shown by the attached memorandum, the value of constructing bulkhead, earth and rock excavation, dredging and supplying necessary fill being estimated at \$155,400 and the total value of consideration, use of bulkhead and space in the rear of same, as estimated by the Department of Docks and Ferries, being \$35,000.

The City is benefited by this contract in many other ways, among them being the increased tax value of the property in the neighborhood, the opening up of all the area west of the bridge plaza by giving access to Vernon ave. at this point, the need of which is decidedly noticeable, the improvement of the marginal and cross streets under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens and which, under present conditions, cannot be done by that Borough owing to the fact that the value of the adjoining property would not warrant the assessment.

I enclose herewith copy of proposal as submitted by the Bradley Contracting Company together with memorandum and map in connection with same.

Yours truly,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Bradley Contracting Company, 1 Madison ave., New York, September 3, 1911.

Hon. ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner of Bridges:

Dear Sir—Pursuant to our conversation of recent date, we propose to fill under the Queensboro Bridge from east side of Vernon ave. to Queensboro Bridge plaza, including cross streets under said bridge; and North Jane and South Jane sts., from plaza to Vernon ave.; also excavate all rock and earth within the above limits from Vernon ave. to the river to the level of the westerly side of the Vernon ave. curb, and build new bulkhead under the Queensboro Bridge.

In consideration of performing all this work free of cost to The City of New York, we request that bulkhead and all property back to Vernon ave. under the Queensboro Bridge be given over to us for our exclusive use for a term of ten (10) years without cost to us.

Yours very truly,

BRADLEY CONTRACTING COMPANY,

By Frank Bradley.

Memorandum in re Matter of filling in property under the Queensboro Bridge, Borough of Queens, and constructing bulkhead.

Sir—In compliance with your orders relative to the proposition to construct bulkhead along the bulkhead line and property under the Queensboro Bridge and grading the area immediately to the rear of the bulkhead extending back to Vernon ave., together with filling and grading the space under the Queensboro Bridge including the marginal and cross streets, I beg to report as follows:

Cost of constructing crib bulkhead, suitable for wharfage purposes,

as per estimate of Department of Docks and Ferries..... \$12,000 00

Dredging, as per estimate of Docks and Ferries..... 2,000 00

Grading property between Vernon ave. and bulkhead

Rock excavation, 8,000 cubic yards at \$2..... 16,000 00

Earth excavation, 6,000 cubic yards at 40 cents..... 2,400 00

\$32,400 00

Cubic Yards.

Space under Queensboro Bridge east of Vernon ave., under jurisdiction

of Department of Bridges..... 85,000

Marginal streets under jurisdiction of President, Borough of Queens

105,000

190,000

Less amount secured from grading west of Vernon ave..... 6,000

184,000

Increase due to shrinkage, 33 per cent.

Total fill required at 50 cents (246,000 cubic yards)..... \$123,000 00

Total value of improvement..... 155,400 00

Estimated value of ten-year permit to occupy bulkhead and property immediately in rear of same, as estimated by the Department of Docks and Ferries, \$3,000 per annum on five year basis and \$3,500 per annum on ten year basis or \$35,000.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Smith moved the adoption of this report.

Pending discussion on the above resolution, Alderman Smith moved the previous question.

The Vice-Chairman put the question "Shall the main question be now put?"

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Diemer, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Godwin, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, White; President Cromwell, President Gresser, President Miller, President Steers, President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Negative—Aldermen Bolles, Curran, Davis, Dotzler, Downing, Folks and Schloss—7.

No. 5138.

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on December 26, 1911 (Minutes, page 1), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Superintendent of Buildings, Manhattan, to purchase filing cabinets without public letting at a cost not to exceed \$5,000, respectively

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. It enables the Superintendent to secure cabinets which will fit those already in use, and saves the cost of advertising. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Superintendent of Buildings of the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts, without public letting, for the installation of metal furniture for the Bureau of Buildings to the extent of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), under the Corporate Stock appropriation approved by this Board under date of June 30, 1910.

FRANCIS P. BENT, JAMES J. SMITH, JOHN F. WALSH, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, MAX S. LEVINE, JOHN McCANN, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Smith moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Volkman, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, President Connolly, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 5147.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on December 26, 1911 (Minutes, page 1), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Docks to have work on ferry slip at St. George terminal performed by departmental labor, respectively

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary. A resolution permitting this work to be done without public letting was passed on December 5, 1911, but was incorrectly worded. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Docks be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to perform the work of reconstructing the south rack in the southerly ferry slip at the St. George terminal, in the Borough of Richmond, with departmental labor, and without advertising for bids or contracting for the same at public letting, at a cost not to exceed six thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$6,235).

FRANCIS P. BENT, JAMES J. SMITH, JOHN F. WALSH, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, MAX S. LEVINE, JOHN McCANN, Committee on Public Letting.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Smith moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Volkman, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, President Connolly, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny, and the Vice-Chairman—65.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Willard asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 5155.

Resolved, That the vote by which the report of the Committee on Finance on Int. No. 5109, a resolution to provide for special revenue bonds to the amount of twelve hundred dollars for the salary of a Messenger in the office of the City Clerk, was lost, be now reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

No. 5109.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 550), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$1,200 special revenue bonds to pay salary of Messenger in the office of the City Clerk for the year 1912, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this issue is intended to enable the City Clerk to keep in his employ Thomas J. Leahy, a Sergeant-at-Arms of this Board who has been doing this work for the past year. Such an officer is greatly needed in this office, and Leahy has proven himself well fitted for the place. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), the proceeds whereof to be used by the City Clerk for the purpose of paying the salary of a Messenger in his office for the year 1912.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WM. KENNEALLY, CHARLES P. COLE, JOHN F. WALSH, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, December 21, 1911.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held December 21, 1911, a report was presented from the Committee on Salaries and

Grades, referring to the request of the City Clerk for the establishment of the grade of position of Messenger at \$1,200 per annum, for one incumbent, and stating that no action is necessary on said request as said grade of position was established on April 3, 1902, for an unlimited number of incumbents.

The report (copy of which is herewith enclosed) was ordered on file and copy thereof sent to the City Clerk.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, December 18, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On November 28, 1911, the City Clerk requested the establishment in the office of the Board of Aldermen and City Clerk, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grade of position of Messenger at \$1,200 per annum, for one incumbent. On April 30, 1902, the grade was established in the office for an unlimited number of incumbents. No action, therefore, is necessary on the request. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; FRANCIS P. BENT, Acting President, Board of Aldermen; Select Committee.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Shipley, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—69.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman W. Drescher called up General Order 149, being a report and ordinance adopting a building code for The City of New York.

(For text of this ordinance see minutes of December 26, 1911.)

Alderman Willard offered the following resolution:

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on May 16, 1911 (Minutes, page 320), an ordinance adopting a building code for The City of New York, respectively

REPORTS:

That on May 16, 1911, Alderman Kenneally, Chairman of the Committee, introduced a proposed ordinance adopting a building code for The City of New York, being the result of study and preparation since the beginning of the term of the present Board. Said ordinance was referred to this Committee, and public hearings were held on May 22, 24, 26 and 27, at which everyone who appeared was given an opportunity to present his opinion as to the various sections of the code. On July 19, at the suggestion of a number of persons interested, his Honor the Mayor held a hearing at which discussion was had concerning certain provisions of the proposed code, particularly as it relates to concrete construction. On July 21 his Honor the Mayor addressed a letter to the Chairman of this Committee, which was published broadcast in the public press at the time, in which he made certain direct suggestions as to changes which, in his opinion, must be made in the code. The Committee have again taken up the matter, have considered it from every standpoint, and have complied with every suggestion made by the Mayor, which may be recapitulated as follows:

1. The requirement for the screening of cinders to be used in cinder concrete has been eliminated.
2. The height of reinforced concrete buildings has not been limited.
3. The use of segmental and flat arches is made optional.
4. The stresses upon reinforced concrete are made 650 pounds on an extreme fibre, and 450 pounds in direct compression.
5. The minimum thickness of flat arches of cinder concrete is made 4 inches.
6. The weight of the reinforcing material is reduced to one-third pound instead of one pound.

With these changes, and a change in the requirements as to frame buildings in the Borough of Brooklyn, and other minor changes recommended by the Superintendents of Buildings of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, the Committee believes that the proposed code is now ready for presentation in a shape to provide for proper regulation of the building industry in all its branches, and it, therefore, recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

Wm. Kenneally, John J. White, John Loos, James J. Nugent, James J. Smith, Frank A. Cunningham, William Fink, Michael Carberry, James E. Campbell, Committee on Buildings.

Resolved, That introductory No. 3552, being a report of the Building Committee, be laid on the table.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with resolution offered by Alderman Willard.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Callaghan, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Markert, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Schloss, Shipley, Volkman, Van Nostrand, Weston, Willard; President Cromwell, President Connolly, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny—36.

Negative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, W. Drescher, Fink, Godwin, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Walsh, Wendel, White and the Vice-Chairman—36.

Alderman Dowling then moved the previous question.

President McAneny secured the floor to offer the following point of order:

The President of the Borough of Manhattan makes the following point of order against the consideration of the proposed ordinance adopting a building code for The City of New York, Introductory No. 3552:

That the said ordinance, in sections 5, 6 and 10, provides for the appropriation of public moneys, whereas section 30 of the Charter requires that "no ordinance or resolution providing for or contemplating * * * the appropriation or expenditure of public moneys" shall be finally passed or adopted by the Board of Aldermen without unanimous consent until at least five days after such abstract of its provisions have been published as provided in section 29 of the charter; whereas the ordinance now before the Board has been published not more than two days.

That the ordinance presented to the Board, although it repeals existing ordinances and incorporates many sections of such existing ordinances without structural change, and in many cases without verbal change, it is not printed in accordance with Rule 30 of the Board, which requires that ordinances "which are amendatory of or repeal any existing law, code or ordinance, or any part of either thereof, shall contain in parentheses the part amended or repealed, and shall have the new part which is to be inserted marked by underscoring."

The point of order is that because of the failure of the ordinance to conform to the provisions of the charter, and of the rules above cited, it cannot be considered at this session of the Board.

The Chair ruled the point of order not well taken, and ordered the Clerk to call the roll on the question, "Shall the main question be now put?"

The Clerk proceeded to call the roll, when Alderman Callaghan moved to adjourn.

The Chair held that inasmuch as the roll call on the previous question was in progress the motion to adjourn could not be entertained.

Alderman Callaghan offered an appeal from the decision of the Chair, which the Chair refused to accept, pending roll call.

The roll on the motion for the previous question resulted as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, Fink, Godwin, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Walsh, Wendel, White and the Vice-Chairman—38.

Negative—Aldermen Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Callaghan, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Markert, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Schloss, Shipley, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Weston, Willard; President Cromwell, President Connolly and President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, and President McAneny—37.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, a majority of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, W. Drescher, Godwin, Hannon, Hickey, Keneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Walsh, Wendel, White and the Vice-Chairman—34.

Negative—Aldermen Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Callaghan, Coléman, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, A. S. Drescher, Dujat, Ehnholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Hoertz, Markert, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Schloss, Shipley, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Weston, Willard; President Cromwell, President Connolly, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, and President McAneny—39.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 5156.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen spread upon the minutes the expression of regret at the inability of President Mitchel to preside at the last meeting of the Board, on account of illness, and extends to him its most earnest and sincere hope for a complete and speedy restoration to health.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

No. 5157.

By the Vice-Chairman—

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

By the President—

Henry M. Landgraff, 208 E. 18th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bolles—

Herman M. Diamond, 102 W. 143d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Boschen—

Geo. H. Staite, 2183 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Brush—

James Gracie, 965 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan; Edgar R. Kraetzer, 250 W. 112th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Callaghan—

Herman Prager, 157 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Campbell—

W. Rossiter Redmond, 44 Court st., Brooklyn; George H. Lockwood, 409 Bergen st., Brooklyn; Percy L. Foote, 1202 E. 19th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Coleman—

Frank H. Griffin, 487 Park place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dowling—

John Burger, 333 E. 83d st., Manhattan; Edward Pfortner, 1813 Gleason ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Jeno. E. Ruttay, 245 7th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Frederick W. Ralston, 2056a Pacific st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—

Benj. A. H. Smith, 422a Hancock st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fagan—

Benjamin Brooks, Simpson and 163d sts., The Bronx.

By Alderman Finnigan—

Edward Lett, 353 Graham ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gaynor—

John A. Persin, 101 Nostrand ave., Brooklyn; Joseph Bookman, 1829 East New York ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Grimm—

Peter C. Gillen, Weldon st. and Railroad ave., Brooklyn; Albert Cramer, 338 Warwick st., Brooklyn; H. A. Mandeville, 57 Jerome st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hannan—

Edwin F. Lyng, 724 Coster st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Herbst—

Anton Herbst, 803 E. 166th st., The Bronx; John W. Engel, 426 E. 162d st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Levine—

Leonic Nathan, 15 177th st., The Bronx; J. N. Flowerman, 5 Beekman st., Manhattan; Louis Shoostoff, 135 East Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marx—

Marcus M. Goldschmidt, 66 W. 126th st., Manhattan; Louis Richman, 121 W. 116th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Meagher—

Joseph J. Reiher, 44 Court st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—

Geo. Ach, 419 Beverly road, Brooklyn; R. E. Patterson, 641 Leonard st., Brooklyn; Erskine H. Lott, 579 Ocean ave., Brooklyn; Edward M. Perry, 909 Sterling place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Potter—

F. R. Lillie, 1219 46th st., Brooklyn; William C. Stringer, 1061 E. 12th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ruff—

Mariano Prisinzano, 218 Chrystie st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Shipley—

Elmer J. Ashmead, 255 Amherst ave., Jamaica, Queens; Charles Bauer, Hollis, Queens; Julius D. Earle, 4841 Beaufort st., Richmond Hill, Queens.

By Alderman Volkmann—

W. L. Robson, 421 E. 85th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Wendel—

Wm. P. Malloy, 375 W. 46th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Willard—

Elizabeth M. Harris, 511 W. 135th st., Manhattan; Claudius A. Hand, 717 W. 177th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Weston—

Benj. A. H. Smith, 422a Hancock st., Brooklyn; Madeleine E. Lawrence, 751 Monroe st., Brooklyn.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Callaghan, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Keneally, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McAleer, McCann, Marx, Molen, Nugent, Reardon, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 5158

By Alderman Becker—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Bonta Hotel Company to erect, keep and maintain five ornamental posts, surmounted by lamps, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of the premises on the southeast corner of Broadway and 94th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and the illuminant supplied at said company's expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5159.

By Alderman Campbell—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Julius Van Praag to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Brooklyn, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5160.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That all matters remaining on the calendar, whether in General Orders or in the hands of the various Special and Standing Committees, be and they are hereby ordered on file.

Which was adopted.

No. 5161.

By Alderman Fagan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Knickerbocker Trust Company to place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of their premises on 148th st., at the junction of 3rd and Willis aves., building known as No. 509 Willis ave., Borough of The Bronx, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at their own expense under the direction of the President of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5162.

By Alderman Folks—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Maurice Lobel to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5163.

By Alderman Herbst—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Kling to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of premises southwest corner of Southern boulevard and Westchester ave., Borough of The Bronx, distant fifty feet northerly from the point formed by the intersection of Southern boulevard and Westchester ave.; provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5164.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Levy to erect, place and keep showcases within the stoop line of premises located on the northwest corner of Tremont ave. and Boston road, in the Borough of The Bronx; provided, the said showcases shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made; and provided the work to be done at his own expense, under direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5165.

By Alderman Levine—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the United States Constitutional Club to make collections in the streets of the Italian sections of the city; said collections to be for the benefit of the widows and dependents of killed and wounded Italian soldiers in Tripoli.

Which was adopted.

No. 5166.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Vahan Cardashian to parade three men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5167.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Maurice Levitan to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5168.

By Alderman Marx—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Bradhurst Social Club to parade on the 5th day of January, 1912, at 8 p. m., through the following streets in the Borough of Manhattan: Beginning at a point at 126th st. and 8th ave., thence south to 116th st., thence east to 7th ave., thence north to 145th st., thence west to 8th ave., thence south to 126th st. to place of beginning.

Which was adopted.

No. 5169.

By Alderman Ruff—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Trustees of Har Moriah Hospital to suspend two banners, one from the northwest to the southwest corner of Rivington and Essex sts., and one from the southwest to the southeast corner of Avenue A and 2d st., in the Borough of Manhattan; such permission to continue only up to and including Saturday, January 6, 1912.

Which was adopted.

No. 5170.

By Alderman Towne—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur Hahr to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5171.

By Alderman White—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harry Feinberg to erect, place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of premises No. 228 Bowery, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5172.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Wallach's Sons to erect, keep and maintain an ornamental post, surmounted by a lamp, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of No. 124 E. 14th st., in the Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done and illuminant supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Dowling moved that the Board do now adjourn sine die.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned sine die.

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

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

CHARTER MEETING.

Monday, January 1, 1912, 12 o'clock M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

In the absence of the President the Clerk called the Board to order and directed the reading of the following communication from the Board of Elections:

Board of Elections of the City of New York, General Office, 107 West 41st St., New York, December 22, 1911.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk of New York City:

Sir—In compliance with your request, I send you herewith a certified copy of the names of persons elected to City Offices at the Election held on the seventh day of November, 1911.

Very respectfully,

MOSES M. MCKEE, Secretary Board of Canvassers of The City of New York.

Board of Elections of The City of New York, 107 West 41st st., Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 11, 1911.

The Board of Elections of The City of New York, having met on the 4th, 7th and 11th days of December, 1911, pursuant to the provisions of section 440, chapter 22, Laws of 1909, constituting chapter 17 of the Consolidated Laws, as the Board of Canvassers of The City of New York, and canvassed and certified statements of the Board of County Canvassers of the Counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond, of the votes cast at the election held on the 7th day of November, 1911, for City offices in The City of New York, do hereby determine, declare and certify:

That William E. Morris by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Justice of the Municipal Court, Second District, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

That Stephen Callaghan by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Justice of the Municipal Court, Sixth District, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

That William Drescher by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the First Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Michael Stapleton by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John J. White by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James J. Smith by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Joseph M. Hannon by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frank J. Dotzler by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frank L. Dowling by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Max S. Levine by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John F. McCourt by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Hugh J. Cummiskey by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Tenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Louis Wendel, Jr., by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Eleventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That William P. Kennealy by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twelfth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John McCann by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John Loos by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fourteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Niles R. Becker by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John T. Eagan by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Daniel M. Bedell by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventeenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James J. Nugent by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Eighteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That William D. Brush by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Nineteenth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John J. Reardon by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twentieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Bryant Willard by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Edward V. Gilmore by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John H. Boschen by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John A. Bolles, by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Charles Delaney by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-fifth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Henry H. Curran by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Nathan Lieberman by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Courtlandt Nicoll by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John F. Walsh by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Twenty-ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Ralph Folks by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirtieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Percy L. Davis by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Michael J. McGrath by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Samuel Marks by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James L. Devine by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Thomas J. Mulligan by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-fifth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Thomas H. O'Neill by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John W. Hagenmiller by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Abram W. Herbst by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James Hamilton by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Thirty-ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Jacob Weil by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fortieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frederick H. Wilmot by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Robert F. Downing by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Michael Carberry by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frank Cunningham by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John S. Gaynor by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-fifth Aldermanic District of The City of New York.

That James R. Weston by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John Diemer by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James J. Molen by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Francis P. Kenney by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Forty-ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John J. Meagher by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fiftieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Ardolph L. Kline by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Daniel R. Coleman by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frederick S. Stevenson by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Jesse D. Moore by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Frank T. Dixson by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-fifth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That William P. McGarry by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Robert H. Bosse by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That O. Grant Esterbrook by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That George A. Morrison by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Fifty-ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Otto Muhlbauer by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixtieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That William H. Pendry by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Jacob J. Velten by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Edward Eichhorn by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Henry F. Grimm by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-fourth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That James F. Martyn by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-fifth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That George M. O'Connor by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-sixth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Otto C. Gelbke by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-seventh Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Alexander Dujat by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-eighth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Charles Augustus Post by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Sixty-ninth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That W. Augustus Shipley by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventieth Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That William Fink by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventy-first Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That John J. O'Rourke by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventy-second Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

That Charles P. Cole by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Alderman for the Seventy-third Aldermanic District in The City of New York.

We certify this determination and declaration to be correct, and have signed the same as members of the Board of Canvassers of The City of New York, and attested by the Secretary thereof, this eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

J. G. BRITT, Chairman; Jacob A. Livingston, Jas. Kane.

Attest: Moses M. MCKEE, Secretary.

—which was ordered on file.

The roll was then called, with the following result:

Present:

Aldermen

O. Grant Esterbrook, Jesse D. Moore

William Fink, George A. Morrison

Ralph Folks, Otto Muhlbauer

John S. Gaynor, Thomas J. Mulligan

Otto C. Gelbke, Courtlandt Nicoll

Edward V. Gilmore, James J. Nugent

Michael Carberry, George M. O'Connor

Charles P. Cole, Thomas H. O'Neill

Daniel R. Coleman, John J. O'Rourke

Hugh J. Cummiskey, William H. Pendry

Frank Cunningham, Charles A. Post

Henry H. Curran, John J. Reardon

Percy L. Davis, W. Augustus Shipley

Charles Delaney, James J. Smith

James L. Devine, Michael Stapleton

John Diemer, Frederick H. Stevenson

Frank T. Dixson, Jacob J. Velten

Frank J. Dotzler, John F. Walsh

Frank L. Dowling, Jacob Weil

Robert F. Downing, Louis Wendel, Jr.

William Drescher, Samuel Marks

Alexander Dujat, James F. Martyn

John T. Eagan, John J. Meagher

Edward Eichhorn, Bryant Willard

George Cromwell, Frederick H. Wilmot

Maurice E. Connolly, President Borough of Queens;

Cyrus C. Miller, President Borough of The Bronx;

Alfred E. Steers, President Borough of Brooklyn, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works;

George McAneny, President Borough of Manhattan.

Alderman Nicoll moved that Alderman John Diemer be elected Temporary Chairman.

No. 3.

Alderman Cunningham offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That John J. Meagher be and he is hereby elected Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the years 1912 and 1913.

The Chairman Pro-tem directed the Clerk to call the roll. Which rollcall resulted as follows:

For Alderman Kline—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Devine, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hagemiller, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Muhlauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller and President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, and President McAneny—42.

For Alderman Meagher—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Dixson, Dowling, Drescher, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neill, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White; President Connolly—32.

And the Chairman Pro-tem declared that Alderman Kline was duly elected Vice-Chairman of this Board.

The Chairman Pro-tem appointed Aldermen Willard and Alderman Dowling as a committee to escort the Vice-Chairman to the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman, upon assuming the chair, accepted the honor conferred upon him in a few brief words.

No. 4.

By Alderman Diemer—

Resolved, That, until otherwise ordered by a majority vote, the rules of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1910 and 1911, with the exception of section 19 of chapter 8, be temporarily continued as the rules of this Board and be in force and effect until new rules have been adopted.

Which was adopted.

No. 5.

By Alderman Hamilton—

Resolved, That Henry H. Curran be and he hereby is elected Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1912 and 1913.

No. 6.

By Alderman Delaney—

Resolved, That Frank L. Dowling be and he is hereby elected Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1912 and 1913.

The Vice-Chairman directed the Clerk to call the roll.

Which roll-call resulted as follows:

For Alderman Curran—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Davis, Devine, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hagemiller, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Muhlauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—42.

For Alderman Dowling—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Dixson, Drescher, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neill, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White; President Connolly—33.

And the Vice-Chairman declared Alderman Curran duly elected Chairman of the Finance Committee of this Board.

No. 7.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Resolved, That Ambrose O. Neal be and he is hereby elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the years 1912 and 1913, with compensation at the rate of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum.

No. 8.

By Alderman Levine—

Resolved, That Harry E. Oxford be and he is hereby elected Sergeant-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the years 1912 and 1913, with compensation at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum.

The Vice-Chairman directed the Clerk to call the roll, which roll-call resulted as follows:

For Ambrose O. Neal—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Devine, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hagemiller, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Muhlauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, President Steer, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—43.

For Harry E. Oxford—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Dixson, Dowling, Drescher, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neill, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White; President Connolly—34.

And the Vice-Chairman declared Mr. Neal duly elected as Sergeant-at-Arms of this Board.

No. 9.

By Alderman Folks—

Resolved, That George Triebel, Frederick Horlachor, William D. Badger, Sr., Edwin Rees, Carsten Busch, Henry Baum, John J. Daly and Samuel C. Cohen, be and they are hereby elected Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the years 1912 and 1913, with compensation at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200) each per annum.

No. 10.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That John J. McGlynn, John J. Cleary, George J. Fagan, John J. O'Doris, Edward F. Rourke, Daniel E. Buckley, M. W. O'Donnell and Peter A. Perry, be and they are hereby severally elected Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the years 1912 and 1913, with compensation at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) each per annum.

The Vice-Chairman directed the Clerk to call the roll.

Which roll-call resulted as follows:

For the names submitted by Alderman Folks—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Devine, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hagemiller, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Muhlauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Stevenson, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—43.

For the names submitted by Alderman Dowling—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cumuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Dixon, Dowling, Drescher, Dujat, Eagan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neill, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Veltel, Walsh, Wendel, White; President Connolly—34.

And the Vice-Chairman declared the Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms nominated by Alderman Folks duly elected.

No. 11.

By Alderman Pendry—

Resolved, That Aldermen Nicoll, Dotzler, Diemer, Downing, Shipley, Dowling and President Miller be and they are hereby appointed to constitute the Committee on Rules of this Board, with instructions to prepare and report the rules for the session of 1912 and 1913.

Which was adopted.

No. 12.

By Alderman Shipley—

Resolved, That all questions of contested seats be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections when appointed.

Which was adopted.

No. 13.

By Alderman Folks—

Resolved, That a Committee of five members be appointed by the President to inform his Honor the Mayor that the Board of Aldermen for the years 1912 and 1913 has been duly organized to transact public business, and that it is ready to receive any message he may desire to communicate.

Which was adopted, and the Vice-Chairman named as such Committee Aldermen Folks, Downing, Herbst, Kenney and Dowling.

No. 14.

By Alderman Boschen—

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, assembled for the purpose of organizing for the ensuing term, hereby extends to the Honorable John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board, its sincere congratulations upon the gratifying improvement in his physical condition, and desires to convey to him the hearty greetings of the Board, with best wishes for speedy recovery and early resumption of his official responsibilities.

Which was adopted.

No. 15.

By Alderman Folks—

Resolved, That the next regular stated meeting of the Board of Aldermen be held on Tuesday, January 9, 1912, at 1:30 p. m.

Which was adopted.

No. 16.

By the Vice-Chairman—

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

By the President—

George W. Sickels, 102 E. 31st st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Boschen—

Ernest E. Thomas, 453 W. 155th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

George H. Ittleman, 611 Willoughby ave., Brooklyn; Joseph C. Ryan, 713 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Downing—

J. Hunter Lack, 354 Ocean ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—

Augustus Haviland, 225 Hancock st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Herbst—

George P. Zipf, 583 Teasdale place, The Bronx.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cumuskey Cunningham, Curran, Davis, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Drescher, Dujat, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Kenney, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neill, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Stevenson, Veltel, Walsh, Weil, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—73.

No. 17.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Women's Suffrage League to parade with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 18.

Real Estate Owners Protective Association of the 12th and 22d Wards of The City of New York, New York, December 30, 1911.

Hon. FRANK E. DOWLING, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York.

Sir—I have the honor to inform you that at a regular meeting of the above Association, held on Monday evening December 4th inst., it was upon motion duly made and seconded, unanimously

"Resolved, That a communication be forwarded to the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, conveying an expression of the thanks of the members of this organization for the signal service rendered to taxpayers by the Board of Aldermen in reducing the city budget and in affording the taxpayers an opportunity to be heard in this important matter."

Very respectfully,

JOSEPH S. SCHWAB, President.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator, Kings County:

No. 19.

Office of Public Administrator, Kings County, 44 Court St., Temple Bar Building, Brooklyn, N. Y., December 30, 1911.

To the Hon. Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—Will you kindly take steps to introduce at the next meeting of your honorable Board a resolution issuing revenue bonds to the amount of \$2,500 to meet the expenses of this office as organized under the provisions of chapter 774 of the Law of 1911, the sum to be paid as follows:

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| Salary to Confidential Stenographer to the Public Administrator..... | \$624 00 |
| Salary to Confidential File Clerk and Bookkeeper to the Public Administrator..... | 416 00 |
| Office Furniture, Equipment, etc..... | 1,000 00 |
| Telephone Service | 250 00 |
| Supplies | 110 00 |
| Contingencies | 100 00 |
| | \$2,500 00 |

The passage of this resolution at Tuesday's meeting of your honorable Board is most earnestly solicited, for the reason that we have no facilities for the conduct of the work of this office.

The sums requested herein are estimated to cover the entire year of 1912.

May we hope for your prompt and favorable action in this matter, and oblige

Yours very truly,

FRANK V. KELLY, Public Administrator, Kings County.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the President, Borough of Richmond:

No. 20.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, January 1, 1912.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk to the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—Enclosed herewith please find drafts of three resolutions allowing me to draw from time to time upon the Comptroller for Contingencies on the funds set apart for General Administration, Bureau of Engineering Construction and Bureau of Buildings, of this office. Will you have these resolutions placed upon the calendar for early action by the Board of 1912, and oblige.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the President of the Borough

to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the President of the Borough of Richmond, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

No. 21.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses, consisting of railroad fares, etc., contingent to the Bureau of Engineering Construction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the said President of the Borough of Richmond may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars (\$300), and may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the funds set apart for the use of the Bureau of Engineering Construction in his office; be it further

Resolved, That when an accounting shall have been made to the Comptroller of money paid on account of such requisition to the extent of two hundred dollars (\$200), by the transmittal of voucher certified by the President of the Borough covering such expenditure, the Comptroller be authorized to renew the funds in the hands of the President of the Borough to the extent of the amount expended.

No. 22.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the Bureau of Buildings in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Superintendent of such Bureau of Buildings may by requisition, with the approval of the President of the Borough, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies in his office during the year 1912. But no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the Superintendent of Buildings and the President of the Borough covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

Alderman Morrison moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, January 9, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

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

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

January 2, 1912—Changes in this Department:

Miss Amy M. Ford, 987 Bergen st., Brooklyn, has been appointed to the position of Clerk (Card Indexer) in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the Department of Finance, with salary at \$900 per annum, taking effect January 4, 1912.

Richard Wright, Deputy City Paymaster, Department of Finance, has tendered his resignation, which has been accepted, taking effect as of December 31, 1911.

Harry Kittay, 723 Monroe st., Brooklyn, has been appointed as 2d grade Clerk, with salary at \$600 per annum, in the Queens Office of the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Department of Finance, taking effect January 2, 1912.

Samuel H. Goldberg, Temporary Clerk, in the Queens Office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Department of Finance, has tendered his resignation, which has been accepted, to take effect as of December 18, 1911.

Miss Birdie E. Rothschild, Stenographer and Typewriter in the Queens Office of the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Department of Finance, has been transferred to the Office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, taking effect as of January 1, 1912.

The salary of William G. Lord, Statistician in the Expert Accountants Division of the Auditing Bureau, Department of Finance, has been fixed at \$2,100 per annum, taking effect as of January 1, 1912.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Bureau of Buildings.

January 2, 1912—Peter Looram, 574 Lexington ave., Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, suspended at the close of business November 13, 1911, at the end of his probationary period, to take effect as of that date.

BOARD OF CITY MAGISTRATES, FIRST DIVISION.

At a meeting of the Board of City Magistrates of the First Division, held on the 29th day of December, 1911, the following promotion, transfer and appointments were made, to take effect on the 1st day of January, 1912:

Promoted—Robert E. Broderick, 319 West 26th st., from the position of Clerk at \$1,200 per annum to that of Assistant Court Clerk at \$2,000 per annum.

Transferred—Moses Osias, 871 Longwood ave., The Bronx, from the position of Interpreter at \$1,000 per annum, in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, to a similar position at \$1,500 per annum in the City Magistrates' Courts of the First Division.

Appointed—Carlton J. Barnes, 160 West 128th st., to the position of Stenographer, at \$2,000 per annum; John F. Lynch, 515 West 178th st.; John R. Kennedy, 114 West 101st st.; James Hopkins, 243 East 22d st.; Cornelius J. Hussey, 4 Columbia st.; George L. Sinclair, 4043 Wickham ave.; Patrick J. McLiney, 150 East 86th st.; Samuel Hilsum, 218 East 87th st.; James F. Scullin, 324 East 30th st.; James McDonald, 773 10th ave.; Edward J. Coffey, Jr., 330 East 77th st., and Charles J. Bohan, 342 West 51st st., Court Attendants, at \$1,200 per annum.

Frederick B. House, City Magistrate, was elected a member of the Board of Parole for the New York City Reforma-

tory for Misdemeanants for a term of one year, ending December 31, 1912.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS, SECOND DIVISION.

At a meeting of the Board of City Magistrates of the Second Division, held December 30, 1911, the following appointments of Court Attendants were made:

Borough of Brooklyn: Charles Buehler, 2857 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn; Joseph R. Wilson, 1271 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn; Thomas McGowan, 706 Grand st., Brooklyn; William A. Meagher, 37 Windsor place, Brooklyn.

Borough of Richmond: John F. Cunningham, 18 Bachman st., Rosebank, S. I.; Martin C. Burke, 322 Jersey st., New Brighton, S. I.

Each of the above appointments to take effect January 1, 1912, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

County of New York.

January 2, 1912—Transferred: Edward R. Shultz, of 428 West 67th st., from the position of Verifier, at \$1,000 per annum, to that of Abstractor, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Department for Indexing Documents, such transfer to take effect January 1, 1912.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

January 2, 1912—Changes in the staff of employees of the court: John J. Murphy, 220 East 87th st., appointed Stenographer and Typewriter Operator, salary \$1,800 per annum, said appointment to take effect January 1, 1912.

John R. Stevenson, 537 West 149th st., Stenographer of the First District Municipal Court, salary of \$2,000 per annum, transferred to a similar position in the City Court at a salary of \$3,000 per annum, said appointment to take effect January 1.

Transferred to Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, January 1, 1912: George J. Hanlon, Carpenter, Lenox ave., Winfield, L. I.

Transferred to Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, December 30, 1911: Einar Madsen, Blacksmith, 945 Belmont ave., Brooklyn.

Discharged for absence on account of illness: Edward Cray, Park Laborer, 889 1st ave.; Wm. Hennessy, Park Laborer, 236 West 65th st.; Patrick O'Halloran, Park Laborer, 244 East 103d st.

Promoted from Attendant to 2d grade Clerk, January 1, 1912: William J. Bath, 305 West 36th st., \$1,050 per annum.

Borough of The Bronx.

January 2, 1912—The compensation of Owen Corcoran, Westchester, Driver, with wagon and team, has been fixed at the rate of \$5 per diem, to take effect this date.

Discharged December 30, 1911:

Driver with wagon and team: William Englert, 445 Concord ave.; Mrs. John C. Hill, 2075 Lafontaine ave.; John Murphy, 2000 Lafontaine ave.; Chas. Buhler, 2350 Lorillard place; William Powers, 468 East 146th st.; James McCabe, 924 East 169th st.; William Hughes, Westchester; John Deitch, Pelham Bay Park; L. Fitzgerald, 166th st. and Sherman ave.

Driver with horse and cart: Amelius Long, 169th st. and Ogden ave.; Fred

Anderson, Van Cortlandt Park; James Mackin, Riverdale; Vincenzo Fusco, 1834 st. and Jerome ave.; Frank Bible, 1346 Blondell ave.; Edward Dougherty, Pennyfield; Thomas Torpy, Throggs Neck; Louis Castaldi, 155 East 204th st.; John McCabe, 1344 Clinton ave.

Painter: George F. Kennedy, 466 East 189th st.; Joseph O. Lustgarten, 1525 Charlotte st.

The resignation of George W. Homan, Jr., 218 East 239th st., Axeman, to take effect December 30, 1911, has been accepted.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

January 2, 1912—Appointed: Max Weiss, 619 6th st., New York City; Charles L. McDonald, 221 Tompkins ave., Brooklyn, and William Kronenberg, 182 Henry st., as 1st grade Clerks in the Main Office of this Department, and Ignatius A. Crawford, 1095 Lorimer st., Brooklyn, a 1st grade Clerk in the Bureau of Street Openings of this Department. In each case the salary will be \$300 per annum and the appointment will take effect January 5, 1912.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

December 30, 1911—Laid off: John G. Kennedy, of 1992 3d ave., Borough of Manhattan, from the position of Inspector of Dredging for lack of work.

Discharged: Thomas J. Ager, Dock Laborer, for misconduct and absence from duty.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

January 2, 1912—The transfer of Thomas J. Donohue, Inspector of Plumbing, to a similar position in the Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan, became effective December 30, 1911, instead of January 1, 1912.

December 30, 1911—The action of December 27, 1911, suspending from duty on account of lack of work, John T. Guilham, Inspector of Plumbing, which was to have gone into effect December 31, 1911, has been rescinded.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Bureau of Buildings.

January 2, 1912—Thomas J. Donohoe, 779 East 32d st., Brooklyn, is transferred from the position of Inspector of Plumbing in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, to a similar position in this Bureau, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum, to take effect December 30, 1911.

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John De Morgan and Edward J. Lovett, Deputy Receivers of Taxes.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS.

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George W. Wanmaker, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, Rooms 1-3.

Charles F. Bradbury, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Brooklyn—Mechanics' Bank Building, corner Court and Montague streets.

Theodore G. Christmas, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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Bernard H. Fee, Clerk, Acting Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Richmond—St. George, New Brighton.

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Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, Room K.

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Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Telephone, 4270 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Burial Permit and Contagious Disease Offices always open.

Telephone, 4900 Columbus.

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President's Office, Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City; 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1900 Greenpoint.
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Offices, Borough Hall, New Brighton, N. Y., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

CORONERS.

Borough of The Bronx—Corner of Third avenue and Tremont avenue. Telephone, 1250 Tremont and 1402 Tremont.
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Borough of Brooklyn—Office, 236 Duffield street, near Fulton street. Telephone, 4004 Main and 4005 Main.
Alexander J. Rooney, Edward Glinnen, Coroners. Open all hours of the day and night.
Borough of Manhattan—Office, 70 Lafayette street, corner of Franklin street. Open at all times of the day and night.
Coroners: Israel L. Feinberg, Herman Hellenstein, James E. Winterbottom, Herman W. Holtzhauser. Telephones, 5057, 5058 Franklin.
Borough of Queens—Office, Town Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.
Alfred S. Ambler, G. J. Schaefer. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m., excepting Sundays and holidays; office open then from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Borough of Richmond—No. 175 Second street, New Brighton. Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.
William H. Jackson, Coroner. Telephone, 7 Tompkinsville.

COUNTY OFFICES.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Thomas Allison, Commissioner.
Frederick P. Simpson, Assistant Commissioner. Telephone, 241 Worth.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Office, Hall of Records.
William S. Andrews, Commissioner.
James O. Farrell, Deputy Commissioner.
William Moore, Superintendent.
James J. Fleming, Jr., Secretary.
Telephone, 3900 Worth.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

COUNTY CLERK.

Nos. 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court House. Office, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
William F. Schneider, County Clerk.
Charles E. Gehring, Deputy.
Wm. B. Selden, Second Deputy.
Herman W. Beyer, Superintendent of Indexing and Recording. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Building for Criminal Courts, Franklin and Centre streets.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.
Henry D. Sayer, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records, office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Max S. Grinhaben, Register.
William Halpin, Deputy Register. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

SHERIFF.

No. 299 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Except during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Julius Harburger, Sheriff.
John F. Gilchrist, Under Sheriff.
Telephone, 4984 Worth.

SURROGATES.

Hall of Records. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Saturday, when it closes at 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
John P. Cohalan and Robert L. Fowler, Surrogates; William V. Leahy, Chief Clerk.
Bureau of Records: John F. Curry, Commissioner; Charles W. Culkin, Deputy Commissioner; George F. Scannell, Superintendent. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

KINGS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

5 County Court House.
Thomas R. Farrell, Commissioner.
Michael J. Trudden, Deputy Commissioner. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Office hours during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1454 Main.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Charles H. Graff, Commissioner.
William F. Thompson, Deputy Commissioner. Telephone, 1114 Main.
Telephone, 1082 Main.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Charles S. Devoy, County Clerk.
Francis F. Williams, Deputy County Clerk. Telephone, 4930 Main.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Brooklyn, Rooms 1, 10, 14, 17, 18, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23; Part II, Room No. 10; Part III, Room No. 14; Part IV, Room No. 20. Court House, Clerk's office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22, open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court House, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
James C. Crospay, District Attorney. Telephone, 2955-6-7 Main.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator. Telephone, 2840 Main.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Alfred T. Hobley, Deputy Register. Telephone, 2830 Main.

SHERIFF.

Temple Bar Building, 186 Remsen street, Room 401, Brooklyn, N. Y.
9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Charles B. Law, Sheriff.
Under Sheriff. Telephone, 6845, 6846, 6847 Main.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.
John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except during months of July and August, when office hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 3954 Main.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.; Queens County Court House, Long Island City.
George H. Creed, Commissioner of Jurors.
Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner. Telephone, 455 Greenpoint.

COUNTY CLERK.

No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.
Office open, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Martin Mager, County Clerk. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Long Island City. County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August and first Saturday of September.
Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.
Matthew J. Smith, District Attorney. Telephone, 2988 and 2987 Greenpoint.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.
John T. Robinson, Public Administrator, County of Queens.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Thomas M. Quinn, Sheriff.

John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.

Telephone, 3766-7 Hunter's Point (office).

Henry O. Schleith, Warden.

Telephone, 4181 Hunter's Point.

SURROGATE.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

Office, No. 384 Fulton street, Jamaica.

Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

The calendar is called on each week day at 10 a. m., except during the month of August. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.
Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
C. Livingston Boatwicks, County Clerk.
Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Term of Court, Richmond County, 1912:
County Court—J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge. First Monday of April, Grand and Trial Jury. First Monday of October, Grand and Trial Jury. On Wednesdays of each week at Richmond (except during August) without a Jury.
Surrogate's Court—J. Harry Tiernan, Surrogate.

Court days: Mondays, at the Borough Hall, St. George, and Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., on which citations and orders are returnable, except during August, and except on days when jury terms of County Court are held.

Telephones, 235 New Dorp and 1000 Tompkinsville.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.
Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.
Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Office, Port Richmond.
William T. Holt, Public Administrator. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Richmond, S. I.
John J. Collins, Sheriff; Peter J. Finn, Jr., Under Sheriff.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

THE COURTS.

APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
Court House, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. 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.

George L. Ingraham, Presiding Justice; Chester B. McLaughlin, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, Francis M. Scott, Nathan L. Miller, Victor J. Dowling, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open 9 a. m.

Telephone, 3340 Madison Square.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court House, Chambers street. Court open from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.
Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), Room No. 13.

Special Term, Part III, Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 20.
Special Term, Part V, Room No. 6.

Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part II, Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part III, Room No. 32.

Trial Term, Part IV, Room No. 21.

Trial Term, Part V, Room No. 24.

Trial Term, Part VI, Room No

line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the south-easterly and easterly boundaries of the said borrough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.

Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Snitkin, Justices.

James J. Devlin, Clerk.

Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borrough.

Thomas E. Murray, Thomas F. Noonan, Justices.

Michael Skelly, Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borrough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwells Island.

Michael F. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.

Abram Bernard, Clerk.

Location of Court—Part I. and Part II., No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borrough.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.

John H. Servis, Clerk.

Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue. On the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court House, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

Philip D. Meagher and William J. Bogenshutz, Justices. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Court opens at 9 a. m.

Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and the portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.

Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem River, on a line coterminous with the easterly boundary of said borrough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borrough.

Philip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.

John P. Burns, Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borrough, including Randalls Island and the whole of Wards Island.

Joseph P. Fallon and Leopold Prince, Justices.

William J. Kennedy, Clerk.

Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Central Park West, on the east by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.

Edgar J. Lauer, Frederic De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.

William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 9 a. m. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

BOROUGH OF BRONX

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and parts of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court room, Town Hall, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.

Peter A. Sheil, Justice.

Stephen Collins, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.

Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court room southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

John M. Tierney and William E. Morris, Justices.

Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards, and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Court House, northwest corner State and Court streets. Parts I. and 11.

Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Telephone, 7091 Main.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Court room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

John R. Farar, George Freifeld, Justices.

Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted. Saturdays 8.45 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeh avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, Vandever avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown Creek.

Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Huhn, Clerk. 1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Buabwick.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, the boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing Creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bay-side avenue, Little Bay-side road, Little Neck Bay, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandever avenue.

Court House, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.

James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.

Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 9 a. m. Court continued until close of business.

Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be ninety calendar days. The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

Bidders must state a lump sum for the above contract, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contract and specifications may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, December 23, 1911.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President of the Borough of Queens. d26,18

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 223, 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.

Dated New York City, July 26, 1911.

WILLIAM D. DICKEY, CAMBRIDGE LIVINGSTON, DAVID ROBINSON, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLAUGHLIN, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the City Hall, Room 14, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1912,

1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 12TH ST. FROM 42D ST. TO 44TH ST.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

4,150 square yards of improved granite block pavement, with paving cement joints.

400 cubic yards of filling to furnish.

760 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

450 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

500 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,066 square feet of new granite bridgestone, furnished and laid.

490 linear feet of header stone, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work is sixty working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT WITH COMMON BINDER ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 12TH ST. FROM AUDUBON AVE. TO BROADWAY.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

2,945 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

S 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 September 16, 1907.

Construction.

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Notices of Sale.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, Fifth Ward, as to liens remaining unpaid at the termination of sales of November 21 and December 12, 1911, has been continued to

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Arrears office, third floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated December 12, 1911. d14,j16

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF THE BRONX TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of the Bronx, as to liens remaining unpaid at the termination of sales of February 6, 20; March 6, April 10, May 1, 15, 29, June 19, July 10, September 11, November 13, 27 and December 11, 1911, has been continued to

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Coroner's Court Room, Bronx Building, 531 Tremont ave., in the Borough of the Bronx, in the City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated December 11, 1911. d12,j15

Corporation Sales.

CORPORATION SALE BY SEALED BIDS OF THE PRIVILEGE TO MAINTAIN A LUNCH COUNTER IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS FOR THE PRIVILEGE TO maintain a lunch counter on the northeast side of the rotunda on the first floor of the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, for a period of one year commencing February 1, 1912, will be received by the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1912, at 11 a. m., at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Bids must be made in the amount of rent per month which the bidder is willing to pay for said privilege, and each bid must be accompanied by cash or certified check for one month's rent in advance, which shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not sign the rental agreement when notified that it is ready for execution.

The agreement will be in the usual form of agreements for like privileges, and will contain, in addition thereto, the following provisions:

1. That the party to whom the privilege is granted shall do no cooking upon the premises.

2. That he shall be subject to the rules and regulations laid down by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, affecting the care and maintenance of the building.

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

W.M. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 28, 1911. j2,18

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

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of the Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bid certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of the Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Bailey ave., from Sedgwick ave. to Albany road, in the Borough of the Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held December 13, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum price named in the description of each parcel, of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

Parcel 52. Two and one-half story frame house, 3027 Bailey ave. Upset price, \$200.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 5th day of January, 1912, 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.

Assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line distant 290 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West 234th st. as laid out west of Kingsbridge ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of West 234th st., with a line distant 120 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Kingsbridge ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Kingsbridge ave., and running thence northwardly and always parallel with the line of Kingsbridge ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line passing through a point on the easterly side of Kingsbridge ave. distant 200 feet north of the intersection of the said easterly line of West 234th st. and through a point on the westerly side of Albany road distant 232 feet north of the point where the said westerly line of Albany road intersects the northerly line of West 234th st.; thence eastwardly along the line last described and along its prolongation, to the intersection with a line distant 240 feet easterly from and parallel with the westerly line of Albany road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Albany road distant 139 feet southerly from the intersection of the said westerly side of Albany road with the northerly line of West 234th st. and through a point on the easterly side of Albany road distant 182 feet south of the intersection of the said easterly line of West 234th st.; thence westwardly and along the line last described and along its prolongation, to the intersection with a line distant 200 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Kingsbridge ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Kingsbridge ave.; thence southwardly and parallel with the line of Kingsbridge ave. to the intersection with a line parallel with West 234th st. as laid out west of Kingsbridge ave. and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 15, 1911. d18,3

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BRIDGE COMMISSIONER, 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 Bridge Department purposes in the

Borough of Manhattan,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon the triangular plot of ground bounded by Park row, North William street and the Brooklyn Bridge, title to which vested in The City of New York on December 24, 1906, and known as 73 to 89 Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held December 13, 1911, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,

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

Parcel 1—Three story brick and frame building, known as No. 75 Park row.

Parcel 2—Three story brick building, known as 77, 79 and 81 Park row.

Parcel 3—Five story brick building, known as 83 and 85 Park row.

Parcel 4—Four story brick building, known as 87 and 89 Park row.

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 K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 4th day of January, 1912, 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 enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened

January 4, 1912," 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 K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars may be disposed of by the Comptroller on the last column of the "City Record."

Assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly boundary line of New York City with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly from the westerly line of White Plains road; running thence southwardly along said parallel line to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the westerly line of West 234th st.; thence westwardly along the line last described and along its prolongation, to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the westerly line of Barnes ave.; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to Barnes ave., to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the southwesterly line of Nereid ave.; thence easterly along said line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet easterly from the easterly line of Nereid ave., to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunter st.; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to Hunter st. to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of The City of New York; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

Section 159 of this act provides, * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 27, 1912, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

W.M. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 29, 1911. j4,15

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE

Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—OPENING, between Twelfth Avenue and the Hudson River. Confirmed November 18, 1911; entered December 29, 1911. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the northwest by a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of 8th ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to 8th ave.; on the northeast by a line midway between 56th and 57th sts.; on the southeast by a line distant 460 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of 8th ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to 8th ave.; to the point 100 feet east of the easterly line of West st.; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to the line of West st. to the said point on the westerly side of West st., where West st. is intersected by the aforesaid line midway between 38th and 39th sts.; thence northwesterly and parallel with the line midway between 36th and 37th sts. and along the prolongation of the said line 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of 14th ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of 14th ave.; thence southwesterly and parallel with the line of 14th ave. to the intersection with a line midway between 37th and 38th sts. to the intersection with a line 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Fort Hamilton ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fort Hamilton ave.; thence northwesterly and parallel with Fort Hamilton ave., to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between 36th st. and 37th st. thence southwesterly and along the said line midway between 36th and 37th sts. and along the prolongation of the said line 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of 14th ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of 14th ave.; thence southwesterly and parallel with the line of 14th ave. to the intersection with a line midway between 37th and 38th sts.; thence southwesterly and parallel with the northwesterly line of Fort Hamilton ave., the said distance being measured

NUE, FROM BOULEVARD TO STEINWAY AVENUE; VAN ALST AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO JAMAICA AVENUE; LINCOLN STREET, FROM HOPKINS AVENUE TO CRESCENT; CAMELIA STREET, FROM BOULEVARD TO VAN ALST AVENUE; SHERMAN STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO CAMELIA STREET; KOUWENHOVEN STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO GRAND AVENUE.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Hopkins st., from Broadway to Elm st.; both sides of Jamaica ave., from Boulevard to Steinway ave.; both sides of Van Alst ave., from Broadway to Jamaica ave.; both sides of Lincoln st., from Hopkins ave. to Crescent; both sides of Camelias st., from Boulevard to Van Alst ave.; both sides of Sherman st., from Broadway to Camelias st.; both sides of Kouwenhoven st., from Broadway to Grand ave.

No. 10. REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN HENRY STREET, FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO PROSPECT AVENUE.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Henry st., from Prospect ave. to Jackson ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 11. SEWER APPURTENANCES ON NINTH STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON AND VAN ALST AVENUES; ELEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON AND VAN ALST AVENUES; TWELFTH STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON AND VAN ALST AVENUES; ELY AVENUE, BETWEEN JACKSON AND NOTT AVENUES.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of 9th, 11th and 12th sts., from Jackson ave. to Van Alst ave.; both sides of Ely ave., from Jackson ave. to Nott ave.; both sides of Jackson ave., from Van Alst ave. to Nott ave.

No. 12. REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING, AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN BROADWAY, FROM EAST RIVER TO NEWTON ROAD.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Broadway, from the East River to Newton road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 13. GRADING HUNTER AVENUE FROM NOTT TO SKILLMAN AVENUE; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN PROSPECT STREET, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO JANE STREET; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN CRESCENT, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO JANE STREET; GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND FLAGGING JANE STREET, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO CRESCENT; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN HARRIS AVENUE, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO CRESCENT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Hunter ave., from Nott ave. to Skillman ave.; both sides of Prospect st., from Hunter ave. to Jane st.; both sides of Jane st., from Hunter ave. to Crescent; both sides of Harris ave., from Hunter ave. to Crescent, and to the extent of half the block at all intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 14. REGULATING, GRADING, ASPHALTING PAVEMENT, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN NINTH STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON AVENUE AND VAN ALST AVENUE; TWELFTH STREET, FROM JACKSON TO VAN ALST AVENUE; ELY AVENUE, BETWEEN JACKSON AND NOTT AVENUES.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of 9th, 11th and 12th sts., from Jackson ave. to Van Alst ave.; both sides of Ely ave., from Jackson ave. to Nott ave., and to the extent of half the block at all intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 15. REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN VERNON AVENUE, FROM TENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE, KNOWN AS THE BOUNDARY LINE OF THE FIRST WARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Vernon ave., from 10th st. to 100 feet north of Nott ave.; both sides of Hancock st., from 12th st. to Nott ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 16. COMPLETING THE REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING OF THE UNFINISHED PART OF JACKSON AVENUE, FROM ANABLE AVENUE TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE, KNOWN AS THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY LINE OF THE FIRST WARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Jackson ave., from Anable ave. to 100 feet north of Nott ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 17. REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN HOPKINS AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO ELM STREET; JAMAICA AVENUE, FROM BOULEVARD TO STEINWAY AVENUE; VAN ALST AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO JAMAICA AVENUE; LINCOLN STREET, FROM HOPKINS AVENUE TO CRESCENT; KOUWENHOVEN STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO GRAND AVENUE; CAMELIA STREET AND SHERMAN STREET, BETWEEN BOULEVARD AND HOPKINS AVENUE, AND BETWEEN BROADWAY AND CAMELIA STREET.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Hopkins ave., from Broadway to Elm st.; both sides of Jamaica ave., from Boulevard to Steinway ave.; both sides of Van Alst ave., from Broadway to Jamaica ave.; both sides of Lincoln st., from Hopkins ave. to Crescent; both sides of Kouwenhoven st., from Broadway to Grand ave.; both sides of Camelias st., from Boulevard to Hopkins ave.; both sides of Sherman st., from Camelias st. to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 18. EXTRA WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., OF VERNON AVENUE, FROM TENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE IN THE CON-

STRUCTION, RAISING AND RESETTING OF MANHOLES AND RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Vernon ave., from a point about 100 feet south of 11th st. to Nott ave.; both sides of Hancock st., from 12th st. to a point about 136 feet north of 12th st.; both sides of 11th and 12th sts., extending about 425 feet east of Vernon ave.; both sides of Division st., extending about 108 feet west of Vernon ave.; east side of Vernon ave., from Nott ave. to 13th st.; south side of 13th st., extending about 146 feet east of Hamilton st.

The Board of Assessors has levied and assessed the foregoing assessments in twenty equal annual installments.

The "Ninth Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for eleven years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments, with interest, shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and the "Ninth Installment" entered on December 29, 1911, 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.

Unless the amount of the ninth installment in each case shall be paid within sixty days, after said date of entry, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides " * * * An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record." * * *

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 27, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 29, 1911. d30,j11

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2. OTSEGO STREET—SEWER between Loraine and Dwight sts. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 568 and 578.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5. STERLING PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between Eastern Parkway Extension and East New York Avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sterling place, from Eastern Parkway Extension to East New York avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12. CHRISTOPHER AVENUE—PAVING, from Riverdale ave. to New Lots road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Christopher ave., from Riverdale ave. to New Lots road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13. SUTTER AVENUE—PAVING, between Berriman st. and Montauk ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sutter ave., from Berriman st. to Montauk ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 14. MALTA STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from New Lots road to Hegeman ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Malta st., from New Lots road to Hegeman ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 15. SEWER BASINS IN NOSTRAND AVENUE, at the northeast corner of Avenue D, at the northeast corner of Newkirk ave., and at the northeast and northwest corners of Avenue D and New York ave. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 4947, 4949, 4950 and 4964.

EAST THIRTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING, from Church to Snyder ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of East 31st st., from Church to Snyder ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING, from Foster ave. to Flatbush ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 28th st., from Foster to Flatbush ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

EAST TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16. EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Clarendon road to Avenue D. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 23d st., from Clarendon road to Avenue D, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST TWENTY-EIGHT STREET—PAVING, from Foster ave. to Flatbush ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 28th st., from Foster to Flatbush ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

EAST TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 17. FORTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER between 14th and 16th aven. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5344, 5362, 5363 and 5600.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17. FORTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between 14th and 16th aven. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5344, 5362, 5363 and 5600.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18. FORTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER between 10th and 12th aven. Area of assessment: Both sides of 43d st., from 10th ave. to West st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

FIFTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER between New Utrecht and 13th aven. Area of assessment: Both sides of 51st st., from New Utrecht to 13th ave.

The "Ninth Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for eleven years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments, with interest, shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and the "Ninth Installment" entered on December 29, 1911, 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.

Unless the amount of the ninth installment in each case shall be paid within sixty days, after said date of entry, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides " * * * An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record." * * *

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 27, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 26, 1911. d28,j9

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

BROWNSTONE PLACE—SEWER, between E. 132d st. and Southern boulevard. Area of assessment affects Block No. 2277.

RECEIVING BASIN at northeast corner of GOVERNEUR PLACE AND PARK AVENUE WEST. Area of assessment affects Block No. 2388.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10. AVENUE ST. JOHN—PAVING ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB, from Prospect ave. to Southern boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue St. John, from Prospect ave. to Southern boulevard and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

RECEIVING BASIN at the southwest corner of JACKSON AVENUE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 2630, 2637 and 2647.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.

SEWER in WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, between Harlem River and Sedgwick ave., and in SEDGWICK AVENUE, between W. 171st st. and Commerce ave. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 2538, 2541, 2542, 2880, 2882 and 2884.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET—SEWER, between Anthony ave. and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Area of assessment affects Block No. 3156.

EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET—PAVING, from Clarendon road and Avenue D. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 26th st., from Clarendon road to Avenue D, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16. THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 17.

FORTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER between 14th and 16th aven. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5344, 5362, 5363 and 5600.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

FORTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between 14th and 16th aven. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5344, 5362, 5363 and 5600.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

FORTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER between 10th and 12th aven. Area of assessment: Both sides of 43d st., from 10th ave. to West st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

MORRIS PARK AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND NECESSARY DRAINS, ETC., from the Bronx River to the easterly side of Morris Park ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of West Farms road, from Bronx River to easterly side of Morris Park ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect

ment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 24, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 26, 1911. d26,j6

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.
LOMBARDY STREET—PAVING, between Kingland and Morgan aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lombardy st. from Kingland ave. to Morgan ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.
EAST THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Avenue D to Avenue E (Ditmars ave.). Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 3d st., from Cortelyou road to Ditmars avenue, and to the extent of half the block at intersecting streets.

EAST NINTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Beverley road to 18th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 9th st., from Beverley road to 18th ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.
BAY ELEVENTH STREET—PAVING, between Benson and Cropsey aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bay 11th st., between Benson and Cropsey aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues,

—that the same were confirmed on December 22, 1911, by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and entered December 22, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Twenty-fourth WARD, Section 11.
TELLER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from E. 17th st. to Morris ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Teller ave. from E. 17th st. to Morris ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ANNEXED TERRITORY.

MORRIS PARK AVENUE—PAVING, THE ROADWAY AND RESETTING CURB, from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Morris Park avenue, from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 22, 1911, and entered December 22, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of 177th st. and 3d ave., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 22, 1911. d26,j6

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

SIXTEENTH WARD, SECTION 3.
WEST TWENTIETH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT in front of Nos. 143 and 145. Area of assessment: North side of W. 20th st., between 6th and 7th aves., Lot 13 in Block 796.

The above assessment was certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same was entered on December 21, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 19, 1912, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 21, 1911. d26,j6

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EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.
EIGHTH AVENUE—PAVING, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-third streets. Area of assessment both sides of Eighth avenue, from Thirty-ninth to Forty-third streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3, and THIR-

TIETH WARD, SECTION 17.
FORTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. Area of assessment affects Blocks 778, 5631, 5637 and 5638.

NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.
ST. JOHNS PLACE and UNDERHILL AVENUE—BASIN, at the northeast corner. Area of assessment affects Block 1173.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.
DELEAN STREET—SEWER, between Richard and Dwight streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Deleian street, from Richard to Dwight streets.

SEVENTEEN WARD, SECTION 9.
PROVOST and DUPONT STREETS—BASINS at the southeast and southwest corners. Area of assessment affects Blocks 2497 and 2498.

RUSSELL STREET—SEWER, between Meserole and Norman avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Russell street, from Meserole to Norman avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.
STERLING PLACE—PAVING, between Howard avenue and Eastern Parkway Extension. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sterling place, from Howard avenue to Eastern Parkway Extension, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.
PINE STREET—PAVING, between Etna street and Ridgewood avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Pine street, from Etna street to Ridgewood avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 11.
STOCKHOLM STREET and EVERGREEN AVENUE—BASIN, at the westerly corner. Area of assessment affects Block 3242.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.
DITMAS AVENUE—PAVING, between East Second street and West street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ditmas avenue, from East Second street to West street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST FIFTH STREET—PAVING, between Avenue C and Cortelyou road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East 5th street, from Avenue C to Cortelyou road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 17.
FIFTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between East Second street and West street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.
THIRTEEN AVENUE—PAVING, between Eighty-second and Eighty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thirteenth avenue, from Eighty-second to Eighty-sixth streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

BAY NINETEENTH STREET—PAVING, between Benson and Cropsey avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bay Nineteenth street, from Benson to Cropsey avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 23.
OCEAN AVENUE—SEWER, on east side, between Avenue G and right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad, between Avenues H and I. Area of assessment affects Blocks 7548 and 7566.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 19, 1911, and entered December 19, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and that after that date will be subject to a charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and that after that date will be subject to a charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AS REQUIRED, STOCK, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES AND FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES TO THE WILLARD PARKER, RECEPTION, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS AND THE HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES, THE RESEARCH LABORATORY AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM, AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1912.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of 55th st. and 6th ave., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; ALVA H. DOTY, M.D., RHINELANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 28, 1911. d28j10
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AS REQUIRED, BREAD, FISH AND MINERAL WATERS, TO THE WILLARD PARKER, RECEPTION, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS AND THE HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM, AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1912.

Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

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

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

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AS REQUIRED, BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS FOR THE WILLARD PARKER, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS AND THE HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM, AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y. AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1912.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of 55th st. and 6th ave., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; ALVA H. DOTY, M.D., RHINELANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 28, 1911. d28j10
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO FURNISH AND INSTALL PARTITIONS, TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY ALTERATIONS AND OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN THE OFFICE BUILDING AT FLEET AND WILLOUGHBY STS., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the

office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of 55th st. and 6th ave., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; ALVA H. DOTY, M.D., RHINELANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 20, 1911. d20j4
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

Part of Lexington Avenue Route.

The City of New York, acting by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called "the Commission") invites proposals to construct Section No. 2 of the Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The points within the City between which the said part is to run and the route or routes to be followed are briefly as follows:

Section No. 2. Beginning at a point under Broadway about seventy-five (75) feet south of the centre line of Park Place and extending thence northerly under Broadway to a point about ninety (90) feet north of the centre line of Walker Street; with a station at City Hall.

The general plan of construction calls for a subsurface railroad having four tracks. Turnouts, cross-overs, connections and sidings, etc., will be constructed, all of which are more particularly indicated on the contract drawings.

Bidders will not be required to do the station-finish work, nor to provide or lay tracks, ties or ballast.

The work of construction under the contract will include the construction of all necessary sewers and connections, along the route of the railroad; also the necessary support, maintenance, readjustment and reconstruction of vaults adjacent to buildings, pipes, tubes, conduits, subways or other subsurface structures; the support and care, including underpinning where necessary, of all buildings, monuments, surface, subsurface and elevated railroads and other structures, etc., affected by or interfered with during the construction of the work; also the restoration of the sidewalks and the temporary paving and maintenance of roadways.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation (under cover, unless otherwise specified in the form of contract or permitted by the Commission).

Bidders must examine the form of contract and the specifications, maps and plans; must visit the location of the work and inform themselves of the present conditions along the line thereof and make their own estimates of the facilities and difficulties attending the execution of the proposed work.

A fuller description of the work to be done is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated in the printed form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Printed copies of the form of contract, bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The contract drawings may be inspected at the same office, and copies thereof may be purchased by prospective bidders by payment of five dollars (\$5.00). The printed form of contract and the contract drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

The Commission is informed by the Department of Docks and Ferries that docks and bulkheads along the East River may be available for dumping purposes. Information in regard thereto may be obtained by any intending bidder upon inquiry at the office of the Commission.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be made monthly as the work proceeds as provided in the form of contract.

The Contractor will be required to complete the work as soon as practicable and within a period of forty (40) months.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until the 22d day of January, 1912, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the contract will be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited.

No proposal will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a separate certified check drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company having its principal office in the City of New York, satisfactory to the Commission and payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York for the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

The Unit Prices must not be improperly balanced, and any bid which the Commission considers detrimental to the City's interests may be rejected.

No proposal, after it shall have been deposited with the Commission, will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever.

The award of the contract will be made by the Commission as soon as practicable after the opening of the proposals.

Bidders whose proposals are otherwise satisfactory, in case the sureties or securities named by them are not approved by the Commission, may substitute in their proposals the names of other sureties or securities approved by the Commission, but such substitution must be made within five days after notice of disapproval, unless such period is extended by the Commission.

A bidder whose proposal shall be accepted shall, in person or by duly authorized representative, attend at the said office of the Commission within ten days after the delivery of a notice by the Commission that his proposal is accepted and that the contract is consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and such bidder shall then deliver a contract in the form referred to, duly executed and with its execution duly proved.

At the time of the delivery of the contract, the Contractor will be required to furnish security to the City by giving a bond for Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000) dollars. At the option of the successful bidder cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond.

Blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the

office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of 55th st. and 6th ave., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.
ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; ALVA H. DOTY, M.D., RHINELANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

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a bond under this contract, they must be of the character of securities in which Savings Banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Commission.

The Contractor's bond must be in the form annexed to the form of contract.

In addition and as further security fifteen (15%) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted and retained until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000). Thereafter there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10%) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or to execute and deliver the required bond or to make the required deposit, such bidder will, at the option of the Commission, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract.

In the latter case, the Commission will give notice thereof to such defaulting bidder, and the Commission may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Commission, it will be to the best interests of the City to contract with, or by new advertisement invite further proposals.

The defaulting bidder shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other Contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder.

If the Commission shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and that the contract is consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Commission, to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, or to make the required deposit, then the invitation to Contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damage by it sustained by reason of such failure, and in such case the bidder shall, by the terms of the proposal, be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other Contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder.

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map accompanying the said petition of October 11, 1911, a copy of which is attached hereto and forms a part of this contract.

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

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By Mayor.
(CORPORATE SEAL.)
Attest: City Clerk.
NEW YORK, WESTCHESTER AND BOSTON
RAILWAY COMPANY,
(SEAL.) By President
..... Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)
Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the proposed franchise, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, are as specified and fully set forth in the said ordinance approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as heretofore amended, as further amended by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the consent of such modifications and alterations.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modifications and alterations as applied for by the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, and said form of proposed contract for the grant of said franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Thursday, January 4, 1912, in the City Record, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, January 4, 1912, in two (2) daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor therefor and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, 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 alterations in the routes of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, as granted by ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, and amended by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and by contract dated January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively, such modifications and alterations 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 any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board to be held in the old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, January 4, 1912, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

(The New York "Times" and the New York "Press" designated).

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, November 23, 1911. 49:4

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on the 9th day of January, 1912.

Borough of Richmond,
No. 1—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AT STABLE "A," SWAN ST., TOMPKINSVILLE, S. I.
The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material required is as follows:
146,000 pounds of No. 1 timothy hay.
25,000 pounds No. 1 straight rye straw.
150,000 pounds No. 2 clipped oats.
8,500 pounds bran.
200 pounds fine salt.
300 pounds oil meal.
11 dozen salt bricks.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1912.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 2—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AT STABLE "B," COLUMBIA ST., WEST NEW BRIGHTON.

The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material required is as follows:

90,000 pounds No. 1 timothy hay.
15,000 pounds No. 1 straight rye straw.
101,000 pounds No. 2 white clipped oats.
3,000 pounds bran.
600 pounds oil meal.
8 dozen salt bricks.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1912.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. Other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
The City of New York, December 22, 1911. 427:19

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED by the provisions of Section 827 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Docks has this day established the following rule and regulation:

"Smoking or carrying lighted cigars, cigarettes, or paper in the terminal buildings of the Municipal Ferries, except in the smoking rooms set aside for the men, is hereby prohibited."

THE VIOLATIONS OF OR DISOBEDIENCE TO THIS RULE IS A MISDEMEANOR, PUNISHABLE BY A FINE NOT EXCEEDING FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, OR BY IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING THIRTY DAYS, OR BY BOTH SUCH FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks and Ferries. d28:19

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks, at the above office, until 12 o'clock noon, on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1912,
CONTRACT NO. 1317, FOR FURNISHING CARTS WITH HORSES AND DRIVERS, FOR DISPOSING OF STREET SWEEPINGS FROM PIERS AND WATERFRONT PROPERTY IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 300 calendar days.

The amount of security required is as follows: Class 1, the sum of \$1,600; Class 2, the sum of \$2,000; Class 3, the sum of \$800; Class 4, the sum of \$800; Class 5, the sum of \$1,200; Class 6, the sum of \$1,200.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per day of eight hours for one cart, horse and driver in any class on which a bid is submitted, by which price the bids will be tested, and awards, if made, will be made to the bidder whose unit price in that particular class is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects. The bidder may bid on one or more classes, as each class is a separate and distinct contract in itself.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Horses, carts and drivers must be furnished 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. CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks. Dated December 21, 1911. d22:15

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1912,

No. 1—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GENERAL SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1912.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

No. 2—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GASOLINE, KEROSENE AND LUBRICATING OILS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1912.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class; or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. 33:15

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1912,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST 97TH STREET AND IN CENTRAL PARK WEST, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is One Hundred and Fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The security required is Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

2. FOR TRANSFERRING TAPS, REARRANGING CONNECTIONS AND SETTING APPURTENANCES ON WATER MAINS IN WATER STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

3. FOR FURNISHING AND CONSTRUCTING A CHLORINATING PLANT AT DUNWODIE, YONKERS, N. Y.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred (100) working days.

The security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

4. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS, REPAIRING AND RESTORING ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is three hundred and sixty-five (365) calendar days.

The security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

5. FOR FURNISHING, PLACING, REPAIRING, REPLACING AND EMPTYING VINTAGE PANS IN THE VICINITY OF MT. KISCO, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, N. Y.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is until July 1st, 1912.

The security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

Borough of Brooklyn.

6. FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING MOTOR DRIVEN AIR COMPRESSORS AND APPURTENANCES, COMPLETE AT THE MAIN AND RESERVE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE STATIONS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

7. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN VARIOUS STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred and twenty

(120) working days on either section, or on both sections.

The security required is as follows:

For Section 1: Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000).

For Section 2: Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUBRICANTS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the delivery of the supplies is three hundred and sixty-five (365) calendar days.

The security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Borough of Queens.

9. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN BROADWAY, 18TH AND CHAMBERS STREETS, BAYSIDE BOULEVARD, ASHBURTON, CROCHERON AND MITCHELL AVENUES AND IN WHITESTONE ROAD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) consecutive working days.

The security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

All Boroughs.

10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL CASTINGS AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days on any one section or on any number of sections.

The security required is as follows:

For Section 1: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

For Section 2: Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

For Section 3: Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

For Section 4: Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

For Section 5: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

For Section 6: One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

For Section 7: Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared, and awards made to the lowest bidders as follows:

On Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 9 in a lump or aggregate sum.

On Nos. 7 and 10, by sections. Bidders may bid on one or more sections.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

Dated December 28, 1911. j3:17

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1912,

Borough of Queens.

1. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN THE FIRST AND THIRD WARDS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.
Dated December 18, 1911. d20,5
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before January 16, 1912, at 11 o'clock 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 form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

Borough of Manhattan.

2331. 142d Street West, from a point 392 feet west of Broadway to Riverside drive.

2333. St. Nicholas ave., between Dyckman st. and a point 449 feet south.

Borough of The Bronx.

2317. Bartholdi st., between White Plains road and Bronxwood ave.

2324. 182d Street East, between Jerome and Valentine ave.

2327. Ryer ave., between 183d and 184th sts.; 184th Street East, between Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and Valentine ave.

2328. Tratmann ave., between Zerega and Benson aves. (Madison ave.).

Borough of Brooklyn.

2235. Avenue N, between Flatbush ave. and E. 53d st., and from a point 100 feet east of E. 54th st. to E. 64th st.

2242. Brooklyn ave., between Clarkson st. and Ditmas ave.

2243. Chester ave., between Church ave. and Louise st.

2233. E. 14th st., between Neck road and Avenue Z.

2256. E. 22d st., between Beverley road and Clarendon road.

2260. E. 59th st., between Church and Snyder aves.

2261. 81st st., between 6th and Fort Hamilton aves.

2264. Elton st., between Blake and Dumont aves.

2267. 49th st., between New Utrecht and 18th aves.

2268. 51st st., between Fort Hamilton and 11th aves.

2277. Lott st., from Tilden ave. to Butler st.

2279. Meserole ave., between Diamond and Jewell sts.

2290. 65th st., between Fort Hamilton and New Utrecht aves.

2291. 67th st., between 14th and 15th aves.

2292. 74th st., between 11th and 12th aves.

2293. 75th st., between 10th and 11th aves.

2297. 20th ave., between 86th st. and Bath ave.

2305. Humboldt st., between Norman and Greenpoint aves.

2307. 91st st., between First ave. and Shore road.

2309. North Henry st., between Greenpoint ave. and Greene st.

2310. Otsego st., between Sigourney and Beard sts.

2312. 13th ave., between 57th and 60th sts.

2340. Avenue M, from Ocean ave. to a point 60 feet west of E. 17th st.

2343. Bay 25th st., between 86th st. and Cropsey ave.

2346. 42d st., between 13th and 14th aves.

2349. 57th st., between 8th and 12th aves.

2351. Livonia ave., between Hinsdale st. and Van Sinderen ave.

2352. New York ave., between Clarendon road and Snyder ave.

2354. 67th st., between Fort Hamilton and 14th aves.

2355. 73d st., between 12th and 13th aves.

2356. 12th ave., between 36th and 39th sts.

2357. 13th ave., between 36th and 37th sts.

2358. Bay Ridge ave., between 13th and New Utrecht aves.

2359. 49th st., between Fort Hamilton ave. and old City Line.

2360. 79th st., between 19th and 20th aves.

2365. 82d st., between 6th and Fort Hamilton aves.

2366. 53d st., between 18th ave. and West st.

2367. 77th st., between 5th and 7th aves.

2371. 8th ave., between 50th and 61st sts.

2372. E. 3d st., between Avenue C and Cortelyou road.

2373. 47th st., between 10th ave. and a point 100 feet easterly and between 18th ave. and West st.

2375. 59th st., between 7th and Fort Hamilton aves.

2376. Foster ave., between Coney Island and Gravesend aves.

2377. Riverdale ave., from E. 98th st. to Amyot st.; from Osborn st. to Junius st.; between Vesta and Pennsylvania aves.; between Wyona ave. and New Lots road.

2378. 17th ave., between 74th and 79th sts.

2381. West st., between 39th st. and 18th ave.

Borough of Queens.

2334. Bragaw st., between Skillman and Thompson aves.

2335. Diagonal st., between Jackson and Thompson aves.

2336. 8th ave., between Flushing and Grand aves., 1st Ward.

2337. 15th ave., between Newtown and Grand aves., 1st Ward.

2338. Franklin st., between Halsey and Mill sts.

2339. 4th ave., between Flushing and Wolcott aves.

2361. Hopkins ave., between Broadway and Grand ave., 1st Ward.

2362. 21st ave., between Jackson and Flushing aves.

2363. Woolsey ave., between Hallett and Barclay aves., 1st Ward.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, January 4, 1912. j4.15

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Manhattan.

2131. Paving with asphalt W. 163d st., from Broadway to Fort Washington ave.

2134. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging W. 218th st., from Broadway to Seaman ave.

The area of benefit extends within half the block at the intersecting streets.

Borough of The Bronx.

2096. Sewer in Lafayette ave. (E. 156th st.), between Westchester Creek and Avenue A; in Avenue A, between Lafayette ave. and Green lane; in Green lane, between Avenue A and Westchester ave.; in E. 172d st., between Avenue A and Arthur ave.; in Parker ave., between E. 172d st. and Westchester ave.

Affecting property in Lafayette ave., between Zerega ave. and Westchester Creek; 1st, 2d and 3d sts., between Avenue D and Westchester Creek; 4th, 5th, 6th (Ludlow ave.), 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th sts., between Castle Hill ave. and Westchester Creek; 14th st., between Avenue D and Westchester Creek; Westchester ave., between Pugsley ave. and Westchester Creek; Tremont ave., between Castle Hill ave. and Ludlow ave.; Zerega ave., between Lafayette ave. and Westchester ave.; Avenue B, between 4th st. and Westchester ave.; Washington ave., Butler place, Halsey st., Kinear place, property bounded by Westchester ave., Unionport road to White Plains road; thence running west to Columbus ave., to Bear Swamp road, Morris Park ave., Bogart ave., Rhinelander ave., Hone ave., Lydig ave., Lurting ave., to the Bronx and Pelham parkway; along said Bronx and Pelham parkway to Bassett ave.; along Bassett ave., to its intersection with Eastchester road, along Eastchester road to Blondell ave.; along Blondell ave., to its intersection with Westchester ave.; Cedar st., Oak st., Beach st., Elm st., Cooper ave., Franklin ave., Dock st., Ferris place and Thomas st.; also property bounded by the Bronx and Pelham parkway, Williamsbridge road to the Boston Post road; along the Boston Post road in a southerly direction to White Plains road; northerly along White Plains road to 3d st.; along 3d st. to 5th ave.; along 5th ave. to 22d st.; along 22d st. to Hutchinson River; along Hutchinson River to Givan Creek; along the creek to Tieman ave.; through Tieman ave. to the Bronx and Pelham parkway; also property bounded by 22d st., Bronxwood ave., to 16th ave., White Plains road to the northerly boundary line of The City of New York and along said boundary line of The City of New York to the Hutchinson River and along Hutchinson River to 22d st. to the point of beginning.

1803. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., City Island ave. (Main st.), from the approach of the bridge 300 feet north of Elizabeth st. to the Long Island Sound at the southerly end of City Island.

Affecting City Island.

2135. Paving Eastburn ave., between 174th st. and 175th st., and curbing.

2136. Paving, curbing and flagging Fox st., from Intervale ave. to Barretto st.

2137. Paving and curbing E. 162d st., from Prospect ave. to Stebbins ave.

2138. Paving E. 178th st., between 3d and Hughes ave., and curbing.

2139. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Olinville ave. (Richard st.), between Barretto st., between Lafayette and Spofford aves.

2140. Paving and curbing E. 135th st., from the east side of the Southern boulevard to Locust ave.

2143. Paving and curbing E. 162d st., between Morris and Sherman aves.

2144. Paving and curbing E. 171st st., between Webster ave. and the New York and Harlem Railroad.

2145. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Seneca ave., from Hunts Point ave. to Whittier st.

2146. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Trafalgar place, between E. 173rd and E. 176th sts.

The area of assessment in the above assessment lists extends to within half the block of the intersecting streets.

2140. Sewer in W. 234th st., between Broadway and Kingsbridge ave. and in Kingsbridge ave., between W. 234th and W. 232d sts.

Affecting Block Nos. 3405 and 5060.

Borough of Brooklyn.

1448. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 4th st., from Avenue D (Cortelyou road) to a point 240 feet more or less north of Avenue F.

1449. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 31st st., between Clarendon road and Church ave.

2022. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Bay 13th st., between 86th st. and Crosey ave.

The area of assessment extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, 320 Broadway, New York, on or before January 30, 1912, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, December 30, 1911. d30,j11

Affecting Block Nos. 6405 and 6369 to 6373, inclusive.

2154. Sewer in Ditmas ave., between West st. and Gravesend ave.

Affecting Block Nos. 5384 and 5394.

2155. Sewer in E. 21st st., from Regent place to Beverly road.

Affecting Block Nos. 5124 and 5125.

2156. Sewer in E. 39th st., from the Long Island Railroad (between Avenue H and I) to Hubbard place; Hubbard place, between Flatbush ave. and E. 40th st.; Alton place, between Flatbush ave. and E. 40th st.

Affecting Block Nos. 7742, 7743, 7764, 7765, 7786, 7787, 7808, 7809, and 7811 to 7813, inclusive.

Affecting Block Nos. 6405 and 6369 to 6373, inclusive.

2157. Sewer in 87th st., from Narrows ave. to Shore road.

Affecting Block No. 6040.

2159. Sewer in 47th st., from end of existing sewer west of 15th ave. to 17th ave.

Affecting Block Nos. 5624, 5630, 5436, 5437, 5442 and 5443.

2162. Sewer in 52d st., between New Utrecht and 13th aves.

Affecting Block Nos. 5655 and 5662.

2163. Sewer in 57th st., between Fort Hamilton and 12th aves.

Affecting Block Nos. 5688, 5689, 5695 and 5696.

2166. Sewer in 57th st., between New Utrecht and 14th aves.

Affecting Block Nos. 5691, 5698.

The time for the performance of the contract is from January 1, 1912, to June 30, 1912, both dates inclusive.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per pound, quart or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder, on each line or item, as stated in the specification.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated December 28, 1911. d29.j11

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING CANNED GOODS,
GROCERIES, DRIED FRUITS, FARINA-
CEOUS FOODS, PROVISIONS, FRESH
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, LAUNDRY
SUPPLIES AND FORAGE.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per pound, per dozen, or other unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 22, 1911. d22.j5

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
FURNITURE FOR NEW NURSES HOME
AND TRAINING SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF
BROOKLYN.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per yard, per dozen or other unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 21, 1911. d21.j4

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND
BURIAL OF PAUPER DEAD IN THE BOR-
OUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750).

The bidder will state the price for the burial of each body, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and award made to the lowest bidder.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 21, 1911. d21.j4

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, AR-
SENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOR-
OUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1912,
Borough of Manhattan,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
COAL.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be as required before July 1, 1912.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, AR-
SENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOR-
OUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1912,
Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond,
FOR REPAIRS AND KEEPING IN REPAIR
DURING THE SEASON OF 1912 THE MOTOR,
HORSE, AND HAND LAWN MOWERS ON
PARKS IN MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be before November 1, 1912.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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

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OUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
Borough of Manhattan,

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS RE-
QUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND ERECT-
ING THE INTERIOR FINISH, PLUMBING,
HEATING, ELECTRIC WIRING AND OTHER
WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO IN ADDI-
TION H OF THE METROPOLITAN MU-
SEUM OF ART, LOCATED IN CENTRAL
PARK, ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH
AVE., OPPOSITE EAST EIGHTY-FOURTH
ST.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred consecutive calendar days.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 22, 1911. d22.j5

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
FOR THE FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
FURNITURE FOR NEW NURSES HOME
AND TRAINING SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF
BROOKLYN.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per yard, per dozen or other unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 22, 1911. d22.j5

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND
BURIAL OF PAUPER DEAD IN THE BOR-
OUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1912.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750).

The bidder will state the price for the burial of each body, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and award made to the lowest bidder.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 21, 1911. d21.j4

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, AR-
SENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOR-
OUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1912,
Borough of Manhattan,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
COAL.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be as required before July 1, 1912.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1912,
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FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS RE-
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SEUM OF ART, LOCATED IN CENTRAL
PARK, ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH
AVE., OPPOSITE EAST EIGHTY-FOURTH
ST.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be before November 1, 1912.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, December 22, 1911. d22.j5

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OUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1912,
Borough of Manhattan,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
COAL.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be as required before July 1, 1912.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

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

in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of February, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Tenth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final supplemental and amended report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 19, 1911.

HORACE BARNARD, JR., Chairman; JAMES A. HOPPER, Commissioners. JOHN J. SQUINA, Clerk.

Estimate and Assessment in the place and stead of Frederick Curner, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the said order, said John Adikes will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1912, 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 or any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such Commissioner in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, December 26, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. d26,j6

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, in the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, 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, bearing date the 23d day of December, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 19th day of December, 1911, William J. Kenney, Edward P. Doyle and James E. Mulligan were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William J. Kenney was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said William J. Kenney, Edward P. Doyle and Henry P. Veite will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions to be held at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day for the purpose of being examined by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any person interested in said proceeding as to their qualification to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, December 28, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j3,13

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DITMARS AVENUE, from Forty-third street to Astoria avenue, and FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Ditmars avenue to the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of December, 1911, Joseph W. Goodwin, W. H. Wade and Frank L. Stiles, Esq., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Joseph W. Goodwin, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Joseph W. Goodwin, W. H. Wade and Frank L. Stiles, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of January, 1912, 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 or any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, December 28, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. d28,j9

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BRADLEY AVENUE, from Greenpoint avenue to Howard street, in the First 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, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 26, 1911.

JAMES A. DAYTON, PHILIP THOMAS, GEORGE M. O'CONNOR, Commissioners of Estimate; JAMES A. DAYTON, Commissioner of Assessment. d26,j6

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EMMA STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Flushing avenue to William street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 22d day of December, 1911, John Adikes was appointed a Commissioner of

Estimate and Assessment in the place and stead of Frederick Curner, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the said order, said John Adikes will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1912, 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 or any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such Commissioner in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, December 26, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. d26,j6

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CASTLETON AVENUE, from Richmond avenue to Jewett avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 16th day of December, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 19th day of December, 1911, William J. Kenney, Edward P. Doyle and James E. Mulligan were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William J. Kenney was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said William J. Kenney, Edward P. Doyle and James E. Mulligan will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1912, 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 or any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, December 23, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. d23,j11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PANAMA STREET, from Rockaway road to the mean high water line of Jamaica Bay; of STANLEY AVENUE, from Shenandoah street to Panama street; and of SHENANDOAH STREET, from Stanley avenue to the land owned by The City of New York and used for a sewage disposal plant, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of January, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 16th day of January, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of January, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 17th day of January, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22d day of October, 1909, and that the said area of assessment included all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Panama street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Panama street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Rockaway road as this street is now in use and commonly recognized, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rockaway road, and running thence easterly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Rockaway road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant

100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Panama street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Panama street; thence southwardly and parallel with Panama street to the mean high water line of Jamaica Bay; thence westwardly along the mean high water line of Jamaica Bay to the intersection with a line parallel with Panama street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Panama street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs, and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 16th day of January, 1912.

Fifth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs, and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 16th day of January, 1912.

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 of 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 19, 1911.

EDWARD E. SPRAGUE, Chairman; WM. S. COGSWELL, Commissioners of Estimate; WM. S. COGSWELL, Commissioner of Assessment. d23,j11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEVENTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Wilson avenue to Jackson avenue, in the First 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, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of January, 1912, 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 Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 22, 1911.

WM. S. COGSWELL, JAMES P. HICKS, JAMES C. VAN SICKLEN, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment. d22,j4

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a Department, chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel can be obtained upon application thereto at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.

ment 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 opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless, The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding