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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing January 20, 1913.

Tuesday, January 21, 1913—3 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1577—Gas corporations in Brooklyn—Gas pressure regulations—Commissioner Maltbie. 3 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1579—Gas corporations in Borough of Queens—Gas pressure regulations—Commissioner Maltbie.

Wednesday, January 22, 1913—11 a. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1600—Long Island Railroad Company—Complaint of Flushing Association as to baggage transfer facilities at Pennsylvania station—Commissioner Cram—(This hearing, Case No. 1600, will be adjourned to February 5, 1913, at 11 a. m.). 2 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1161—New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company—Taxpayers' Alliance of The Bronx, complainant—Train service in The Bronx and rates of fare—Commissioner Eustis. 2.30 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1603—Fifth Avenue Coach Company—Service on 7th avenue, north of 110th street—Commissioner Eustis. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1611—New York Consolidated Railroad Company—Application for approval of acquisition of capital stock of New York Municipal Railway Corporation—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1612—New York Municipal Railway Corporation—Application for approval of issue of \$1,000,000 stock—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1613—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company and New York Municipal Railway Corporation—Application for approval of contract as to Lutheran Cemetery line—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1615—New York Municipal Railway Corporation—Application for approval of execution of mortgage and issue of \$65,000,000 stock—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1617—New York Consolidated Railroad Company—Application for approval of assumption of bonds of New York Municipal Railway Corporation and of execution of mortgage therefor—Whole Commission.

Thursday, January 23, 1913—10 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1608—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company—Service on Bay Ridge avenue line—Commissioner Williams. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1395—New York Edison Company—George Stadtlander et al., complainants. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1492—New York Edison Company—Julius Ewoldt et al., complainants—Rates for electricity in Manhattan and The Bronx—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1599—Jay Street Connecting Railroad—Complaint of E. W. Bliss Company as to failure to furnish service—Commissioner Williams.

Friday, January 24, 1913—2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1582—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—John Claffin et al., complainants—New station at 38th street and 6th avenue on 6th avenue elevated line—Whole Commission.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, November 13, 1912, at 10 O'Clock a. m.

Present—President James Creelman and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Welling. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by striking from the exempt class, under the heading "Office of the Commissioners of Accounts, the following: "2 Stenographers to Commissioners." Mr. Harry M. Rice, Commissioner of Accounts, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There was no opposition and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the Labor Class, Part 2, the title "Storekeeper's Helper." Mr. William J. Barney, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and Mr. William Lansing, Jr., Assistant Engineer in Charge of the Bureau of Supplies of that department, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. Mr. Philip J. Coffey, Labor Clerk in the office of the Commission, opposed the same, and suggested that the position be classified as competitive.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the non-competitive class, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Education, at Compensations Not Exceeding the Amounts Set Forth Below," the

following: "2 Physicians for the Examination of Mentally Defective Children, \$1,800 Per Annum (Without Maintenance)." Mr. Clarence E. Meleney, Associate City Superintendent, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There was no opposition, and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and the minutes of the meetings (2) held November 6, were approved.

On motion, the application of the Commissioners of Accounts for an amendment of the classification by striking from the Exempt Class for that department the following: "2 Stenographers to Commissioners," was denied pending a change of title to "Stenographer and Typewriter" of the two persons serving under the title "Stenographer to Commissioner."

The application of the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the position of Storekeeper's Helper be classified in the Labor Class was denied, and the Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part 1, Group 3, the title "Storekeeper's Helper."

Relative to the application of the Department of Education for an amendment of the classification by including in the Non-Competitive Class for that department "2 Physicians for the Examination of Mentally Defective Children, \$1,800 per annum (Without Maintenance)," the Secretary was instructed to state that it was the belief of the Commission that these physicians were part of the teaching or supervising staff, and that, therefore, it had no jurisdiction in the matter.

Louis R. Cohen, of 262 Stockton st., Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate for the position of Process Server, appeared, as directed, relative to his employment as Teacher in the Department of Education. The matter was laid over.

Timothy Corkery, of 866 Columbus ave., New York City, appeared, as directed, relative to his application for the position of Prison Keeper. After consideration of reports from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 1, relative to the former experience of the candidate, and a report of the Chief of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 8, relative to the candidate's date of birth, etc., on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Timothy Corkery, of 866 Columbus ave., New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Prison Keeper under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule 7 (unsatisfactory character), and placed upon the disqualified list.

The following-named persons appeared, as directed, relative to their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualified list upon which they had been placed by reason of their dismissal from positions in the city service: Joseph O'Connor, 259 75th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Cusick, 439 13th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Oscar Heim, 331 E. 80th st., New York City. The requests were referred to the President with power.

Charles S. Alexander of 141 E. 114th st., New York City, appeared, as directed, relative to his request that his name be restored to the eligible list of Clerk, Second Grade, from which it had been removed by reason of his dismissal from a temporary position in the Department of Finance, on October 14, 1911, for absence without leave. The matter was referred to the President with power.

John P. Nekerman, of 1749 Lexington ave., New York City, appeared, as directed, to explain his failure to furnish a transcript of an arrest in connection with his application for the position of Inspector of Boiler and Pipe Covering. After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name on the eligible list be removed.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

Thomas J. York, Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,200 per annum, from the Department of Finance to the Armory Board.

Henry M. Speight, Clerk, from the Board of Water Supply, at \$750 per annum, to the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Richmond, at \$900 per annum.

Michael L. Stoneham, Stenographer and Typewriter, from the Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$900 per annum, to the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,050 per annum.

Louis R. Lewen, from the position of Mechanical Draftsman, at \$1,570 per annum, in the Department of Education, to that of Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, at \$1,500 per annum, in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, his name appearing No. 2 on the eligible list for the latter position.

George B. Pettit, Clerk, at \$2,000 per annum, from the Board of Water Supply to the Committee on Standardization of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The transfers of the following-named persons from the position of Bridgeman to that of Deckhand in the Department of Docks and Ferries were approved under clause 5 of Rule 6:

Anton Olsen, Peter P. McGreal, Elmer C. Hansen, James Dougherty, Emil Reutter, Leonard White, John Conroy, John Kittels, Miles Laroy, William Grove, John Kinsella, William F. Mitty, Daniel McGann, Thomas F. Gallagher, Maurice Leahy, A. B. Van Derzee, Daniel Coleman, Patrick Mitchell, Edward Hanlon, James E. McGuire, John E. Gaffney, Daniel J. Sweeney, Philip J. Lynch, Michael Tomasulo.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers the following transfers were disapproved:

William J. Harvey, Court Stenographer, from the City Magistrates' Courts, First Division, at \$2,000 per annum, to the Court of Special Sessions (Children's Court), at \$2,500 per annum, he being ineligible for the latter salary.

Joseph A. Stapleton, from the position of Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, at \$4 per day, in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Queens, to that of Examining Inspector at \$1,500 per annum, in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, for the reason that the positions are dissimilar in character.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved:

Mildred Fish, in the position of Laboratory Assistant (Research Laboratory) in the Department of Health.

Otto A. Feth, in the position of Rodman in the Board of Water Supply, at \$900 per annum.

The President submitted the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the Labor Class:

Transfers Approved.

James Hunt, from the position of Laborer to that of Coal Passer in the College of the City of New York.

Charles E. Lutter, Painter, from the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan to the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Thomas Guilfoyle, from the position of Hostler to that of Stableman in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Patrick Long, from the position of Hostler to that of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Edward H. Sample, from the position of Laborer to that of Driver in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

James Collins, Laborer, from the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Reinstatements Approved.

John De Temple, Dock Builder, Department of Docks and Ferries; Michael Spinelli, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; William J. Byrne, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; Daniel Barnett, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; Joe Mallico, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; Thomas Marese, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Reassignments Approved.

Patrick McCormick, Laborer, Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx; Owen Masterson, Rammer, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan; Nicola Hronich, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning; Thomas Rupprecht, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning; Antonio Falatico, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning; Rosa Bisco, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Emergency Appointment.

James McEvoy, Licensed Fireman, City Hospital, Department of Public Charities.

Leaves of Absence.

Bernard L. Cunningham, Laborer, office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for a period of three months from November 1, 1912.

John Metzger, Laborer, office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for a period of three months from October 27, 1912.

Bojorn E. Evenson, Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of three months from November 15, 1912.

The report was approved.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following named persons for a re-rating of certain of their papers in the examination specified were denied, no errors of making or rating having been shown:

John Aquaro, 83 Sullivan st., New York City, Medical Inspector.

Louis Gross, 110 W. 115th st., New York City, Accountant, Fifth Grade.

William M. Faulk, 821 Quincy st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Accountant, Fifth Grade.

Ralph E. Cameron, 231 Clinton ave., Kingston, N. Y., promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grade D, Board of Water Supply.

Fred B. Schultz, 9 W. 106th st., New York City, promotion to Inspector of Pipe Laying, Pipes and Hydrants, Third Grade, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeal of Patrick F. Frawley, of 627 Hudson st., New York City, a candidate in the examination for promotion to Assistant Foreman, Fire Department, that the name "John Doe" which he had signed to his report paper, be removed and the paper rated, was denied.

The following miscellaneous appeals were referred to the Committee on Appeals:

Arthur E. Boscher, 607 Bainbridge st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Assistant Electrical Engineer.

Harry M. Somber, 1245 Boston road, New York City, Process Server.

Patrick J. Foley, 620 Morgan ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Patrolman.

Albert S. Moore, 2 Pinehurst ave., New York City, Accountant.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 11, relative to a communication from the Secretary of the Department of Health, under date of November 7, requesting that the Commission relieve the following named persons of the necessity of qualifying in the non-competitive examination ordered at recent meetings to qualify them for provisional appointment as Nurses, for the reason that they had been formerly employed in that capacity under clause 3 of Rule 12, as the result of previous non-competitive examinations:

Rose Kehoe, Dora Fuller, Katherine O'Connor, Elizabeth Gannon, Florence Bellis-Harned, Gertrude Mott.

The Chief Examiner recommended that the request be granted.

The recommendation was adopted and the non-competitive examinations ordered for the said persons were canceled.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Commissioners of Accounts that an examination be held by which Mr. Alexander Frank might qualify for promotion from the position of Examining Inspector, Second Grade, at \$1,500 per annum, to that of Examining Inspector, Fourth Grade, at \$1,800 per annum, for the reason that he had not served the required six months in the grade.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 8, relative to the request of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, to be informed whether four First Grade Clerks, appointed in August, 1911, would be permitted to enter the examination for promotion to Second Grade Clerk, and stating that the Commission was without power to admit the said persons to the examination under the provisions of clause 8a of Rule 15, which limits eligibility for promotion to positions in the Second Grade of the Clerical Service to persons with not less than two years' service in Grade 1. The Secretary was instructed to so inform the department.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, relative to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for authority to increase the salary of Alfred J. Wagner, an Assistant Foreman in the Bureau of the Chief Engineer, Borough of Richmond, from \$3 to \$4 per day, and recommending that the list for promotion to Foreman, Second Grade, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond, upon which Mr. Wagner's name appeared, be certified as an appropriate list from which to fill the vacancy existing in the position of Assistant Foreman, Second Grade. The recommendation was adopted.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports dated (5) November 7 and (1) November 8, the following promotion examinations were ordered:

Department of Docks and Ferries.

Laborer to Foreman of Laborers (Rule 15, clause 17).

Department of Finance.

Auditing Bureau: Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan: Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Bookkeeper (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Rodman, Grade C, to Transitman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Transitman, Topographical Draftsman and Assistant Engineer, Grade D, to Assistant Engineer, Grade E (Rule 15, clause 9).

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). First to Second Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Bureau of the Chief Engineer: Laborer to Axeman, Grade B (Rule 15, clause 17). Assistant Engineer, Grade D, to Assistant Engineer, Grade E (Rule 15, clause 9).

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, in a report dated November 7, the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an examination be held for promotion to the position of Third Grade Clerk in the Bureau of the Chief Engineer was denied, for the reason that there was a promotion list in existence for that position, promulgated May 3, 1912.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, relative to the request of the Secretary of the Department of Health that eligibility in the examination ordered for promotion to the position of Fourth Grade Clerk in his Department be extended to Third Grade Stenographers and Typewriters, and recommending that the request be granted subject to the conditions of clause 8a of Rule 15. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 8, relative to the request of the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, under dates of October 21 and November 4, that examinations be held for promotion to the positions of Third Grade Clerk, Fourth Grade Clerk, Fifth Grade Clerk, Fourth Grade Assistant Court Clerk and Fifth Grade Court Stenographer, and recommending that action in the matter be deferred for the reason that several of the persons mentioned by the Chief Clerk of Special Sessions as desirous of taking the examinations were ineligible for promotion and that the Chief Clerk of the Court be requested to confer personally with the Commission regarding the examinations requested. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated November 7, requesting approval of his action in accepting applications for positions in the Labor Class from the following named persons, whose names appeared upon the disqualified list as the result of their dismissal from the position of Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning: Henry Stoiler, 639 E. 153d st., New York City; James Costello, 484 Malbone st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Smith, 124 Norman ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William Sherman, 55 W. 98th st., New York City; Immocerizio Di Caprio, 3150 Villa ave., New York City; Edward Nimer, 670 E. 160th st., New York City; William H. Howrey, 1056 Pacific st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Michael Casserly, 225 Nassau ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Lorenzo Dolce, 235 Liberty ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Richard Sullivan, 204 E. 32d st., New York City; Martin J. Kane, East New York and Rochester aves., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Dominick Pitrizzi, 544 Ralph ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Henry J. Smith, 272 Pulaski st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Alessio Marinacchio, 628 Morris ave., New York City; Otto Schaefer, 408 E. 23d st., New York City; Patrick Martin, 384 Pearl st., New York City; John Skelly, 459 E. 167th st., New York City; Edward F. Foley, 156 Cherry st., New York City; Carmine Vacca, 28 Grand st., New York City; Nicola Tabana, 307 Pleasant ave., New York City; Joseph Knakal, 508 E. 73d st., New York City; Michael

Davis, 2372 Old Broadway, New York City; Tony Farano, 2215 1st ave., New York City; Charles Laux, 515 E. 5th st., New York City; Peter Millaccio, 89 Bayard st., New York City; Anthony Greigo, 842 Leonard st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; John D. B. Dodge, 556 9th ave., New York City; Constantino Duonolo, 172 E. 205th st., New York City; John Barbello, 464 Adelphi st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Casimiro Simeone, 335 E. 148th st., New York City; David Collins, 67 Greenwich st., New York City; Andrew Fiori, 240 E. 25th st., New York City; Michele Di Croce, 36 Walworth st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Cuoney Gallo, 384 Cleveland ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; William J. Fields, 35 W. 139th st., New York City; Pasquale Garone, 20 James slip, New York City; Matthew Shanahan, 415 E. 151st st., New York City; Frank L. Cook, 56 W. 139th st., New York City; Andrew Napolino, 318 E. 11th st., New York City; Patrick M. Cody, 1181 2d ave., New York City; Samuel Sisser, 208 Stanton st., New York City; John Leap, 516 E. 18th st., New York City; John Cocheo, 441 E. 12th st., New York City; Charles J. Zeh, 440 E. 18th st., New York City; Thomas F. Fahey, 519 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

It appearing that the said persons had subscribed and sworn to the oath prescribed by the commission for employees dismissed from the Department of Street Cleaning during the disturbance of 1911, the action of the Labor Clerk was approved, and it was ordered that the names of the said persons be removed from the disqualified list.

A report (C-499) was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 9, relative to his investigation of the experience of candidates for the position of Oculist, and recommending that the eligible list be promulgated. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Oculist be and the same hereby is promulgated.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-520, dated November 6, 1912—Architectural Designer, Grade E.

C-487, dated November 7, 1912—Mechanical Engineer.

C-476, dated November 7, 1912—Inspector of Light and Power.

C-523, dated November 7, 1912—Civil Service Examiner (Engineering).

C-528, dated November 7, 1912—Laboratory Assistant (Research Laboratory).

C-531, dated November 7, 1912—Medical Inspector.

C-527, dated November 7, 1912—Accountant, 5th Grade.

The reports were ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Art Commission, dated November 6, requesting authority to employ Miss Grace Gorton, of 135 W. 79th st., New York City, to do special stenographic and clerical work for a period of not more than three weeks, commencing November 4, with salary at the rate of \$20 per week. The request was granted under clause 6 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated November 7, designating Miss Lulu Jones as a member of the Non-Competitive Board of Examiners for his department in the place and stead of Miss J. E. Nash, resigned. The designation was approved.

A communication was presented from the Curator of the College of the City of New York, dated November 2, requesting approval of the employment of the following named persons on the dates specified:

Cleaners, Evening College, at \$1.50 Per Session.—Edward Endlich, September 30, October 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7; Patrick Battle, October 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15; Thomas Dunn, October 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23; Patrick Maguire, October 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31.

Attendants, Sunday Afternoon Public Organ Recitals, \$4 Per Session.—William Portman, October 6, 13, 20, 27; Michael McGuinness, October 6, 13, 20, 27; Emil Hugger, October 6, 13, 20, 27; James Ferrier, October 6, 13, 20, 27.

The voucher in payment of the above-named persons was approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Nelson B. Killmer be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisional of clause 6 of rule 12, to be employed by the Department of Docks and Ferries as Real Estate Investigator in connection with the Jamaica Bay improvement work, for a period of one year at a compensation not to exceed \$3,000.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated October 30, stating that Denis J. Smith had declined transfer from the position of Bridgeman (recently stricken from the classification) to that of Deck-hand. The Secretary was instructed to place Mr. Smith's name on the preferred list of Laborer.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 1, stating that James H. Dwyer, Water Tender, who had been assigned to perform the duties of a Marine Engineer in the absence of Edward M. Pindar, the regular incumbent of the latter position, would be reassigned to duty as Water Tender at \$95 per month on November 2. The reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated October 28, stating that on July 20, 1912, Bernard J. Schneider, Janitor, had returned to duty on September 23, 1912, after a leave of absence since January 20, 1912. The reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of School Buildings, Department of Education, dated November 8, requesting authority to appoint George H. Bruns, of 34 Arion place, Brooklyn, N. Y., as Structural Steel Draughtsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,831.67 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position. The request was granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated November 7, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$72.58 in payment of Miss Jeanette E. Hurwitz, of 154 Clinton ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., for services as Stenographer for the month of October. It appearing that Miss Hurwitz's name had been deducted from the payroll for the reason that she was ineligible for further employment as Stenographer and Typewriter, her name having been removed from the eligible list for that position, the Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the voucher setting forth the facts in the case.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 7, requesting authority to continue for a period of three months from October 2, 1912, the temporary employment of Wilfred Farney, of 492 E. 164th st., New York City, as Clerk. The request was granted under clause 1 of rule 12.

A memorandum was presented from the Secretary, dated October 23, in connection with communications from the Comptroller, under date of October 17 and November 6, relative to the employment of temporary Accountants. After consideration of the matter the Commission directed that the payrolls of the following-named persons be certified under a special certificate to the date of the cessation of their services, as specified: John F. Robertson, October 31, 1912; John L. Ferris, October 31, 1912; William G. Sprague, October 31, 1912; Benjamin Davison, October 31, 1912; Eugene Shinn, October 31, 1912; Chester E. Righter, October 31, 1912; Myer Strouse, October 31, 1912; Albert C. Anchisi, October 31, 1912; Ernest Harker, October 26, 1912; Robert Kenny, October 19, 1912; Horace A. Childs, October 19, 1912;—and authorized the continuation of the services of Herman Rosenbaum until Charles L. Fuchs, who had been appointed from the regular eligible list, should report for duty, and of the following-named persons pending the selection from the eligible list of Fifth Grade Accountant of persons willing to accept employment until December 31, 1912:—

Arthur Auchumty, John H. Lacey, William Haldane, R. D. Geer, B. L. Lawford, Max Fink, John B. Gray, John Schenck, D. A. Judge, Gus L. Gabriel. The Secretary was instructed to inform the Comptroller that the Commission could not authorize the continuation of the services of Raymond W. Bourke, William Faulk and Norman C. Newman, who had been appointed from the regular eligible list, beyond the six months provided in clause 1 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 6, requesting authority to change the title of John C. Horan from Climber and Pruner to Park Laborer. The request was denied for the reason that he had not served the required period of one year, as provided by clause 13 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, dated November 4, requesting authority to transfer John J. Hoolihan from the position of Laborer to that of Gardener, for the reason that his name appeared third on the eligible list for the latter position. The request was denied, there being no provision in the rules for transfer from the Labor to the Competitive Class, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the Commissioner of Parks that it would be

necessary that the said person be appointed in the regular way from the eligible list of Gardener.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 8, requesting an amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class for his department the title "Director, Children's School Farms, Manhattan and Richmond." The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment in accordance with Rule 3.

A communication was presented from the Police Commissioner, dated November 8, stating that he had granted full pay to Patrolman Leo Shenfield, from September 13 to October 24, 1912, during which time he had been under suspension without pay. The payroll was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 4, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons as Axemen, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position, the emergency appointment of the said persons to take effect November 1: Robert Liebert, 1419 Vyse ave., New York City; William J. Smith, 34 Gramercy Park, New York City. The request was granted, subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 4, requesting authority to appoint William C. Furchtenicht, of 200 W. 128th st., New York City, as Architectural Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position, the emergency appointment to take effect November 6. The request was granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

Communications (3) were presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 2, 4 and 6, 1912, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons as Inspectors of Public Works, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position, the appointments to take effect on the dates specified: Giles D. Long, 2328 Morris ave., New York City, November 1; Cornelius B. Smith, 439 E. 17th st., New York City, November 1; James J. Dunne, 373 Fenimore st., Brooklyn, N. Y., November 4; Max Kennedy, 1491 Broadway, New York City, November 6. The requests were granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 6, requesting that another date be set for a non-competitive examination to qualify the following-named persons for provisional appointment to the position of Inspector of Public Works under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule 12, and setting forth the reasons for their non-attendance on the date for which they had been notified: George C. Burch, 338 W. 30th st., New York City; Matthew F. Kenney, 408 W. 24th st., New York City. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated November 7, requesting that the name of S. R. Hurlbut, of 589 Amsterdam ave., New York City, upon the preferred list of Chief Draftsman, be certified to fill a vacancy in the position of Topographical Draftsman at \$1,500 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of The Bronx, dated October 31, stating that Charles C. Roche, who had been temporarily assigned to the duties of an Attendant, had been reassigned to duty as Laborer, on October 31. The reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 7, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Jennie Reynolds as Nurse, with salary at the rate of \$300 per annum, on October 16, also requesting authority to extend the said appointment for a further period of two weeks, and that she be summoned for a non-competitive examination to qualify her for provisional appointment to that position. The requests were granted under clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 6, requesting authority to continue the emergency employment of Minnie A. Reilly as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days, pending the selection from the eligible list of a person willing to accept temporary employment. The request was granted under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 6, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Dr. Morris A. Flower, as Examining Physician, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, during the leave of absence of the regular incumbent. The appointment was approved for two fifteen-day periods under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated November 6, stating that on November 4 Charles F. Engel, of Croton Lake, N. Y., had been appointed to the position of First Grade Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$480 per annum, under the provisions of clause 7 of Rule 12. The appointment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Corporation Counsel, dated November 7, requesting that one position of Examiner at \$1,200 per annum and one of Examiner at \$1,500 per annum, be placed in the Exempt Class for his department. The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification in accordance with Rule 3.

The Commission approved the action of the President on November 8 in directing that Edgar E. Teller, of 947 Sheridan ave., New York City, and Charles Hoell, of 1402 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., be admitted to the examination for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant in the Fire Department on November 9, after consideration of a report from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, transmitting certificates from the Medical Officers of the Fire Department, showing that Mr. Teller had been ill and ordered not to attend the regular examination, and of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated November 8, in the case of Mr. Hoell, who did not take the regular promotion examination for the reason that he had been dismissed, and was not actually in the department at the time, but had been subsequently reinstated.

The request of Grace L. Fowler, Amityville, L. I., for permission to amend her statements as to date of birth, where in error in her examination papers for Stenographer and Typewriter, to conform to the proof submitted, was granted.

The requests of the following-named persons for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

May C. Gavan, 708 8th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.—Stenographer and Typewriter for temporary work. Declined temporary appointment in the Permanent Census Board (April 13, 1910) for the reason that she was permanently employed.

Thomas F. J. Gaffney, 74 E. 121st st., New York City—Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary work. Declined temporary appointment (June 15, 1911) for the reason that he was permanently employed.

William J. Gallagher, 428 Central Park West, New York City—Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary appointment. Stated that he did not receive notice of appointment from the Department of Finance in time to reply within the time prescribed by the rules.

Michael J. McCormack, 225 Hudson st., New York City—Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary appointment. Did not reply to notice from the Department of Finance owing to illness (October 18, 1911).

Morris J. Solomon, 867 De Kalb ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.—Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary work. Declined temporary appointment in the Department of Finance (April 25, 1912).

Katherine H. Walsh, 197 Sullivan st., Brooklyn, N. Y.—Stenographer and Typewriter, Second and Third grades, for temporary appointment. Declined temporary work in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on account of illness in her family (October 29, 1912).

The declination of appointment of Elizabeth C. Marx, of 1344 59th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, Second and Third grades, in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on October 29, 1912, was approved, it appearing that she was suffering from the effects of an attack of typhoid fever.

The requests of the following-named persons for restoration to the eligible list of Clerk, First Grade, were denied: William B. Enright, 34 Gramercy Park, New York City; Isidore Herskovitz, 402 E. 3d st., New York City.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Mr. Harry D. Frisbee, of 258 Broadway, New York City, be and he hereby is appointed an Expert Examiner in the office of the Commission, with salary at the rate of ten dollars per day while employed.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 11, relative to a communication from the Secretary of Local Union, No. 319, of the International

Union of Steam Engineers, requesting that candidates in the forthcoming examinations for Stationary Engineer and Janitor Engineer be required to produce an engineer's license in advance of the examination. The communication was ordered filed, in accordance with the recommendation of the Chief Examiner.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Charles R. Barker, of 135 William st., New York City, and James J. Pearson, of 40 William st., New York City, be and they hereby are appointed Expert Examiners to conduct the practical test in the forthcoming examination for the position of Engineer of Steamer, Fire Department.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, relative to the eligible list for promotion to the position of Inspector of Public Works in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the candidates who passed the examination for promotion to the position of Third Grade Inspector of Public Works be placed upon the promotion list for the Second Grade as well, in accordance with the request of the department, it appearing that they had also qualified for the latter position and that through an error on the part of the Commission their names had been placed only upon the list for promotion to the Third Grade. The recommendation was adopted, without prejudice to the status of any person previously appointed as the result of the examination.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 8, relative to the request of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, that certain Estimators in his department be permitted to take the examination for promotion to the position of Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry, Third Grade, and recommending that the request be denied. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, recommending that the request of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, for an examination for promotion to the position of Second Grade Foreman, Bureau of Highways, be denied, for the reason that there was in existence an eligible list for promotion to that position established July 4, 1912, containing twelve names. The recommendation was adopted.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated November 8, the following promotion examinations were ordered for the Board of Water Supply:

Assistant Engineer, Grade D, to be opened to all Structural Steel Draftsmen—Grade D, Computers; Grade D, Transitmen; Grade D, and Assistant Engineers; Grade C, eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

Assistant Engineer, Grade C, in the Reservoir, Northern Aqueduct, Southern Aqueduct and Headquarters Departments, to be open to all Topographical Draughtsmen—Grade C, Transitmen; Grade C, and Inspectors, Board of Water Supply, eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, in a report dated November 8, eligibility for admission to the examination for promotion to Fourth Grade Clerk in the Board of Water Supply was extended to all Third Grade Stenographers and Typewriters (male), eligible under clause 8b of rule 15.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 4, recommending that John L. Chapman, of 529 West 133d st., New York City, be summoned before the Commission to explain his failure to admit certain arrests in connection with his application for the position of Patrolman. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated November 4, relative to the eligibles on the list of Bridgeman before that title was stricken from the Classification, and the application on file for that position. After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the list be merged with that of Laborer and the applications referred to merged with those for the position of Laborer in the order in which they would have appeared had they been filed therefor originally.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated November 12, stating that at a meeting of that Board, held November 11, the resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission excepting from examination Mr. H. F. J. Porter, Mechanical Engineer, of No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, to render expert service in the Department of Public Charities in connection with the prevention of fires, the safety of occupants of buildings in case of fire and the installation of an efficient system of fire alarms, at a total compensation not to exceed \$3,000, had been approved. The communication was ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Chief Accountant of the office of the Commissioners of Account, dated November 12, requesting approval of the employment of Mortimer J. Brown, an expert in real estate, from October 26 to November 4, 1912, in connection with an investigation by the Commissioners of Accounts of the proposed purchase by the City of farm lands for the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, at a compensation of \$60. The secretary was instructed to certify the voucher, when presented, under clause 6 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Board of City Magistrates, First Division, dated November 12, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$5 in payment of Charles Korhonen for services as Interpreter in the Finnish language. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Elections, dated November 8, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Moses Edberg to take effect October 29. The appointment was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 9, requesting authority to continue until November 15, 1912, the temporary employment of Kate M. Allen, appointed from the eligible list of Attendant on June 4, 1912. The request was granted under clause 1 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 7, requesting authority to extend the temporary employment of the following-named School Farm Attendants pending the appointment of Attendants from the regular eligible list:

Robert Hatch, Grace Cahill, Julia Engel, Hannah McCaffrey, Edna Byrne, Belle LeGallez, Francis J. McCormack.

The request was granted, provided that the continued employment would in no case exceed thirty days, and the Secretary was instructed to pass the payroll for the services of the said persons, when presented, under a special certificate.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, dated November 9, requesting authority to continue the temporary employment of William G. Wade, appointed from the eligible list of Automobile Engineers on May 16, 1912, until December 31. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the payroll of the said person, when presented.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 11, requesting authority to appoint the following named persons as Inspectors of Public Works, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position:

Hugh Gilmore, 318 E. 86th st., New York City.

William C. Yorke, Jr., 1517 E. 14th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

John Hart, 207 W. 118th st., New York City.

Joseph Shalleck, 1840 7th ave., New York City.

The request was granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 9, requesting authority to employ Mr. Clinton Pelham Darlington, of 27 Washington square, New York City, as an expert to make certain studies in connection with the proposed installation of garbage and waste destructors in the Borough of Queens, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,239.65, the unexpended balance of a sum appropriated for that purpose. The employment of Mr. Darlington was authorized under clause 8 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department, dated November 8, requesting that Edwin C. Alden be summoned for a non-competitive examination through which to qualify for provisional appointment to the position of Registrar of Records, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The Secretary was instructed to arrange the necessary non-competitive examination, as requested, under clause 3 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 8, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$35.81, in payment of Miss M. S. Lynch, of 129

Front st., New York City, for services as Stenographer and Typewriter from August 5 to 28, 1912. The voucher was approved under clause 8 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 9, requesting that William F. Brown, of 439 W. 57th st., New York City, be summoned for a non-competitive examination to qualify him for provisional appointment as Tabulating Machine Operator (Hollerith), with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum. The emergency appointment of the said person was approved for a second period of fifteen days, and the Chief Examiner was directed to report whether or not an appropriate eligible list existed or whether an open competitive examination should be ordered.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 11, stating that the temporary services of the three licensed Firemen and the three Laborers employed in the Borough of Richmond on August 26 and October 8, respectively, would be required for a further period of about two weeks. The Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the payrolls of the said persons, when presented.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 12, requesting authority to employ Raymond Hamill, of 1876 Guerlain place, New York City, as Axeman, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position. The request was granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, under authority of clause 6 of Rule 12, Alphonse M. Leoni, of 27 Grace court, Brooklyn, N. Y., be and he hereby is excepted from examination to render expert service in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens as Mechanical Designer on special contract work, with compensation at the rate of \$125 per month; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

The following certifications were approved, the names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules having been ordered certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.:

Fifteen names in response to a requisition dated November 6 from the office of the Commissioners of Accounts for an eligible list from which to appoint two First Grade Clerks at \$300 per annum each.

Ten names in response to a requisition dated November 8 from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for additional names from which to appoint one Stenographer and Typewriter (Female) at \$750 per annum.

Twenty-five names in response to a requisition dated November 11 from the Secretary of the Board of Education for additional names from which to appoint two First Grade Clerks at \$300 per annum.

Fifteen names in response to a requisition dated November 7 for an eligible list from which to appoint two First Grade Clerks at \$300 per annum, in the Law Department.

Twenty names in response to a requisition dated November 6 for additional names from which to make one appointment to the position of First Grade Clerk at \$300 per annum, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Twenty-one names in response to a requisition dated October 31 for an eligible list from which to appoint six Painters in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for a period not to exceed fifteen days.

Ten names in response to a requisition dated November 11 from the Law Department for additional names from which to make one appointment to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter in the Bureau of Street Openings, Borough of Queens, at \$750 per annum.

Fifteen names in response to a requisition dated November 7 from the Board of Water Supply for an eligible list from which to appoint four First Grade Clerks at \$300 per annum.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for positions in the non-competitive class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner:

Department of Public Charities, October 28.

Department of Health (undated).

Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, November 1.

The requests of the following named persons for permission to amend their statements as to date of birth where in error in their papers in the examinations specified, to conform to the proof submitted, were granted:

James A. McGrath, 343 7th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, second grade.

Robert Josephs, 110½ Cherry st., New York City, first grade Clerk.

James J. Grant, 534a 18th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., first grade Clerk.

Sam Schecker, 147 Christopher st., Brooklyn, N. Y., first grade Clerk.

Peter A. McCourt, 420 Lorimer st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Court Attendant.

Walter J. Gavagan, 259 Warren st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, second grade.

The Secretary was instructed to record Thomas I. Price upon the eligible list of Resident Physician as having declined appointment at \$1,200 per annum in the Department of Correction.

The declination of appointment of Kate M. Allen, of 73 Montgomery st., New York City, to the position of Matron from the preferred list of Attendant was approved, and it was ordered that she be certified for appointment to the latter position only.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified on account of temporary inability were approved, the reasons advanced for same having been satisfactory to the Commission:

David Greenberg, 912 Melrose ave., New York City, Laboratory Assistant (Diagnosis Laboratory). Was attending a course in the College of The City of New York when certified for appointment to the Department of Health.

Mary S. Noonan, 669 2d ave., New York City, Clerk, Card Indexer, second and third grades. Declined appointment in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the reason that the employment involved Sunday work, which would interfere with a course of study the candidate was pursuing.

Andrew F. Geyer, 2096 Amsterdam ave., New York City, Prison Keeper. Declined appointment in the Department of Correction for the reason that his acceptance of same would embarrass his employers.

Herman Gerber, 122 Lewis st., New York City, Laboratory Assistant (Research Laboratory). Declined appointment in the Department of Health for the reason that he was pursuing a course of study which would not be completed until January, 1913.

Samuel Jacobs, 29 Boerum st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, second grade. Declined temporary appointment in the Department of Finance for the reason that he was going out of town for a month or two.

The Secretary was instructed to record Joseph E. Seipel, of 228 E. 115th st., New York City, on the eligible list of Clerk, first grade, as having declined appointment in the Tenement House Department on account of temporary inability, a communication having been sent the Tenement House Commissioner by F. J. Seipel to the effect that Joseph F. Seipel was out of town.

The Secretary was instructed not to certify the following-named persons for temporary appointment from the eligible list of Clerk, Second Grade, the reasons advanced by them for declining temporary appointment in the Department of Finance not having been satisfactory to the Commission:

Irving A. Edelstein, 79 E. 119th st., New York City.

Jacob Belitsker, 218 E. Broadway, New York City.

Morris Itzkowitz, 745 E. 6th st., New York City.

Edward Biele, 3397 Fort Independence st., New York City.

William Gold, 66 St. Marks place, New York City.

L. T. Davis, 65 W. 143d st., New York City.

Leo Goldfinger, 1348 Wilkins ave., New York City.

The request of Arthur T. Bent, of 116 N. Elliott place, Brooklyn, N. Y., that his name be restored to the eligible list of Gardener, was denied, it appearing that he had resigned from the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, before completing the term for which he was appointed.

A communication was presented from Miss Lottie Irene Earll, of 437 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., whose temporary address at Asheville, N. C., had been noted on the eligible list of Probation Officer, at a previous meeting, stating that the same had been in error, as she expected to be at her regular residence on and after November 11, 1912. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from Frederick G. Franke, of 1057 1st ave., New York City, dated November 5, requesting permission to amend his application for the position of Fireman by acknowledging an arrest. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Louis Rudolph Lewen, of 223 W. 127th st., New York City, requesting authority to correct his name appearing on his application for the position of Mechanical Draftsman, Sanitary, filed in 1908, as "Rudolph Lewen," to conform to that in his baptismal certificate (Louis Rudolph Lewen). The request was granted.

A communication was presented from John J. Dougan, of 835 E. 213th st., New York City, requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list. The request was denied.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, November 20, 1912, at ten o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, November 20, 1912, at 10 O'Clock A. M.

Present—President James Creelman and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Wellin. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Parks," the following: "Director, Children's School Farms, Manhattan and Richmond." Mrs. Fannie G. Parsons, Director of Children's School Farms, appeared. Mr. Robert W. Belcher, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, opposed the exemption. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Law Department," the following: "2 Examiners." Mr. George M. Curtis, Jr., Assistant Corporation Counsel, representing the Corporation Counsel, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. William E. Murphy, Esq., and Alfred J. Talley, Esq., representing persons whose names appeared upon the eligible list for the position of Examiner, Law Department, and Mr. Robert W. Belcher, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, addressed the Commission in opposition to the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances, and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

Daniel F. Leahy, of 165 E. 102d st., New York City, appeared, as directed, in connection with certain statements in his experience paper in the examination for Prison Keeper. It was ordered that Thomas Harford, of 553 W. 40th st., New York City, be subpoenaed to testify relative to the statement of the candidate that he had been employed by the said Harford.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part 1, Group 3, the title "Storekeeper's Helper." Mr. William J. Barney, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, opposed the proposed amendment, and requested that the position be placed in the Labor Class, as originally requested by his department. Mr. Robert W. Belcher, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meeting held November 13, were approved.

On motion, the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for an amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class for his department the title "Director, Children's School Farms," was denied.

On motion, the application of the Corporation Counsel for an amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class for his department two positions of Examiner was denied.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the Competitive Class, Part 1, Group 3 (positions of a special or miscellaneous character), the following title: Storekeeper's Helper.

John J. Dougan, of 835 E. 213th st., New York City, appeared relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list, which request had been denied at a previous meeting. The Commission took no further action in the matter.

John L. Chapman, of 529 W. 133d st., New York City, appeared, as directed, to explain his failure to admit certain arrests in connection with his application for the position of Patrolman. After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name on the eligible list be removed.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

Jacob Brodbeck, Court Attendant, from the City Magistrates' Court, First Division, at \$1,200 per annum, to the Court of Special Sessions, at \$1,500 per annum.

William J. Norton, Court Stenographer, at \$2,500 per annum, from the Police Department to the Court of Special Sessions.

May A. Lyons, Telephone Operator, from the Department of Correction, at \$600 per annum, to the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, at \$900 per annum.

Harry A. Shannon, Clerk, from the Board of Water Supply, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the transfer of Catherine McCluskey, Typewriting Copyist, from the Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, to the Tenement House Department, at \$750 per annum, was disapproved for the reason that she was ineligible for the latter salary under clause 4 of Rule 11.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved:

John Tobin, in the position of Inspector of Masonry, at \$120 per month (\$130 when working in shaft, tunnel or steel pipe siphon), in the Board of Water Supply.

May E. Campion, in the position of Typewriting Copyist, at \$600 per annum, in the Department of Health.

Philip Lawtey, in the position of Keeper in the Department of Correction.

James F. Rafferty, in the position of Stationary Engineer in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond, for a period not to exceed six months, the person on the preferred list having declined temporary appointment.

On the recommendation of the Labor Clerk, the appeal of Edward Dempsey, of 2598 8th ave., New York City, that he be given an examination for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, was granted, it appearing that Mr. Dempsey had not received a notice sent him by the Commission to appear for examination on August 14, 1912.

On motion, it was resolved, That the action of the President on November 14, 1912, in directing that the eligible list for promotion to the position of Lieutenant (formerly Assistant Foreman), Fire Department, be promulgated, be and the same hereby is confirmed.

On motion, it was resolved, That the eligible list for promotion to the position of Medical Inspector, Fourth Grade, Department of Health, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 14, recommending the eligible list of Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry as an appropriate one from which to make certification to the Board of Education to fill a vacancy in the position of Assistant Foreman Carpenter. The Secretary was instructed to certify accordingly.

The Secretary stated that the eligible list of Oculist, Second Grade, had been promulgated on November 13, and requested to be advised whether names were to be certified from that list to fill the position of Medical Inspector with a knowledge of Ophthalmology in the Department of Health, held by a non-competitive appointee under clause 3 of rule 12. The Secretary was instructed to certify the eligible list of Oculist, Second Grade, to fill the vacancy.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports under the dates specified, the following promotion examinations were ordered:

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

November 12—Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule 15, clause 8a).

November 16—Fourth to Fifth Grade Contract Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Bookkeeper (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Department of Finance.

November 12—Second to Third Grade Clerk, Stock and Bond Division (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, Stock and Bond Division (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Fourth to Fifth Grade Clerk, Stock and Bond Division (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Bookkeeper, Stock and Bond Division (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Second to Third Grade Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Main Division (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Division of Receipts (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Third to Fourth Grade Financial Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Division of Receipts (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Bookkeeper, Auditing Bureau, Division

of Receipts (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Financial Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Division of Experts (Rule 15, clause 8a). Second to Third Grade Clerk, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, all boroughs (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, all boroughs (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Fire Department.

November 14—Mechanical Draftsman (Electrical), Grade D, to be open to all Draftsmen and Mechanical Draftsmen, Grade C, eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15.

November 12—Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Fourth to Fifth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Second Grade Stenographer and Typewriter to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule 15, clause 8a). Mechanical Electrical Draftsman, Grade C, to Mechanical Electrical Draftsman, Grade D. Topographical Draftsman, Grade C, to be open to Draftsmen's Helpers and Junior Mechanical Draftsmen, Grade B.

Bureau of the Chief Engineer.

November 14—Axeman, Grade B, to Rodman, Grade B (Rule 15, clause 9). Rodman, Grade B, to Rodman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Rodman, Grade C, to Transitman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Transitman, Grade C, to Transitman, Grade D (Rule 15, clause 9). Junior Draftsman to Topographical Draftsman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Topographical Draftsman, Grade C, to Topographical Draftsman, Grade D (Rule 15, clause 9). Junior Draftsman to Architectural Draftsman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Architectural Draftsman, Grade C, to Architectural Draftsman, Grade D (Rule 15, clause 9). Junior Draftsman to Mechanical Draftsman, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Assistant Engineer, Grade C, to be open to all Topographical, Architectural and Mechanical Draftsmen, Grade C, and to Transitmen, Grade C (Rule 15, clause 9). Mechanical Engineer, Grade C, to Mechanical Engineer, Grade D (Rule 15, clause 9). First to Second Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Third Grade Clerk and Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clauses 8a and 8b). Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Bureau of Lamps and Lighting, Borough of Richmond.

Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Bureau of the Water Register, Borough of Manhattan.

Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Bureau of the Water Register, Borough of Brooklyn.

Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Fourth to Fifth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a). Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule 15, clause 8a).

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, in a report dated November 12, eligibility for admission to the following promotion examinations in the Law Department was extended to include the positions specified:

Third Grade Clerk, to be open to Second and Third Grade Stenographers and Typewriters (male) eligible under clauses 8b and 8c.

Law Clerk, First and Second Grades, to be open to Second and Third Grade Stenographers (male) eligible under clauses 8b and 8c of Rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated November 14, eligibility for admission to the examination for promotion to the position of Third Grade Clerk in the office of the Fire Commissioner was extended to Third Grade Stenographers and Typewriters eligible under clause 8b of Rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in two reports dated November 15, eligibility for admission to the following promotion examinations in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, was extended as specified:

Second Grade Clerk, to Second Grade Typewriting Copyists eligible under Rule 15, clause 8c, and Attendants (male), except in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, eligible under clause 8d of Rule 15, the Department having requested that eligibility be not extended to the Attendants in that Bureau.

Assistant Engineer, Grade D, to Third Grade Inspectors of Public Works (Rule 15, clause 19).

Messenger, Second Grade, to Attendants (male) (Rule 15, clause 10).

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, in a report dated November 15, eligibility for admission to the examination for promotion to the position of Transitman, Grade C, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, was extended to include all Levelers eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated November 12, eligibility for admission to the examination for promotion to the position of Fourth Grade Clerk in the office of the City Paymaster, Department of Finance, was extended to include Third Grade Financial Clerks eligible under clause 8b of Rule 15.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports under the dates specified, action on requests for the following promotion examinations was deferred pending the receipt of further information from the departments:

Department of Finance.

November 12—Fifth Grade Stock and Bond Clerk, Stock and Bond Division.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

November 12—Fourth Grade Inspector of Electrical Conductors and Wiring to Assistant Electrical Engineer. Fourth Grade Inspector of Illumination, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting. Fourth Grade Inspector of Electrical Conductors and Wiring, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting. Assistant Engineer, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting, to be open to Fourth Grade Inspectors of Illumination and Fourth Grade Inspectors of Electrical Conductors and Wiring.

November 14—Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated November 12, the request of the Deputy Comptroller that eligibility for examination for promotion to the position of Fourth Grade Bookkeeper in the Auditing Bureau, Division of Receipts, of his Department be extended to Third Grade Bookkeepers was laid over pending the receipt of further information.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports under the dates specified, the requests for the following promotion examinations were denied:

Department of Finance.

November 12—Fourth Grade Clerk in the Stock and Bond Division, there being a promotion list in existence established June 5, 1912. Second Grade Clerk, office of the City Paymaster, there being a promotion list established October 9, 1912.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

November 12—Third Grade Clerk, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting, there being a promotion list in existence established May 3, 1912.

November 14—Mechanical Draftsman, Grade D, Bureau of the Chief Examiner, there being a promotion list in existence established April 12, 1912. Assistant Engineer, Grade D, Bureau of the Chief Engineer, there being promotion lists in existence for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, established October 16, 1912. Third Grade Clerk, Bureau of the Water Register, Borough of Brooklyn, there being a promotion list in existence established May 3, 1912.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in reports (2), dated November 12 and 14, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the action of the Commission in ordering the following promotion examinations be and the same hereby is rescinded in accordance with the requests of the departments specified:

Second Grade Clerk, Fourth Grade Clerk and Fifth Grade Clerk, Department of Street Cleaning.

Second Grade Clerk, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

A report dated November 16 was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, transmitting a communication from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, stating that the Bureaus of Sewers, Street Openings and Highways had been consolidated into the Bureau of Engineering, Design and Survey, and requesting to be informed to what extent the promotion lists of Assistant Engineer for the bureaus first named might be used in making promotions. The Examiner stated that the present lists could be certified, should the department so request, pending the establishment of the list of Assistant

Engineer, Grades D and E, resulting from the promotion examination ordered for all bureaus of the department on September 25. The Secretary was instructed to so inform the department.

A report dated November 14 was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, recommending that the application of John F. Joyce for examination for promotion to the position of second grade Clerk in the office of the Commission on the Standardization of Supplies of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be returned to the department for the reason that the application did not show the summary of efficiency record of the candidate, as required by clause 20 of rule 15, also recommending that the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be informed that the efficiency records of all employees of the Commission on Standardization of Supplies should be kept by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that in the absence of quarterly reports the Chairman of the Commission on Standardization of Supplies (the Deputy Comptroller) be directed to file with the Board of Promotions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an account of the efficiency of Mr. Joyce or other employees of the Commission in order that they might be given the term indicating the degree of their efficiency for each quarterly term since their appointment, after which the requisite transcript should be entered upon the applications, and the applications then transmitted to the Commission. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 16, relative to the matter of efficiency records in the office of the Coroner, Borough of Brooklyn, which had been referred to him at a previous meeting, and stating that Examiner Fuld had submitted a report showing that the efficiency records were being kept in accordance with the rules. The report was approved.

A report was presented from Miss May B. Upshaw, Examiner, dated November 14, recommending that the services of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Woodward Building, Washington, D. C., be secured, if possible, in connection with the examination for the position of Inspector of Foods. The Chief Examiner was instructed to communicate with Dr. Wiley to that end.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 14, recommending that Frederick H. Ponds, of 154 E. 46th st., New York City, be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Assistant Superintendent of Parks, Borough of Queens, if successful in the examination. The recommendation was approved.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 14, recommending that Warren J. Cokeley, of 1 Oceanview ave., Borough of Queens, be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Gardener and Arboriculturist. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 12, recommending that the name of Leo Umanoff, of 174 Sterling st., Brooklyn, N. Y., be placed upon the eligible list of Assistant Superintendent of Parks, Borough of Queens, when promulgated, if the candidate should pass the examination. The recommendation was approved.

Reports, dated (2) November 12 and (1) November 14, were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to certain arrests of the following-named candidates for the position of Assistant Superintendent of Parks, Borough of Queens. Patrick F. Duggan, Martin ave., Glendale, L. I.; Harry C. Honeck, 145 E. 30th st., New York City; Henry F. Fagan, 143 W. 95th st., New York City. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidates before the Commission on Wednesday, November 27, 1912.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 7, relative to William A. Podolak, of 939 E. 177th st., New York City, a candidate for Prison Keeper, recommending that he be summoned before the Commission relative to certain statements in his application. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated November 14, transmitting request of the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning under date of November 8 that a practical examination be given the following-named employees of his department in order to qualify them for transfer to the position of Blacksmith's Helper: Richard G. Russell, Driver; Frank B. Dwyer, Driver; Patrick Bennett, Driver; Peter Rodenback, Stableman.

—and recommending that, in the event of approval of the request by the Commission, Mr. James Watson, of 353 W. 35th st., New York City, be employed to conduct the practical test for one session at a compensation of \$10. The request of the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning was granted and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That James Watson, of 353 W. 35th st., New York City, be and he hereby is appointed an expert Examiner for one session, at a compensation of \$10, to conduct a practical examination for the transfer of certain persons from the positions of Driver and Stableman to that of Blacksmith's Helper in the Department of Street Cleaning.

A report (C-513), dated November 12, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that the eligible list of Chief Examiner, Bureau of Fire Prevention, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report (C-535), dated November 13, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that the eligible list of Alienist, 1st, 2d and 3d grades, be promulgated, and submitting a statement of his investigation of the experience statements of the three candidates whose names appeared thereon. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Alienist, 1st to 3d grades, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report (C-538) was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 13, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Dr. Joseph Rosenthal, of 572 5th st., Brooklyn, on the eligible list of Medical Inspector be removed. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (C-539), dated November 13, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that Dr. Philip Liebling, of 742 Kelly st., New York City, be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Medical Inspector. The recommendation was adopted.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-545, dated November 14—Automobile Engineman.

C-515, dated November 13—Assistant Electrical Engineer, Grade E.

C-542, dated November 14—Laboratory Assistant (Vaccine).

C-543, dated November 14—Deputy Medical Superintendent.

C-519, dated November 12—Inspector of Plastering.

C-518, dated November 13—Prison Keeper.

The reports were ordered filed.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 14, recommending that Dr. Leopold Miller Rohr be summoned to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Medical Inspector, 4th grade. The recommendation was adopted.

A communication was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Board of City Magistrates, 1st Division, dated November 18, requesting approval of the emergency employment of George Caranicholas, of 220 Broadway, New York City, as Interpreter in the Greek and Turkish language for a second period of fifteen days, beginning November 16, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum. The appointment was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Coroner of the Borough of Richmond, dated November 16, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$5 in payment of Alfred Bertoncini, of Rosebank, S. I., for services as Italian Interpreter on October 24. The voucher was approved under rule 12, clause 4.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 12, requesting authority to reinstate in the position of Marine Stoker William J. Galvin, who resigned from the position of Water Tender. The request was denied, there being a preferred list for the position of Marine Stoker.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Education, dated October 25, stating that James Doyle, Janitor, who had been suspended from duty from September 10 to October 15, inclusive, had been restored to duty on October 16. The restoration was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate

and Apportionment, dated November 13, requesting authority to employ Raleigh Weintraub as Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$3 per day, for a second period of fifteen days, in connection with the work of the Committee investigating the Departments of Health, Charities and Hospitals. The request was granted under clause 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated November 13, requesting authority to continue for a period of six months the temporary employment of Anna E. Wallace, of 950 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn, appointed from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, on May 13, 1912. The Secretary stated that he had re-certified the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter. The action of the Secretary was approved.

Communications (2) dated November 11 were presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, requesting authority to extend for a period of three months from October 23 the temporary employment of the following-named Clerks, appointed from the eligible list on July 22, 1912:

John V. Joyce, Box 651, Monticello, N. Y.

Frank P. Ryan, 2760 Broadway, New York City.

The appointments were authorized for a period of three months from October 22, under clause 1 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated November 14, stating that on October 22 John T. Ogle, an Inspector of Foods (milk), who had been on leave of absence, without pay, since September 4, 1912, had reported for duty. The Secretary was instructed to note the reassignment on the records.

Communications, dated (2) November 12, and (2) November 18, were presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, requesting authority to employ the following-named persons in the position of Nurse, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position, salary to be at the rate of \$900 per annum:

Edna P. Dickey, 1372 Lexington ave., New York City.

Emily Brown, 343 40th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Margaret A. Bee, 103 Berkley place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The request was granted, subject to the conditions of clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated November 14, requesting that the name of Katherine Hagerty, of 213 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn, who resigned from the position of Nurse before completing her probationary period, be restored to the eligible list for that position and re-certified to fill a vacancy at \$900 per annum. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 18, requesting that John T. Boyd, of 231 Polifly road, Hackensack, N. J., be given a non-competitive examination for the position of Architectural Draftsman under clause 3 of Rule 12. The request was denied for the reason that the said person was a non-resident of the State of New York.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 15, requesting authority to extend until January 5, 1913, the temporary employment of Francis J. McCormack, appointed from the eligible list of School Farm Attendant on July 5, 1912. The request was granted under clause 1 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 11, requesting approval of the reassignment to duty of William Devaney, a Laborer, and stating that a notice sent to the Commission to the effect that he had resigned his position on November 1 was in error, and that instead the said employee had applied for a leave of absence. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 16, requesting approval of the employment of Louis R. Lewen, Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, as of November 11, and stating that, owing to a discrepancy in the form in which his name was on record in the office of the Commission, approval of his transfer from the Board of Education had been delayed. The emergency appointment of the said employee was approved for a period of five days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the limitation of compensation (\$750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule 12 be and the same hereby is waived in so far as it applies to Mr. R. Ernest Beatty, of 501 W. 110th st., employed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, as an expert inspector of paving materials at the plant of the United States Wood Preserving Company, Norfolk, Va., and his total compensation is hereby fixed at an amount not to exceed \$1,500.

Communications (2), dated November 14 and 15, were presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons as Inspectors of Public Works, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position: George Culver, 18 Montgomery ave., Tompkinsville, S. I.; John F. Pundy, 451 16th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Henry W. Ralph, 11 Yale ave., Jamaica, L. I.; Daniel A. Nunan, 27 Park row, New York City; Patrick Burns, 130 2d ave., New York City. The appointments were approved subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 13, requesting authority to employ Joseph L. Paradise, of 181 7th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Axeman, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The appointment was approved subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 12, requesting authority to appoint Alfred R. Glock, of 533 8th ave., Long Island City, as Topographical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position. The appointment was approved subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated November 12, requesting approval of the emergency appointment on November 12 of Arthur T. Reilly, of 970 Lexington ave., New York City, as Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$2,100 per annum, for a period of fifteen days. The request was granted under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 13, forwarding a report from the Borough Engineer of Brooklyn, relative to the alleged irregular assignment of John Kearns and Thomas McCann, Laborers, to perform the duties of Messengers. The report was approved.

Communications, dated (2) November 13 and (1) November 14, were presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting approval of vouchers in payment of the following-named persons for services as Veterinarians in the amounts specified:

Berns Veterinary Hospital, 74 Adams st., Brooklyn, N. Y., \$5.

H. Kock, 957 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., \$5.25.

William Sheppard, Sheepshead Bay, L. I., \$5.

The vouchers were approved under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 13, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$4.17, in favor of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for services of John P. Kerrigan, an Inspector in his department, for one day, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of Rule 12.

The following reports of departmental boards of Examiners for positions in the Non-Competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, October 28, 28, 31; November 7, 8, 8. Department of Public Charities, November 11. Board of Education (Nautical School), November 13. Department of Correction, November 7.

The requests of the following-named persons for permission to amend their statements as to date of birth, where in error in their papers in the examinations specified, to conform to the proof submitted, were granted:

Henry C. Gottfried, 2009 Palmetto st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, First Grade.

Reuben Hillman, 17 E. 108th st., New York City, Clerk, Second Grade.

Sara E. Hellerman, 161 W. 140th st., New York City, Stenographer and Typewriter.

Jane V. O'Donovan-Rossa, 194 Richmond terrace, St. George, S. I., Stenographer and Typewriter.

The following requests for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted: George W. Cuthbert, 345 W. 23d st., New York City, Temporary Clerk, Preferred. Stated that he did not receive notice from the Departments of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and Docks and Ferries, for failure to reply to which his name had been removed from the list (August 2, 1912 and August 14, 1912).

Francis P. L. Flynn, 296 Butler st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary appointment. Stated that he did not receive the notice from the Department of Finance (May 6, 1912) for failure to reply to which his name had been removed from the list.

Cornelius Hosey, 152 E. 35th st., New York City, Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary work. Declined temporary appointment in response to an inquiry from the Commission (June 12, 1911), for the reason that he was then permanently employed.

Emil Kanarvogel, 406 E. 160th st., New York City, Clerk, First Grade. Did not receive notice from the Board of Education, owing to change of address (November 11, 1912).

John A. Weickman, 381 E. 138th st., New York City, Clerk, First Grade. Recertification of name requested by the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department (November 13, 1912).

Isidore Korowitz, 170 Madison st., New York City, Laboratory Assistant (Diagnostic). Declined appointment in the Department of Health (November 8, 1912), for the reason that he was pursuing a course of study.

A communication was presented from Timothy Sullivan, of 114 E. 98th st., New York City, dated November 14, requesting that certification of his name from the eligible list of Prison Keeper be withheld until April 30, 1913, for the reason that he was filling a temporary position under that title in the Branch Workhouse, Rikers Island, which would not terminate until that date. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Andrew J. Graf, of 140 33d st., Brooklyn, N. Y., dated November 12, requesting that he be given a medical re-examination for the position of Patrolman. It appearing that the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Physical and Medical Examinations had recommended on June 29, 1912, that the candidate be summoned for another examination at a later date, the request was granted.

A communication was presented from Patrick J. Healey, of 2398 Hughes st., Evergreen, L. I., requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Clerk in the Department of Taxes and Assessments. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission on Wednesday, November 27, 1912.

A communication was presented from John T. Elliott, of 1330 Intervale ave., New York City, dated November 10, requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list, upon which it had been placed, by reason of his dismissal from the position of Patrolman. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission on Wednesday, November 27, 1912.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 18, relative to the request of Nathaniel B. Sawyer, of 2661 Briggs ave., New York City, that his name be removed from the disqualified list, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Engineer in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, on August 1, 1910. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 16, transmitting request of the Commissioner of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, under date of November 11, that an examination be held for promotion to the position of Topographical Draftsman, Grade D, and recommending that the request be granted, the examination to be open to all Topographical Draftsmen, Grade C, eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 16, relative to the request of the Secretary of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, under dates of November 7 and 15, that Book-Typewriters employed in his Department be permitted to take the examination for promotion to Clerk, Third Grade; and recommending that the request be granted, the examination to be open to all Second Grade Book-Typewriters eligible under clause 8b of Rule 15, except those in the Borough of Manhattan, the examination not having been ordered for that Borough. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 14, recommending that the eligible list of Topographical Draftsman (\$1,200 per annum) be promulgated and submitting a statement of the experience of the ten candidates at the head of the eligible list. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Topographical Draftsman (\$1,200 per annum) be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated November 15, stating that John M. Dowdney, Foreman Carpenter, had been reassigned to duty on November 8. The reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated November 15, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of May McIntosh, of 1 St. Nicholas terrace, New York City, on November 4, 1912, as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$50 per month. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 19, requesting authority to appoint Harry Branze, of 50 Irving place, Brooklyn, N. Y., to the position of Searcher, with salary at the rate of \$1,050 per annum, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The request was granted subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 16, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of James F. Rafferty, of 1504 East 4th street, Brooklyn, N. Y., on November 13, as Stationary Engineer. The appointment was approved for a period not to exceed fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller, dated November 18, notifying the Commission of the appointment from the eligible list of Accountant, Fifth Grade, of Oliver K. Hand and John A. Swanson, to take effect November 20. It appearing that more than fifteen days had elapsed between the date of the certification containing the names of Messrs. Hand and Swanson and the date of their appointment, the Secretary was instructed to renew the said certification for an additional period of fifteen days and their appointment as of November 20 was approved, also the appointment of the following-named persons from which approval had been withheld because they had been appointed prior to Messrs. Hand and Swanson, although their names appeared lower on the eligible list: Glenn H. Frost, Mark Condell, Elmer Newkirk, Joseph A. McGann, Charles G. Fuchs, Raymond W. Bourke.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, dated October 8, relative to the payroll of Joseph Sullivan for services as Superintendent of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices from the time of his suspension to the date of his removal on charges (January 23, 1912, to October 8, 1912). The Secretary was instructed to pass the payroll amounting to \$2,129.04.

The following certifications were approved, the names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules having been ordered certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary or location:

Twenty names in response to a requisition from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 13, for an eligible list from which to make three appointments to the position of Bookkeeper at \$1,200 per annum, one in the Borough of Richmond and two in the Borough of Manhattan.

Fifteen names in response to a requisition from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 11, for additional names from which to make two appointments to the position of First Grade Clerk at \$300 per annum each.

Forty names in response to a requisition from the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department, dated November 14, for an eligible list from which to appoint eleven First Grade Clerks at \$300 per annum each.

The Commission rescinded its action of October 30 in accepting the application of Otto Atzberger, of 1653 Wallace ave., New York City, for the position of Stationary Engineer, for the reason that he was not a citizen, in that he had been over twenty-one years of age at the time of the naturalization of his father and had never been naturalized himself.

The Secretary was instructed not to certify the name of Herbert Hawkins of 265 Clinton st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for future appointment from the eligible list of

Accountant, Fifth Grade, at \$2,400 per annum, he having declined appointment at that salary in a communication addressed to the Comptroller under date of October 14.

The following requests for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

Louis C. Kane, 10 Manhattan ave., New York City. Stenographer and Typewriter, Third Grade, for temporary work. Declined temporary appointment in the Bureau of Weights and Measures, office of the Mayor (November 13, 1912), for the reason that he had expressed his willingness to accept such appointment in October and had not secured the same and was employed to better advantage when offered it again.

Albert Marmorstein, 190 Second ave., New York City, Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade. Declined appointment in the Bureau of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, on account of illness (November 6, 1912).

A communication was presented from Beatrice Karelse of 540 W. 165th st., New York City, stating as her reason for declining appointment to the position of Playground Attendant in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, that she was attending Normal College and would not complete her course until January, 1913. The declination of appointment was approved, and it was ordered that certification of Miss Karelse's name be withheld until February 1, 1913.

The Secretary was instructed not to certify the name of Jacob W. Schwartz of 61 Avenue A, New York City, for temporary appointment as Stenographer and Typewriter, the reason advanced by him in a communication to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, office of the Mayor, not having been satisfactory to the Commission.

The application of Patrick McTeague, of 463 W. 52d st., New York City, for the position of Fireman was accepted, the proof submitted as to date of birth having been satisfactory to the Commission.

The application of Cecile S. Lippman of 150 W. 49th st., New York City, for the position of Typewriting Copyist, was accepted, the proof submitted as to her father's citizenship having been satisfactory.

The Secretary was instructed to summon Daniel Caplan of 260 Cherry st., New York City, before the Commission on Wednesday, November 27, to explain discrepancies in date of birth and the spelling of his name in the papers of his examination for Clerk, Second Grade.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, November 27, 1912, at ten o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Monday, November 25, 1912, at 10:15 o'clock A. M.

Present: President James Creelman and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Welling. The President presided.

The following-named members of the uniformed force of the Fire Department appeared in obedience to subpoenas of the Commission and testified under oath relative to certain allegations concerning the eligible list for promotion to the position of Lieutenant (formerly Assistant Foreman), Fire Department:

Joseph P. Boylan, 435 W. 44th st., Fireman, first grade.

William D. Chalmers, 104 W. 61st st., Fireman, first grade.

Thomas O'Toole, 584 Columbus ave., Fireman, first grade.

Henry F. Rousseau, 346 E. 82d st., Fireman, first grade.

Francis H. Kiernan, 16th st. and Kissena park, Flushing, Engineer of Steamer.

John W. Egan, 629 E. 142d st., Fireman, first grade.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, November 27, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held Wednesday, November 27, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present—President James Creelman and Commissioners Alexander Keogh and Richard Welling. The President presided.

The minutes of the meetings held November 20 and 25 were approved.

Thomas Harford, of 553 W. 40th st., New York City, appeared in obedience to a subpoena of the Commission in connection with the experience statements of Daniel F. Leahy, of 165 E. 102d st., New York City, in his examination for the position of Prison Keeper. It appearing from the testimony of the witness that certain statements of the said Daniel F. Leahy regarding his experience were untrue, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Daniel F. Leahy, of 165 E. 102d st., New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Prison Keeper under clause 14 of rule 12 (unsatisfactory character), and placed upon the disqualification list.

Dr. Leopold M. Rohr, of 6 Webster ave., Glendale, L. I., appeared, as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Medical Inspector, fourth grade, on account of certain statements relative to his experience. The matter was referred back to Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, for further investigation.

Henry C. Clark, of 355 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y., appeared in obedience to a subpoena of the Commission and testified relative to certain allegations concerning the eligible list for promotion to the position of Lieutenant (formerly Assistant Foreman) in the Fire Department.

Nathaniel B. Sawyer, of 2661 Briggs ave., New York City, appeared, as directed, relative to his request that his name be removed from the Commission's Disqualified List, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Engineer in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan, on August 1, 1910. After consideration of the matter, the request was granted.

Patrick J. Healey, of 2398 Hughes ave., Evergreen, L. I., appeared, as directed, relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualification list. The request was denied.

John F. Elliott, of 1330 Intervale ave., New York City, appeared, as directed, relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualification list. The request was denied.

Daniel Caplan, of 260 Cherry st., New York City, appeared, as directed, to explain the discrepancies in the spelling of his name and the date of his birth appearing in the various papers of his examination for Clerk, second grade. The explanation of the candidate was satisfactory and he was instructed to correct the date of birth and the spelling of his name, where in error, to conform to the proof submitted.

The following-named candidates for the position of Assistant Superintendent of Parks, Borough of Queens, appeared to explain the circumstances of certain arrests: Henry F. Fagan, 143 W. 95th st., New York City; Harry C. Honeck, 145 E. 30th st., New York City; Patrick F. Duggan, Martin ave., Glendale, L. I. It was ordered that the said persons be marked "qualified" on the eligible list, when promulgated, if successful in the examination.

William A. Podolak, of 939 E. 177th st., New York City, appeared, as directed, in connection with his application for the position of Prison Keeper. After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the candidate's name on the eligible list be removed.

George T. Cooper, of 2017 Woodbine st., Brooklyn, N. Y., appeared, as directed, relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualification list upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Patrolman in the Police Department. After consideration of the matter, the request was denied.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

Joseph T. Shea, Clerk, from the Department of Finance, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Walter Latzer, Bookkeeper, at \$1,200 per annum, from the Department of Public Charities to the Department of Finance.

William R. Kelleher, Clerk, from Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Nicanor L. Diaz, Clerk, from the Department of Health, at \$750 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Hugh A. Tighe, Clerk, from the Law Department, at \$600 per annum, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the proposed transfer of Ida May Robbins from the position of Nurse, at \$900 per annum, in the Department of Health, to that of Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, was disapproved, the positions being dissimilar in character and in different groups of the classification.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved:

Joseph F. Mahoney, in the position of Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$1,100 per annum.

Charles A. Raehse, in the position of Axeman in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

Gustave J. Steinacher, in the position of Rodman in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,050 per annum.

Addison L. G. Price, in the position of Engineer of Steamer in the Fire Department.

Victor Exinger, in the position of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct, in the Board of Water Supply.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following-named candidates for reratings in the examinations specified were denied, no errors of marking or rating having been shown:

Max L. Silver, 767 E. 152d st., New York City—Promotion to third grade Clerk, Tenement House Department.

Harry M. Somber, 1245 Boston road, New York City, Process Server.

Henry B. Page, 708 Gates ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., promotion to fourth grade Assistant Inspector of Combustibles.

Frank H. Biele, 3397 Fort Independence st., New York City, Laboratory Assistant.

Howard R. Cummings, 954 Brooklyn ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., promotion to Assistant Engineer, grade D, Department of Bridges.

William L. Boyle, care of Department of Health, Brooklyn, N. Y., promotion to third grade Clerk, Department of Health.

The miscellaneous appeals of the following-named persons were referred to the Committee on Appeals:

John P. Morrissey, 444 E. 84th st., New York City, Assistant Electrical Engineer, grade E.

Thomas F. Kiernan, 56 Newell st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Inspector of Plastering.

William L. Blaum, 98 9th ave., Long Island City, Chemist.

William L. Kenny, 230 Brook ave., New York City, Prison Keeper.

Frank O. Nowaczek, 76 Himrod st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Assistant Surveyor (promotion), Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Robert H. Johnston, Jr., Merrick, N. Y., Axeman.

Earl R. Kayser, 673 E. 216th st., New York City, Axeman.

Milton C. Lachenbruch, 202 Mount Hope place, New York City, Accountant, fifth grade.

M. S. Regan, 127 W. 121st st., New York City, Accountant, fifth grade.

Frank Wintrick, 33 Bayside place, Rockaway Beach, N. Y., Lieutenant, Fire Department.

James F. Degnan, 137 Avenue C, New York City, Lieutenant, Fire Department.

James Fallon, 941 70th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Lieutenant, Fire Department.

Joseph P. Dugan, 1226 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Lieutenant, Fire Department.

John J. Tierney, 301 W. 126th st., New York City, Lieutenant, Fire Department.

Walter H. Girod, 8 N. Pleasant ave., Rockaway Beach, N. Y., Lieutenant, Fire Department.

The President submitted the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the labor class:

Transfers Approved.

Hans Tripka, Licensed Fireman, from the Department of Public Charities to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

John Feehan, from the position of Mechanic's Helper to that of Laborer in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

Edward F. McCormack, from the position of Mechanic's Helper to that of Laborer in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

Edward B. Mason, Laborer, from the Board of Water Supply to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

George Endres, Laborer, from the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Michael Ward, Laborer, from the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Reinstatements Approved.

William Conine, Marine Stoker, Department of Public Charities.

Francis J. Blanchard, Laborer, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

Patrick O'Rourke, Laborer, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

William Deviney, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

John J. Hughes, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Reassignments Approved.

Pietro Distefano, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Onofrio Prignano, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Henry Behrman, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

James F. Drumm, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Augustus Hannigan, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Otto Thurman, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Nelson Hatcher, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Thomas F. Duffy, Laborer, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Emergency Appointments Approved.

Joseph McKeon, Stoker, Department of Public Charities.

John Foppiani, Cleaner, Department of Street Cleaning.

The report was approved.

On the recommendation of the Labor Clerk, the requests of the following-named persons for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

Samuel Cohen, 1766 Washington ave., New York City. Machinist. Stated that the statement of the Department of Docks and Ferries that he failed to reply to a notice of appointment was incorrect.

Owen Farrelly, 166 Morningside ave., New York City. Licensed Fireman. Declined appointment in the Borough of Manhattan for the reason that he believed same to be of a temporary nature.

On motion, it was resolved, That the temporary appointment of Miss Emma Schultz, of 14 W. 98th st., New York City, as Stenographer and Typewriter in the office of the Commission, with salary at the rate of \$1,350 per annum, be and the same hereby is extended until December 15, 1912.

On motion, it was resolved, That Mr. Saqui Smith, of 253 W. 22d st., New York City, be and he hereby is appointed a Monitor in the office of the Commission, with compensation at the rate of \$5 per day, when employed.

On the recommendation of the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions in a report dated November 22, an examination was ordered for promotion from the position of Third Grade Clerk to that of Fourth Grade Clerk in the Bureau of Fire Prevention, all boroughs, Fire Department, in compliance with the request of the Fire Commissioner, under the provisions of clause 8a of Rule 15.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 23, recommending that the following promotion examinations be ordered for the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, as requested in communications dated October 29 and November 8:

Bureau of Engineering Construction.

Assistant Engineer, Grade D, to Assistant Engineer, Grade E (Rule 15, clause 9).

Assistant Engineer, Grade C, to Assistant Engineer, Grade D (Rule 15, clause 9).

Transitman, Grade D, to be open to Transitmen, Grade C, and Rodmen, Grade C, eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15.

Transitman, Grade C, to be open to Rodmen, Grades B and C, eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15.

Rodman, Grade C, to be open to Rodmen, Grade B, and Axemen, Grade B, eligible under clause 9 of Rule 15.

Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule 15, clause 8a).

Laborer to Axeman, Grade B (Rule 15, clause 17).

The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from Mr. M. C. Ihlseng, Examiner, dated November 20, relative to the requis

Grade 2, be promulgated, and submitting a statement of his investigation of the experience of the ten candidates at the head of the eligible list. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Inspector of Boiler and Pipe Covering, Grade 2, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-502, dated November 19. Oculist.

C-547, dated November 15. Medical Inspector.

The reports were ordered filed.

A report was presented from Miss May B. Upshaw, Examiner, forwarded by the Chief Examiner under date of November 20, recommending the certification of the eligible list of Assistant Director, Diagnosis Bacteriological Laboratory, Department of Health, in response to a requisition of the Department of Health for an eligible list from which to appoint one Assistant Director of Bacteriological Laboratories (female) at the Research Laboratory. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 14, relative to Abe Goodman, of 455 Grand st., New York City, a candidate for the position of Prison Keeper. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission to explain the circumstances attending his resignation from the position of Prison Keeper in the Department of Correction on July 13, 1910.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated November 21, stating that at a meeting of that Board held November 19, the following resolutions of the Municipal Commission had been approved:

Amending a former resolution of the Commission by substituting the name of Surgeon L. L. Williams, of the Federal Service at Wilmington, North Carolina, for that of Dr. Claude H. Lavinder, who was excepted from examination to render expert service in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a compensation not to exceed \$3,200.

Waiving the limitation of compensation (\$750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule 12 in so far as it applies to the services of Professor Calvin O. Davis serving as Co-operating Specialist in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the School Inquiry.

Excepting from examination Charles G. Armstrong, Consulting Engineer, to be employed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from July 25, 1912, to December 31, 1912, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,000.

Waiving the limitation of compensation (\$1,000) fixed by the Commission in the case of Dr. H. H. Goddard, serving as expert in connection with the School Inquiry, and fixing the same at \$1,500.

Waiving the limitation of compensation (\$750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule 12 in so far as it applies to the employment of the Croker Fire Prevention and Engineering Company by Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and fixing the same at \$1,700.

Amending the Commission's resolution relative to the exemption of a Stenographer to the Commissioners of Accounts and of a Law Examiner by striking therefrom that portion referring to the exemption of one Stenographer.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 23, requesting authority to continue until November 30, 1912, the temporary employment of Albert F. West, of 213 Bowery, New York City, appointed from the preferred eligible list of Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, on August 7, 1912. The continued employment was approved under clause 1 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 21, requesting authority to reinstate John H. L. Rudiger in the position of Marine Stoker. The request was denied owing to the existence of a preferred list.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 21, stating that he had granted to Joseph Comerford, a Water Tender, a leave of absence without pay for a period of three months, beginning November 18, and requesting authority to assign to the temporary vacancy Michael H. Boylan, a Marine Stoker, to be paid while so assigned at the rate of \$95 per month. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 19, requesting approval of the change of title of Patrick Sherry from Dock Builder to Laborer, and stating that as the result of injuries sustained in the performance of duty, Mr. Sherry was unable to perform the duties of a Dock Builder. The request was granted, the said employee having consented to such demotion.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 20, requesting authority to transfer Bridget O'Hare, Cleaner, from the Board of Education to his Department. The request was denied owing to the existence of a preferred list.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated November 15, stating that Michael Falvello, a Senior Attendance Officer, had been restored to the rank of a regular Attendance Officer at \$1,500 per annum, to take effect November 13, 1912. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated November 20, requesting approval of the employment of Howard Neagle, of 17 Madison ave., New York City, as Investigator at \$3 per day. The appointment was approved under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 13, requesting that the Commission consider as void his statement in a communication dated November 12, 1912, to the effect that Percy L. Grandy's services as Temporary Clerk would cease at the close of business on November 12, and stating that he had transferred Mr. Grandy from the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated November 21, transmitting the application of James E. Ray for examination for promotion to the position of Stenographer, Fourth Grade, Bureau of Fire Extinguishment, and stating that through an error the same had not been included with the other applications sent on November 19. The application was accepted.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Messrs. Sidney Smith and Ernest F. Robinson be and they hereby are excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of Rule 12, to be employed as Expert Assistant Sanitary Engineers in the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, from November 1, 1912, to May 1, 1913, at compensations not exceeding \$1,250 and \$1,050, respectively.

A communication was presented from the Police Commissioner, dated November 25, stating that in compliance with a communication from the President of the Commission, dated November 22, he had directed that Michael J. O'Loughlin, who had been restored to the rank of Sergeant, on November 9, 1911, be reduced to the grade of Patrolman. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated November 1, requesting approval of the reassignment to duty of John T. O'Hara, of 161 W. 61st st., New York City, as Paver in the Bureau of Highways. The request was denied.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, dated October 24, stating that the notice to the Commission on June 12, to the effect that Mariano Viola, of 110 Boerum place, Brooklyn, an Extra Driver, had been dismissed, was in error, as the said employee had worked continuously in Stable H, Borough of Brooklyn. The Secretary was instructed to correct the records.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 21, requesting authority to appoint William T. Holden, of 36 Marcy ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, under clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12. It appearing that there was no person on the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter (male) willing to accept appointment at \$900 per annum, the emergency appointment was approved under Rule 12, clause 4, and the Secretary was instructed to arrange a non-competitive examination to qualify the said person for temporary appointment.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 21, requesting authority to employ Samuel S. Klauber, of 303 Broadway, Brooklyn, as Searcher, with salary at the rate of 900 per annum, pending the estab-

lishment of the eligible list for that position. The appointment was approved subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller, dated November 22, requesting authority to appoint John H. Dwyer, of 387 11th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Statistician, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The appointment was authorized subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 20, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Mrs. J. Orr, of 103 Ditmas ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$87.50 per month. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of Weights and Measures, office of the Mayor, dated November 21, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of James Courtney, of 497 Dean st., Brooklyn, N. Y., as Stenographer, for a period of six days from November 22. The appointment was approved under clause 4 of Rule 12.

Communications (2) dated November 18 and 25, were presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, with further reference to his request for authority to employ John T. Boyd as Architectural Draftsman, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position, which request had been denied at a previous meeting of the Commission for the reason that it appeared that Mr. Boyd was not a resident of the State of New York. After consideration of the statement of the Park Commissioner that Mr. Boyd had moved to 143 E. 40th st., New York City, the emergency appointment of the said person was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12, and the Secretary was instructed to arrange a non-competitive examination necessary to qualify him for provisional appointment, pending the establishment of the eligible list of Architectural Draftsman, Grades C and D.

Communications (2) dated November 19 and (1) November 20, were presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons as Topographical Draftsman, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, under the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of Rule 12:

Vincent O'Connor, 113 4th st., Elmhurst, L. I.

Timothy F. Curran, 153 Vernon ave., Long Island City.

Anthony M. De Luca, 27½ Washington st., Jamaica, L. I.

Matthew J. Goggin, 53 Juniper st., Flushing, L. I.

The appointments were approved for a period of fifteen days only, the eligible list of Topographical Draftsman (\$1,200 per annum), having been established on November 20, 1912.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 20, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Margaret Cheeseman, as Hospital Clerk, with salary at the rate of \$600 per annum, beginning November 16. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 22, requesting approval of the emergency appointment on November 21, of John A. Derham as Registrar, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated November 15, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons as Investigators of Claims, under the provisions of clause 7 of Rule 12, salary to be at the rate of \$125 per month in each instance:

James E. O'Neill, West Hurley, N. Y.

Joseph S. Hill, West Shokan, N. Y.

Mathias Burgher, Shokan, N. Y.

The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 21, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Anna Cassidy, of 695 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn, as Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$3 per day, effective November 7. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

The request of Abraham Henschel, of 100 India st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for permission to amend his statements as to date of birth where in error in the papers of his examination for the position of Clerk, First Grade, was granted.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

On the recommendation of the President, to whom the matter had been referred at a previous meeting, the requests of Oscar Heim, of 331 E. 80th st., New York City, and Joseph O'Connor, of 259 75th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., that their names be removed from the disqualified list were granted.

On the recommendation of the President, to whom the matter had been referred at a previous meeting, the request of John Cusick, of 439 13th st., Brooklyn, N. Y., that his name be removed from the disqualified list was denied.

After consideration of a communication from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated November 22, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the name of Louis R. Cohen, of 262 Stockton st., Brooklyn, N. Y., be removed.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 25, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Licenses, dated November 20, for authority to appoint Maurice Mikol as Inspector of Licenses, with a knowledge of languages (German, Yiddish, Polish, French and Italian) pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position, and recommending that an open competitive examination be held in two groups, one including German, Yiddish and Polish, and the other French and Italian. The appointment of Mr. Mikol as Inspector of Licenses (German, Yiddish and Polish, and French and German) was approved without further examination, pending the establishment of the eligible list, the Commission having accepted the open competitive examination for Inspector of Licenses, in which he had qualified as the equivalent of a non-competitive examination, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Inspector of Licenses, with Knowledge of Languages, Grade 2, that part of the examination embracing the languages to be divided into two parts, as follows:

German, Yiddish and Polish.

French and Italian.

The Secretary was instructed to re-certify to the Commissioner of Public Charities the promotion list of Deputy Medical Superintendent, in accordance with an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated November 26, 1912, to the effect that while the Commissioner of Public Charities was not bound to make an appointment from the competitive eligible list for that position previously certified, for the reason that it contained but one name, he was obliged to consider the promotion list containing the names of Drs. Robert Kahn and Albert M. Healy.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 27, recommending that certification be made from the appropriate eligible list of Assistant Registrar of Records, fifth grade, to fill a vacancy in the position of Registrar of Records in the Department of Public Charities, at \$1,500 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for the latter position. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 26, recommending that open competitive examinations be held for the positions of Law Clerk, Inspector of Elevators and Dockmaster. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with open competitive examinations for the following positions: Law Clerk, grades one and two; Inspector of Elevators, grades one and two; Dockmaster.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, requesting authority to employ experts to conduct the examination for Architectural Draftsman, grades C and D. On motion, it was

Resolved, That H. R. Marshall, of 3 W. 29th st., New York City, and F. S. Benedict, of 50 E. 41st st., New York City, be and they hereby are appointed experts in connection with the open competitive examination for Architectural Draftsman, grades C and D.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 27, recommending that the minimum age limit in the examination for Architectural Draftsman, grades C and D, be placed at twenty years. After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the minimum age limit be placed at eighteen years.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 26, stating

that on that date the examination for promotion to fifth grade Examiner, Board of Ambulance Service, had been completed. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for promotion to the position of fifth grade Examiner, Board of Ambulance Service, be and the same hereby is established.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 25, with further reference to the request of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 9, that William F. Brown be summoned for a non-competitive examination to qualify him for provisional appointment as Tabulating Machine Operator (Hollerith machine), and that an open competitive examination be ordered for that position, which matter had been referred to the Chief Examiner at a previous meeting. The Chief Examiner recommended that an open competitive examination be ordered. The Secretary was instructed to arrange the necessary non-competitive examination to qualify Mr. Brown for provisional appointment, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Tabulating Machine Operator (Hollerith machine), under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 6.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 27, transmitting a communication from the Assistant Chief Clerk of the Law Department requesting to be informed whether Augustine A. Matthews or Bernard L. Carberry, Law Clerks, at \$1,200 and \$1,350 per annum, respectively, might be promoted to a salary of \$1,500 per annum without further examination. The Examiner stated that either employee could be promoted to the grade specified, under the provisions of clause 23 of rule 15, provided he had served at least one year in the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes. The Secretary was instructed to so inform the Law Department.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 7, recommending that the following promotion examinations be held for the Department of Docks and Ferries:

Third grade Clerk (rule 15, clause 8a).

Transitman, grade C, to be open to all Rodmen, grade B, and Levelers, grade C, eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

Transitman, grade D, to be open to all Transitmen, grade C, eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

Assistant Engineer, grade D, to be open to all Transitmen, Computers and Topographical Draftsmen eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

Topographical Draftsman, grade D, to be open to all Topographical Draftsmen, Grade C, eligible under clause 9 of rule 15.

The report also recommended that the request for an examination for promotion from the position of Marine Sounder to that of Chainman and Rodman be denied for lack of power, for the reason that the rules limit promotion from the Labor Class to positions in the lowest grade of the Engineering Service; that the order for an examination for promotion from the positions of Doorman and Ticket Chopper to that of Ticket Agent, on August 14, be rescinded for the reason that the position of Doorman no longer appeared in the classification, and that an examination be ordered for promotion to Ticket Agent, grade two, to be open to all Ticket Choppers eligible under clause 8d of rule 15. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 25, recommending that an examination be held for promotion to the position of second grade clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn, Department of Finance, in accordance with the request of the Deputy Comptroller under date of November 19, the examination to be open to all first grade Clerks eligible under clause 8a of rule 15. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 27, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotions to the position of fifth grade Clerk in the office of the Mayor, to be open to all fourth grade Clerks eligible under clause 8a of rule 15. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 27, recommending that eligibility for examination for promotion to the position of fourth grade Clerk in the Department of Bridges be extended to all third grade Stenographers and Typewriters (male) eligible under clause 8b of rule 15, in accordance with the request of the Commissioner of Bridges under date of November 21. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 23, recommending that the Commission rescind its action of November 20, in ordering an examination for promotion to the position of fourth grade Clerk in the Bureau of the Water Register, Borough of Manhattan, for the reason that there was in existence a promotion eligible list for that position containing six names; also recommending that the promotion list promulgated April 2, 1912, appearing among the records of the Commission as "Fourth Grade Clerk, Bureau of the Water Register," be amended to read "Fourth Grade Clerk, Bureau of the Water Register, Borough of Queens," the examination having been held for that borough. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 25, recommending that the application of William J. Fitzgerald, a Leveler, for examination for promotion to the position of Transitman, grade C, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, be accepted. The recommendation was adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the President of the Borough of Manhattan that eligibility for the examination had been extended to include the position of Leveler.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 27, transmitting a report of Examiner Fuld, dated November 6, making various recommendations in the matter of the efficiency records of the Department of Health. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated November 22, relative to the request of the Secretary of the Department of Health, under date of November 14, for authority to promote Agnes L. McKenna from the position of Typewriting Copyist to that of Stenographer and Typewriter on the ground that she had qualified in an open competitive examination for the latter position. The Examiner recommended that the request be denied for the reason that it did not appear that the said employee had received her appointment as the result of an examination equivalent to that for Stenographer and Typewriter. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Chief of the Bureau of Medical and Physical Examinations, dated November 29, stating that he had rejected Andrew J. Graf, of 140 33d st., Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate for the position of Patrolman, in the physical re-examination given him on that date. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provision of clause 14 of rule 7 (physical disability).

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 19, recommending that the name of John F. Walsh, of 238 Carroll st., Brooklyn, N. Y., be stricken from the eligible list of Prison Keeper on account of the many times he had been arrested, which arrests he had denied in his application. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate before the Commission.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 23, recommending that John F. Kersten, of 221 Avenue A, New York City, be summoned before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Prison Keeper for the reason that he did not disclose in his application the fact that he had been employed in the Board of Fire Patrol and discharged "for the good of the service." The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, dated November 19, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of John Moriarty, of 71 West 96th street, New York City, on the eligible list of Attendant (Male) be removed. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (C-554), dated November 25, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to the circumstances resulting in the dismissal from the position of Interne at the New York City Children's Hospital at Randalls Island of Dr. Joseph H. Singer, a candidate for the position of Resident Physician (Alcoholic Ward), and recommending that the candidate be summoned before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be stricken from the eligible list for that position. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (C-554), dated November 26, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that Daniel W. Gleason, of 164 Hull street, Brook-

lyn, N. Y., be summoned before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Junior Mechanical Draftsman for a false statement made in his experience paper. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (C-555), dated November 25, was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, recommending that Eduardo Joseph Fossas, of 825 East 163d street, New York City, be marked "not qualified" on the eligible list of Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, pending the production by him of evidence of the truth of his statements as to experience. The recommendation was adopted.

The following reports were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the experience statements of candidates on the eligible lists specified:

C-493, dated November 15—Police Surgeon and Medical Officer, Fire Department.

C-555, dated November 26—Police Surgeon and Medical Officer, Fire Department.

C-540, dated November 16—Arboriculturist.

C-561, dated November 26—Arboriculturist.

C-548, dated November 23—Inspector of Electrical Conductors.

C-541, dated November 25—Architectural Designer, grade E.

C-553, dated November 25—Resident Physician, grades 1 and 2.

C-526, dated November 25—Process Server.

C-537, dated November 26—Topographical Draftsman (\$1,200).

C-558, dated November 27—Oculist, second grade.

C-562, dated November 27—Automobile Engineman.

The reports were ordered filed.

Reports (2) (C-560 and C-566) were presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 21 and 27, relative to his investigation of the employment of the fifty-nine men in the office of the County Clerk, Queens County, candidates for non-competitive examination for permanent employment in that office, under chapter 540 of the Laws of 1912, stating that in his opinion the following named employees were eligible for such non-competitive examination:

Albert L. Boyd, Tickler Clerk, appointed April 1, 1901.

Harvey E. Brill, Typewriter Copyist, appointed January 1, 1901.

David L. Brinckerhoff, Custodian, appointed February, 1894.

James L. Cain, Comparer, appointed April 10, 1904.

Charles L. Eckhoff, Jr., Typewriter Copyist, appointed March, 1899.

John L. Fitzgibbon, Typewriter Copyist, appointed August, 1906.

John J. Hoey, Typewriter Copyist, appointed March, 1891.

George J. Hoffman, Chief Tickler Clerk, appointed May 1, 1907.

James T. Kearns, Searcher, appointed February, 1907.

Georgia Keon, Bookkeeper, appointed January 1, 1902.

William F. LeVeen, Typewriter Copyist, appointed February, 1909.

Albert E. Meyer, Typewriter Copyist, appointed June, 1904.

Henry M. Murray, Typewriter Copyist, appointed March, 1893.

Charles F. O'Donnell, Expert Clerk, appointed February 15, 1905.

William P. Robertson, Naturalization Clerk, appointed January, 1897.

John M. Robinson, Typewriter Copyist, appointed August, 1904.

Albert Ruebsamen, Naturalization Clerk, appointed September 27, 1906.

Edward Simon, Index Clerk, appointed August 25, 1904.

George W. Thorn, Typewriter Copyist, appointed August, 1892.

Edward T. Allen, Chief Recording Clerk, appointed January 1, 1910.

Emil Bennet, Copyist of Records, appointed January 1, 1910.

Ralph DiSimone, Chatter Mortgage Clerk, appointed March, 1910.

Albert Fleig, Jr., Mailing Clerk, appointed January, 1910.

Leonard A. Hanson, Comparer, appointed May 3, 1910.

Edward Held, Assistant Chief Recording Clerk, appointed February, 1910.

Harry F. Kramer, Marriage License Clerk, appointed January 1, 1910.

Charles F. Lang, Comparer, appointed January 1, 1910.

George Mager, Chief Index Clerk, appointed January 1, 1910.

Edwin A. McCarran, Comparer, appointed January, 1910.

Emmet A. Maher, Typewriter Copyist, appointed April, 1910.

Albert W. Palmer, Notarial Clerk, appointed January 1, 1910.

Gustave S. Scherer, Map Draftsman, appointed April 1, 1910.

—and that the following named candidates were ineligible for such examination for the reason that they had been appointed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens at a date subsequent to January 1, 1912:

William A. Carey, Stenographer, appointed May 1, 1912.

William J. Conroy, Copyist, appointed April 1, 1912.

George P. Geyer, Copyist, appointed August 1, 1912.

Charles F. Tierney, Copyist, appointed May 1, 1912.

Harry S. Rushmore, Satisfaction Clerk, appointed September 3, 1912.

James F. Heffernan, Copyist, appointed April 1, 1912.

The Examiner recommended further investigation of the following employed: William Cassidy, Docket Clerk; William W. Kenerson, Assistant Tickler Clerk; William F. Berger, Copyist; Frederick Bowley, Supervisor of Mutilated Records; William G. Buckley, Copyist; Matthew J. Dervin, Typewriter Copyist; Henry C. Freyer, Copyist; William Herdman, Assistant Index Clerk; Charles F. Lantry, Copyist; Charles Metzendorf, Assistant Marriage Clerk; Francis D. Onofrio, Copyist; Joseph W. Parisen, Copyist; Joseph M. Rompel, Typewriter Copyist; Frederick Schoeler, Docket Clerk; and also recommended that the following employees who had refused to file sworn applications for non-competitive examination as required, be informed that unless they filed such applications they would not be permitted to take the examination: Richard Ambrose, General Clerk; Edward Cox, Messenger; George Fleck, Custodian; John Hanson, Messenger; Michael Lyons, General Clerk; Albert Rausch, General Clerk; John Young, Map Clerk; George Zeisner, General Clerk. The report was approved. On motion, it was

Resolved, That, under the provisions of clause 6 of rule 12, Patrick H. Macklin be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts as Expert on Regulating and Paving and Sewer Cleaning for a period of one year from December 2, 1912, at a compensation of four dollars per day while employed; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed \$750.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated November 13, transmitting vouchers in payment of the following-named persons for services as Special Nurses in cases of a temporary and emergency nature: Alice Kunkle, \$3; Alice Kunkle, \$12; Ruth Hodges, \$15; Beulah Smith, \$12; Rhoda Robertson, \$3; Bessie McFarland, \$12. The vouchers were approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, dated November 21, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$12 in payment of Mary McPherson for services as Special Nurse. The voucher was approved under clause 8 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Curator of the College of The City of New York, dated November 21, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of the following-named persons on the dates specified:

Cleaners, Evening College, at \$1.50 per session.

Edward Endlich, November 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8.

Patrick Battle, November 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15.

The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, dated November 16, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$10 in payment of James J. Tully of 1888 Navarre ave., New York City, as Special Deaf Mute Interpreter, on October 25 and 29. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated November 22, requesting authority to appoint Frederick W. Singleton of 506 8th ave., Brooklyn, as Statistician, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position. The request was granted, subject to the conditions of clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated November 26, requesting authority to continue the temporary services of Harriet Singer, Stenographer and Typewriter, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, until November 30, 1912. It appearing that the total term of employment would not aggregate six months, the request was granted under clause 1 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated November 25, requesting that the change of name of the following-named Nurses in his department be noted on the records:

Miss Irene Forbes to Mrs. Irene Weighart.

Mary Agness to Mrs. Mary Byrne.

Miss Nellie M. Whaley to Mrs. Nellie M. Cronin.

The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated November 25, notifying the Commission of the change of name of a Nurse's Assistant, from Miss Anna L. Sheftman to Mrs. Anna L. Crupain. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication was presented from the Police Commissioner, dated November 25, stating that he had granted full pay to Patrolman John F. Hyland, from June 20 to November 7, 1912, and to Patrolman Frank J. Flanagan, from September 19 to October 24, 1912, during which time they were under suspension without pay. The payrolls in the amounts of \$490.66 and \$133.08, respectively, were approved.

A communication (undated) was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, requesting authority to employ Richard C. Patterson, 18 Gramercy Park, New York City, as Inspector of Public Works, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pending the establishment of an eligible list for that position. The appointment was approved subject to the conditions set forth in clauses 3 and 4 of rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 4, relative to the following-named employees of his department whose names had been deducted from the payrolls for the reason that the Commission had not been informed of their appointment: Charles Lutz, Sewer Cleaner; Rudolph Smutney, Laborer; Peter Brady, Laborer; Henry A. Rehm, Laborer; Calagaro Siraciano, Laborer; Michael Senatore, Laborer; James A. Quinn, Laborer; Joseph J. Fenaro, Laborer; James Donnelly, Laborer. It appeared that the declaration sheet of Charles Lutz had not been forwarded to the Commission until October 30, 1912, and that the Laborers mentioned had been reported to the Commission as having failed to respond to notice of appointment, while the fact was that they had, through misunderstanding, reported to the Superintendent of Highways for assignment to duty instead of to the Appointment Clerk, which had resulted in the erroneous notice to the Commission. After consideration of the matter, the appointments of the said persons were approved and the Secretary was instructed to certify their payrolls.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 25, requesting authority to re-employ Waldo Messaros as Temporary Inspector of Public Works, to which position he had been appointed from the eligible list of Inspector of Masonry, and from which he had resigned on July 20, 1912. The re-employment of the said person as Inspector of Public Works pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position was approved, his examination for the position of Inspector of Masonry having been accepted by the Commission in lieu of the non-competitive examination required to qualify him for provisional appointment to the position of Inspector of Public Works.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of The Bronx, dated November 22, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$158.20, in payment of Paul C. Hunter, Architect, of 191 9th Ave., New York City, for services on contracts for the wiring and re-wiring of the Municipal Building, in the Borough of The Bronx, for the period from December 12, 1910, to November 16, 1912. The voucher was approved under clause 6 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 15, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$25 in payment of Edgar A. Josselyn for services as Surveyor during the month of October, 1912. The voucher was approved under clause 8 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department, dated November 25, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of Edwin C. Alden, of 500 W. 143d St., New York City, as Registrar, with salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated November 27, requesting authority to continue for a period of two months the temporary employment of the following-named persons who were appointed from the eligible list of Stenographer and Typewriter, on July 18 and 30, respectively, for a period of four months at the rate of \$900 per annum each: Margaret M. Gibbons, 273 Carroll St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Jennie L. O'Toole, 702 E. 175th St., New York City. The request was granted under clause 1 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 22, transmitting voucher in the amount of \$36, in payment of Miss Anna M. Cassidy, for services as Stenographer and Typewriter, from October 22 to November 4, 1912. The voucher was approved under clause 4 of Rule 12.

A communication was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 25, stating that on November 7 Timothy J. Hartnett, Foreman of Laborers, had been reassigned to duty at the expiration of a six weeks' leave of absence. The reassignment was approved.

The following certifications were approved, the names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules having been ordered certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, temporary nature of employment, etc.:

Six names from the appropriate eligible list of Clerk, Card Indexer, Second and Third Grades, in response to a requisition from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, dated November 19, for additional names, from which to make one appointment to the position of Clerk, First Grade, at \$540 per annum.

The three names remaining on the preferred list of Temporary Clerk, and the entire eligible list of Second Grade Clerk, in response to a requisition dated November 20, from the President of the Board of Elections for an eligible list from which to appoint two hundred Temporary Clerks, with salary at the rate of \$3 per diem.

Fifteen names, in response to a requisition dated November 18, from the Law Department, for an eligible list from which to appoint one First Grade Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn at \$300 per annum.

Ten names, in response to a requisition dated November 26 from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, office of the Mayor, for additional names from which to appoint one Clerk at \$600 per annum.

Fifty names, in response to a requisition dated November 25, from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, for an eligible list from which to appoint one First Grade Clerk at \$300 per annum for a period of one month.

Fifteen names from the appropriate eligible list of Bookkeeper, Third Grade, in response to a requisition dated November 26, from the President of the Borough of Richmond, for an eligible list from which to appoint one Clerk with knowledge of Bookkeeping, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Fifteen names, in response to a requisition from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 26, for an eligible list from which to appoint one Bookkeeper, to be assigned to duty at the Storehouse, Blackwells Island, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Twenty names in response to a requisition from the Commissioner of the Tenement House Department, dated November 22, for an eligible list from which to appoint four Second Grade Clerks, at \$600 per annum each.

Four names, in response to a requisition dated November 20, from the Board of Water Supply, for an eligible list from which to appoint one Automobile Engineman, at \$1,300 per annum for assignment outside of New York City.

Twelve names, in response to a requisition dated November 27, from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for an eligible list from which to make one appointment to the position of Inspector of Light and Power, for a period of about three months, with salary at the rate of \$1,350 per annum.

Ten names, in response to a requisition dated November 22, from the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for an eligible list from which to make one appointment to the position of Clerk, Second Grade, at \$600 per annum, in the Electrical Bureau, Borough of Queens.

The Secretary was instructed to recertify the names of William L. Faulk and Norman C. Newman, from the eligible list of Accountant, Fourth Grade, for further temporary employment in the Department of Finance, to December 31, 1912, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 and \$2,100 per annum, respectively, in accordance with the request of the Comptroller under date of November 20.

The Secretary was instructed to certify the appropriate promotion eligible list of Clerk, Third Grade, General Administration, in response to a requisition from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 25, for a promotion

list from which to make one promotion to the position of Clerk, Third Grade, at \$1,200 per annum, at the Storehouse, Blackwell's Island.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for Positions in the Non-Competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Department of Education (Nautical School), November 15; Department of Public Charities, November 18.

The following requests for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted:

John J. Burke, 469 Prospect place, Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, second grade. Transmitted doctor's certificate showing that his resignation from the Department of Finance (temporary appointment) had been due to illness (May 15, 1912).

Morris Izkowitz, 745 E. 6th st., New York City, Clerk, second grade, for temporary work. Stated that he did not decline temporary appointment in the Department of Finance, as recorded, but had stated that he could not accept the same for a few days.

William W. Pechette, 13 Grove st., Elmhurst, L. I., Clerk, first grade. Stated that he did not receive notice from the Department of Finance, for failure to reply to which his name had been removed from the list (September 11, 1911).

Edward Biele, 3397 Fort Independence st., New York City, Clerk, second grade, for temporary work. Stated that his reason for declining temporary appointment in the Department of Finance was because he was ill and did not think that he could satisfactorily perform the duties of the position at the time.

George C. Cassard, 1405 Elmwood ave., Evanston, Ill. (temporary address), Inspector of Light and Power. Certification ordered withheld on candidate's request at the Commission's meeting of July 17, 1912.

The declination of appointment in the Permanent Census Board of Cornelius W. Vincent, of 234 Putnam ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., from the eligible list of Clerk, second grade, on November 20, was approved, it appearing from a communication from his sister that he was ill with typhoid fever.

The declination of appointment of Axel L. Wilson, of 554 Linwood st., Brooklyn, to the position of Fireman in the Fire Department, was approved, and his request that certification of his name be withheld until March 1, 1913, was granted, on his statement that his employers were in urgent need of his services.

A communication was presented from Edward T. Little, of 115 W. 115th st., New York City, dated November 18, declining appointment to the position of Accountant, fifth grade, at any salary less than \$3,000 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to record the fact on the eligible list.

The Secretary was instructed to record as permanent the declination of appointment of Jane C. Roth, of 218 Westervelt ave., New Brighton, Staten Island, to the position of School Farm Attendant, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in view of her many declinations of appointment to that position, and the reason advanced by her for said declination not having been satisfactory to the Commission.

A communication was presented from Edward J. Condon, of 555 W. 40th st., New York City, requesting that his name be restored to eligibility for certification to the Municipal Court from the list of Court Attendant. The request was denied.

The request of Michael N. Robbins, of 56 W. 112th st., New York City, that his name be restored to eligibility for appointment in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx from the preferred list of Medical Inspector was denied.

A communication was presented from Louis Schoen, of 296 S. 1st st., Brooklyn, N. Y., dated November 20, stating his reason for declining appointment to the position of School Farm Attendant in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and requesting that certification of his name be withheld indefinitely. The request was denied, and the Secretary was instructed to record the said person on the eligible list as having declined appointment.

The Secretary was instructed to restore the name of William E. Hansberry, of 96 Amity st., Brooklyn, N. Y., to the eligible list of Clerk, second grade, for temporary appointment, after consideration of a communication from the Receiver of Taxes, Department of Finance, dated November 25, to the effect that the notice sent the Commission that Mr. Hansberry had resigned from a temporary position in his Department was incorrect.

The requests of the following named persons for permission to amend their statements as to date of birth, where in error in their examination papers, to conform to the proof submitted, were granted:

Edward E. Gompers, 99 Harrison ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., Patrolman.

Annette T. Murphy, 13 Poplar st., Brooklyn, N. Y., Typewriting Copyist.

The applications of the following named persons for the position of Fireman were accepted, the proof submitted as to date of birth in each case having been satisfactory to the Commission:

Thomas Dooney, 201 W. 77th st., New York City.

Raymond Marshall, 56 Woodvale ave., Borough of Richmond.

Charles Donovan, 258 W. 154th st., New York City.

Russell S. Stinson, 1835 East New York ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Charles J. McGann, 116 E. 123d st., New York City.

Eugene A. Poillon, 4579 Amboy road, Borough of Richmond.

William Janson, 72 George st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Milton Wyckoff, Harway and 26th aves., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Clarence H. Higbie, 492 South st., Jamaica, L. I.

The application of William Mahon, of 305 E. 40th st., New York City, for the position of Fireman was accepted, his explanation as to the discrepancy in the spelling of his name as appearing in his birth certificate having been satisfactory to the Commission.

A communication was presented from Edward D. Slevin, of 72 Bank st., New York City, dated November 26, requesting that his name be removed from the Disqualified List, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Fireman in the Fire Department on February 11, 1910. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission on Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

A communication was presented from Thomas Keenan, of 526 East 159th street, New York City, dated November 11, requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Patrolman in the Police Department on April 1, 1910. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission on Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

A communication was presented from Joseph P. Ward, Jr., of 167 E. 56th st., New York City, dated November 7, 1912, requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list, upon which it had been placed by reason of his dismissal from the position of Patrolman in the Police Department on November 8, 1910. The Secretary was instructed to summon the said person before the Commission on Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The application of Henry Norton, of 135 W. 67th st., New York City, for the position of Fireman, was rejected, the proof of date of birth submitted by him not having been satisfactory to the Commission.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York,

Held Saturday, November 30, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Present—President James Creelman and Commissioner Richard Welling. The President presided.

Dr. Robert Kahn, of 51 W. 113th st., Manhattan, appeared before the Commission, as directed, and made a statement under oath in support of his statements as to experience in the examination for promotion to the position of Deputy Medical Superintendent of Hospitals in the Department of Public Charities.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York,

Held Tuesday, December 3, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Present—President James Creelman and Commissioner Alexander Keogh. The President presided.

Mr. Francis H. Kiernan, Engineer of Steamer in the Fire Department, appeared before the Commission, as directed, and further testified, under oath, relative to certain allegations concerning the eligible list for promotion to the position of Lieutenant (formerly Assistant Foreman), Fire Department.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Department of Public Charities.

Synopsis of Proceedings for the Week Ending January 11, 1913.

Communications were received from heads of institutions reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received of good quality and up to standard.

Propositions Accepted—T. Mullin, 362 Degraw st., Brooklyn, repairs to roofs of Cumberland Street Hospital plant, also gutters, valleys, skylights, etc., \$517.50; P. J. O'Rourke Electrical Engineering Company, 41-43 Broadway, Brooklyn, wire and install electrical work at 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn, \$979.60; William Kennedy Construction Company, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn, changes in toilet layout in Ward F, Randalls Island, \$358; Herbert J. Wilks Company, 177 Front st., Brooklyn, changes in plumbing layout Ward F, Randalls Island (extra on contract), \$640; George Schlitz, Inc., 714 Metropolitan ave., Brooklyn, transportation and burial of pauper or unknown dead in Borough of Queens, per body, \$4.

Changes during the week:

Appointed—January 1, Josephine Bas-
tian, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; January 2, Mederise Blanchet, Trained Nurse, B. D. A. Man-
hattan, \$900; January 6, Charles Boland, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 1, Eugene Brady, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360; Rose C. Brady, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$240; January 7, John Canning, Stoker (temporary emergency), Randalls Island, \$3 per day; January 1, Margaret E. Clark, Hospital Helper, B. D. A. Manhattan, \$480; December 26, John Cleary (re), Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$240; January 8, Patrick Cloughessy, Stoker (temporary emergency), Randalls Island, \$3 per day; January 1, Edward Collier, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; John Connell, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$480; Katherine Cooper, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; Nellie Cotter, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 4, James Coyle, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; December 21, William Crosssey, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240; January 6, Fred. Dedick, Superin-
tendent of Rendering Plant (temporary), City Home, Blackwells Island, \$900; December 23, Gertrude Deesle, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island, \$240; January 1, Etta Demko, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360; Patrick Dooley, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 3, James H. Dowling, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192; January 1, Anna M. Driscoll, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360; Elsie Drynan, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; January 2, James J. Duffy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 3, Annie Dwyer, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; Hugh Dyer, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 1, Catherine Flan-
nery, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360; January 3, James Flynn, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 6, William H. Foley, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 1, Mary Fox, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; Susan Gleason, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 6, Dorothy Hagen, Stenographer and Typewriter, Kings County Hospital, \$600; January 1, Mary Hamilton, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; John J. Herrick, Chief Engineer, Central Office, Manhattan, \$4,500; January 9, Max Hoffmann, Hospital Helper, Municipal Lodging House, \$300; January 1, Signe M. Hus-
borg, Trained Nurse, Coney Island Hos-
pital, \$600; Katherine I. James, Trained Nurse, Kings County Hospital, \$600; Rachel Johnson, Trained Nurse, B. D. A. Manhattan, \$900; January 4, Thomas Kane, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 4, Estelle Kornegay, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; January 1, Nellie Marshall, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$240; January 9, Susan Mason, Trained Nurse, City Home, Black-
wells Island, \$600; January 1, George A. Mitchell, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$240; January 1, John Molloy, Stoker (temporary emergency), Metropolitan Hospital, \$3 per day; January 2, Michael Morrissey, Janitor, Children's Bureau, Manhattan, \$600; January 1, Margaret Mulvey, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$240; Patrick Murphy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 7, George Myers, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony, \$300; January 6, Susie McCloskey, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; December 8, Daniel McDonough,

Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$240; January 1, Eliza McKiernan, Tailor, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$600; Minnie McNamara, Hospital Helper, City Training School, \$480; Emily J. McNulty, Housekeeper, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$600; Theresa O'Brien, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$480; Hugh O'Doherty, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; Marion Ornes, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$360; Joseph Reilly, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$180; Marie C. Robinson, Hospital Helper, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$192; Joseph Scalzo, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$300; Michael J. Shea, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$300; January 2, Louise Snyder, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360; January 3, Mabel C. Souther, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; January 1, Joseph Stone, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180; January 7, John Waldron, Stoker (temporary emergency), Randalls Island, \$3 per day; January 1, Phoebe Wheeler, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600; Ola Womble (re), Trained Nurse, Kings County Hospital, \$600; Mollie Workman, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600.

Resigned—December 31, Beatrice F. Bliss, Trained Nurse, Kings County Hos-
pital; January 2, Jane A. Boland, Trained Nurse, City Home, Blackwells Island; Jack Burrell, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital; January 1, Annie Carr, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; January 2, Charles H. Corke, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital; January 1, Alice Cusack, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, Katherine Farrell, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island; Julia I. Goodine, Trained Nurse, City Home, Blackwells Island; January 1, William Hanson, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training Hospital; December 31, George Hickey, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; Edward Huck-
step, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hos-
pital; December 22, Edward Kelly, Hos-
pital Helper, Randalls Island; December 31, Patrick Madigan, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; January 1, Margaret Morris, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; Delia Murphy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, John Murphy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Hospital; January 3, Mary McMahon, Cook, Kings County Hos-
pital; December 31, Maud O'Sullivan, Trained Nurse, Kings County Hospital; January 2, Harold Perry, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital; December 31, Fred Renschek, Hospital Helper, City Hospital; January 3, John Rogers, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; January 1, William Tone, Stoker, Metropolitan Hospital; January 6, August Von Holten, Hospital Helper, Municipal Lodging House; December 31, Ola Womble, Trained Nurse, Kings County Hospital; January 1, Alice Young, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School.

Dropped—January 5, James Brock, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; January 3, Mrs. Delia Bryant, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony; January 6, Nan Calkins, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School; January 2, Walter Darcy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; January 3, Etta Demko, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, Thomas Dooley, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 26, Edward Dowd, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital; January 6, James H. Dowling, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; January 4, Anna M. Driscoll, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, Joseph E. Dunne, Hos-
pital Helper, Kings County Hospital; January 3, Cicero Foster, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; Charles Gartlan, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; December 19, Michael Golden, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; January 6, Bridget Higgins, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, Mary Kellert, Waitress, City Training School; Raymond E. Kent, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital; January 4, Anton Meyer, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony; January 3, Ethel McCormack, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School; January 1, Annie Newman, Hos-
pital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; Eugene S. Newton, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island; December 20, John O'Neil, Hospital Helper, Randalls Island; December 31, Pierre Parsells, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital; January 6, Louisa Plunket, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School; January 1, William Roberts, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; Thomas Sheridan, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; William Smallwood, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School; December 31, Joseph H. Stoltzenberg, Hospital Helper (transferred, temporary emergency, Assistant Supervisor), Metropolitan Hospital; January 1, James Sullivan, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Train-

ing School; December 7, Thomas Wood, Hospital Helper, City Hospital.

Title Changed—January 1, Roger M. Atkinson, Superintendent Nurse (was Superintendent Nurse, temporary emergency, now permanent). City Training School, \$750 to \$840; Margaret Beatty, Waitress, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$180 to Hospital Helper; Emma Boehm, Waitress, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$192 to Hospital Helper; Nellie Bowen, Cook, Metropolitan Training School, \$480 to Hospital Helper; Samuel B. Brooks, Hospital Helper (to Broommaker Instructor), City Home, Blackwells Island, \$600; Mary C. Brown, Seamstress, Cumberland Street Hospital, \$180 to Hospital Helper; City Helper; Nellie Buckley, Waitress, City Hospital, \$240 to Hospital Helper; Mamie F. Clark, Laundress, Coney Island Hos-
pital, \$240 to Hospital Helper; Patrick Collins, Watchman, Farm Colony, \$500 to \$480 to Hospital Helper; John M. Connolly, Watchman, Farm Colony, \$500 to \$480; Delia Curran, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$250 to \$240; William Delmore, Hospital Helper, Coney Island Hospital, \$240 to \$180; Mary Doyle, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$192 to \$180; Mary Edwards, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$180; Lottie Fisher, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$204 to \$180; Helen A. Hannigan, Super-
vising Nurse, City Training School, \$750 to \$20; Annie Harris, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$204 to \$180; Margaret M. Henry, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$204 to \$180; Marcus Hermann, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$480 to \$300; Mary Kelly, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$204 to \$180; Catherine Kenny, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$180; Ette Moore, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$180; Elmer E. Mount, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$300 to \$180; John McGroarty, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$600 to \$240; John Oras, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$500 to \$480; Margaret Sheehy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$180; Margaret Sullivan, Hospital Helper, City Home, \$204 to \$180; George Williams, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, \$240 to \$180.

Promoted—January 1, Roger M. Atkinson, Superintending Nurse, City Training School, \$750 to \$840; January 8, Delia Banahan, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$360 to \$420; January 1, Fred. Bayer, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$240; January 6, Charles Boland, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Michael Brady, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$150 to \$180; Julia C. Clerk, Hospital Helper, B. D. A. Manhattan, \$480 to \$600; Marion Coyle, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$144 to \$180; William Dickson, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$120 to \$180; Augusta Doherty, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$144 to \$180; Mary Dunn, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$450 to \$480; January 8, Mary Edwards, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Eleanor Erickson, Trained Nurse, B. D. A. Manhattan, \$600 to \$900; January 3, Edward Grant, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Robert Gross, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$240; Morris Haring, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony, \$240 to \$360; Charles Haut, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$300 to \$360; Mary A. Hautville, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$420 to \$480; Kate Keane, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$180 to \$240; January 8, Catherine Kenny, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Paul Kretschmann, Assistant Pharmacist, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$480 to \$720; Bernard Laughlin, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$240; Jessie S. MacLaron, Superintending Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$750 to \$850; Etta Marshall, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$144 to \$180; Nellie E. Martin, Superintending Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$600 to \$720; January 8, Ette Moore, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Mary McDonald, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$180 to \$240; Patrick McGreevy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$192 to \$240; Annie McManus, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$300 to \$360; Lillie M. Newton, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$420 to \$480; Nellie Palmer, Laundress, City Hospital, \$420 to \$600; Hugh Reilly, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; John Rhodes, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$144 to \$180; George Roe, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$216 to \$240; January 8, Margaret Shoohy, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$180 to \$240; January 1, Michael Tate, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, \$216 to \$240; Edna Woolston, Pupil Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, \$144 to \$180.

Transferred—January 1, Howard L. Bain, Purchasing Agent (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Manhattan, \$1,800; Samuel Bernstein, Clerk (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Manhattan, \$1,500; Ella G. Ennis, Dietitian (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Manhattan, \$1,200; Thomas E. Gorye, Inspector of Foods (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Manhattan, \$1,200; Max Lippman, Inspector of Foods (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Man-

hattan, \$1,200; Delia McTernain, Hospital Helper (to Neurological Hospital), City Home, Blackwells Island, \$420; Thomas J. Shaughnessy, Hospital Helper (to Code 924 and title changed to Foreman of Laborers), City Home, Blackwells Island, \$600; December 1, Lucca K. Wagner, Trained Nurse (from Special Revenue Bond P. R. of Metropolitan Hospital to regular pay-roll of Metropolitan Training School), Metropolitan Hospital, \$600; January 1, Edward J. White, Inspector of Foods (to Appropriation No. 897), Central Office, Manhattan, \$1,200; January 1, Paul Kretschmann, Hospital Helper to Assistant Pharmacist, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$480 to \$720.

Leave Granted—December 12, Anastasia Curran, Trained Nurse (2 days without pay), Kings County Hospital, \$600.

Corrected—January 1, Mary Brunner, Hospital Helper, Farm Colony, \$600 to \$360; January 9, reduction cancelled; May 12, George Marynoka, Hospital Helper (should be Cook), City Training School, \$360; May 22, Helen McGowan, Hospital Helper (should be Cook), Coney Island Hospital, \$240 to \$360; January 1, Mary McLaughlin, Hospital Helper, City Home, Blackwells Island, \$420 to \$300; January 9, reduction cancelled.

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings.

Report of operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending January 11, 1913:

Plans filed for new buildings, 18; estimated cost, \$448,650. Plans filed for alterations, 19; estimated cost, \$16,635. Unsafe cases filed, 11; violation cases filed, 77; unsafe notices issued, 5; violation notices issued, 94; unsafe cases forwarded for prosecution, 1; complaints lodged with the Bureau, 17; number of pieces of iron and steel inspected, 431.

JAMES A. HENDERSON, Superintendent of Buildings.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Abstract of a duly advertised meeting of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, held Thursday, December 19, 1912, at 2:40 p. m.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names: Lewis H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, presiding; Aldermen Bosse and Morrison.

On motion of Alderman Morrison the minutes of meeting held November 14, 1912, were approved.

The Secretary presented resolutions initiating the following improvements:

No. 1378. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on the westerly side of Kingston ave., from President st. to a point 105 feet northerly, which was amended to read as follows:

"To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on the westerly side of Kingston ave., from President st. to a point 105 feet northerly," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 166 B. R. To regulate, grade, to the present legal grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on Bay 35th st., between 86th st. and Cropsey ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1696. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Bay 35th st., from 86th st. to Cropsey ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on Bay 35th st., from 86th st. to Cropsey ave.," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1685. That cement sidewalks be laid on both sides of 18th ave., from 47th st. to 49th st., at the expense of the owner or owners of lots in front of which the sidewalks are to be laid. Estimated cost, \$800. Assessed valuation, \$133,800, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1698. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on Avenue U, from Gravesend ave. to Coney Island ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1698. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Avenue U, from Gravesend ave. to Coney Island ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on Avenue U, from Gravesend ave. to Coney Island ave.," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1692. To lay cement sidewalks where necessary and to lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on the roadway of E. 22d st., from Foster ave. to Newkirk ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay cement sidewalks where necessary and to lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on the roadway of E. 22d st., from Foster ave. to Newkirk ave.," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1693. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on E. 12th st., from Avenue U to Gravesend Neck Road, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1693. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that the roadway of E. 12th st., from Avenue U to Gravesend Neck Road, be centrally located and fixed at 30 feet wide, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1112. To amend resolution of June 27, 1912, initiating proceedings to lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on E. 17th st., from Avenue I to Avenue K, by including therein the setting of cement curb, where necessary, so as to make the amended resolution read as follows: "To set cement curb where necessary and lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on E. 17th st., from Avenue I to Avenue K, which was amended to read as follows:

"To set cement curb where necessary and lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on E. 17th st., from Avenue I to Avenue K." On motion of Alderman Bosse the resolution was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1730. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on E. 31st st., from Beverly road to Canarsie lane, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1713. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on Bay ave., from Elm ave. to Kings Highway.

No. 1707. To construct a sewer in E. 5th st., from Avenue F to 18th ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1697. To construct a sewer in E. 18th st., between Avenue L and the end of the existing sewer, between Avenues K and L, and an outlet sewer in Avenue L, between E. 18th st. and E. 19th st., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1704. To open Bay 37th st. from 86th st. to Cropsey ave., excepting the right-of-way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad Company, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1706. To open Bay 38th st. from Benson ave. to 86th st., excepting the right-of-way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, which was withdrawn from calendar for the purpose of correction. The resolution should have read to open Bay 38th st., from Benson ave. to Harway ave.

No. 1702. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on Tehama st., from 36th st. to West st., and on Albemarle road, from West st. to Gravesend ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1702. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Tehama st., from 36th st. to West st., and on Albemarle road, from West st. to Gravesend ave., which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1659. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an alteration in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades in the street system heretofore laid out within the territory bounded by Avenue N, Ocean Parkway, Avenue O and Gravesend ave., and by changing the grades in E. 2d st. from Avenue M to Avenue N and from Cortelyou road to Ditmas ave.

On motion of Alderman Bosse the resolution was unanimously adopted.

No. 1655. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that malls be centrally located on Avenue O from Ocean Parkway to E. 15th st.

On motion of Commissioner Pounds the resolution was laid over.

No. 1655. To set cement curb and lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Avenue O, from Ocean Parkway to E. 15th st., which was laid over.

No. 1652. That the lots lying on the north side of Emmons ave., between E. 15th st. and the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Railroad, be enclosed with a board fence six feet high, at the expense of the owner or owners of said lots, which was laid over.

No. 1705. To regulate, grade, set cement curb, lay cement sidewalks and lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement where not already paved on Bay 20th st. from Cropsey ave. to 86th st., which was amended to read as follows:

"To regulate, grade, set cement curb, lay cement sidewalks and lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation where not already paved on Bay 20th st. from Cropsey ave. to 86th st., which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1717. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on 73d st., from the end of the present macadam pavement about 176 feet east of 17th ave. to 18th ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement

on a 4-inch concrete foundation on 73d st., from the end of the present macadam pavement about 176 feet east of 17th ave. to 18th ave.," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1712. To regulate, grade, set cement curb and lay cement sidewalks on Lenox road, from Albany ave. to E. 45th st., and from Schenectady ave. to Utica ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1718. To construct a sewer in 60th st., between 18th and 19th aves., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1670. To open E. 25th st. from Farragut road to a point about 460 feet north of Avenue K, excluding the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 565. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an alteration in the map or plan of The City of New York by narrowing Newkirk ave., between Ocean Parkway and 1st st., from 60 feet to 50 feet, so as to agree with the old road as here in use, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 565. To amend resolution of July 20, 1910, initiating proceedings to open Lawrence ave., from 47th st. to Gravesend ave., and Newkirk ave. from Ocean Parkway to Gravesend ave., by providing for the opening of Newkirk ave. 50 feet wide, between Ocean Parkway and 1st st., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1708. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt on pavement on Newkirk ave., from Ocean Parkway to 1st st., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on Newkirk ave., from Ocean Parkway to 1st st.," which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1733. To regulate and grade Foster ave., from Flatbush ave. to Nostrand ave., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1669. To reconsider resolution of October 9, 1912, initiating proceedings to grade to a point 5 feet above the curb the lots within the block bounded by Union and President sts., and Rogers and Nostrand aves., known as No. 1275, with the exception of Lots 40 and 43.

No action was taken.

No. 1737. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that the roadway width of Troy ave., from Flatbush ave. to Flatlands ave., be fixed at 36 feet, which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1735. Recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that the roadway width of Avenue P, from Kings Highway to Nostrand ave. be fixed at 36 feet, which was laid over.

No. 1746. To open Duryea pl. from Flatbush ave. to E. 22d st., which was unanimously adopted.

No. 1719. To regulate, grade, set cement curb, lay cement sidewalks and lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Avenue J, from E. 40th st. to Brooklyn ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To regulate, grade, set cement curb, lay cement sidewalks and lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on Avenue J, from E. 40th st. to Brooklyn ave., which was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1744. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on 75th st., from 15th ave. to New Utrecht ave., which on motion of Alderman Bosse was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on 75th st., from New Utrecht ave. to 15th ave." On motion of Alderman Bosse, the resolution was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1745. To construct sewer basins on Coney Island ave., east side, about 380 feet south of Avenue J; east side about 140 feet north of Avenue M; east side, about 90 feet south of Avenue M and at the northeast and southeast corners of Avenue N, at the expense of the owner or owners of the lots fronting on the portions of the streets draining into said basins. Estimated cost, \$800. Assessed valuation, \$154,955, which, on motion of Alderman Bosse, was unanimously adopted.

No. 1252. To open Cropsey ave. from the intersection of Harway ave. to Stillwell ave., excepting the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and Coney Island Railroad, and the Public pl., bounded by Cropsey ave., Harway ave. and Bay 38th st., which, on motion of Alderman Bosse, was unanimously adopted.

No. 174. To construct sewers in Canarsie lane from Flatbush ave. to E. 26th st., from Rogers ave. to E. 28th st. and from E. 29th st. to Nostrand ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To construct sewers in Canarsie lane from Bedford ave. to E. 26th st., from Rogers ave. to E. 28th st. and from E. 29th st. to Nostrand ave.," which, on motion of Alderman Morrison, was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1674. To construct a sewer in Canarsie lane to Claremont road, which, on motion of Alderman Morrison, was unanimously adopted.

No. 125. To construct a sewer in Canarsie lane from Flatbush ave. to E. 26th st., from Rogers ave. to E. 28th st. and from E. 29th st. to Nostrand ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To construct sewers in Canarsie lane from Bedford ave. to E. 26th st., from Rogers ave. to E. 28th st. and from E. 29th st. to Nostrand ave.," which, on motion of Alderman Morrison, was unanimously adopted as amended.

No. 1674. To construct a sewer in Canarsie lane from Rogers ave. to E. 26th st. and an outlet sewer in E. 26th st. from Canarsie lane to Claremont road, which,

on motion of Alderman Morrison was unanimously adopted.

No. 1492. To lay a preliminary or permanent asphalt pavement on Maple st., from Nostrand ave. to New York ave., which was amended to read as follows:

"To lay a preliminary asphalt pavement on a 4-inch concrete foundation on Maple st., from Nostrand ave. to Canarsie ave.," which was unanimously adopted as amended. Meeting adjourned.

REUBEN L. HASKELL, Borough Secretary.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Bureau of Buildings. January 13, 1913—Change in this Bureau: Samuel H. Wilkinson, Clerk, \$1,200 per annum, deceased, January 17, 1913.

January 18, 1913—Changes in this Bureau: Joseph J. Gurrin, 307 E. 23d st., City, appointed Clerk at an annual salary of \$300, to take effect January 20, 1913; Daniel F. Bailey, 360 Ave. B, City, appointed Clerk at an annual salary of \$300, to take effect January 20, 1913; Abner Cohen, 244 Monroe st., City, appointed Clerk at an annual salary of \$300, to take effect January 20, 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

January 18, 1913—The Commissioner has ordered the transfer of Charles E. Curtis from position of Messenger in the office of the Manhattan Borough President to a similar position in this Department, such transfer to take effect January 20, 1913; salary, \$1,200 per annum.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held, together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE. No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt. William J. Gaynor, Mayor. Robert Adamson, Secretary. James Matthews, Executive Secretary. John J. Gleann, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. John L. Walsh, Commissioner. Telephone, 4334 Cortlandt.

BUREAU OF LICENSES. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 4109 Cortlandt. James G. Wallace, Jr., Chief of Bureau. Principal Office, 57-59 Centre street.

ARMORY BOARD.

Mayor, William J. Gaynor; the Comptroller, William A. Prendergast; the President of the Board of Aldermen, John Purroy Mitchel; Chief of Coast Artillery, Elmore F. Austin; Brigadier-General John G. Eddy, Commodore R. P. Forshaw, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Lawson Purdy.

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Telephone, 4315 Worth.

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No. 44 East Twenty-third street. Telephone, 961 Gramercy. John P. O'Brien, Assistant in charge.

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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, 4120 Hunters Point.

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Borough of Brooklyn—Office, 236 Duffield street, near Fulton street. Telephones, 4004 Main and 4005 Main.

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Borough of Queens—Office, Town Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10:30 a.m.
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Clerk's Office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 m.
During July and August, Clerk's Office will close at 2 p.m.
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
Court House, Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., except that on Friday, court opens at 10 o'clock a.m. Almet F. Jenkins, Presiding Justice; Michael H. Hirschberg, Joseph A. Burr, Edward B. Thomas, William J. Carr, John Woodward, Adelbert P. Rich, Justices; John B. Byrne, Clerk; Clarence A. Barrow, Deputy Clerk. Motion days, first and third Mondays of each Term.
Clerk's office opens 9 a.m.
Telephone, 1392 Main.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.

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Court Room, 503 Fulton street, Brooklyn, Court meets 10 a.m. December Term begins December 2, 1912. Justices Samuel T. Maddox, Abel E. Blackmar, Harrington Putnam, Joseph H. DeBraga, Clerk; Owen J. Macaulay, Deputy Clerk. Clerk's Office opens 9 a.m.
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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
KINGS COUNTY.
Kings County Court House, Joralemon and Fulton streets, Borough of Brooklyn.
Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m. Seven jury trial-parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. Special Term (ex parte business).
Naturalization Bureau, Room 7, Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N.Y.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.
Telephone, 5460 Main.

QUEENS COUNTY.
County Court House, Long Island City.
Court opens at 10 a.m. Trial and Special Term, for Motions and ex parte business each month except July, August and September, in Part 1.
Trial Term, Part 2, January, February, March, April, May and December.
Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and November.
Naturalization, first Friday in each Term.
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.
John D. Peace, Part 1 and Calendar Clerk.
James Ingram, Part 2, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Telephone, 3894 Hunters Point.

RICHMOND COUNTY.
Terms of Court in Year 1912.
Second Monday of January, first Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of June, first Monday of November. Trial Terms to be held at County Court House at Richmond.
Second Monday of February, second Monday of June, second Monday of November. Special Terms for Trials to be held at Court Room, Borough Hall, St. George.
First and third Saturdays of January, second and fourth Saturdays of March, first and third Saturdays of April, second and fourth Saturdays of May, first and third Saturdays of October, first and third Saturdays of December. Special Terms for Motions to be held at Court Room, Borough Hall, St. George.
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.
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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10:30 a.m.
Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalsky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulken, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p.m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finelite, John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. LaFetra, Richard H. Smith, Robert L. Luce, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Isaac Franklin Russell, Chief Justice; Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, Joseph P. Moss, Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Morgan M. L. Ryan, James J. McInerney, Arthur C. Salmon, Henry Steinert and Cornelius F. Collins, Justices. Frank W. Smith, Clerk.
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 a.m.
Part I., Criminal Court Building, Borough of Manhattan, John P. Hilly, Clerk. Telephone, 2022 Franklin.

Part II., 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III., Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 657 Jamaica.

Part IV., Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond. This part is held on Wednesdays. Robert Brown, Clerk. Telephone, 49 Tompkins-ville.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
New York County—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.
Kings County—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk. Telephone, 627 Main.
Queens County—No. 19 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk. This court is held on Mondays and Thursdays.
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Bldg. St. George, S. I. William J. Browne, Clerk. This court is held on Tuesdays. Office open every day (except Sundays and holidays) from 9 a.m. to 12 m. On Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 m.

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Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry street. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—Second avenue and First street.

Fourth District—

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth and Eighth Districts—One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue.

Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.

Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—No. 125 Sixth avenue.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.

Eleventh District—Domestic Relations Court—Southwest corner Prince and Wooster streets.

SECOND DIVISION.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.*

Otto Kempner, Chief City Magistrate; Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geisman, John F. Hyland, Howard P. Nash, Moses J. Harris, Charles J. Dodd, John C. McGuire, Louis H. Reynolds, City Magistrates.

Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court street

Rooms 209-214. Telephone, 7411 Main.

William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

Archibald J. McKinney, Chief Probation Officer, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Courts.

First District—No 318 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.

Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.

Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flatbush).

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

Domestic Relations Court—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

City Magistrates—Joseph Pritch, John A. Leach, Harry Miller, James J. Conway.

Courts.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.

Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

Courts.

First District—Lafayette avenue, New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First District—The First District, embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street. Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.

Wauhoo Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.

Frank Mangin, Deputy Clerk.

Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-60 Lafayette 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. July and August from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Additional Part is held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street.

Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, 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. Dineen, 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 avenues, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.

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 center line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and 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 borough; 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. 207 East Thirty-second street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Telephone, 4358 Madison square.

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 borough.

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

John H. Servis, Clerk.

Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broad 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 Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and east of the centre line of Broad and Ninety-sixth street to 4 p.m. from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 m.

Court opens at 9 a.m. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

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

Second District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue.

Court House, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue (No. 5220 Third avenue).

Cornelius Ferguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 3907 Sunset.

Third District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Lucien S. Bayliss and Stephen Callaghan, Justices. William R. Fagan, Clerk.

Court House, No. 238 Duane street.

Telephone, 6166-J Main.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.

Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

Court House, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).

Clerk's Office open from 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8:45 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Telephones, 904 and 905 East New York.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesday, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

JOHN KORB, JR., Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NORMAL COLLEGE, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the Department of Education Building, corner of Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan,
FOR ITEM-3, INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATOR IN THE FIRST PORTION OF THE NEW NORMAL COLLEGE BUILDINGS (THOMAS HUNTER HALL), ON THE WEST-ERLY SIDE OF LEXINGTON AVE., BETWEEN 68TH AND 69TH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be ninety (90) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty-six Hundred Dollars (\$2,600).

Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education Building, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated January 15, 1913. j15,27

²⁷See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 1913.

Borough of The Bronx,
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A COVERED DUMPING BOARD AND RUNWAY ON PIER AT LINCOLN AVE. AND HARLEM RIVER, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

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

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution of July 17, 1911, approved of by the Board of Aldermen by resolution of July 25, 1911 (received from the Mayor September 19, 1911, without his approval or disapproval thereof), authorized the issue of corporate stock for the above mentioned work to the amount of \$7,000. Bids in excess of the above amount will not be considered.

Bidders will state one aggregate price, as the contract will be entire and for a complete job.

Bidders must write out the total amount of their bid or estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Contract if awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Manhattan, 13-21 Park Row, and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Architect, Aymar Embury II, Borough of Manhattan, 132 Madison Ave.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated January 20, 1913. j21,31

²¹See 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 MCLoughlin, Clerk.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1913.

for

CONTRACT 134.
FOR SURFACING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK BLOCK HIGHWAYS AROUND THE ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, IN THE TOWNS OF OLIVE, MARBLETON, HURLEY, WOODSTOCK AND KINGSTON, ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

An approximate statement of the quantities of

the various classes of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a national or state bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the amount of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is thirty-six months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract, specifications and drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

JOSEPH P. MORRISSEY, Secretary.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont avea, 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 or before March 18, 1913, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 17, 1913. j21,30

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 BROOKLYN:

SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9.

NORTH HENRY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, between Norman and Greenpoint aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of N. Henry st., from Norman to Greenpoint aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 14, 1913, and entered January 14, 1913, 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 entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., 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 or before March 18, 1913, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An 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 1019 of the Greater New York Charter."

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TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16. NEWKIRK AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Coney Island ave. to the bridge over the Brighton Beach Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of Newkirk ave., from Coney Island ave. to the bridge over the Brighton Beach Railroad and to the extent of 110 feet at the intersecting streets.

CHURCH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Stratford road and Ocean parkway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Church ave., from Stratford road to Ocean parkway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues and streets.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between 18th and 22d aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of 85th st., from 18th to 22d aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 20.

AVENUE O—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from E. 15th st. to Coney Island ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue O, between E. 15th st. and Coney Island ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

THIRTY-FIRST AND THIRTY-SECOND WARDS, SECTION 20.

EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Avenue K to a point 100 feet southerly. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 18th st., from Avenue K to a point 400 feet south, including Lot 6, Block 6729 and Lots 43 and 45, Block 6729.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 22.

EAST FOURTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Neck road and Avenue Z. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 14th st., from Neck road to Avenue Z, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 7, 1913, and entered January 7, 1913, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., 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 March 8, 1913, 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, January 7, 1913. j11,22

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:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. CARTER AVENUE—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from E. 173d st. to E. 176th st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

AQUEDUCT AVENUE—SEWER, between Burnside and Tremont aves. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 2868 and 2879. —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors January 14, 1913, and entered January 14, 1913, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 15, 1913, 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, January 14, 1913. j17,28

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:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10. HALL PLACE—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from E. 165th st. to E. 167th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hall place, from E. 165th st. to E. 167th st., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TIFFANY STREET—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from the present pavement near Beck st. to the Southern boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Tiffany st., from Beck st. to Southern boulevard, and to the extent of

half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets. —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 7, 1913, and entered January 7, 1913, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in 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 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 March 8, 1913, 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, January 7, 1913. j16,21

Corporation Sales.

CORPORATION SALE OF LEASE.

CORPORATION SALE BY SEALED BIDS OF THE LEASE OF CERTAIN CITY REAL ESTATE.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held December 18, 1912, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1913. at 11 o'clock a. m. in Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, the lease for a period of five years from February 1, 1913, of premises belonging to the corporation of The City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of real estate situated in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, where said line is intersected by the northerly line of W. 165th st. (discontinued), running thence northerly along said easterly line of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad to a point where said line is first intersected by the line of original high water mark, as shown on a map prepared by the Department of Docks and Ferries in 1893, entitled "Map of land between original high water mark (Randel's Map) and the easterly side of right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, extending from W. 163d st. to W. 173d st.", running thence southerly along said original line of high water to the northerly line of W. 165th st. (discontinued);

running thence westerly along the said northerly line of W. 165th st. (discontinued) to the point or place of beginning, containing approximately 68,945 square feet, being part of the lands turned over by the Department of Docks and Ferries on January 21, 1893, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and shown on the map above mentioned.

The Comptroller will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said parcel of land for the said period at the minimum or upset price of \$1,000 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

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

He will also be required to give a bond equivalent at least to the amount of one year's rent, and in any event not to be less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000), with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No building shall be erected upon said site except approval shall have been first obtained from the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and plans and specifications of said building shall be presented to said Board and approved in writing obtained.

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

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

The City to be held free and harmless from any liability to the adjacent owners or the lessees or users of any of the adjacent property, by any use to which the premises to be demised are put.

In case any part of the land to be demised is required at any time for street purposes or for use in connection with railroad or terminal purposes, the lease to such part of the premises so required shall cease and determine, and the rent will be decreased in proportion to the amount of land so required and taken.

In case the lessee wishes to use the demised premises as a dump, he may do so provided the grading be limited to an elevation of one foot below the railroad tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, for a distance of 25 feet easterly from the easterly line of the right-of-way of said railroad company, and from thence on a uniform slope up to the elevation of the adjoining property, the work to be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Comptroller of The City of New York, who shall certify, upon the expiration of the lease, that the work has been performed in accordance with the terms of the lease.

The material deposited shall consist of good wholesome earth and clean cinder. In no event shall garbage or other sweeping be allowed to be deposited. No rock deposit shall be made or allowed nearer than two feet from the finished

streets. The purposes for which this property is to be used shall at all times be subject to the approval of the Comptroller.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 14, 1913. j16,21

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, 1913.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Notices of Sale.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF RICHMOND MOND TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Richmond, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of November 13, December 4, 1912, and January 8, 1913, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1913.

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 129, in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

Dated, January 8, 1913.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j19,29

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF 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 unsold at the termination of the sale of December 16, 1912, and January 6, 1913, has been continued to

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1913.

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated January 6, 1913. j18,27

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, 2d Ward, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of October 29, November 19 and December 10 and 31, 1912, has been continued to

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1913.

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 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 31, 1912. j2,21

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, 3d Ward, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of October 29, November 19 and December 10 and 31, 1912, has been continued to

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1913.

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 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.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING A HIGH GAS-PIPE AND WIRE MESH FENCE ALONG THE FRONT OF THE PLAY-GROUND ON AMSTERDAM AVE., BETWEEN 174TH AND 175TH STS.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Certified check or cash to the amount of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

j18,30
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 30, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE TEAMS OF HEAVY DRAFT HORSES.

Time allowed for the completion of this contract is thirty days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

Certified check or cash to the sum of Seventy Dollars (\$70) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen 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.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 30, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRAVEL.

Time for delivery, as required before December 31, 1913.

The amount of the security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

Certified check or cash to the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

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.

j18,30
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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 23, 1913.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR REPAIRING AND KEEPING IN REPAIR THE MOTOR, HORSE AND HAND LAWN MOWERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, FOR THE SEASON OF 1913.

The mowers to be repaired are 5 motor lawn mowers, 52 horse lawn mowers and 122 hand lawn mowers.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is before November 1, 1913.

The amount of security required is One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars.

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, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Bronx, by personal application or by mail on receipt of 10 cents in stamps to pay postage.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

j11,23
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 E. 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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSE SHOEING SUPPLIES (CLASS A).

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 30, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. 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, 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 total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

j17,28
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 Tuesday, January 21, 1913.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING (1) TEN (10) HORSES FOR APPARATUS, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX; (2) TEN (10) HORSES FOR APPARATUS, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the horses and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per horse, 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 total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item; 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 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Commissioner. j9,21.
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 30, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE TEAMS OF HEAVY DRAFT HORSES.

Time allowed for the completion of this contract is thirty days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

Certified check or cash to the sum of Seventy Dollars (\$70) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.

j18,30
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 30, 1913.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRAVEL.

Time for delivery, as required before December 31, 1913.

The amount of the security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

Certified check or cash to the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

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.

j18,30
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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 27, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

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 foot, 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 class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

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 Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner. Dated January 14, 1913. j16,27
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AND COFFEE.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

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, 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 specifications.

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 Storekeeper of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner. Dated January 11, 1913. j13,23
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSE SHOEING SUPPLIES (CLASS A).

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 30, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. 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, 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 total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

j17,28
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

ties at the above office until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HOSPITAL FURNITURE, APPARATUS, FIRE APPLIANCES, KITCHEN UTENSILS, SCALES, MATS, LANTERNS, LAMPS, TRUCKS, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, WINDOW SHADES, SILVER PLATED WARE, WHITE FIBRE GOODS, RUBBER GOODS, DRY GOODS AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

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 dozen, yard 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 class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per horse, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner. Dated January 7, 1913. j9,21
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1913.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING (1) TEN (10) HORSES FOR APPARATUS, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX; (2) TEN (10) HORSES FOR APPARATUS, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

sented to certain modifications or alterations in the aforesaid routes; and

Whereas, Said ordinance was further amended by contracts between the City and the Company dated January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively; by resolution adopted January 18, 1912, and approved January 19, 1912; by two contracts each dated May 28, 1912; and by resolution adopted July 11, 1912, and approved July 16, 1912; and

Whereas, The said Company has petitioned the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a petition dated September 30, 1912, for a modification or amendment of the terms and conditions of the aforesaid ordinance, as amended, as is fully set forth in said petition; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on November 21, 1912, fixing the date for a public hearing thereon as December 19, 1912, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Sun" and "New York Press," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, The said Board has made inquiry as to the proposed modification and amendment of said ordinance as heretofore amended; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the consent or right applied for by the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby consents to certain modifications in the terms and conditions of the said ordinance as heretofore amended; such modified terms and conditions being fully set forth and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying such terms and conditions as modify or alter said ordinance of the Board of Aldermen as heretofore amended, which said ordinance as heretofore amended otherwise remains unchanged as to all the other terms and conditions expressed therein, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made this day of 1913, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

Whereas, The City did, by ordinance approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, grant to the Company the right to cross certain streets and highways and the privilege to construct and operate a four-track railroad upon certain routes particularly set forth in Section 1 of said ordinance, and as shown on certain maps and profiles there-in referred to and filed in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 23d day of June, 1904; and

Whereas, The Board did, on July 14, 1905, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, consenting to a change in the route of the Company; and

Whereas, The Board did on November 20, 1908, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor November 30, 1908, authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract modifying and altering certain of the terms and conditions of the said ordinance of the Board of Aldermen approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by the said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and said contract so authorized was executed by the President and Secretary of the Company on January 29, 1909, and by the Mayor and City Clerk February 8, 1909, and bears the former date; and

Whereas, The Board did on July 6, 1911, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911, authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract changing the route of the Company and modifying and altering certain of the terms and conditions of the said ordinance of the Board of Aldermen approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by the said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and as further amended by the said contract dated January 29, 1909, and said contract so authorized was executed by the President and Secretary of the Company on July 21, 1911, and by the Mayor and City Clerk on August 2 and August 15, 1911, respectively, and bears date of August 2, 1911; and

Whereas, The Board did on January 18, 1912, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor January 19, 1912, granting the Company an extension of time of three (3) months from February 2, 1912, in which to complete the construction of its railroad from the northerly line of the city as far south as East 174th street; and

Whereas, The Board did on April 25, 1912, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor on the same date, authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract changing a portion of the route of the Company, and said contract so authorized was executed by the President and Secretary of the Company on May 17, 1912, and by the Mayor and City Clerk on May 28 and May 29, 1912, respectively, and bears date of May 28, 1912; and

Whereas, The Board did on April 25, 1912, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor on the same date, authorizing the execution and delivery of a contract modifying and altering certain of the terms and conditions of the said ordinance of the Board of Aldermen approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by the said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and as further amended by the said contract dated January 29, 1909, and the said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved by the Mayor January 19, 1912, by extending the time for the completion by the Company of the construction of its railroad from the northerly line of the city south to East 174th street, to August 2, 1912, and said contract so authorized was executed by the President and Secretary of the Company on May 17, 1912, and by the Mayor and City Clerk on May 28 and May 29, 1912, respectively, and bears date of May 28, 1912; and

Whereas, The Board did on July 11, 1912, adopt a resolution which was approved by the Mayor July 16, 1912, granting the Company a still further extension of time to September 2, 1912, in which to complete the construction of its railroad from the northerly line of the city south to East 174th street; and

Whereas, In and by said ordinance as amended by said resolutions and said contracts, the consent of the City was granted to the Company for the construction, maintenance and operation of the said railroad across certain enumerated streets, avenues or highways, either above

or below the grade thereof within said city upon certain conditions therein fully set forth; and

Whereas, The Company has applied to the Board as the local authority of the City by a petition dated September 30, 1912, for the consent of such local authority to a certain modification and amendment in the ordinance approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by resolution approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, by contracts dated January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively; by resolution adopted January 18, 1912, and approved January 19, 1912, by each of two contracts dated May 28, 1912, and by resolution approved by the Mayor July 16, 1912, to wit:

By striking therefrom the whole of Section 2, Subdivision Twelfth, reading as follows:

"Twelfth—The roadbed within the limits of The City of New York shall be watered daily whenever the thermometer is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit. For any failure to comply here-with, the railway company shall be liable for a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day."

Whereas, After due publication, a public hearing at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, was held by the Board upon the modification and amendment contained in the petition on the 19th day of December, 1912; and

Whereas, The Board has made inquiry as to the proposed modification and amendment of said ordinance of 1904, resolution of 1905, contracts of 1909, 1911 and 1912, and resolutions of 1912; and

Whereas, On the day of 1913, the Board, as the local authority of the City, adopted a resolution giving its consent to the modification in the ordinance approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by resolution approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, by contracts dated January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively; by resolution approved by the Mayor January 18, 1912, by each of two contracts dated May 28, 1912, and by resolution approved by the Mayor July 16, 1912, and authorized the Mayor to execute and deliver a contract granting such rights in the name and on behalf of the City, which resolution was approved by the Mayor on the day of 1913.

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

Section 1. The City hereby consents, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, to the change or amendment to said right or franchise, as expressed in said ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by said resolution approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, by said contracts bearing date of January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively, by said resolution approved by the Mayor January 19, 1912, by said contracts bearing date of May 28, 1912, and by said resolution approved by the Mayor July 16, 1912, said change or amendment to be as follows:

1. Section 2, Subdivision Twelfth, of said ordinance of August 2, 1904, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Twelfth—The roadbed within the limits of The City of New York shall be watered daily by the Company, whenever the thermometer is above thirty-five (35) degrees Fahrenheit, if directed so to do by the President of the Borough of The Bronx. Provided, however, that the Company may apply to such roadbed such other dust palliative as may be approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the manner and frequency of such application to be also in accordance with the direction of the said President. If the Company shall so apply such other dust palliative then the Company shall not be required to water such roadbed, as herein provided. For any failure to comply herewith the Company shall be liable for a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day."

Section 2. This grant is subject to the condition that all the terms and conditions contained in the said ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by said resolution approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, by said contracts bearing date of January 29, 1909, and August 2, 1911, respectively, by said resolution approved by the Mayor January 19, 1912, by said contracts bearing date of May 28, 1912, and by said resolution approved by the Mayor July 16, 1912, except as herein modified and amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. 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 [CORPORATE SEAL] Mayor.

Attest: [CITY CLERK]

NEW YORK, WESTCHESTER AND BOSTON RAILWAY COMPANY.

By [SCEAL.] President.

Attest: [SECRETARY]

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved. That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the proposed franchise and the adequacy of the 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 to such modification and alteration.

Resolved. That these preambles and resolutions, including said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modification and alteration 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 30, 1913, in the City Record, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, January 30, 1913, 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, to 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 a certain modification and amendment in the terms and conditions of the said ordinance approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as heretofore amended, such modification and amendment being fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of

New York, on Thursday, January 30, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

(The "Sun" and the "New York Times" designated.) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
New York, December 19, 1912 17.30

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY

Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 240 Centre St., for the following property new in custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY

Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 269 State St., Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, BUREAU OF THE BRONX, COTONIA PARK, 177TH ST. AND 3D AVE.

SEALD BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 10:30 A. M. ON

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1913.

NO. 1. FOR COMPLETING THE CONTRACT WHICH WAS EXECUTED BY ZIN-GALES AND DELENA ON JULY 26, 1911, AND DECLARED ABANDONED SEPTEMBER 19, 1912, FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN ST. LAWRENCE AVE., FROM WEST FARMS ROAD TO WESTCHESTER AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

200 linear feet of new curb.
19,300 square feet of cement flagging.
125 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
100 linear feet of vitrified pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,250 linear feet of guard rail.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 30 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$1,700).

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN GRAND AVE., FROM W. 181ST ST. TO W. 184TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

4,400 cubic yards of earth excavation.
1,600 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,350 cubic yards of filling.
2,900 linear feet of new curb.

100 linear feet of old curb.

12,000 square feet of cement flagging.
725 square feet of new bridgestone.
60 square feet of old bridgestone.
50 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 90 working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN MACLAY AVE., FROM ZEREGA AVE. TO WALKER AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,200 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
1,000 cubic yards of filling.
3,000 linear feet of new curb.

11,700 square feet of cement flagging.

1,450 square feet of new bridgestone.

50 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.

100 linear feet of vitrified pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,000 feet (B. M.) timber and lumber.

50 linear feet of guard rail.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$2,250).

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REGRADING, SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING AND RELAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES IN SPUTEN DUYVIL ROAD, FROM JOHNSON AVE. TO THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF W. 230TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1913.

the terms of the contract, plans and specifications, and protection of the City against any suits for infringement of patents, or damage suits for any other cause, and risks of all kinds, will be One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000). In addition thereto a supplementary bond in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000) shall be furnished prior to the acceptance of the work, and continuing for six (6) years thereafter, to protect the City against any claims for infringement of patents due to any work done or materials or processes used or installed by the contractor.

The bidder will state the price per unit for each item of work contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the award will be made to the lowest bidder.

Any repairs needed due to defects in materials or workmanship shall be made by the contractor during a period of one year from the completion of the work.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

A deposit of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) will be required from all applicants for each copy of the plans and specifications. This deposit will be returned if said copies of the plans and specifications are delivered to the Department within five (5) days after the opening of the bids, provided they are in good condition.

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 thereto at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated January 9, 1913.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

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

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 offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1836, 21 Park row, in The City of New York, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 1913.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 540 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

Time allowed for the performance of the contract until October 31, 1913.

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

The required deliveries in amount will be as follows:

All or any part of 320 barrels to be delivered at yard, Rivington and Tompkins sts., or at yard at Manhattan Bridge, between Cherry and Monroe sts.

All or any part of 220 barrels to be delivered at yard, 415 W. 123d st., or at any other designated point of delivery within one and one-half miles from said yard.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 180,000 BRICKS.

Time allowed for the performance of the contract until October 31, 1913.

The security required will be Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The required deliveries in amount will be as follows:

All or any part of 110,000 bricks to be delivered at yard, Rivington and Tompkins sts., or at yard at Manhattan Bridge, between Cherry and Monroe sts.

All or any part of 70,000 bricks to be delivered at yard, 415 W. 123d st., or at any other designated point of delivery within one and one-half miles from said yard.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES (IRON CASTINGS).

Item No. 1. 50 covers for receiving basins. Item No. 2. 330 hoods for receiving basins. Item No. 3. 450 hood-plates for receiving basins.

Item No. 4. 1,380 manhole covers (roadway).

Item No. 5. 675 manhole heads (roadway).

Item No. 6. 700 manhole rings of malleable cast iron.

Item No. 7. 340 gratings for corner basins.

Item No. 8. 50 gratings for side basins.

Time allowed for the performance of the contract until October 31, 1913.

The security required on Items Nos. 1 to 8, inclusive, will be Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

For quantities and places of delivery see schedule following:

All or any part of the following to be delivered at yard at Rivington and Tompkins sts., or at yard at Manhattan Bridge, between Cherry and Monroe sts.:

Item 1, 50; item 2, 300; item 3, 250; item 4, 1,020; item 5, 550; item 6, 400; item 7, 260; item 8, 25.

All or any part of the following to be delivered at yard at 415 W. 123d st., or at any other designated point of delivery within one and one-half miles from said yard:

Item 2, 30; item 3, 200; item 4, 360; item 5, 125; item 6, 300; item 7, 80; item 8, 25.

Bidders are requested to carefully consider the foregoing delivery schedules and shall state a price per unit of each item for furnishing and delivering at each of the places mentioned.

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

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the Bureau of Sewers, Room 1636, 16th floor, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President. j20,31

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 offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1836, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1913.

1. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN SECTION NO. 1, BOUNDED BY BATTERY, NORTH RIVER, 10TH ST. AND EAST RIVER.

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

30,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course, where required.

4,000 square yards of asphalt pavement by heater method.

300 square yards of foundation prepared for asphalt pavement by drying where required.

20 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

175 square yards old stone pavement to relay, 100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone to reset.

100 linear feet of new header stone to furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

Supervintendant at the Municipal Sanitorium, Otisville, N. Y.

INSTRUCTOR (GYMNASIUM).

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE ALLOWED, in accordance with Rule 3, at the request of

any interested persons, at the Commission's offices, 299 Broadway, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1913.

at 10 a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary. j20,22

100 linear feet of old curbstone to reset.

100 linear feet of new header stone to furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

2. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN SECTION NO. 2, BOUNDED BY 10TH ST., NORTH RIVER, 42D ST. AND EAST RIVER.

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

70,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course, where required.

6,000 square yards of asphalt pavement by heater method.

2,000 square yards of foundation prepared for asphalt pavement by drying, where required.

30 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

1,200 square yards of old stone pavement to relay.

100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone to reset.

100 linear feet of new header stone to furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

3. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN SECTION NO. 3, BOUNDED BY 42D ST., NORTH RIVER, 72D ST. AND EAST RIVER.

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

60,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course, where required.

6,000 square yards of asphalt pavement by heater method.

2,000 square yards of foundation prepared for asphalt pavement by drying, where required.

30 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

400 square yards of old stone pavement to relay.

100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone to reset.

100 linear feet of new header stone to furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

4. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN SECTION NO. 4, BOUNDED BY 72D ST., NORTH RIVER, 116TH ST. AND EAST RIVER.

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

40,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course, where required.

2,000 square yards of asphalt pavement by heater method.

2,000 square yards of foundation prepared for asphalt pavement by drying, where required.

30 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

400 square yards of old stone pavement to relay.

100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstone to reset.

100 linear feet of new header stone to furnish and set.

100 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

5. FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN SECTION NO. 5, BOUNDED BY 116TH ST., NORTH RIVER, SPUYTEN DUYVIL CREEK AND HARLEM RIVER.

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

30,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course, where required.

1,000 square yards of asphalt pavement by heater method.

200 square yards of foundation prepared for asphalt pavement by drying, where required.

20 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

50 square yards of old stone pavement to relay.

30 linear feet of new curbstone, furnish and set.

30 linear feet of old header stone to reset.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required will be \$12,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTY (650) CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS DIVIDED APPROXIMATELY AS FOLLOWS:

450 cubic yards of 1½-inch broken stone.

200 cubic yards of screenings.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of the security.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Room 1611, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President. j13,24

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the following proposed amendment to the Municipal Civil Service Classification, by including in the Competitive Class, Part I (Ungraded Positions), Group 3 (Positions of a Special or Miscellaneous Character), the titles:

The said Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the said Broadway-Fifty-ninth Street Rapid Transit Railroad may be briefly described as follows:

Section No. 1. Beginning at a point on Broadway about 93 feet north of the intersection of the easterly building line of Broadway with the northerly building line of E. 13th st. and extending thence northerly under Broadway, Union square and Broadway again to a point about 130 feet north of the intersection of the easterly building line of Broadway with the northerly building line of W. 26th st.

Section No. 2. Beginning at a point on Broadway about 130 feet north of the intersection of the easterly building line of Broadway with the northerly building line of W. 26th st. and extending thence northerly under Broadway to a point about 30 feet south of the intersection of the easterly building line of Broadway with the southerly building line of W. 39th st.

Section No. 3. Beginning at a point on Broadway about 30 feet south of the intersection of the easterly building line of Broadway with the southerly building line of W. 39th st. and extending thence northerly under Broadway and 7th ave. to a point in 7th ave. about 52 feet south of the southerly building line of West 51st st.

Section No. 4. Beginning at a point on 7th ave. about 52 feet south of the southerly building line of W. 51st st. and extending thence northerly under 7th ave. and Central Park to a point in Central Park about 113 feet north of the southerly building line of W. 59th st. and about 45 feet east of the easterly building line of 7th ave. produced.

Section No. 5. Beginning at a point in Central Park about 115 feet north of the southerly building line of W. 59th st. and about 45 feet east of the easterly building line of 7th ave. produced, and extending thence easterly under Central Park to a point about opposite the intersection of the westerly building line of 59th st. with the southerly building line of 59th st., extending thence easterly under 59th st., the southeast corner of Central Park and the plaza at the intersection of 5th ave. and 59th and 60th sts., where the line divides into two branches, one extending easterly under E. 59th st. to about the easterly curb line of 2d ave. and the other extending easterly under E. 60th st. to about the easterly curb line of 2d ave.

Dated New York, January 13, 1913.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. j15,30

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

PART OF ROUTES NO. 36 AND 37. 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 Astoria, Woodside and Corona 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 on Second (formerly Debevoise) avenue in the Borough of Queens about three hundred (300) feet south of the centre line of Beebe avenue and extending thence along and over Second avenue to a point about three hundred and thirty (330) feet south of the centre line of Ditmars avenue; with local stations at Beebe avenue, Washington avenue, Broadway, Grand avenue, and Ditmars avenue, and with an express station at Hoyt avenue.

The general plan of construction calls for an elevated railroad. The details of the construction of the railroad and appurtenances are more particularly indicated on the contract drawings.

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

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 of all buildings, monuments, surface railroads and other structures, etc., affected by or interfered with during the construction of the work; also the restoration of the sidewalks and roadways.

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 on payment of five dollars (\$5.00). The printed form of contract and the contract drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

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 eighteen (18) months from the date of the delivery of this contract.

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 28th day of January, 1913, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Commission.

A statement based upon estimate of the Engineer of the quantities of the various classes of the work and of the nature and extent as near as practicable of the work required is to be found in the schedule forming a part of the form of Contractor's Proposal. The quantities given in such schedule are approximate only, being given as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same, except as provided in the specifications and form of contract.

All proposals must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Routes No. 36 & 37, Section No. 2" and must 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 proposal the names of other sureties or securities approved by the Commission, but such substitution must be made within five (5) 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 (10) 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 fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars. At the option of the successful bidder cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond. If securities are deposited in place of 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 cent of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal the sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars. Thereafter there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10%) per cent of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor. The Contractor may from time to time withdraw portions of the amounts so retained upon depositing in lieu thereof corporate stock of The City of New York equal in market value to the amount so withdrawn.

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 may 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 (10) days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Commission, to execute and deliver the contract and 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, absolutely assign to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Commission will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five (5) days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, January 10, 1913.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. j13,28

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office until 11 o'clock a.m. on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1913.

1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY RIDGE AVE., FROM NEW Utrecht AVE., TO 125 FEET EAST OF 16TH AVE., AND FROM 150 FEET EAST OF 17TH AVE. TO 18TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 50 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. 190 cubic yards excavation. 2,120 cubic yards fill (to be furnished). 2,350 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

7,500 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 40 working days; security required, \$1,300.

2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON E. 2D ST., FROM GREENWOOD AVE. TO FT. HAMILTON AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 1,230 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. 30 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. 50 cubic yards excavation.

670 cubic yards fill (to be furnished).

5,630 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$900.

3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF INDIA ST., FROM OAKLAND ST. TO PROVOST ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 2,040 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

340 cubic yards concrete.

510 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$1,500.

4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PRELIMINARY ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 4-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LINCOLN PLACE, FROM CLASSON AVE. TO THE BRIDGE OVER THE BRIGHTON BEACH R. R.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 2,290 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

255 cubic yards concrete.

445 cubic yards excavation to subgrade. Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,500.

5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON MCKINLEY AVE., FROM RAILROAD AVE. TO ELDERTS LANE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 80 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

750 cubic yards excavation.

210 cubic yards fill (not to be bid for).

1,420 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

7,290 square feet cement sidewalk (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$800.

6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MONTAUK AVE., FROM PITKIN AVE. TO LIBERTY AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 2,750 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

460 cubic yards concrete.

690 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$2,000.

7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PRELIMINARY ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 4-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF OAKLAND PLACE, FROM TILDEN AVE. TO ALBEMARLE ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 920 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

100 cubic yards concrete.

180 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 25 working days; security required, \$600.

8. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON POWELL ST., FROM RIVERDALE AVE. TO LIVONIA AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 20 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

1,830 cubic yards excavation.

10 cubic yards fill (not to be bid for).

730 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

3,760 square feet cement sidewalk (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 35 working days; security required, \$700.

9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SARATOGA AVE., FROM SUTTER AVE. TO LIVONIA AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 8,300 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

1,380 cubic yards concrete.

185 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

2,075 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$6,000.

10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SHARON ST., FROM OLIVE ST. TO MORGAN AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 2,710 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

450 cubic yards concrete.

680 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$2,000.

11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PRELIMINARY ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 4-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STERLING PLACE, FROM UTICA AVE. TO BUFFALO AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 5,400 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

600 cubic yards concrete.

1,050 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

Time allowed, 30 working days; security required, \$3,500.

12. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 8TH AVE., FROM BAY RIDGE AVE. TO 70TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows: 460 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

2,225 square feet cement sidewalk (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 20 working days; security required, \$200.

13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 26TH AVE., FROM STILLWELL AVE. TO HAWTHORN AVE., EXCEPTING THAT PORTION OCCUPIED BY THE TRACKS OF THE BROOKLYN, BATH AND WEST END R. R.</

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DAVIDSON AVENUE, from Grand avenue to West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; of GRAND AVENUE, from Macombs road to Tremont avenue; of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Macombs road to Jerome avenue, and of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Jerome avenue to Tremont avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Edward W. S. Johnston, deceased.

Dated, New York, January 10, 1913.
JOHN C. FITZGERALD, WILLIAM KLEIN,
Commissioners of Appraisal. j11,22

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of SEDGWICK AVENUE, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue; of BAILEY AVENUE, between Sedgwick avenue and Albany road; of ALBANY road, between Bailey avenue and Van Cortlandt Park, and for the opening and extending of HEATH AVENUE, between West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; of the PUBLIC PLACE between Heath avenue and Bailey avenue, south of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, and the lands and premises required for the widening of KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, between Exterior street and Bailey avenue, as amended by order of this Court bearing date the 4th day of November, 1909, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of November, 1909, by including therein certain additional lands required, and also excluding therefrom certain lands not required, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 14, 1913.

PETER J. EVERETT, GEO. VON SKAL, STEPHEN J. NAVIN, Jr., Commissioners of Estimate; STEPHEN J. NAVIN, Jr., Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIR, Clerk. j14,24

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the westerly side of BRYANT AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Tuesday, January 14, 1913, file their objections, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 27th day of January, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, January 14, 1913.
JAMES PHILIP VAN KIRK, JAMES J. McMAHON, JAMES F. DELANEY, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. j14,24

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of William R. Wilcox, Milo R. Maltbie, William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett and John E. Eustis, constituting the Public Service Commission in and for the First District of the State of New York, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891 and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring a permanent and

perpetual underground right, easement and right of way, and also a temporary right of easement for the construction, maintenance and operation in perpetuity of a rapid transit railroad in, under or appurtenant to certain premises situated on the easterly side of Centre street and the northerly side of Pearl street, at the intersection of the northerly side of Pearl street with the easterly side of Centre street, and on the easterly side of Duane street and the northerly side of City Hall place, at the intersection of the easterly side of Duane street with the northerly side of City Hall place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Brooklyn and Manhattan Loop Lines, Proceeding No. 6.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made by the undersigned to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and County of New York, on the 23d day of January, 1913, at the opening of court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Edward W. S. Johnston, deceased.

Dated, New York, January 10, 1913.
JOHN C. FITZGERALD, WILLIAM KLEIN,
Commissioners of Appraisal. j11,22

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York, acting on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring an estate in fee simple absolute and an estate by way of easement in and to certain several premises situated at and near the intersection of MOTT AVENUE and EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, required for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation in perpetuity, of a portion of the rapid transit railroad commonly spoken of as the Lexington Avenue Route.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made by the undersigned to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and County of New York, on the 23d day of January, 1913, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Frederick L. Taylor, resigned.

Dated New York, January 10, 1913.
CHARLES L. HOFFMAN, CHARLES J. LESLIE, Commissioners of Appraisal. j11,22

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, from Inwood avenue to Jerome avenue, as laid out on section 15 of the final maps, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 3d day of February, 1913, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 4th day of February, 1913, at 3 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 29th day of June, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue, midway between Macombs road and West One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and running thence northwesterly at right angles to Jerome avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-second street; the said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Seventy-second street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Inwood avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line parallel with Inwood avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Inwood avenue as this street is laid out north of Macombs road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Inwood avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Seventy-second street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line parallel

with West One Hundred and Seventy-second 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 3d day of February, 1913.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the twenty-seventh day of March, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such

cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 2, 1913.
CHARLES P. HALLOCK, Chairman; HERMAN T. RADIN, SIDWELL S. RANDALL, Commissioners of Estimate; CHARLES P. HALLOCK, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIR, Clerk. j10,27

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS (OLD) NO. 32, OR JAMES SLIP PIER, AND (OLD) NO. 33, OR OLIVER STREET PIER, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, tide and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on the southerly side of South street, in said Borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (Old) No. 32 or James Slip Pier, and the westerly side of Pier (Old) No. 33, or Oliver Street Pier, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of January, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 8, 1913.
GEORGE M. S. SCHULZ, Chairman; JAMES V. GANLY, JOHN DAVIS, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE M. S. SCHULZ, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIR, Clerk. j11,28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GARFIELD STREET, from West Farms road to Morris Park avenue, and FILLMORE STREET, from Van Nest avenue to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the thirtieth day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the third day of February, 1913, at two 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the thirtieth day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the fourth day of February, 1913, at two 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 sixth day of November, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West Farms road with the prolongation of a line midway between Garfield street and Taylor street, and running thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Taylor street and Garfield street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Morris Park avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Morris Park avenue; thence northwesterly and always parallel with and distant 100 feet from the northwesterly line of Morris Park avenue, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 110 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Fillmore street; thence southwesterly along the said line to the intersection with a line distant 110 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Fillmore street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Mead street and Van Nest avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Mead street and Van Nest avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Garfield street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Garfield street; thence southeasterly along a line parallel with the northeasterly line of Garfield street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of West Farms road; thence southwesterly along the centre line of West Farms road 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the third day of February, 1913.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the twenty-seventh day of March, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such

cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 2, 1913.
CHARLES P. HALLOCK, Chairman; HERMAN T. RADIN, SIDWELL S. RANDALL, Commissioners of Estimate; CHARLES P. HALLOCK, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIR, Clerk. j10,21

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of LELAND AVENUE, from Ludlow avenue to Patterson avenue; of SEWARD AVENUE, from Clasons Point road to White Plains road, and of THERIOT AVENUE, from Gleason avenue to Clasons Point road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough

road to the intersection with a line midway between Taylor avenue and Theriot avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway to the intersection with Taylor avenue and Theriot avenue between Seward avenue and Randall avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Seward avenue and Randall avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Clasons Point road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Clasons Point road; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Clasons Point road to the intersection with a line at right angles to Clasons Point road, and passing through a point on its northeasterly side where it is intersected by a line midway between Lafayette avenue and Seward avenue; thence northeasterly along the said line at right angles to Clasons Point road to its northeasterly side; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Lafayette avenue and Seward avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Gleason avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Gleason avenue 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 3d day of February, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of April, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 30, 1912.

TIMOTHY E. COHALAN, Chairman; FRANCIS P. KENNEY, GEORGE A. HEFTER, Commissioners of Estimate; TIMOTHY E. COHALAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j10,27

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DAMIS AVENUE, from Lafayette avenue to Westchester avenue, and BRONX RIVER AVENUE, from Lafayette avenue to Randall avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the third day of January, 1913, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the sixth day of January, 1913, Joseph Maximilian Levine, George A. Devine and Alfred B. Simonds, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Joseph Maximilian Levine, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that pursuant to statute in such cases made and provided the said Joseph Maximilian Levine, George A. Devine and Alfred B. Simonds, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of January, 1913, 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 by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 10, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, corner Centre and Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j10,21

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, from its intersection with Spuyten Duyvil Parkway and Fieldston road to Waldo avenue; WALDO AVENUE, from West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street to West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Waldo avenue to Broadway; CORLEAR AVENUE, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street; WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, from its intersection with West Two Hundred and Forty-second street and Broadway to the prolongation of the northerly line of the second unnamed street north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; FIRST UNNAMED STREET north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street from Broadway to West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street; SECOND UNNAMED STREET north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street from Broadway to West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street; and the PUBLIC PARK bounded by Corlear avenue, West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; the PUBLIC PARK bounded by Broadway, West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street and the first unnamed street north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; and the PUBLIC PARK bounded by the first unnamed street north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street, West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street, the second unnamed street north of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street and Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the third day of January, 1913, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the sixth day of January, 1913, JOHN T. ROBINSON, J. ROSTRON, Commissioners. j21,25

New York, Second Department, bearing date the third day of January, 1913, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the sixth day of January, 1913. Charles C. Marin, John Yule and William H. Ten Eyck, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Charles C. Marin was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that pursuant to statute in such cases made and provided the said Charles C. Marin, John Yule and William H. Ten Eyck, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of January, 1913, 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 by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 10, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, corner Centre and Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j10,21

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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 WHITLOCK AVENUE, from Brown place to Calamus avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 14th day of January, 1913, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of January, 1913, Walter H. Bunn, Patrick J. Mara and William J. Hamilton, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the same order Walter H. Bunn, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Walter H. Bunn, Patrick J. Mara and William J. Hamilton, Esqs., will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 4th day of February, 1913, 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 by any other person having any interest in said proceedings as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, January 21, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel. j21,31

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 LINDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough line to Fresh Pond road, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 16th day of February, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 18th day of February, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street, as shown upon Sections 15, 16 and 29 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and approved by the Mayor on the 4th day of June, 1909; and as amended by an order of the Supreme Court dated the 23d day of February, 1912, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 24th day of February, 1912, so as to relate to said Linden street as shown on a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 26th day of January, 1911, and approved by the Mayor on the 3d day of February, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the Queens County Court House, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 21, 1913.

JOHN T. ROBINSON, J. ROSTRON, Commissioners.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j21,25

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 AVENUE V, from Eighty-sixth street to Van Siclen street, including the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of January, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, New York, January 18, 1913.

JOHN M. ZURN, GEORGE J. S. DOWLING, JOHN N. DILLMEIER, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN M. ZURN, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. j18,29

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 RADDE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Paynter avenue to Ridge street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of February, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 10th day of February, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of February, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 11th day of February, 1913, 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 14th day of February, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated 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 midway between Radde street and Academy street, distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Ridge street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ridge street, and running thence southwesterly along the said line and always midway between Radde street and Academy street and the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Paynter avenue; thence northwesterly and parallel with Paynter avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Radde street and Prospect street, as laid out between Beebe avenue and Wilbur avenue; thence northeasterly along the said line midway between Radde street and Prospect street to the intersection with a line which is the bisector of the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the central lines of Prospect street and Radde street, as laid out northeast of Beebe avenue; thence northeasterly along the said bisecting line to the centre line of Webster avenue; thence northwesterly along the centre line of Webster avenue to the intersection with a line which is the bisector of the angle formed by the intersection of prolongations of the northeasterly line of Radde street and the southeasterly line of the Crescent, as laid out between Ridge street and Webster avenue; thence northeasterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Ridge street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ridge street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Ridge street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 3d day of February, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of April, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing supplemental and amended abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 10, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, corner Centre and Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j10,21

be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, January 18, 1913.

RAYMOND D. THURBER, JOSEPH MANNE, FRANK L. HAGGERTY, Commissioners of Estimate; RAYMOND D. THURBER, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. j18,29

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SIXTY-SECOND STREET, from Tenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, and from Bay parkway to West street, including the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, and the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, and of TWENTY-FOURTH AVENUE, from Sixty-second street to West street, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIAM J. MAHON, Robert A. Sharkey and Joseph I. Halsted were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and Robert A. Sharkey Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel. j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue M to a point about seventy feet south of Avenue O; EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, from Avenue M to Kings highway; EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET, from Avenue M to Kings highway; EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, from a point six hundred and forty feet south of Avenue L to Kings highway; EAST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Avenue M to Kings highway; AVENUE O, from the westerly line of the former Village of South Greenfield at the intersection of East Twenty-third street to East Twenty-sixth street; and AVENUE N, from Gravesend avenue to Flatlands avenue, in the Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT EDWARD F. LINTON, John M. Drennan and Thomas O'Neil were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and John M. Drennan Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day

tion 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.
Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to CHURCH AVENUE, from Brooklyn avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN F. CANAVAN, SYLVESTER D. BALDWIN and W. SEWARD SHANAHAN were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and JOHN F. CANAVAN Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to GEORGIA AVENUE, from Belmont avenue to Sutton avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FRANCIS J. SULLIVAN, JOSEPH F. CURRAN and SOLON BARBANELL were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and FRANCIS J. SULLIVAN Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to AVENUE M, from West street to Ocean parkway, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HENRY S. RASQUIN, EUGENE P. DOANE and MATTHEW O'MALLEY were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and EUGENE P. DOANE Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NINETEEN-FIFTH STREET, from Marine avenue to Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WARREN PLACE, JOSEPH F. CURRAN and DAVID S. SKINNER were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and WARREN PLACE Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
j14,24

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from New Utrecht avenue to Eighteenth avenue, and from Twenty-third avenue to West street, excluding the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BURT L. RICH, EDWARD F. LINTON and FREDERICK B. DALZELL were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and EDWARD F. LINTON Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th

day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FOURTH AVENUE, from Fifth avenue to Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILIAM WATSON, EDWARD J. REILLY and SOLON BARBANELL were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and WILLIAM WATSON Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BELMONT AVENUE, from Pennsylvania avenue to Wyona street, and from Elderts lane to the Old City line, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILIAM M. RUSSELL, WALTER J. MCGILL and JOHN KILCOURSE were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and WILLIAM M. RUSSELL Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to DITMAS AVENUE, from Ralph avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN F. CANAVAN, JOSEPH A. GIUDER and THOMAS J. MURPHY were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 31st day of December, 1912, Commissioners of Estimate, and JOSEPH A. GIUDER Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given, that the above-named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of January, 1913, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 14, 1913.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, whether 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 SNYDER AVENUE, from Canarsie avenue to Ralph avenue, and AVENUE A, from Ralph avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 3d day of February, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 4th day of February, 1913, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 3d day of February, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 4th day of February, 1913, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw

and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in the street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or 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 the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furring, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids, and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement, to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be enclosed 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 to do so.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.