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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearing.

Hearing on Plans and Profiles Showing New York Central Railroad Company's Proposed Improvements on the West Side of Manhattan and The Bronx.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will continue the Hearing, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916, at 10.30 a. m., on the plans and profiles showing changes and modifications in the railroad, railroad structures and yards of the New York Central Railroad Company on the west side of the City, prepared under the provisions of Chapter 777 of the Laws of 1911.

Dated May 3, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Room 1356, Municipal Building; telephone 4560 Worth. m3,8

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing May 1, 1916.

Friday, May 5, 1916—10.30 a. m.—Room 823—Case No. 2066—Gas Corporations—“Standards for measurement of illuminating and heating power of gas”—Both Commissions.

Regular meeting of the Commission held Thursday at 11 a. m.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held Wednesday at 10.30 a. m.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, May 2nd, 1916, 1.30 o'Clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. Frank L. Dowling, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Alexander Bassett.
Francis P. Bent.
William H. Burns.
Samuel J. Burden.
James J. Browne.
Lauren Carroll.
Louis F. Cardani.
Edward Cassidy.
Charles P. Cole.
William T. Collins.
Edward W. Cox.
S. Clinton Crane.
Frank A. Cunningham.
Edward W. Curley.
Henry H. Curran.

William J. Daly.
Charles Delaney.
John Diemer.
Frank T. Dixon.
Frank Dostal, Jr.
Charles W. Dunn.
Alexander S. Drescher.
John T. Eagan.
Thomas M. Farley.
James R. Ferguson.
August Ferrand.
Samson Friedlander.
John S. Gaynor.
Edward V. Gilmore.
George G. Goetz.

Isaac Gutman.
Joseph M. Hannon.
Charles H. Haubert.
Harry Heyman.
George Hilkemeier.
Michael J. Hogan.
William P. Kenneally.
Francis P. Kenney.
John McCann.
John F. McCourt.
William P. McGarry.
Charles J. McGillick.
John McKee.
Thomas W. Martin.
James J. Molen.

Charles J. Moore.
Robert L. Moran.
Frank Mullen.
John J. O'Rourke.
Clarence Y. Palitz.
Charles A. Post.
William F. Quinn.
Harry Robitzek.
John J. Ryan.

Frank J. Schmitz.
Peter Schweickert.
Michael J. Shields.
Emanuel I. Silberstein.
Fred Smith.
Arnon L. Squiers.
Patrick H. Sullivan.
Michael Stapleton.

Frederick H. Stevenson.
Moritz Tolk.
Frederick Trau.
William K. Walsh.
Louis Wendel, Jr.
Thomas A. Williams.
John Wirth.
Augustus M. Wise.

Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond, by Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works.

Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works.

Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works.

Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works.

The President announced that Aldermen Donnelly and Colne were excused from attendance.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of April 25, 1916. On motion of Alderman Kenneally further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

On motion of Alderman McCourt the privileges of the floor were extended to Judge John Kochendorfer.

MESSAGES AND PAPERS FROM THE MAYOR.

No. 443.

Communication Relative to the City's Financial Condition—Supplemental of His Honor's Message Under Date of January 10, 1916.

April 24, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—In my message to you of January 10, 1916, I stated that I would submit to you at a later date an account of the city's financial condition as required by section 115 of the Greater New York Charter. I therefore transmit herewith, in accordance with the provisions of said section, two statements prepared by the comptroller showing:

1. The city's funded debt as of December 31, 1915, classified according to the general purpose for which the debt was incurred.

2. The city's constitutional debt incurring power as of January 1, 1916.

Respectfully,
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Division of Chief Accountant.

Table of City's Funded Debt as of December 31, 1915, Classified According to the General Purpose for Which Bonds Were Issued; Also Dividing the Totals as to the Amounts Thereof Held Respectively by the Sinking Funds and by the Public, and Showing Separately the Amounts of Corporate Stock Notes Outstanding, Divided According to the Purpose for Which They Were Issued.

| Classification According to Function or General Purpose. | Gross Funded Debt, Viz., Total Amount Outstanding. | Purchased and Held by Sinking Funds. | Purchased and Held by Public. | Corporate Stock Notes Outstanding. |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Group "A." | | | | |
| Water | \$215,753,722 60 | \$33,752,967 60 | \$182,000,755 00 | \$4,484,876 71 |
| Rapid Transit | 135,307,888 77 | 5,400,948 77 | 129,906,940 00 | 23,300,093 15 |
| Docks and Ferries | 119,944,838 39 | 20,242,665 00 | 99,702,173 39 | 1,000,000 00 |
| Assessment Bonds (payable from Assessments) | 31,836,603 96 | 14,273,819 37 | 17,562,784 59 | |
| Totals of Group "A." | \$502,843,053 72 | \$73,670,400 74 | \$429,172,652 98 | \$28,784,969 86 |

| | | | | |
|---|------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|
| Group "B." | | | | |
| Schools and Sites | \$123,324,842 80 | \$15,227,209 77 | \$108,097,633 03 | \$1,380,153 22 |
| Libraries and Sites | 12,193,085 88 | 1,717,514 90 | 10,475,570 98 | 1,000 00 |
| City Parks and Places | 56,850,490 86 | 10,504,866 22 | 46,345,624 64 | 796,718 32 |
| Bridges | 113,448,207 02 | 12,480,943 27 | 100,967,263 75 | 312,387 55 |
| Streets, Highways and Trunk Sewers | 155,199,034 70 | 38,244,214 95 | 116,954,819 75 | 567,210 99 |
| Public Buildings, viz.: Health, Fire, Courts, Police, Corrections, etc. | 102,442,993 15 | 15,440,210 16 | 87,002,782 99 | 1,288,460 00 |
| Sundry Other Purposes | 8,606,554 10 | 2,330,391 34 | 6,276,162 76 | 8,500 00 |
| Various Municipal Purposes (Unallotted) | 466,183 91 | 466,183 91 | | 672,884 99 |
| Totals of Group "B." | \$572,531,392 42 | \$96,411,534 52 | \$476,119,857 90 | \$5,027,315 07 |

| | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|
| Group "C." | | | | |
| Refunding Bonds | \$18,997,090 21 | \$646,471 53 | \$18,350,618 68 | |
| To Fund Deficiencies—Taxes | 27,300,000 00 | 5,000,000 00 | 22,300,000 00 | |
| Totals of Group "C." | \$46,297,090 21 | \$5,646,471 53 | \$40,650,618 68 | |

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Aggregate Totals of Groups "A," "B" and "C" | (3)\$1,121,671,536 35 | \$175,728,406 79 | \$945,943,129 56 | \$33,812,284 93 |
| General Fund Bonds | (4) 206,000,000 00 | 206,000,000 00 | | |

Grand Totals of Funded Debt ...\$1,327,671,536 35 \$381,728,406 79 \$945,943,129 56 *\$33,812,284 93

(1) Includes the amounts expended in the acquirement of property for and in the construction of the new Municipal Building, \$18,801,832.

(2) Of these, \$24,300,000 were issued in 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1915 for Deficiencies in Taxes of 1904 and prior years.

(4) Represent the amount of Surplus Revenue of Sinking Fund, No. 1, applied toward reduction of current taxation. These bonds are held by Sinking Fund No. 1.

Of the Total Funded Debt (3) the following amounts are exempted under the State Constitution and decisions of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court from inclusion in the Debt Limit:

| | |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| Water Bonds and Notes | \$186,609,977 09 |
| Rapid Transit Bonds | 47,482,725 18 |
| Dock Bonds | 69,943,053 55 |
| County Bonds | 18,497,641 52 |
| | \$322,533,397 34 |

*Corporate Stock Notes Outstanding December 31, 1915 \$34,080,284 93
To be redeemed from proceeds of Bond Sale of June 29, 1915 268,000 00

Balance to be redeemed at maturity from proceeds of Bonds to be issued \$33,812,284 93

| THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, Division of Chief Accountant. | | | |
|---|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| STATEMENT—Setting forth the CONSTITUTIONAL DEBT-INCURRING POWER—"DEBT LIMIT," of THE CITY OF NEW YORK as of JANUARY 1, 1916 (A. M.). | | | |
| The TOTAL DEBT-INCURRING POWER of THE CITY WITHIN the DEBT LIMIT is TEN (10) PER CENT. of the ASSESSED VALUATION of TAXABLE REAL ESTATE, which, per the Assessment of 1915, is | | | |
| GROSS FUNDED DEBT as of JANUARY 1, 1916 (A. M.) (vide pp. 23, 31, 33) | | \$1,361,483,821 28 | \$810,876,423 70 |
| From which are Exempted Funded Debts outside the Debt Limit—in accordance with the State Constitution as determined by decisions of the Court of Appeals—COUNTY BONDS and certain WATER BONDS—the latter for debt incurred subsequent to January 1, 1904, viz.: | | | |
| COUNTY BONDS | | \$18,489,746 28 | |
| WATER BONDS issued since January 1, 1904 | \$191,377,428 10 | | |
| Less Amount of Cash from proceeds of above Water Bonds to liquidate Indebtedness incurred prior to January 1, 1904 | 9,252,327 72 | | |
| | \$182,125,100 38 | | |
| Corporate Stock Notes for Water Purposes (outstanding Jan. 1, 1916) | 4,484,876 71 | 186,609,977 09 | |
| | | \$205,099,723 37 | |
| RAPID TRANSIT BONDS—Manhattan-Bronx, Exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court, July 5, 1910 | \$43,868,325 18 | | |
| RAPID TRANSIT BONDS—Brooklyn-Manhattan, Exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court, April 5, 1911 | 3,614,400 00 | | |
| | \$47,482,725 18 | | |
| Dock BONDS—Exempted by Appellate Division of Supreme Court, January 31, 1913 | 69,943,053 55 | 117,425,778 73 | |
| FUNDED DEBT, EXEMPT—Outside the Debt Limit | | \$322,525,502 10 | 322,525,502 10 |
| FUNDED DEBT, NON-EXEMPT—Within the Debt Limit | | | \$1,038,958,319 18 |
| Deductions from Funded Debt within the Debt Limit: | | | |
| TOTAL SINKING FUND HOLDINGS for the REDEMPTION of FUNDED DEBT: | | | |
| New York City Securities (Bonds and Corporate Stock Notes) | \$382,078,406 79 | | |
| Mortgages | 40,201 00 | | |
| Cash | 5,631,076 97 | | |
| Total Securities and Cash held in Sinking Funds | \$387,749,684 76 | | |
| Less Charges against such, consisting of— | | | |
| Amount of Accrued Amortization on Exempted Bonds, viz.: | | | |
| New York County Bonds | \$7,779,613 44 | | |
| Water Bonds | 7,704,008 88 | | |
| Rapid Transit Bonds | 5,087,307 92 | | |
| Dock Bonds | 7,101,181 95 | 27,672,112 19 | |
| NET SINKING FUND HOLDINGS for REDEMPTION of FUNDED DEBT within the DEBT LIMIT, viz.: NON-EXEMPT DEBT | \$360,077,572 57 | | |
| Plus 1916 Budget Appropriations for Direct Redemption of Funded Debt | \$3,867,275 27 | | |
| 1916 Budget Appropriations for Amortization of Funded Debt | 8,200,000 00 | 12,067,275 27 | 372,144,847 84 |
| TOTAL CONSTITUTIONAL FUNDED DEBT, WITHIN the DEBT LIMIT | | | \$666,813,471 34 |
| To which are to be Added Debts other than Funded Debt: | | | |
| LAND LIABILITY (estimated) including Interest to January 1, 1916 (A. M.) | | \$17,329,985 12 | |
| *CONTRACT LIABILITY—Various Municipal Purposes | \$8,375,306 29 | | |
| *CONTRACT LIABILITY—Street Improvement Fund | 3,275,245 76 | | |
| *CONTRACT LIABILITY—Rapid Transit: | | | |
| Account Contract No. 3 | \$19,319,891 72 | | |
| Account Contract No. 4 | 38,550,021 75 | | |
| | \$57,869,913 47 | | |
| *Account Rapid Transit Contracts registered prior to March 18, 1913 | 9,780,943 68 | 67,650,857 15 | *79,301,409 20 |
| | | \$96,631,394 32 | |
| OPEN MARKET ORDERS | | 119,737 35 | |
| | | \$96,751,131 67 | |
| Less Cash available therefor: | | | |
| For account of Various Municipal Purposes | \$2,845,860 59 | | |
| For account of Rapid Transit | 3,911,640 65 | | |
| For account of Local Improvements | 257,376 61 | 7,014,877 85 | 89,736,253 82 |
| TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS WITHIN THE DEBT LIMIT | | | 756,549,725 16 |
| CONSTITUTIONAL DEBT-INCURRING POWER of THE CITY OF NEW YORK, within the Debt Limit as of January 1, 1916 (A. M.) | | | \$54,326,698 54 |
| The Legal "Debt Limit" thus established is available for: | | | |
| Rapid Transit only | | \$2,302,624 54 | |
| Reserve for South Brooklyn Marginal Railroad | | \$9,492,004 83 | |
| Balance for Reserve for Dock, Port and Terminal Improvement | | 1,503,525 65 | |
| Unencumbered Authorization for Dock, Port and Terminal Improvements | | 3,044,638 38 | |
| Total Reserves and Unencumbered Authorizations for Marginal Railroad and Dock Improvements | | 14,040,168 86 | |
| Unencumbered Balances of Authorizations for Various other Municipal Purposes | | 15,751,444 13 | |
| UNRESERVED MARGIN for any Municipal purposes which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may determine | | 22,232,461 01 | |
| | | | \$54,326,698 54 |
| ADDENDUM—Correlating the DEBT LIMIT with MARGIN for ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATIONS, Setting forth (1) the CITY DEBT LIMIT, and (2) the ADDITIONAL MARGIN to AUTHORIZE FURTHER OUTLAYS for IMPROVEMENTS, based on DEBT LIMIT as of JANUARY 1, 1916 (A. M.). | | | |
| PART I. CITY'S Legal Debt-Incurring Power or "Debt Limit" as of January 1, 1916 (A. M.) | | | |
| Balance of Reserves and of Specific Authorizations against which no Contracts were registered as at closing, December 31, 1915 | \$54,326,698 54 | | |
| | 32,094,237 53 | | |
| PART II. AUTHORIZATIONS SPECIFICALLY APPLIED, and MARGIN for ADDITIONAL SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATIONS predicated on UNUSED BALANCES of PREVIOUS AUTHORIZATIONS and RESERVES, correlated with DEBT LIMIT: | | | |
| "Debt Limit" for Rapid Transit Purposes only, against which there are Commitments, but no Registered Contracts | \$2,302,624 54 | | |
| Reserve for Port and Terminal Improvement, subject to specific Authorizations: | | | |
| Amount reserved by resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 2, 1914: | | | |
| For South Brooklyn Marginal Railroad | \$9,492,004 83 | | |
| Balance of Reserves for Dock, Port and Terminal Improvements | 1,503,525 65 | | |
| | \$10,995,530 48 | | |
| Unencumbered Balance of Authorizations for Docks, Port and Terminal Improvements available for Specific Contracts | 3,044,638 38 | | |
| Total Reserve and Unencumbered Authorizations for Marginal Railroad and Dock Improvements | | 14,040,168 86 | |
| Specific Authorizations for Various Municipal Purposes against which no Contracts or other Liabilities were Registered as at closing December 31, 1915 | | 15,751,444 13 | |
| | | \$32,094,237 53 | |
| TOTAL MARGIN—WITHIN DEBT LIMIT—for ADDITIONAL SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATIONS for ANY MUNICIPAL PURPOSE which the BOARD of ESTIMATE and APPORTIONMENT may determine | | | |
| | | | \$22,232,461 01 |
| Note—There is still \$8,700,000 of unissued authorizations for corporate stock to fund Deficiencies in Taxes, which has not been included in the foregoing totals with respect to authorizations. This amount represents the balance of the \$36,000,000 of corporate stock authorized in 1906 to fund Deficiencies in Taxes, but which is still unissued. | | | |
| *Note—The Contract Liability thus indicated on Debt Limit Statement (opposite) reflects the net amount of contracts after charging against the total Contract price the amount of vouchers certifying work progressed. The vouchers are also simultaneously charged against the cash available for the contract liquidation. The cash balances shown on the Debt Limit Statement thus reflect the net amount of contract cash after providing for the payment of all vouchers through the medium of the proper city warrants—which latter are a part of the vouchers already charged and not an addition thereto. | | | |
| Note—The Tables on pages 22, 23, 31, 33, 41, 42 and 43 summarize all the essential particulars of the Gross Funded Debt; of the Exempted Bonds; of the Securities and Cash held by the Sinking Funds separately and collectively; of the Contract Liabilities, Cash available therefor and the balances of Authorizations of Corporate Stock against which there are no Contracts or Commitments, as set forth, in their respective totals, on the "Debt Limit" Statement on opposite or preceding page. | | | |
| Which was ordered on file. | | | |
| COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS. | | | |
| The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Coroners, Borough of Manhattan. | | | |
| No. 444. | | | |
| Coroners, Manhattan—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$384, for the Purpose of Paying Dr. John McAllister for Services Rendered. | | | |
| Coroners' Office, Borough of Manhattan, New York, Municipal Building, April 26th, 1916. | | | |
| To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, City of New York: | | | |
| Gentlemen—We respectfully request your Honorable Board to authorize an issue of special Revenue Bonds in the sum of \$384.00 for the purpose of paying Dr. John McAllister of 43 West 48th Street, New York, for services rendered by him as temporary Coroners' Physician in this office, from June 28th to July 14th, 1914 and February 1st to March 3rd, 1915. | | | |
| The necessity for his employment was caused by the suspension of Dr. Otto H. Schultze, a Coroners' Physician in this office on Charges, during the times aforesaid mentioned. | | | |
| There was no money available in the appropriation accounts of this office at the times Dr. McAllister was employed, though in 1914 the sum of \$359.59 was returned | | | |

to the General Fund and in 1915 the sum of \$1,107.51 was returned to the General Fund, both amounts being from the Appropriation Accounts of Salaries Regular Employees, of this office.

The Civil Service Commission approved of Dr. McAllister's appointment and as he performed his duties faithfully and efficiently it is but just that he should be paid.

Very truly yours, ISRAEL L. FEINBERG, President of the Board.
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

No. 445.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution for Corporate Stock, \$25,000, for the Construction of a Gravity Water System, Including Completion of Reservoir at Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Otisville, N. Y.

City of New York Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 28, 1916 amending resolution adopted on April 28, 1916 which authorized the issue of \$25,000 corporate stock for the construction of a gravity water system, including completion of reservoir, at the Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y., under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, by including after the words "including completion of reservoir" the words "and the erection of a wire fence to enclose the property of the reservoir."

I also transmit copy of report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget relative thereto. Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 26, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 15, 1913, which authorized an issue of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) corporate stock, to provide means for the construction of a gravity water system, including completion of reservoir, at the Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y., under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the words "including completion of reservoir," the words "and the erection of a wire fence to enclose the property of the reservoir."

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 28, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, March 18, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 7, 1915, the Department of Health requested the amendment of the \$25,000 corporate stock authorization of June 26, 1913, for additional water supply and water lines at the Municipal Sanatorium at Otisville, so as to include a pressure filter and to enclose the reservoir property with a non-climbable fence.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision, to which this request was referred on September 9, 1915, reports thereon as follows:

"The Department of Health requested that action be delayed on this request, as the necessity for the filter to clear the water, which is very dark and offensive in odor and taste, had not been fully established. The Department desires that no action be taken on the filter part of the request, until later on, when it will be known whether or not the water will clear itself through a spillway that has been constructed. The reservoir covers approximately forty acres and the water shed that feeds it has an area of about three hundred acres.

"In its present condition it is impossible to prevent trespassing on the part of fishermen, hunters, people from near-by villages desiring to bathe or skate, or the inmates of the Sanatorium; nor can cattle be kept from wading in the water and contaminating it. There are several approaches to the reservoir over which at the present time pedestrians can travel without any restraint.

"It is proposed to build a wire "non-climbable type" fence around the reservoir, including in its confines the most of the water shed. This fence is to begin at a point about one-half a mile from the southeast corner of the reservoir and run in a northerly direction, about one-eighth of a mile west of the reservoir, for a mile; thence in an easterly direction for a half mile; thence in a southerly direction for a mile; thence in a westerly direction for a half mile to place of beginning.

"Wherever the fence runs through the forest, it is proposed to substitute iron for wooden posts, so that in the event of a forest fire, the fence will not be destroyed through the burning of the posts.

"The cost of the fence has been estimated at about \$1,400; \$400 for labor and balance for materials.

"There is at present an unencumbered balance of \$1,900.50 in this fund."

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

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; FRANK L. DOWLING, President Board of Aldermen; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President Borough of The Bronx, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 446.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Forester, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 28, 1916, recommending the establishment of the grade of position of Forester at \$2,280 per annum, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

I also transmit copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

| Title. | Rate Per Annum. | Number of Incumbents. |
|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Forester | \$2,280 00 | One |

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 28, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, April 6, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On April 1, 1916, the COMMISSIONER OF PARKS, MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND, requested establishment of a grade of position, pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon as follows:

"Purpose—(1) To establish the grade of position of Forester at \$2,280 per annum for one incumbent.

"Reason—(1) To provide for the employment of a scientifically trained and experienced head of a bureau which is to deal with the long-neglected tree situation in the city streets and parks. In the reorganization of the Department this position takes the place of an Entomologist at \$1,800 and an Arboriculturist at \$1,200, and will provide an assistant to the Chief Engineer, who, in addition to his former duties, now also has supervision of the maintenance and operation of the park working force, the position of Superintendent of Parks at \$4,000 having been eliminated.

"Finding—(1) The work falls in Grade 1 of the Forester Group of the Professional Service of the proposed standard specifications with a salary range from \$1,920 to \$2,700 per annum. This position has been specifically appraised at a minimum of \$2,280 per annum."

Recommendation—In view of the above report the Committee recommends that the request be granted by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 447.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith, certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 28, 1916, recommending the fixing of compensation of Janitors of various public schools, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education, at amounts set forth in the enclosed resolution.

I also transmit copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Whereas, The Special Committee on Janitorial Compensation and the Committee on School Inquiry, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, submitted a joint report on March 27, 1913, which contained detailed suggestions and recommendations for the reorganization of the Janitorial force of the Board of Education; therefore be it

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

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| Janitor, Public School 3, Manhattan, per annum, less \$221..... | \$3,588 00 |
| Janitor, Public School 48, Manhattan, per annum, less \$299..... | 1,680 00 |
| Janitor, Public School 41, The Bronx, per annum, less \$221..... | 1,998 00 |

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 28, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Committee on Education, March 31, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 8 and 22, 1916, the Board of Education requested establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of rates of compensation for the Janitors of Public Schools Nos. 3 and 48, Manhattan; 41, The Bronx, and the Bushwick High School, Brooklyn. In connection therewith we report as follows:

For the following schools temporary rates are requested, being the regular rates less rent allowance:

| | Rate. Regular | Allowance. Rent | Rate. Temporary |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Public School 3, Manhattan..... | \$3,588 00 | \$221 00 | \$3,367 00 |
| Public School 48, Manhattan..... | 1,680 00 | 299 00 | 1,381 00 |
| Public School 41, The Bronx..... | 1,998 00 | 221 00 | 1,777 00 |

For the Janitor of the Bushwick High School a schedule of compensation for night activities is proposed, as set forth in the following resolution of the Board of Education adopted March 22, 1916:

"Resolved, That the following rate of additional compensation for night activities in the Bushwick High School be and it is hereby adopted, subject to action as may be necessary, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, pending the adoption of a revised schedule of rates for such activities generally applicable to schools of the system:

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| "(1) Allowance for Janitor's service as an individual on each and every evening when his presence is required at the school building on account of any evening activity authorized by the Board of Education, per evening..... | \$2 37 |
| "(2) Allowance for overtime for the boiler room force from October 1 to May 15, per month..... | 80 00 |
| "(3) Allowance for overtime of cleaning force for all night activities other than Social and Recreation activities, per workshop used | 15 |
| "(4) Allowance for Social and Recreation Centre cleaning and patrol duty, per night | 1 00 |

"—and be it further

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to take action, if necessary, with reference to the matter mentioned in the foregoing resolution, in accordance with section 56 of the Revised Charter."

It will be seen from the foregoing schedule that the additional compensation to be allowed the Janitor of the Bushwick High School for night activities may vary from night to night, according to the number of rooms used. Additional compensation allowed by the Board of Education to Janitors of other schools in connection with night activities is in like manner based upon certain schedules which make the compensation for each night depend upon the number and kind of rooms used.

As regards the fixing of such schedules under the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, no action has heretofore been taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen in view of an opinion rendered under date of Nov. 3, 1910, by the then acting Corporation Counsel to the effect that the action which the last mentioned Boards are called upon to take under section 56 of the Charter contemplates the fixing of definite rates of salary and not merely the fixing of schedules or formulas which are to be used in determining definite allowances of compensation. It will therefore not be necessary for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to take action upon the proposed schedule for compensating the Janitor of the Bushwick High School under the provisions of section 56 of the Charter.

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

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Acting President, Borough of Queens:

No. 448.

Acting President, Borough of Queens—Designation of Alfred C. Benninger to Act as Member of the Board.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, May 2, 1916.

Mr. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—Pursuant to the provisions of section 383 of the Greater New York Charter, and opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated January 15, 1908, based thereon, I have designated Alfred C. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, to act as a Member of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, in and for the President of the Borough of Queens, at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, advertised to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Tuesday, May 2, 1916, at 1:30 p. m. Yours very truly,

JAMES A. DAYTON, Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Which was ordered on file.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 499.

Resolution That the Board of Aldermen as a Body Join in the Parade for Preparedness on Saturday, May 13, 1916.

By Alderman Kenneally—

Whereas, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York is firm in the belief of preparedness, with which policy the entire business world and the best citizenship of the municipality is in thorough accord; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, as a body, join the parade for preparedness to be held on Saturday, May 13, 1916.

Resolved, further, That the President of the Board appoint a Committee of three to make such arrangements as may be necessary and appraise each individual member of such arrangements.

Which was adopted.

The President named as the Committee provided for the foregoing resolution Aldermen Kenney, Kenneally and Curran.

No. 450—(G. O. No. 72).

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

By the President—

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

By Aldermen Bent—

Joseph J. Metzger, 1113 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by N. Dietz and J. S. Ross.

Philip J. Gass, 1416 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. R. Edson and A. Little.

August George Beyer.

Endorsed by James H. Cross and P. McCormack.

By Alderman Browne—

Henry C. Draper, 90 Johnson St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. Connelly and W. Hennessey.

By Alderman Carroll—

Frank Robert Geraty, 39 East 76th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. G. Calhoun and J. P. Brunneall.

Joseph V. De Rosa, 19 E. 88th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. A. Eaton and G. E. Oberle.

By Alderman Cassidy—

Julius M. Leder, 210 E. 83d St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. C. Hecht and M. Levy.

By Alderman Collins—

William E. Rozett, 225 East 24th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Ferguson and L. Kugelman.

By Alderman Cox—

Frank Siefert, 340 Dill Place, Glendale, Queens.

Endorsed by H. Sanders and A. J. Morris.

Michael Schoenherr, 300 St. Nicholas Ave., Ridgewood, Queens.

Endorsed by A. S. Benninger and C. Gastmeyer.

Albert Lambert, 975 Seneca Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by M. Hertz and W. A. Moller.

Herbert Bernard Keneally, 60 Seminole St., Neponsit, Queens.

Endorsed by M. H. Ellison and M. Taylor.

By Alderman Crane—

Margaret M. McDermott, 502 West 173d St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. S. Barron and S. B. Williams.

William Kirk, 736 West 181st St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. M. Kroic and J. S. Diamond.

James Sprinz, 590 West 174th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by I. Hecht and D. J. Lumsden.

Sigmund H. Spritz, 565 West 162nd St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. Greenberg and M. H. Wolfe.

John Augustus Wrede, 601 West 174th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. F. Schneider, Jr. and H. W. Beyer.

By Alderman Curley—

Edward I. Eisenberg, 866 Hunters Point Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by S. Markman and C. S. Gross.

George W. Conner, 140 Brown Pl., Bronx.

Endorsed by W. D. Cushman and C. E. Chalmert.

Owen J. McCue, 377 East 141st St., Bronx.

Endorsed by G. R. Lahrmann and C. A. Spear.

Diogenes Terretta Wian, 2748 3d Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by W. J. Gerhardt and H. Amster.

Marvin E. Kleinberger, 941 Intervale Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. F. Sullivan and J. H. Cross.

Samuel Katz, 882 Beck St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. C. Erskine and G. H. Wolf.

Morris Goldgeier, 600 Prospect Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by S. Cohen and J. Silverstein.

By Alderman Curran—

Thomas F. McCoy, 3 & 5 Bank St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by G. Vogt and C. Jacobs.

By Alderman Daly—

Frank Higbie, 2773 Briggs Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by O. J. McCue and G. W. Tirchingham.

By Alderman Diemer—

Henry Gerken, 28 Vernon Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by A. M. Lang and Wm. J. Hackett.

By Alderman Dostal—

Celia Weiss, 76 St. Marks Pl., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. Weiss and M. Rothman.

By Alderman Drescher—

Abraham Rockmore, 1540 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. N. Noden and H. L. Breslaw.

Bernard L. Golieb, 419 Blake Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by A. Kiendl and S. Fish.

Leo B. Cohen, 1808 Prospect Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by A. Kiendl and S. Fish.

By Alderman Dunn—

William Dunn, 5320 6th Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. S. Nichols and W. V. Donovan.

Joseph A. Beyers, 7110 Ridge Court, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Walsh and A. Isaacsen.

Henry Morris Haviland, 172 71st St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. S. Keiley and C. P. Browning.

By Alderman Farley—

William J. O'Connor, 367 East 62nd St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by F. L. Hackenburg and J. C. Kirchoff.

Alois G. McKay, 207 East 72nd St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. L. Hackenburg and J. C. Kirchoff.

By Alderman Ferrand—

Joseph M. Karl, 55 8th Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. K. Andrews and T. H. Roulston.

By Alderman Friedlander—

Henry Herz, 224 West 122nd St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. W. Bermant and H. I. Perlin.

David Taubenfeld, 80 West 126th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by S. Rosenstein and S. Deutch.

Isidor Tow, 12 East 127th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by S. Suigerman and D. B. Baum.

By Alderman Gaynor—

Samuel Stern, 155 Havemeyer St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. Keansner and J. Schlazen.

By Alderman Goetz—

John A. Munson, Jr., 49 Delap St., Jamaica, Queens.

Endorsed by S. C. Donovan and J. P. Barrell.

Samuel A. Hodges, 48 Vanderveer Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by J. Leich and C. F. Douglass.

By Alderman Gutman—

Gussie Laufer, 95 East 116th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. D. Feldstein and J. Ludlow.

Isidor Wasserman, 7 East 98th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Lewis and M. Wasserman.

By Alderman Haubert—

Thomas Chas. Beichert, 1336 Hancock St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. Deimer and A. S. Schaefer.

Chas. F. Werner, 1205 Hancock St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. H. Haubert and W. I. Wolff.

By Alderman Hilkemeier—

Harry P. Francis, 45 Melrose St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by O. Muhlbaier and R. Fischer.

Morris George Kantrowitz, 295 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. Levy and L. H. Lewbel.

Louis Selle, 16 Ditmar St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. Schieffer and W. Bennether.

By Alderman Hogan—

Edward J. Fitzsimmons, 174 Warren St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. P. Judge and J. H. Collins.

Henry S. B. Wright, 71 Pierrepont St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by E. B. Terry, Jr. and H. C. Mesereau.

By Alderman Kenney—

Frederick W. Scott, 164 Bond St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. J. Bryan and T. D. Scanlon.

By Alderman McCann—

Joseph A. N. Thomas, 315 West 54th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Siedorf and B. M. Caulkin.

By Alderman McGarry—

Frederick C. Streib, 95 Nassau Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. S. Nelson and Geo. See.

By Alderman McKee—

John A. Galvin, 2066 Madison Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. E. Slevin and C. G. Welsch.

By Alderman Moore—

Luther H. Kidder, 15 Hale Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. Schmulke and J. Wien.

By Alderman Mullen—

Ida M. Fitzpatrick, 2727 Eighth Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. I. Brightman and Geo. Norris.

Louis Feinstein, 3495 Broadway, Manhattan.

Endorsed by R. Stone and J. Shornetz.

By Alderman Palitz—

James W. Dillon, 1163 Clay Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. M. O'Neill and J. W. Euson.

Samuel S. Weiss, 1358-60 Brook Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. Blumenthal and H. L. Iallete.

Frank Gieb, 1242 Brook Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by Peter Yoors and Henry Philpa.

By Alderman Post—

Walter R. Taylor, 57 North 14th St., Flushing, Queens.

Endorsed by A. Dreyfus and J. H. Blosh.

By Alderman Quinn—

William H. Gentzlinger, 97 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.

Endorsed by Max Isahowitz and Max Weiss.

Monte London, 672 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by Max Tachna and A. M. Davis.

By Alderman Robitzek—

Herman H. Feldstein, 1048 Bryant Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by Ed. Isaac and J. Frank.

Nathan L. Spertell, 910 Prospect Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by I. L. Herscher and J. Kulkier.

Bernard J. Blickman, 1504 Charlotte St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. Nemeror and J. T. Cox.

Arthur Weyl, 897 Cauldwell Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by N. W. Herbst and S. Garry.

Louis A. Moskowitz, 675 East 170th St., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. W. Cook and J. A. Hamilton.

Benjamin Berenson, 783 Beck St., Bronx.

Endorsed by M. Landan and S. Reiner.

By Alderman Ryan—

Betty L. Scharoun, 1323 70th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by T. A. Pelligrino and J. J. Butler.

Bernard Pollak, 2025 Cropsey Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Harors and S. Kahan.

Philip Pariser, 2859 Cortland St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by L. L. Richman and L. J. Warshauer.

By Alderman Shields—

Jacob W. Bermant, 231 West 111th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by Henry Herz and H. I. Perlin.

By Alderman Schmitz—

Vincent J. Kowalski, 124 41st St., Corona, Queens.

Endorsed by J. V. Ganwel and S. Eught.

Henry Klein, 67 Maurice Ave., Elmhurst, Queens.

Endorsed by G. Cook and C. A. Jacob.

By Alderman Smith—

Judson B. Pinckney, 439a Monroe St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by N. L. Reeves and E. C. Arnold.

By Alderman Squires—

Harold D. Watson, 934 Albemarle Rd., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. M. Livingston and R. S. Keisteller.

J. Louis Lutjen, 345 Westminster Road, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by L. J. Schindler and H. V. C. Bell.

Leon Longuemare, 3412 Glenwood Road, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by E. Johnson and H. W. Temple.

Harper D. Canaday, 964 East 10th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. H. Richards and D. L. Brown.

William Harold Huelser, 1011 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by R. H. Van Ness and J. Hays.

By Alderman Stapleton—

Richard J. Delehanty, 5 Madison St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Stapleton and T. F. Campbell.

By Alderman Stevenson—

Charles L. Livingston, 312 Garfield Pl., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. Bondy and G. C. Sniffen.

Catherine A. Weldon, 591 Seventh St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. Loenethel and S. Beinhelm.

H. Murray LaMont, 902 President St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. J. Maxwell and D. E. Jayne, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Trau—

Lawrence E. Joffe, 169 East 108th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by C. J. Kennedy and D. J. Dunne.

By Alderman Williams—

Isadore Kronstein, 26 West 112th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Gaus and A. Daris.

By Alderman Wirth—

Samuel Howard Zimmerman, 347 Bainbridge St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. M. May and M. S. Pons.

By Alderman Wendel—

Jacob Kleinman, 843 Eighth Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by G. V. Meckel and Mack Schenck.

By Alderman Wise—

George L. Tighe, 618 West 135th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Sebastian Maxwell and R. P. Rumsey.

Auto U. Scott, 3 East 132nd St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. J. Kohn and E. A. Wise.

Which was laid over.

No. 451—Ord. No. 57.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Rules of the Road," and Particularly to "Restricted Streets."

By Alderman Cardani—
AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances relating to "rules of the road," and particularly to "restricted streets."

Be it ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1, subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances relating to "rules of the road," and particularly to "restricted streets," as amended, is hereby further amended by inserting in their appropriate places, the following words:

42nd Street, between the westerly side of Park Avenue and the easterly side of Broadway, Manhattan.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 452—Ord. No. 58.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 6 of Article 1 of Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to Amusements and Exhibitions.

By Alderman Haubert—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 6 of article 1 of chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances relating to Amusements and Exhibitions.

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

Section 1. Section 6 of article 1 of chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances relating to Amusements and Exhibitions, is hereby amended to read as follows:

6. Preceding sections not applicable to certain performances. The provisions and requirements of the preceding sections of this article, shall not be held to apply to any building, hall, room or rooms, in which only private theatricals, tableaux and other exhibitions for charitable and religious purposes are given, nor to the manager of exhibitions given by amateurs for the benefit of any church, mission, parish or Sunday school, or for any other charitable or religious purpose; nor shall the same be held to apply to any masonic temple; nor to the trustees of any masonic hall and asylum fund, so long as the revenues of said temple shall continue to be applied to the use of the masonic hall and asylum, or other charitable purpose; nor to the Educational Alliance, nor to the directors or officers thereof, as such, with respect to any building which shall in whole or in part be owned or leased, by said Alliance, while so owned or leased, or so long as the revenue thereof shall continue to be applied to the support of the Alliance and to the religious, charitable, social, educational or literary purposes thereof [. . .]: nor to any bona fide club, association or organization, duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York for social, literary, educational or athletic purposes, nor to the directors or officers thereof, as such, with respect to any building which shall in whole or in part be owned or leased, by said club, association or organization, while so owned or leased, or so long as the revenue thereof shall continue to be applied to the support of the club, association or organization and to the social, literary, educational or athletic purposes thereof; provided, however, that not more than twelve performances are given during a calendar year.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 453—Ord. No. 59.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 31 of Article 3 of Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to Weights and Measures and Particularly to Standards for Various Commodities.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 31 of Article 3 of Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances relating to Weights and Measures and particularly to Standards for Various Commodities.

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

Section 1. Section 31 of article 3 of chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to Weights and Measures and particularly to Standards for Various Commodities is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subdivision to be known as 3 thereof, to read as follows:

3. Every person, firm or corporation selling or offering for sale coal at retail in The City of New York shall sell the same by avoirdupois weight.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 454—Ord. No. 60.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to Weights and Measures and Particularly to Regulation of Weights and Measures.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances relating to Weights and Measures and particularly to Regulation of Weights and Measures.

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

Section 1. Section 13 of article 2 of chapter 26 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to Weights and Measures and particularly to Regulation of Weights and Measures, is hereby amended to read as follows:

§13. Use of untested weights and measures. No person shall sell or offer for sale any commodity or article of merchandise in any market or in any public street or other place, at or for a greater weight or measure than the true measure or weight thereof; and all ice, [coal,] coke, meats, poultry, butter and butter in prints, provisions, and all other commodities and articles of merchandise (except vegetables sold by the head or bunch) sold in the streets or elsewhere shall be weighed or measured by scales, measures or balances, or in measures duly tested, sealed and marked by the commissioner or an inspector of the bureau; provided, that poultry may be offered for sale and sold in other manner than by weight, but in all cases where the person intending to purchase shall so desire and request poultry shall be weighed as hereinbefore provided.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—Matter in [] to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 455—Ord. No. 61.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 1 of Section 21 of Article 3 of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Snow and Ice," as Amended.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 21 of Article 3 of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Snow and Ice," as Amended.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 21 of article 3 of chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Snow and Ice," as amended May 11, 1915, and July 16, 1915, respectively, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

§21. Property owners' duties. 1. Must clear sidewalks. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground in the city, abutting upon any street or public place where the sidewalk is paved, shall, within [4] 24 hours after the snow ceases to fall, or after the deposit of any dirt or other material upon said sidewalk, remove the snow and ice, dirt or other material from the sidewalk and gutter [the time between 9 p. m. and 7 a. m. not being included in the above period of 4 hours]; provided, however, that such removal shall in all cases be made before the removal of snow and ice from the roadway by the commissioner of street cleaning, or by the borough president of Queens or Richmond, or subject to the regulations of said commissioner of street cleaning, or of said borough president of Queens or Richmond, for the removal of snow and ice, dirt or other material; except that in the boroughs of Queens or Richmond any owner, lessee, tenant or occupant, or other person who has charge of any ground abutting upon any paved street or public place, for a linear distance of 500 feet or more, shall be considered to have complied with this section, if such person shall have begun to remove the snow and ice from the sidewalk and gutter before the expiration of the said [4] 24 hours, and shall continue and complete such removal within a reasonable time.

[Whenever] Any owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground abutting upon any street or public place where the sidewalk is paved who shall [fail] have failed to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the city for the removal of snow and ice, dirt, or other material from the sidewalk and gutter in the street, on the side of the street on which such building or lots abuts, shall, upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not more than \$3. In the event that any of the persons above named shall fail to comply with the provisions of any ordinance of the city for the removal of snow and ice, dirt, or other material from the sidewalk and gutter in the street, on the side of the street on which such building or lots abuts, the president of the borough in which such building or vacant lot is located may cause such removal to be made, meeting the expense thereof from any suitable street cleaning or highway fund, and thereafter the expense of such removal as to each particular lot of ground shall be ascertained and certified by the said borough president to the comptroller, and the board of estimate and apportionment may authorize such additional expenditures as may be required for the said removal of such snow and ice [and snow], dirt or other

material, to be repaid to the fund from which the payments were made, with proceeds from the issue and sale of revenue bonds which shall be sold by the comptroller, as provided by law.

The said borough president shall, as soon as possible, after the work of such removal is done, certify to the corporation counsel the amount of the expense chargeable against each [piece of property] lot of ground affected.

The corporation counsel is hereby directed and authorized [to sue for and recover the amount of this expense, together with \$3 penalty for each offense, and when so recovered the amount shall be turned over] to immediately thereafter prepare and file in the office of the clerk of the county in which the particular lot of ground is located, a notice of lien in favor of The City of New York for the amount paid for the removal of such snow and ice, dirt or other material, and in addition thereto the further sum of \$3 penalty for each offense against the particular lot of ground affected; said lien to remain such against said property until paid. The corporation counsel shall serve or caused to be served by mail upon the owner of the property affected a copy of said notice of lien, contained in a securely closed post-paid wrapper, addressed to such owner at his last known place of residence. Upon payment of such lien the corporation counsel shall execute and deliver a satisfaction piece of such lien and turn over the amount so received and collected by him to the city chamberlain to the credit of the general fund of The City of New York for the reduction of taxation.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—Matter in italics is new; matter in [] is to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 456—Ord. No. 62.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 6 of Section 149 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Stands Within Stoop Lines and Under Elevated Railroad Stations."

By Alderman Robitzek—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Subdivision 6 of Section 149 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "stands within stoop lines and under elevated railroad stations."

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

That Section 1, Subdivision 6 of Section 149 of Article 13 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "stands within stoop lines and under elevated railroad stations," is hereby amended to read as follows:

6. Restrictions:

a. Every stand, other than a stand or booth under the stairs of an elevated railway station, must be strictly within the stoop line, and shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public. It shall not exceed the space of 10 feet long by 4 feet wide; except that, in the case of bootblack stands, a space not more than 3 feet [wide] long and 4 feet [long] wide may be occupied by each chair of the stand. The enforcement of the provisions of this paragraph is hereby suspended until October 1, 1915, in the case of stands erected and maintained prior to March 14, 1914, where the restriction of the dimensions of the stands would, in the opinion of the commissioner, entail a severe burden on the owners thereof, but this provision shall not be construed to permit the erection of any new stand of dimensions exceeding those hereinbefore specified;

b. No person shall be permitted to sleep in any portion of a stand; nor to hold more than one license;

c. No bootblack stand shall be provided with more than 3 chairs.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter, in brackets [], to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 457—Ord. No. 63.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 140 of Article 13 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York Relating to Obstructions and Incumbrances on Streets.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 140 of Article 13 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to obstructions and incumbrances on streets.

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

Section 1. Section 140, of Article 13 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

§140. Special uses of streets; "stoop line," defined.

1. Permit. No person shall incumber or obstruct any street or sidewalk which has been opened, regulated or graded, according to law, with any article or thing whatsoever, without first having obtained written permission from the president of the borough in which such street or sidewalk is situated.

2. "Stoop-line," defined. Wherever used in this article, the term "stoop-line" shall be deemed to mean a line extending parallel to the building line of a street, at a distance of not more than one-tenth part of the width of the street but not more than 6 feet from such building line, in any case.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 458—Ord. No. 64.

An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to Licenses by Adding a New Article to Be Known as Article 15, Entitled Massage Parlors.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances relating to licenses, by adding a new article to be known as Article 15, entitled Massage Parlors.

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

Section 1. Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances relating to licenses is hereby amended by adding thereto a new article to read as follows:

Article 15. Massage Parlors.

Section 172. General Provisions.

173. License, Fee and Bond; Term.

174. Restrictions.

Section 172.

Any massage parlor, institute, institution, or any other place where manual or mechanical massage or similar treatment is applied, except a barber shop, or ladies' hair-dressing establishment, or Russian, or Turkish, or Roman bath house, or a place where manual or mechanical massage or similar treatment is applied by a duly licensed practitioner of osteopathy, shall be deemed to be intended within the terms of this ordinance, and every keeper or proprietor of such massage parlor, institute, institution, or any other place where manual or mechanical massage or similar treatment is applied, shall maintain good order and not allow any person under sixteen years of age to be massaged or employed therein.

Section 173. License, Fee and Bond; Term.

The annual license fee for each keeper or proprietor of a massage parlor shall be twenty-five dollars (\$25), and every such keeper or proprietor shall give a bond to the City with sufficient security to be approved by the Commissioner of Licenses in the penal sum of one hundred dollars (\$100), conditioned for the due observance of the provisions of law or ordinance relating to such massage parlors. All licenses for keepers or proprietors of massage parlors shall be issued as of February 1st and shall expire on the 31st day of January next succeeding the date of issuance thereof.

Section 174. Restrictions.

Section 1. No keeper or proprietor of any such massage parlor shall carry on business at any other place than the one designated in his license, nor shall he continue to carry on business after his license is suspended, revoked or expired.

Sec. 2. Section 1 of Article 1, chapter 14, of the Code of Ordinances, is hereby amended to read as follows:

In addition to the business, places, trades, occupations and things required to be licensed by statute or by other chapters of this code, the following must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely:

- (a) Billiard and pool tables;
- (b) Bowling alleys;
- (c) Dealers in second-hand articles;
- (d) Dirt carts;
- (e) Drivers or chauffeurs of hacks, cabs, taxicabs and expresses;
- (f) Expresses and expressmen;
- (g) Exterior hoists;

(h) Hacks, cabs and taxicabs;
(i) Hand organs;
(j) Itinerant musicians;
(k) Junk dealers;
(kk) *Massage parlors, institute, institution, or any other place where manual or mechanical massage or similar treatment is applied;*
(l) Peddlers, hawkers and vendors;
(m) Public carts and cartmen;
(n) Public porters;
(o) Shooting galleries;
(p) Street musicians;
(q) Stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of elevated or subway stations;
Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.
No. 459.

Resolution That Board of Aldermen Take Part in Preparedness Parade.
By Alderman Silberstein—
Whereas, it has been the demand of the populace for the country's preparedness, and
Whereas, resolutions have been passed by the Board pledging its support to His Excellency the President, Hon. Woodrow Wilson, and
Whereas, a resolution has been passed by the Board of Aldermen offering their aid and loyalty to his Honor the Mayor, Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, and
Whereas, the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York is the authorized mouthpiece of the public of the City of New York, and
Whereas, each Alderman has been elected a member of the Board of Aldermen to be the spokesman of his individual district, and of the City of New York, and
Whereas, the universal public sentiment in favor of preparedness is being demonstrated in manifold concrete ways, and
Whereas, a parade will be held in the City of New York on May 13th, 1916, symbolical of that sentiment, and
Whereas, the sentiments on the question of preparedness are entirely non-partisan; therefore, be it
Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, as a body, form part of such parade on May 13th, 1916, and be it further
Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen form part of such procession headed by the President of the Board of Aldermen, Hon. Frank Dowling, together with all the members of the Board as are able to take part in such procession, and also together with all the attaches and staff of the Board of Aldermen.
Which was ordered on file.

Resolution Extending Greetings to the City of Newark, N. J., on the Occasion of the 250th Anniversary of Its Founding.
By Alderman Sullivan—
Resolved, That the City of New York, by and through the Board of Aldermen, extends greeting to the City of Newark, N. J., on the occasion of the 250th anniversary of its founding, and expresses the wish that the prosperity enjoyed by its people may continue undiminished.
Resolved, Further, That a duly authenticated copy of this expression of felicitation be transmitted to his Honor, the Mayor of Newark, N. J.
Which was adopted.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 12 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Rules of the Road," and Particularly to Lights on Motor Vehicles.
By Alderman Wendel—
AN ORDINANCE to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 12 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to "Rules of the Road," and Particularly to Lights on Motor Vehicles.
Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 12 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "rules of the road," and particularly to lights on motor vehicles is hereby amended to read as follows:
2. *Motor vehicles.* [Every motor vehicle, except motor cycles, shall exhibit, during the period specified in the preceding subdivision, 2 white lights, visible at a distance of 300 feet in the direction toward which the vehicle is proceeding, and shall also exhibit a red light, visible in the reverse direction. The lights shall be so placed as to be free from obstruction by other parts of said vehicle. No operator of any motor vehicle, while operating the same upon any street, shall use any acetylene, electric or other headlight, unless it shall be so shaded as not to blind or dazzle other users of the highway, or make it difficult or unsafe for them to ride, drive or walk thereon.]
No operator of any motor vehicle, while operating the same upon any street, shall use any acetylene, electric or other headlight, unless it shall be so shaded as not to blind or dazzle other users of the highway, or make it difficult or unsafe for them to ride, drive or walk thereon.
That the headlights of every motor vehicle should throw sufficient light ahead to reveal any person, vehicle or substantial object upon the roadway straight ahead of such motor vehicle at a distance of at least 150 feet. These lights should be permanently so arranged that no portion of the reflected beam of light, when measured at a point 50 feet or more ahead of the car, shall rise more than 42 inches above the level surface on which a car stands. Said lights should also give sufficient side illumination to indicate any person, vehicle or substantial object within ten feet of the side of said motor vehicle at a point ten feet or more ahead of it.
The term "Beam" as used in this recommendation is to be construed as meaning the approximately parallel rays of light as gathered and projected by a reflector.
Sec. 2—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
Note—New matter in italics; old matter, in [], to be omitted.
Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.
No. 461—Ord. No. 65.

Resolution Requesting Heads of Departments, Etc., to Grant Leave of Absence to All City Employees Who Are Members of the United Spanish War Veterans to Attend Memorial Services on Sunday, May 28.
By Alderman O'Rourke—
Whereas, a number of the employees of the City of New York are members of the United Spanish War Veterans, a patriotic organization devoted to the support of government, defence of the flag and honor of the nation; and
Whereas, the annual memorial services of respect and tribute to the soldier and sailor dead will be held at the Navy Yard, at St. Paul's Church in lower Broadway and in other sections of the City on Memorial Sunday, May 28th, 1916; therefore, be it
Resolved, that the heads of all Departments and Bureaus of the City Government be requested to grant leave of absence with pay on said Memorial Sunday to all employees and others who are members of the United Spanish War Veterans, in order that they may participate in the aforesaid memorial services or ceremonies.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixson, Dostal, Dunn, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth; President Van Name, by Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works—66.
REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of the Committee on Finance—
No. 357.
Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the District Attorney of Queens County for Special Revenue Bonds, \$3,000, to Provide for Expenses of Prosecuting a Murder Trial.
The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on April 11, 1916 (Minutes,

page 9), the annexed request of the District Attorney of Queens County for Special Revenue Bonds, \$3,000, to provide for expenses of prosecuting a murder trial, respectfully

REPORTS:
The Committee has been requested that no action be taken on this matter. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.
FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.
District Attorney's Office, Queens County, N. Y., Long Island City, March 30, 1916.
Hon. PATRICK J. SCULLY, City Clerk, New York City:
Dear Sir—I hereby respectfully request the adoption by the Board of Aldermen of a resolution recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the issuance of \$3,000 special revenue bonds to provide for the expenses of prosecuting the case of the People against James Clare, in which the defendant is indicted for the crime of Murder in the First Degree. Clare is charged with having assaulted his wife, Ida Clare, on March 16th and 17th, 1916, at Woodside, Queens County, and causing her death on March 17th. The indictment against Clare will be tried early in April, 1916. This was a brutal crime, and the case will be an exceptionally difficult one to prosecute, requiring careful preparation and investigation, and hence the expenditure of considerable money before and during the trial. I deem it expedient not to use the regular annual appropriations for our office toward the payment of the necessary expenses which will be entailed, and that it is a case where I should properly ask an additional allowance.
I would respectfully urge prompt action in this matter in view of the fact that the case will need immediate preparation for the trial, which will take place about April 15, 1916. Yours very truly,
DENIS O'LEARY, District Attorney.
Which report was accepted.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,500, to Repair the Storm Water Culvert Across Richmond Turnpike.
The Committee on Finance to which was referred on April 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 6), the annexed request of the President of the Borough of Richmond for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,500, to repair the storm water culvert across Richmond Turnpike, respectfully,

REPORTS:
This matter was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision for investigation and report, which report states that the work is necessary and the estimated cost reasonable. The Committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.
Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of One thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of repairing the storm water culvert across Richmond Turnpike.
All obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.
FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.
The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, March 28, 1916.
Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:
Sirs—I would request an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$1,500 to repair the storm-water culvert across Richmond Turnpike, at a point about 210 feet west of Ontario Avenue. The present culvert is too small and must be enlarged, in order to prevent damage by flooding property to the south of Richmond Turnpike.
I transmit herewith copy of a letter from the Corporation Counsel, dated February 1, 1916, in which he states:
"In view of the foregoing facts I would respectfully suggest that you take such action in the premises as will effectively remedy the conditions complained of and thus prevent further suits on the part of the Market Gardeners' Association against the City of New York."
I am also forwarding detailed estimate of the cost of this work.
You will note, from the Corporation Counsel's letter, that in addition to the judgment of \$6,420, which has been confirmed by the Court of Appeals, there are additional suits against the City still untried, amounting to \$173,075.
It is desired that favorable action be taken on this request at the earliest possible date, so that this culvert may be enlarged, thereby preventing any recurrence of damage from flooding. Very truly yours,

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President of the Borough.
Preliminary Estimate for Repairing Culvert on Richmond Turnpike at About 210 Feet West of Ontario Avenue.

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| 50 cubic yards reinforced concrete, including corrugated bars, at \$17.40... | \$870 00 |
| 3 cubic yards for apron at inlet at \$6..... | 18 00 |
| 54 linear feet electric welded iron fence at \$1.50..... | 81 00 |
| 300 cubic yards excavation at 60 cents..... | 180 00 |
| 5 cubic yards concrete for invert to be laid under culvert at \$12..... | 60 00 |
| 40 cubic yards excavation below water level at \$2..... | 80 00 |
| 50 square yards bituminous macadam furnished and laid at \$1.50..... | 75 00 |
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| | \$1,364 00 |
| Engineering and Inspection..... | 136 00 |
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| | \$1,500 00 |

(Copy.)
City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, February 1, 1916.
Hon. CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President, Borough of Richmond:
Sir—I desire to bring to your attention the following facts in connection with the masonry culvert located under the Richmond Turnpike, west of the Clove Road, Borough of Richmond, which was constructed in 1912, replacing two 24 inch culvert pipes encased in a rubble-stone wall constructed by the County of Richmond in 1896.
In February, 1907, the Market Gardeners' Association commenced an action against the City of New York to recover the sum of \$7,000 damages sustained by it to seeds, plants and bulbs during the year 1903 and 1904, caused by the overflow of the water course, which runs under the Richmond Turnpike, due to the insufficient capacity of said culvert, and on April 14, 1909, a judgment was entered against the City of New York and in favor of said Market Gardeners' Association for the sum of \$6,420.
An appeal was taken from said judgment to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, and thereafter to the Court of Appeals, which latter Court affirmed the judgment of the Court below.
Subsequent thereto this department advised your predecessor in office, Mr. George Cromwell, of the decision of the Court of Appeals and suggested that the culvert in question should be reconstructed so as to avoid further overflow of the water course in question, likewise further liability on the part of the City.
In the month of July, 1912, the old pipe culverts were removed and replaced by a masonry culvert having a greater carrying capacity than said pipe culverts.
On July 15, 1912, and before the completion of said new culvert, Mr. A. C. Nellis, Manager of the Market Gardeners' Association, wrote Mr. Louis L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Richmond, stating among other things, as follows:
" * * * As the work progresses, we are surprised to note that the alleged improvement will give little or no relief to the property south of the Turnpike."
"We are willing to take this matter up in conference between your engineers, those of the water company and our engineer at any moment, and will do all in our power to arrive at some amicable settlement of the question without further litigation. However, if your Department insists upon going on with the present plans, we shall immediately turn the matter over to our attorneys."
Notwithstanding this protest, the work appears to have been completed according to the original plan.
On May 6, 1914, another action was commenced against The City of New York

by said Market Gardeners' Association, to recover the sum of \$110,825.50 for damages to seeds, etc., caused by the flooding of their land during the years 1905 to 1913, inclusive, which action is still pending and undetermined.

On March 10, 1915, a further claim was filed with the Comptroller of the City by said Market Gardeners' Association for \$65,250 damages to seeds and bulbs, caused by floods occurring in the year 1914.

On April 29, 1915, Mr. Theodore Oxholm, Engineer in Charge, Borough of Richmond, replying to a communication addressed to him by Spire Pitou, Esq., Acting President of the Borough of Richmond, requesting further information regarding the claim lastly referred to, stated:

"In reply to your request for additional information relating to the claim for damages of the N. Y. Market Gardeners' Association, and supplementing my report of April 15, 1915, will state that the new concrete culvert across Richmond Turnpike, referred to in the claim, was built without the knowledge of the Bureau of Engineers, which did not design it. In our opinion this culvert is at present inadequate to carry off water from any heavy storm of several hours duration, without flooding the property to the south of Richmond Turnpike.

"I would remind you of a former claim of this company against the City for damages from a similar cause, in which the case was decided adversely to the City."

On August 30, 1915, said Market Gardeners' Association commenced an action against the City to recover the sum of \$62,250 for damages sustained in the year 1914, which action is still pending and undetermined.

On January 10, 1916, said Market Gardeners' Association filed with the Comptroller of the City a further claim against the City for \$105,703 damages sustained in the year 1915, by reason of the flooding of their property.

In view of the foregoing facts, I would respectfully suggest that you take such action in the premises as will effectively remedy the conditions complained of, and thus prevent further suits on the part of the Market Gardeners' Association against The City of New York. Respectfully yours,

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Contract Supervision, Municipal Building, March 24, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:
No. 353—President Borough of Richmond—Request for \$1,500 Special Revenue Bonds to Repair and Enlarge the Stormwater Culvert Across Richmond Turnpike.

Sir—In compliance with your request, the necessity for repairs or alteration to the culvert at the location described has been investigated.

This culvert is too small to accommodate the water which reaches it during heavy rainstorms. The result has been that water has backed up and flooded the low lands south of Richmond Turnpike doing alleged damage, in consequence of which suits have been brought against the City and claims filed amounting in the aggregate to some \$285,778.50, covering the period 1903 to 1916. One action brought in 1907 by the Market Gardeners Association for \$7,000, for damages sustained by it to seeds, plants and bulbs, resulted in a judgment being entered against the City to the amount of \$6,420.

The present culvert is of concrete, 5 feet wide by 2 feet 9 inches high. A water pipe crosses inside the culvert cutting off eleven inches from the top, thus reducing its height to one foot 10 inches.

The drainage area, which is stated to be about 410 acres will require the construction of a culvert with a capacity of not less than 410 cubic feet per second.

It is proposed to construct on the westerly side of the present culvert an additional concrete culvert 8 feet 8 inches wide by 2 feet 6 inches in height, which together with the present culvert will provide the capacity required.

On February 1, 1916, the Corporation Counsel recommended that such action be taken in the premises as will effectively remedy the conditions complained of and thus prevent further suits.

It is reported by an engineer of the Bureau of Contract Supervision that, considering the character of the work and its location, the estimate of cost is not excessive.

Although there are funds in personal service and materials which could be used for the construction of this culvert, such funds were allowed for specified work and, in addition, it will be more economical to have the work done by contract.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—67.

No. 422—(S. O. No. 66).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$18,975, in Order to Employ Laborers to Patrol the Croton Water Shed and the New Croton Aqueduct.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on April 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 141) the annexed request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for Special Revenue Bonds, \$18,975, in order to employ laborers to patrol the Croton Water shed and the New Croton Aqueduct, respectfully,

REPORTS:

This is an item that was denied the department in the 1916 Budget. Commissioner Williams appeared before the committee and explained that it was of vital interest to the city, that some effort be made to protect these places particularly at the present time, when so much unrest is manifested. The Committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Eighteen thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$18,975), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of employing laborers to patrol the Croton Water Shed and the New Croton Aqueduct. All obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, New York City, April 20, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—The department requests that the Board of Aldermen consent to the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$18,975 in order that it may employ thirty additional laborers to patrol the dams and reservoirs on the Croton Watershed and the New Croton Aqueduct.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 426—(S. O. No. 67).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for Certain Departmental Uses—Commissioner of Parks, Queens.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on April 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 143), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,847.50, for certain departmental uses respectfully

REPORTS:

This matter was included in the departmental estimate for 1916, but was denied in the Budget. Commissioner Weier appeared before the Committee and explained the necessity for this expenditure, which is approved in reports of the Bureau of Contract Supervision and the Bureau of Standards, which reports are annexed hereto. The Committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188

of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Five thousand, six hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents (\$5,672.50), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, for the purpose of certain departmental uses.

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| Repair to fence Kings Park..... | \$350 00 |
| Repair to plumbing Highland Park..... | 100 00 |
| Painting Band Stand, Highland Park..... | 25 00 |
| Heating Repairs, Golf House..... | 50 00 |
| 326 days of Climber and Pruner, and 266 days of Laborer to replace deduction made for Municipal Garage at \$2.50 (wages)..... | 1,480 00 |
| 732 days of Laborer at \$2.50 to restore cut of two men in the gardening force (wages)..... | 1,830 00 |
| 735 days of Laborer at \$2.50 for unusual requirements because of the severe weather (wages)..... | 1,837 50 |

Total \$5,672 50

—All obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, April 24th, 1916.

The Honorable the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sirs—I would respectfully ask that you authorize an issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$5,847.50 for the use of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

This money is needed to replace deductions made in the budget at the last moment, as follows:

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| 326 days of Climbers and Pruners to replace deductions made for Municipal Garage at \$2.50 a day | \$815 00 |
| 732 days of Laborers at \$2.50 to restore cut of two men in Gardening force | 1,830 00 |
| 266 days of Laborers at \$2.50 per day to replace deduction made for Municipal Garage at | 665 00 |
| 735 days of Laborers at \$2.50 for unusual requirements because of the severe winter | 1,837 50 |
| Repairs to fence, Kings Park | 350 00 |
| Repairs to Plumbing, Highland Park | 100 00 |
| Repairs to Plumbing, Golf House | 100 00 |
| Painting Band Stand, Highland Park..... | 100 00 |
| Heating Repairs, Golf House | 50 00 |

\$5,847 50

I have the honor to remain, Respectfully, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Contract Supervision, Municipal Building, April 29, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

No. 426—Park Commissioner, Queens—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,847.50, for departmental uses; Items of Other Than Personal Service Only.

Sir—The items of other than personal service have been examined into by the Bureau of Contract Supervision and facts have been developed as follows:
Repairs to Fence, Kings Park, \$350.

It is proposed to make necessary minor repairs and to paint this wrought iron picket, which is five feet high and 2,600 feet long. It has scaled and rusted badly and should be cleaned thoroughly with a wire brush and receive one coat of red lead and two coats of paint. The amount requested is very reasonable for the work.

Repairs to Plumbing, Highland Park, \$100; Repairs to Plumbing, Golf House, \$100.

Funds for these items of work were specifically provided in the 1916 budget. The unencumbered balance in the account should be sufficient to do all emergent repairs.

Painting Band Stand, Highland Park, \$100.

The Commissioner states that he will be able to do this work with his present budget force if he is allowed sufficient to purchase the paint. The work should be done and \$25 would be an ample allowance for the paint.

Heating Repairs, Golf House, \$50.

This work was also provided for in the budget, but owing to the fact that amounts allowed for repairs to lawnmowers, harness and rolling stock were insufficient, the sum allowed in the budget for this item was used to defray the extra cost. This work is necessary and the requested amount is reasonable.

Very truly yours,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Standards, Municipal Building, May 1st, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—In reply to your letter of April 27th, 1916, for a report on a request of the Park Commissioner, Queens, for \$5,847.50, I report as follows:

The need for providing special revenue bonds to meet certain deficiencies in the appropriation for the Department of Parks, Queens, was taken up informally with the Bureau of Standards before the formal request was made to the Board of Aldermen. The request now made by the Commissioner is in detail as follows:

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| 1. 326 days of Climber and Pruner, and 266 days of Laborer to replace deduction made for Municipal Garage at \$2.50..... | \$1,480 00 |
| 2. 732 days of Laborer at \$2.50 to restore cut of two men in the gardening force | 1,830 00 |
| 3. 735 days of Laborer at \$2.50 for unusual requirements because of the severe weather | 1,837 50 |
| 4. Repairs to fences, Kings Park..... | 350 00 |
| 5. Repairs to plumbing, Highland Park..... | 100 00 |
| 6. Repairs to plumbing, Golf House..... | 100 00 |
| 7. Painting bandstand, Highland Park..... | 100 00 |
| 8. Heating repairing, Golf House..... | 50 00 |

Total \$5,847 50

Item No. 1 is requested on the ground that this allowance was taken out of the Budget for the purposes of the Municipal Garage without the Commissioner's knowledge. The Commissioner states that while the allowance for his men was taken away the work still remains as part of the duties of the Department. Whether or not the Municipal Garage received the equivalent allowance in its schedule for this deduction is not clear. At any rate, the Bridge Department does not appear to be in a position to cede the funds for the two employees in question.

Item No. 2 represents in effect the proposed restoration of two Gardeners. These Gardeners were eliminated from the Budget under a misapprehension and a schedule modification which restored the Gardeners was made by taking the funds out of the allowance for Laborer.

Item No. 3 represents the actual cost of snow removal and other work caused by the unusually severe winter. The Budget estimate for this work is always merely a guess. The actual requirements cannot, of course, be foretold.

Items Nos. 4 to 8 have been reported on in a separate communication by the Bureau of Contract Supervision. Yours truly,

GEORGE L. TIRRELL, Director.

Which was laid over.

No. 428—(S. O. No. 68).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,635, for Reconstruction of the Roadway Pavement on Approaches to the City Island Bridge.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on April 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 144), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Bridges for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,635, for reconstruction of the roadway pavement on approaches to City Island Bridge, respectfully

REPORTS:

This matter was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision for investigation and report, and according to their report annexed hereto, they deem the work necessary and the estimated cost reasonable. The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment

be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Five thousand six hundred and thirty-five dollars (\$5,635), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Bridges for the purpose of reconstruction of the roadway pavement on approaches to the City Island Bridge. All obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., April 24, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—I beg to ask your Honorable Board to adopt a resolution, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$5,635, for the purpose of providing means for reconstructing the roadway pavement on the approaches to the City Island Bridge.

The roadway through Pelham Park and the main avenue in City Island leading to the bridge are paved with asphalt. The existing gravel pavement on the approaches of the bridge needs to be replaced with an asphalt pavement. The two approaches have a combined length of about 1,100 feet and the roadway is 35 feet wide, with surface car track on the same. The area to be paved, exclusive of the railway area, is approximately 3,220 square yards and the estimated cost of removing the existing pavement and laying a new asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation is \$1.75 per square yard, making a total of \$5,635. Yours respectfully,

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Contract Supervision, Municipal Building, May 1, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen: No. 428—Commissioner of Bridges—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,635, for Reconstruction of the Roadway Pavement on Approaches to the City Island Bridge.

Sir—On May 1, 1916, you requested the Bureau of Contract Supervision to investigate this request:

The condition of the macadam pavement which it is proposed to replace with asphalt is bad. It is so badly pitted that any repair thereof would be a waste of funds. On the City Island side, this pavement abuts an asphalt pavement laid by the Borough authorities and on the Pelham Park side it adjoins the asphalt road laid by the Park Department. The excellence of the pavements laid by the President and the Park Department accentuates the poor condition of this connecting link of pavement which is under the Bridge Department's jurisdiction.

The aggregate length of the approaches is about 1,100 feet; 800 feet on the Pelham Park side and 300 feet on the City Island side.

There was requested for the repair of this pavement in the budget for 1916, the sum of \$400, which was allowed. Owing to a large and unexpected expenditure for repaving at Willis avenue, the unencumbered balance in the fund of \$12,000 is \$2,603, which sum, the Bridge Department stated, will be insufficient for ordinary repairs.

It is intended to replace this macadam pavement with asphalt on concrete. The area, exclusive of that used by the railroad, is 3,220 square yards and the estimated cost of the work, at \$1.75 per square yard, is \$5,635, which is reasonable.

Respectfully, TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which was laid over.

No. 437—(G. O. No. 73).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Pay a Bill of the Adams Express Company for Delivering Packages of Supplies to Members of the Board of Aldermen.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on April 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 153), the annexed resolution to pay a bill of the Adams Express Company for delivering packages of supplies to members of the Board of Aldermen, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the attached bills to be proper. The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to draw a warrant in favor of the Adams Express Company for the sum of sixteen dollars and fifty-one cents (\$16.51), said sum to be payment in full for delivering packages of supplies to members of the Board of Aldermen during the month of March, 1916; the said sum to be charged to and paid out of the budgetary appropriation entitled—"Board of Aldermen and City Clerk, Code No. 8, Transportation."

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, F. H. STEVENSON, CHARLES DELANEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, ROBERT L. MORAN, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DIEMER, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Report of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares—

No. 304—(G. O. No. 74).

Report of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24, Code of Ordinances, Relating to Peddlers and Particularly to "Restricted Streets."

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on March 14, 1916 (Minutes, page 700), the annexed ordinance to amend subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to "restricted streets," respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be advisable, and it therefore recommends that the proposed ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Peddlers, and Particularly to "Restricted Streets."

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to "restricted streets," as amended, is hereby further amended by striking therefrom the line [Broadway, from 134th Street to 158th Street, Manhattan;] and inserting at the head of the list of streets contained in said subdivision the following words:

All streets lying within the territory bounded by 134th Street, Amsterdam Avenue, 158th Street and the North River, Manhattan;

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter, in brackets [], to be omitted.

MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN McCANN, F. W. SMITH, JOHN J. REGAN, FRANK MULLEN, W. F. QUINN, EDWARD W. CURLEY, THOMAS W. MARTIN, M. D., ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER, FRANCIS P. BENT, CHARLES W. DUNN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Which was laid over.

No. 320—(G. O. 75).

Report of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares in Favor of Filing an Ordinance to Amend Article 3 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Rules of the Road," Horses; Driving of.

MAJORITY REPORT.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares to which was referred on March 21, 1916 (Minutes, page 741) the annexed ordinance to amend Article 3 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Rules of the Road" Horses; driving of, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the committee held a public hearing on this matter owing to the great number of communications received in opposition to the proposed ordinance, in order that those interested might present their views. Such hearing was held on Friday, April 28th, 1916, in the Aldermanic Chamber. Many owners of horses, representatives of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, of the Humane Society, Safety First Society, Veterinarian profession and a number of persons interested through humane motives attended. A majority of those present were opposed to the proposed ordinance and it was shown to the committee and agreed to by both sides, that Sections 185 and 188 of Article 16 of the Penal Law affords ample relief under any circumstances that may arise in this regard.

In consideration of this fact the committee deems action on this matter inadvisable, and recommends accordingly that the proposed ordinance be placed on file.

The Committee further calls attention to Section 185 of Article 16, the Penal Law, State of New York.

Section 185—"A person who permits any animal to be unjustifiably injured, maimed, mutilated or killed, or who wilfully sets on foot, instigates, engages in, or in any way furthers any act of Cruelty to any animal, or any act tending to produce such cruelty, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

AN ORDINANCE to amend Article 3 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to "Rules of the Road."

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

That Section 1, Article 3 of chapter 24, of the Code of Ordinances relating to "Rules of the Road," is hereby amended, by adding to the end thereof a new section to read as follows:

Section 19. Horses, driving of:

1. Between November 1st and April 1st, in each year, no horse, mule or other large animal, whether led or used for the purpose of driving or hauling, shall be driven on any of streets, avenues or highways of the City of New York, unless the animal is shod in such a manner as will prevent slipping.

2. Any person violating this provision shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not to exceed \$10 or imprisonment in the City Prison for ten days, or both.

Section 2.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor.

Note. New matter in italics.

JOHN McCANN, FRED SMITH, JOHN J. RYAN, FRANK MULLEN, W. F. QUINN, THOMAS W. MARTIN, M. D., EDWARD W. CURLEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Brief Submitted by the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Favoring Proposed Horseshoeing Ordinance Introduced by Alderman Alexander Drescher and as Subsequently Amended Reading as Follows:

"Between November 1st and April 1st, in each year, no horse, mule or other large animal used for the purpose of driving or hauling, shall be driven on any of the streets, avenues or highways of the City of New York, unless the animal is shod in such a manner as will prevent, or tend to prevent, slipping. Any person violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not to exceed \$10 or imprisonment in the City Prison for ten days, or both." (Extract.)

The ordinance permits an owner to use his own judgment and discretion as to what character of device he will use and gives him a wide range of choice between pads, slippers, caulks, chains, rough shoeing or any other kind of emergency device that will do the work, and prevent, or tend to prevent, slipping.

The ordinance has been endorsed by the most representative horse owners and users of the City of New York including the Coal Merchants Association; Retail Dry Goods Association; Safety First Federation of America; Bradley Contracting Co. (copy of whose letter of endorsement is herewith submitted); Degnon Contracting Co. (Mr. Louis Harrington, in charge of their horses and vehicles); Peter Doelger Brewing Co.; Flynn Bros., Contractors; the American Express Co.; B. Altman; Reiffrank Bros.; R. H. Macy; John Wanamaker; Bloomingdale Bros.; Lord & Taylor; J. B. Greenhut & Co.; E. D. & W. D. Stein; John Bingham and William Koster, stable keepers; P. Riordan, Truckman, Miller Bros.; Saks and Co., and the press of the City unanimously.

In addition, its adoption is urged by the Women's League for Animals; the Humane Society of New York; The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; all humane workers, and the public generally.

The strong point in favor of the proposed ordinance lies in the fact that it does not describe a particular shoe or shoes, but simply states that "an animal shall be shod in such a manner as will prevent, or tend to prevent, slipping."

The Fire Department of the City of New York; the Bradley Contracting Co. (with over 1,100 horses), the Degnon Contracting Co.; most of the Department Stores and others, have, for a number of years, been shoeing their horses with rubber pads, helped out, in particularly slippery weather, with frost nails, and thus have prevented the slipping and falling of their horses on snow and ice in the winter time.

The Bradley Contracting Co., in relation to the matter, writes as follows:

Bradley Contracting Co., 1 Madison Ave., New York, April 27, 1916.

Hon. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, President The Amer. Society for Prev. Cruelty to Animals, 26th Street & Madison Avenue, New York City:

My dear Colonel—Your Mr. Freel called on us today in relation to the proposed ordinance relative to shoeing of horses between November and April in each year, inclusive. Briefly, we desire to say that for the past thirty years we have been operating all of our horses with rubber pads during the winter months and have been singularly free from accidents as a result of falls and injuries due to falls. In particularly slippery weather, where the loads are heavy, we sometimes added frost nails, and in that way we have prevented the possibility of our horses slipping. This has been our experience and as a result, we have reached the conclusion that slipping, may in a very large measure be prevented.

You have our authority to use this letter. Yours very truly,

BRADLEY CONTRACTING CO., WILLIAM BRADLEY, Treasurer.

If this can be accomplished successfully by the Fire Department and other representative horse owners, surely it is possible, with proper care and the outlay of a few additional dollars, for the rest of the horse owners and users of the City of New York to accomplish the same results.

The only thing that stands in the way of the adoption of this resolution, in the opinion of the Society, is the unwillingness of some horse owners to expend the few additional dollars required in order to provide the necessary and proper safeguards to protect animals from accident, injury and death, first; and second, the lack of a proper understanding of the ordinance, its objects and purposes.

The Coal Merchants' Association, which, as the Committee knows, is engaged in a very heavy hauling, forwarded a memorandum to the Thoroughfare Committee, suggesting, by way of remedy, the following:

"The suggestion which we take the liberty of proposing is that the wording of the ordinance be changed in at least one respect; that, instead of providing that no horse shall be driven, etc., 'unless the animal is shod in such a manner as will prevent slipping,' the clause quoted should read as follows: 'unless the animal is shod in such a manner as will tend to prevent slipping.'"

"This, it is at once apparent, will eliminate the oppressive and unreasonable features of the ordinance and will at the same time in no manner lessen the amount of precaution against slipping required on the part of horse owners. In fact, it will determine and place upon them an exact duty, and achieve the very object sought to be accomplished by the proposed ordinance, the difference being that the slipping is not proof of the crime, but the failure to properly shoe to prevent slipping is fixed as the crime.

"In conclusion, the Coal Merchants wish to reiterate their willingness and desire to co-operate in any move that will tend towards the betterment of traffic conditions and the elimination of the suffering of horses in the City of New York.

"Respectfully submitted,

"COAL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION: LOUIS H. MOOS, Counsel."

The ordinance has already been amended so as to comply entirely with the suggestion made by the Coal Merchants' Association, and the words "or tend to prevent" have been incorporated.

Burns Bros., the largest Coal Merchants in our city, in forwarding a copy of the memorandum to this office, addressed the following letter:

Burns Bros., Coal, Fulton and Church Sts., New York, April 27, 1916.

Mr. THOMAS F. FREEL, Superintendent the Amer. Society for Prev. Cruelty to Animals, Madison Avenue and 28th Street, New York City:

Dear Sir—We are in favor of the proposed ordinance coming up for a hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber tomorrow morning, as worded in your letter received by us this morning. We enclose herewith a brief prepared by the Coal Merchants' Association on the subject. This, you will notice, advocates the very thing you are in favor of. Very truly,

(Signed) BURNS BROS.

There is not a member of your Honorable body that will not recollect the horrible conditions of cruelty that occurred upon the streets of our city during the month of March of this year, when even the Humane Societies found themselves almost powerless to relieve suffering and distress to animals, without suspending and tying up the entire commerce and traffic of the city. We are satisfied that no member of your Honorable body cares to witness similar scenes on our streets again and we are pressing for the passage of this ordinance in order to serve a legal and timely notice on horse owners and users that they will have to prepare to furnish such necessary safeguards for the proper protection and safety of their horses as the conditions of our streets require in the winter months.

May we point out that not a single representative citizen, man or woman, outside of some horse owners, appeared before the Committee to oppose the ordinance, and the horse owners who did appear in opposition represented only a small portion of the horse owners of our city, and we firmly believe a majority of them would not have opposed if they understood what it was the ordinance sought to accomplish.

We are confident that if your Honorable body will favorably consider and pass the ordinance, it will afford ordinary and proper protection to willing, faithful animals, will solve a most vexatious and annoying traffic problem and in less than a month after it goes into effect will be regarded as a proper reasonable and economic regulation by horse owners, users and drivers themselves.

We would therefore ask for the favorable consideration of the proposed ordinance. Respectfully submitted,

THE AMER. SOCIETY FOR THE PREV. OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.
THOMAS F. FREEL, Superintendent.

Horse Owners Favoring the Passage of the Proposed Ordinance.

Coal Merchants' Association, Retail Dry Goods Assn., Safety First Federation of America, Bradley Contracting Co., Degnon Contracting Co., Flynn Bros. (Contractors), Reinfrank Bros., B. Altman, R. H. Macy, Saks and Co., John Wanamaker, J. B. Greenhut Co., Bloomingdale Bros., Lord & Taylor, E. D. & W. D. Stein (Truckmen), Miller Bros. (Truckman), John Bingham (stable keeper), William Koster (stable keeper), Peter Doelger Brew. Co., Clausen Flanagan Brew. Co., Loewer's Gambrinus Brew. Co., David Mayer Brew. Co., A. Hupfel & Sons, John Eichler Brew. Co., George Ehret's Brew. Co., Lion Brew Co., T. McKeon, Chace Trucking Co., Union Boarding Stables, Jos. F. Whelan Co., M. Romanoff, Sheffield Farms-Slawson-Decker Co., Mutual Milk & Cream Co.—McDermott Milk Co., American Express Co., Adams Express Co.

MINORITY REPORT.

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

The undersigned members of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares to which committee was referred on March 21st, 1916, (Minutes, page 741) the ordinance relating to "rules of the road" and particularly to the driving of horses, respectfully reports:

That a public hearing was held on this matter in the Aldermanic Chamber on Friday, April 28th, 1916, and was largely attended.

The proposed ordinance was amended with the following language which was added to Paragraph 1 "or tend to prevent slipping" upon the recommendation of the Coal Merchants' Association, through its counsel, Louis H. Moose, and in this way was eliminated what appeared to be oppressive and an unreasonable feature of the ordinance and at the same time not lessen the amount of precaution against slipping required on the part of horse owners, but in fact determined and placed upon them an exact duty and went towards achieving the very object sought. The difference is that it does not prove the misdemeanor, but the failure to properly shoe to prevent slipping is fixed as the misdemeanor.

It was pointed out by those who appeared in favor of the ordinance that the enactment of the same would tend towards the betterment of traffic conditions and the elimination of the suffering of horses in the City of New York.

This ordinance will permit the owner to use his own judgment and discretion as to what character of device he will use and gives him a wide range of choice as long as he will employ some means that will prevent or tend to prevent horses from slipping.

The American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and all humane societies, it was asserted, found themselves this past winter powerless to relieve suffering and distress of animals without tying up the traffic and commerce of the City.

The adoption of this ordinance will be a timely notice to horse owners and users that they will have to prepare to furnish such necessary safeguards as will tend to prevent the slipping of their horses during a time when the City streets are covered with ice and sleet.

The proposed ordinance has the endorsement of the following concerns: R. H. Macy & Co., J. B. Greenhut Company, Lord & Taylor, Bloomingdale Brothers, John Wanamaker, Degnon Contracting Company, Safety First Federation, B. Altman Co., Rheinfrank Brothers, John Bingham, E. D. & W. Stein, Saks & Co., Bradley Construction Co., Miller Brothers, James Riordan, American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Peter Doelger Brewing Co., Flynn Bros. Contracting, Coal Merchants' Association, Retail Dry Goods Association, Bradley Contracting Co., American Express Co., William Koster, and the press of the City unanimously.

In view of the foregoing the undersigned recommend the passage of this ordinance forbidding horses that are not so shod as to tend to prevent slipping from being driven on the streets in the winter time, thus doing away with the misery endured by many poor horses in the winter during the past when the streets were covered with sleet and ice. The passage of this ordinance will also do a great deal toward improving traffic conditions.

The proposed ordinance is presented with the further recommendation that the fine should not exceed ten dollars or imprisonment in the City Prison for more than two days (instead of ten) or both.

The undersigned minority members of the Committee on Public Thoroughfares of the Board of Aldermen recommend that this report be substituted for the majority report and that the following ordinance as amended herein be accepted.

That Section 1, Article 3 of chapter 24, of the Code of Ordinances relating to "Rules of the Road," is hereby amended by adding to the end thereof a new section to read as follows:

Section 19—Horses, driving of:

1. Between November 1st and April 1st, in each year, no horse, mule or other large animal, whether led or used for the purpose of driving or hauling, shall be driven in any of the streets, avenues or highways of the City of New York, unless the animal is shod in such a manner as will prevent or tend to prevent slipping.

2. Any person violating this provision shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not to exceed ten (\$10.00) dollars or imprisonment in the City Prison for two days, or both.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor.

Note—New matter in italics.

That they, therefore, recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted. MICHAEL STAPLETON, Chairman; CHARLES W. DUNN, ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER.

Alderman Curley moved that the foregoing subject be recommitted to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Curley, Diemer, Dunn, Drescher, Gaynor, Silberstein,—6.

Negative—Aldermen Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Cox, Crane, Curran, Delaney, Dixon, Dostal, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moore, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—58.

The several reports were then laid over.

Report of the Committee on General Welfare—

No. 432.

Report of the Committee on General Welfare in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Repeal Section 33 of Article 2 of Chapter 15 of the Code of Ordinances Relating to "Markets," and Particularly to "Willis Avenue Market."

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on April 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 145) the annexed ordinance to repeal Section 33 of Article 2 of Chapter 15 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Markets," and particularly to "Willis avenue market," respectfully

REPORTS:

That there is a proposition pending before the Sinking Fund Commission to establish a playground on this location. No action can be taken on this matter until the present ordinance is repealed. The Committee has been advised that as a market site it is not suited for the purpose, in fact it has been unoccupied as a market place since its establishment. The Borough President is in thorough accord with this change. The committee, therefore, recommends that the proposed ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to repeal Section 33 of Article 2 of Chapter 15 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Markets," and particularly to "Willis Avenue Market."

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

Section 1. Section 33 of Article 2, Chapter 15, of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Markets," and particularly to "Willis Avenue Market," be and the same is hereby repealed, said section reading as follows:

§33. Willis avenue market.
The lands in the Borough of the Bronx, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of East 133rd street and the easterly side of Willis avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of East 133rd street 200 feet; running thence southerly and parallel with Willis avenue 200 feet; running thence westerly and parallel with East 133rd street 200 feet, to Willis avenue; running thence northerly on Willis avenue 200 feet to a point or place of beginning, shall be known as Willis avenue market.]

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—Old matter, in brackets [], to be omitted.

LOUIS WENDEL, JR., HARRY ROBITZEK, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, JOHN T. EAGAN, JOSEPH M. HANNON, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, LAUREN CARROLL, ARNON L. SQUIERS, Committee on General Welfare.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Dostal, Dunn, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth; President Van Name, by Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works—66.

The President announced that Alderman Squiers was excused at this time from further attendance at the meeting.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 64—(Int. No. 405).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$400, for the Payment of the Salary of a Switchboard Operator for the Period May 1 to December 31, 1916, City Court.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on April 18, 1916 (Minutes, page 87), the annexed request of the Chief Justice of the City Court for special revenue bonds, \$400, for the payment of the salary of a Switchboard Operator for the period May 1 to December 31, 1916, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this matter was referred to the Bureau of Standards for investigation, and they report the position is necessary. (See memorandum of Bureau of Standards attached hereto.) The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of four hundred dollars (\$400), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Justices of the City Court for the purpose of the payment of the salary of a Switchboard Operator for the period May 1 to December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN DIEMER, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, CHARLES P. COLE, HENRY H. CURRAN, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

City Court of The City of New York, City Hall Park, Chambers of Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice, April 17, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, having fixed the salary of Switchboard Operator (Female), at the rate of \$600 per annum, the Board of Justices of the City Court of The City of New York herewith amend their request of March 25, and ask that, conformable with the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, you issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$400 in order to pay the salary of one Switchboard Operator (Female), at the rate of \$600 per annum, for the period May 1, 1916, to December 31, 1916, inclusive. Respectfully yours,

EDWARD F. O'DWYER, Chief Justice of the City Court of The City of New York.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—67.

No. 65—(Int. No. 406).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$183.33, for Payment of Salaries of Temporary Employees, Sheriff of Bronx County.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on April 18, 1916 (Minutes, page 87), the annexed request of the Sheriff of Bronx County for special revenue bonds, \$183.33, for payment of salaries of temporary employees, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this matter was referred to the Bureau of Standards for investigation, and they report that this money is necessary. The request came in too late to be included in the 1916 budget (see memorandum of Bureau of Standards attached hereto). The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$183.33), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Bronx County for the purpose of payment of salaries of temporary employees:

Temporary Stenographer \$100 00
Temporary Jail Physician 83 33

Total \$183 33

—all obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

This is the first time a request has been made for a relief stenographer to take over the duties of the regular stenographer when on vacation. Last year the Sheriff borrowed one from the Register, Coroner or other county officer when he could and also paid for a few days of employment from his own pocket.

There is only one stenographer in this office and the request doesn't seem unreasonable. The duties of the position are: General correspondence for the entire staff and to take dictation at the Sheriff's jury.

The request for \$83.33 for one month's salary of jail physician is made on account of a decision of Deputy Comptroller Brough. Last year the Sheriff charged this same amount to his "contingencies" fund and presented his bill to the Department of Finance for audit. This was refused at first and Deputy Brough agreed to pay it on condition that it be presented as a personal service request in the budget. This happened in December, 1915, too late for the 1916 budget.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN DIEMER, SAMUEL J.

BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, CHARLES P. COLE, HENRY H. CURRAN, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.
 Sheriff's Office, Bronx County, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur Avenues, New York, April 17, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, *President, Board of Aldermen*, City Hall, New York City:
 Honorable Sir—I herewith most respectfully request your Honorable Board to grant me the following special revenue bond issues for the year 1916:

One hundred dollars (\$100) for a temporary Stenographer, while the regular Stenographer is on vacation.

Eighty-three dollars thirty-three cents (\$83.33), for a temporary Jail Physician, while the regular Jail Physician is on vacation.

Trusting that your Honorable Board will grant me the above special revenue bonds, I am, very truly yours,

JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Sheriff, Bronx County.

P. S.—The regular salary of the Stenographer is \$1,200 per annum, and that of the Jail Physician is \$1,000 per annum.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—67.

GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 68—(Int. No. 431).

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

By President Dowling—

William J. Daly, 1254 Shakespeare Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. Robitzek and Geo. Hilkemeier.

By Alderman Bassett—

Mortimer J. Wohl, 98 Conselyea St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by Harry Rulu and Jacob Quick.

Francesco A. Bianculi, 43 Richardson St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by P. F. Masino and J. Whalen.

By Alderman Bent—

Christopher John Eppig, 1354 Carroll St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by Geo. Hilkemeier and Chas. H. Haubert.

Harry F. S. Mott, 985 Decatur St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by T. Earle and Wm. R. Rust.

By Alderman Browne—

David Engel, 81 Johnson St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. J. Browne and C. W. Dunn.

By Alderman Burden—

Frank Knapp, 366 12th Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by H. G. Calhoun and J. P. Neuman.

By Alderman Carroll—

Bertram Sommer, 1350 Madison Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. Rosenbaum and M. S. Hoffman.

By Alderman Cassidy—

Joseph Loewinger, 348 East 78th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. J. Farnan and E. J. Rielly.

William J. Vaughan, 430 E. 77th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. J. Dowd and J. F. Caporingi.

By Alderman Collins—

George Christian Oswald, 345 East 30th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by F. F. Ecoff and J. A. L. Naccus.

Leon Lewin, 330 3d Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by R. A. Hudson and J. A. Mossel.

By Alderman Colne—

Florence K. Waters, 1261 Fulton St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. C. Travis and J. C. Clune.

Maximilian L. Seidman, 411 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. J. Steiner and L. Seidman, Jr.

By Alderman Cox—

Andrew Goetz, 835 Fresh Pond Road, Queens.

Endorsed by F. J. Schmit and J. J. Ryan.

Paul Chas. Josephs, 1820 Myrtle Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by F. Kropky and A. Masu.

Arthur Moritz Anders, 104 Halleck Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by G. F. Sinram and G. Eppler.

Samuel Abrahams, Grandview Ave., Edgemere, L. I., Queens.

Endorsed by P. Rosenbaum and W. S. Rothchild.

Ludwig L. Scaserra, 265 Prospect St., L. I. City, Queens.

Endorsed by F. Eyanson and S. E. Cavanaugh.

By Alderman Crane—

John Henry Martin, 326 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. J. Early and L. Jacok.

John Bartholomew Fagan, 556 West 180th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by G. W. Berry and J. F. Duggan.

James Andrew Davey, 628 West 151st St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by T. Gallagher and J. Lannin.

Merwyn Wolff, 880 West 180th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by I. Cohn and J. Krone.

By Alderman Curley—

Fred. W. Storff, 833 Manida St., Bronx.

Endorsed by C. L. Halberstadt and T. F. Duggan.

By Alderman Curran—

Anthony Gould, 36 Washington Square, Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. A. Metz and H. Smith.

By Alderman Cunningham—

Arnold Daniel Ajello, 206 Carroll St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. Ditne and P. V. Manning.

By Alderman Daly—

Harold H. Harding, 1049 Nelson Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by G. H. Lippincott and J. J. Lyons.

Joshua Rhodes O'Reilly, 2463 Tiebout Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by E. J. Vincent and A. R. Miles.

Charles H. Stansbury, 2090 Bathgate Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by M. O'Connor and H. D. Manning.

Raymond Alexander Burke, 273 East 176th St., Bronx.

Endorsed by B. E. Lawton and H. C. Knoepfel.

Matthew P. Breen, Jr., 1435 University Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by A. Koch and H. N. Luighi.

By Alderman Delaney—

Elias I. Davis, 170 East 106th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. Max and H. Hyman.

Agnes M. Byrnes, 1235 Third Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Bernstein and J. J. Flood.

By Alderman Diemer—

Michael Marx, 136 Hart St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Stutsky and J. Spiegel.

By Alderman Dixon—

Robert Greenvald, 130 North Third St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. Shapiro and L. Grossberg.

By Alderman Donnelly—

Martin H. Galbraith, 173 Varick St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Brady and A. M. Meyer.

By Alderman Drescher—

Rose Dorlen, 196 Grafton St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by L. R. Bick and I. M. Silberman.

Herman Roshansky, 1627 Pitkin Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by I. Greenbaum and D. Mukubank.

Henry I. Perlin, 1159 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. W. Bermant and H. E. Sloan.

Estelle Muhlhauser, 1477 Sterling Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by D. Senft and U. Blumberg.

Rae Berkowitz, 129 Grafton St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by A. Wilkes and S. L. Rosan.

Delia Jacobs, 177 Christopher Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. H. Jacobs and M. Jacobs.

Barnett Schilling, 635 Sutter Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by G. J. Whalen and S. Getlin.

Edward W. Engel, 1842 Prospect Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. A. Nelson and P. J. Eiseman.

Henry H. Kaufman, 158 Pennsylvania Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. Schaap and C. H. Levitt.

By Alderman Dunn—

Walter H. Gilpatrick, 247 84th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by E. M. Bassett and W. W. Thompson.

Mark Gangel Igar, 457 48th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. E. Gold and L. Arinbrusbee.

Henry H. Keegan, 29 Fuller Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. D. Nuestadt and F. J. Tierney.

By Alderman Eagan—

Stella M. Burkle, 147 East 48th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. L. Roth and J. C. Timony.

Jacob Wilfred Eidt, 873 Second Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by C. Nueinden and G. E. Douth.

By Alderman Friedlander—

John Warren Hill, 131 W. 118th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. D. Brush and L. M. Eisenberg.

Charles Goldinger, 14 West 113th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. Horwitz and A. Lubinger.

Irving F. Cohen, 102 West 114th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. H. Friesner and H. Hirschson.

Philip E. Uhr, 4 West 115th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Gaster and J. M. Lipchitz.

Mary Richman, 36 West 112th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. E. Fuchs and R. Seelar.

By Alderman Goetz—

John D. Armstrong, 80 Waterbury Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.

Endorsed by J. S. Regan and E. J. Connolly.

Mathew I. Riley, 57 South Lefferts Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by S. J. Doig and H. Hammond.

John A. Nugent, 1629 Frost Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.

Endorsed by J. F. Harrington and D. F. Nugent.

Henry Vollmer, Jr., 176 Maple St., Richmond Hill, Queens.

Endorsed by J. W. Winters and S. Ollendorff.

By Alderman Haubert—

Richard Cohn, 1184 Hancock St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by Max Meyer and S. Rosenthal.

George J. Kauth, 434 Irving Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Abel and Geo. Wagner.

By Alderman Hogan—

David Roberts, 129 Pierrepont St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. D. Wyeth and B. E. Donnelly.

Jacob Schapiro, 214 Clinton St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by M. L. Seidman and Chas. Goldman.

John William Frost, 66 Montague St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. F. Lamont and J. E. Keeler.

By Alderman McGarry—

Herbert E. Williams, Main Ave., Douglaston, Queens.

Endorsed by D. Martin and J. A. McLeod.

By Alderman McGillick—

Louis N. Adler, 107 E. 116th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by D. C. Koupal and E. P. Kelegher.

By Alderman Martin—

William L. Herrlich, 443 East 239th St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. D. Tausch and E. Neumann.

By Alderman Moore—

Gertrude Gibbons, 119 Ashford St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. J. Aronson and S. E. Klein.

By Alderman Moran—

Joseph Horowitz, 2834 Eastern Boulevard, Bronx.

Endorsed by J. Wolf and T. B. Watson.

By Alderman O'Rourke—

Margaret A. Dermody, 66 Richmond Rd., New Dorp, S. I., Richmond.

Endorsed by S. Bricks and T. F. Donovan.

By Alderman Palitz—

William H. Curley, 351 E. 180th St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. Rosenberger and T. J. Regan.

Bessie Leiner, 1461 Washington Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by S. Marks and J. S. Linsohn.

By Alderman Post—

Conrad Tholen, 702 Forest Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by H. Schumacker and Chas. Kimmerle.

By Alderman Robitzek—

Joseph Batt, 935 E. 163rd St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. T. J. McLoughlin and B. M. Levy.

William S. Kremer, 1016 E. 163d St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. R. Simon & Co. and H. H. Oppenheimer.

Charles T. Balke, 889 Union Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. G. Calhoun and J. P. Neuman.

Frank Francis, 1326 Fulton Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by P. Schwarz and J. Erdoes.

Harry Rothenberg, 861 Stebbins Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. H. Mayers and E. B. Cohen.

John A. Murphy, 510 E. Tremont Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. I. Brosseau and J. H. Haas.

By Alderman Ryan—

Giuseppe Termini, 1105 Avenue U, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by E. de Stefano and E. A. McShane.

Arthur R. Townsend, 1388 East 19th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. B. Fisher and J. Treiber.

By Alderman Shields—

Abraham Ahrens, 419 West 129th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Marenstein and J. H. Damm.

Albert A. Raphael, 23 Morningside Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by N. Yerllon and B. M. L. Ernst.

Isador Brody, 240 West 112th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. Scherer and M. J. Lewins.

Joseph Shalleck, 430 West 118th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. L. Kenney and F. J. Connor.

By Alderman Smith—

Joseph I. Erenstoff, 15 Van Buren St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. Wasserman and H. Goldstein.

By Alderman Squires—

John Andrews Davies, 371 East 32d St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by E. D. Kenyon and F. A. McCloskey.

Abraham Oppenheimer, 721 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. E. Lawes and H. Diemer.
William M. Moore, 33 Argyle Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. A. Bowen and R. A. Schrieber.
Ida L. Dossy, 817 Park Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by P. Imperiale and P. McCormack.
Linda J. Rowe, 54 Linden Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. N. Rielge and H. D. Dobbie.
Winfred Watson, 792 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. A. Manning and A. Bischoff.

By Alderman Stevenson—
Frank Malone, 465 5th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by V. P. Ryan and Chas. Keubler.

By Alderman Tolk—
Benedict B. Slevin, 173 Henry St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. M. Goldschmidt and E. Fichandler.
Mary Berditcher, 149 Ludlow St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. D. Wills and O. J. Egilby.
George H. Rosenstein, 185 Henry St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. L. Livingston and M. Civic.

By Alderman Wirth—
Sidney H. Weinberg, 231 Van Buren St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Wensky and R. E. Jackson.
Frederick G. Isles, 846 Hancock St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Geo. H. Woodworth and R. M. Huston.
Katherine V. Clair, 393 Chauncey St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by John Ducey and C. P. Hickey.

By Alderman Williams—
Edward M. Cummings, 8 West 101st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. Doniger and D. Doniger.

By Alderman Wendel—
Thomas P. Burke, 310 West 48th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. W. Sheehan and F. K. Walsh.

By Alderman Walsh—
John Francis Mansfield, 74 Monroe Ave., Port Richmond, Richmond.
Endorsed by J. E. Phillips and L. S. Rand.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Dostal, Dunn, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth; President Van Name, by Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works—66.

No. 69—(Int. No. 359).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution to Authorize an Issue of Corporate Stock, \$125,000, for the Construction and Equipment of a New Boiler House and Heating Plant, Including Sea Wall at Willard Parker Hospital.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on April 11, 1916 (Minutes page 10), the annexed resolution for Corporate Stock, \$125,000, for construction and equipment of a new boiler house and heating plant, including sea wall at Willard Parker Hospital, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the committee agrees with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000), to provide means for the construction and equipment of a new boiler house and heating plant, including sea wall, at Willard Parker Hospital, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 31, 1916, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000) to provide means for the construction and equipment of a new boiler house and heating plant, including sea wall, at Willard Parker Hospital, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, maturing not more than fifteen (15) years after date of issue, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; provided, however, that no encumbrance or expenditure by contract shall be made against the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized, nor shall bids upon such contracts be advertised for until after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and forms of such contracts, which shall be submitted to said Board by the Commissioner of Health, nor shall any architect, engineer, expert or departmental employee be engaged or employed as a charge against such proceeds, except after approval by said Board of such employment and of the fee or wage to be paid by preliminary and final contract, voucher or budget schedule, which are to be similarly submitted, unless in the case of departmental employees, such employment is in accordance with schedules approved by said Board.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, ROBERT L. MORAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN DIEMER, SAMUEL J. BURDEN, CHARLES DELANEY, CHARLES P. COLE, HENRY H. CURRAN, F. H. STEVENSON; Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bent, Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Dostal, Dunn, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wirth; President Van Name, by Henry P. Morrison, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works—66.

No. 70—(Int. No. 149).

Report of the Committee on General Welfare in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Provide Proper Receptacles for Expectations on Elevated Railroad Stations in The City of New York.

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on January 25, 1916 (Minutes, page 170) the annexed ordinance to provide proper receptacles for expectations on elevated railroad stations in The City of New York, respectfully

REPORTS:

That as a precaution against spreading diseases and in accordance with an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, annexed hereto, the Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide proper receptacles for expectations on elevated railroad stations in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York.

Section 1. That all elevated railroad companies or other companies operating elevated railroads in The City of New York, shall, within two months from the date of the passage of this ordinance, provide proper receptacles for expectations on all the elevated railroad stations and properly keep and maintain same, and that for a violation of this ordinance, each elevated railroad company or other company operating such railroads, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten dollars (\$10) for each day of such violation, and the action to recover such penalty shall be brought in the name of The City of New York.

LOUIS WENDEL, JR., JOHN T. EAGAN, HARRY ROBITZEK, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, FRANK T. DIXSON, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, WILLIAM H. BURNS, Committee on General Welfare.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, April 13, 1916.

Hon. LOUIS WENDEL, JR., Chairman, General Welfare Committee, 277 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—I have received your communication of February 11, 1916, which reads as follows:

"Enclosed herewith I submit to you ordinance No. 149 introduced in the Board of Aldermen and referred to my committee.

"The members of my committee would like to have an opinion from you as to whether the Board has the power to pass such an ordinance and as to whether it conflicts with the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission. It has been stated that the Board has the power to adopt same as a health or sanitary measure.

"Trusting to hear from you soon, I remain.

Following is a copy of the proposed ordinance referred to:

"AN ORDINANCE to provide proper receptacles for expectations on elevated railroad stations in The City of New York.

"Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York.

"Section 1. That all elevated railroad companies or other companies operating elevated railroads in The City of New York, shall, within two months from the date of the passage of this ordinance, provide proper receptacles for expectations on all the elevated railroad stations and properly keep and maintain same, and that for a violation of this ordinance each elevated railroad company or other company operating such railroads shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten dollars (\$10) for each day of such violation, and the action to recover such penalty shall be brought in the name of The City of New York."

I am of the opinion that in the absence of action by the Board of Health in that regard it would be competent for the Board of Aldermen to adopt the foregoing ordinance. Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAULO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which, on motion of Alderman Haubert, was recommitted to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 71—(Int. No. 393).

Report of the Committee on General Welfare in Favor of Adopting a Substitute Ordinance to Amend Section 31 of Article 2 of Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to "Control of Moving-picture Theatres."

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on April 11, 1916 (Minutes, page 49), the annexed ordinance to amend Section 31 of Article 2 of Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "control of motion-picture theatres," respectfully

REPORTS:

That the object of this amendment is to adjust the conflict of authority. The Magistrates' Court and the Commissioner of Licenses hold opposite views as to the application of the present ordinance. Investigation has shown that exhibitions of this kind have a tendency to the betterment of moral conditions at such places. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 31 of article 2 of chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "control of motion-picture theatres."

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

Section 1. Section 31 of article 2 of chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "control of motion-picture theatres," is hereby amended to read as follows: §31. Control of motion-picture theatres.

The commissioner of licenses shall regulate and control all motion-picture theatres and open-air motion-picture theatres. The Commissioner shall appoint such inspectors as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this article. *Nothing in this section shall be construed as governing motion-picture exhibitions given on the first or ground floor of hotels at summer and sea side resorts to which no admission fee is charged.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Section 31 of Article 2 of Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Control of Motion Picture Theatres."

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

Section 1. Section 31 of article 2 of chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "control of motion-picture theatres," is hereby amended to read as follows: §31. Control of motion-picture theatres.

The commissioner of licenses shall regulate and control all motion-picture theatres and open-air motion-picture theatres. The commissioner shall appoint such inspectors as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this article. *Nothing in this section shall be construed as governing motion-picture exhibitions on the first floor of hotels at sea side resorts to which no admission fee is charged.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

LOUIS WENDEL, JR., JOHN T. EAGAN, HARRY ROBITZEK, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, F. T. DIXSON, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, WILLIAM H. BURNS, Committee on General Welfare.

Alderman Curran moved that the foregoing subject be recommitted to the Committee on General Welfare.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cardani, Crane, Curran, Gutman, Hogan, Moore, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Smith, Stevenson, Trau, Wirth; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—17.

Negative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Friedlander, Hannon, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Mullen, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Sullivan, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wise; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works—43.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burns, Burden, Browne, Cassidy, Cole, Cox, Cunningham, Curley, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Friedlander, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Molen, Moran, Mullen, Palitz, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Sullivan, Stapleton, Tolk, Walsh, Wendel, Williams, Wise; President Connolly, by Alfred E. Benninger, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works—52.

Negative—Aldermen Carroll, Crane, Curran, Hogan, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Smith, Stevenson, Trau, Wirth; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—13.

Alderman Heyman moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 9th, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Minutes of Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in Room 16, City Hall, Tuesday, April 25, 1916, at 10:30 O'clock A. M.

New York Central Railroad Company—Alteration and Improvement of Tracks and Structures on the West Side of the City (Cal. No. 1).

The meeting was called for the purpose of holding a public hearing on plans and profiles prepared under the provisions of chapter 777 of the Laws of 1911, and showing changes and modifications in the railroad, railroad structures and yards of the New York Central Railroad Company on the west side of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; said hearing being fixed for this day by resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held on April 7, 1916 (Cal. No. 90).

The Secretary presented affidavit of publication, showing that the matter had been duly advertised.

No quorum being present, the hearing was postponed.

The Board adjourned to meet Friday, April 28, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1916.

Below is a statement of warrants made ready for payment on the above date, showing therein the Department of Finance voucher number, the dates of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the date the voucher was filed in the Department of Finance, the name of the payee and the amount of the warrant.

Where two, or more bills are embraced in the warrant, the dates of the earliest and latest are given, excepting that, when such payments are made under a contract, the registered number of the contract is shown in the place of the second invoice date.

Where the word "final" is shown after the name of the payee, payment will not be made until thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the work, but all of the other warrants mentioned will be forwarded through the mail unless some reason exists why payment is to be made in person, in which event written notice will be promptly given to the claimant.

In making a written or verbal inquiry at this office for any of the above mentioned warrants, it is requested that reference be made by the Department of Finance voucher number.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

| Finance Voucher No. | Invoice Dates or Contract Number. | Received in Department of Finance. | Name of Payee. | Amount. |
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| Board of Aldermen. | | | | |
| 66865 | 3-31-16 | 4-26-16 | Great Bear Spring Co. | \$1 20 |
| 66864 | 3-31-16 | 4-26-16 | Foster-Scott Ice Co. | 4 50 |
| Armory Board. | | | | |
| 64571 | 3-18-16 | 4-20-16 | Cavanagh Bros. & Co. | \$132 21 |
| 64588 | 2-26-16 | 4-20-16 | T. E. Quinn | 135 00 |
| 64576 | 2-29-16 | 4-20-16 | Rocap & Poole | 105 00 |
| 64562 | 2- 1-16 | 4-20-16 | William C. Ferrer | 251 39 |
| 64578 | 3-25-16 | 4-20-16 | Nicholas J. Schery | 148 00 |
| 64564 | 3-27-16 | 4-20-16 | S. Haber | 104 25 |
| 64557 | 1-15-16 | 4-20-16 | A. Pearson's Sons | 212 50 |
| 64584 | 3-31-16 | 4-20-16 | Fraser & Berau | 195 00 |
| 64582 | 3-20-16 | 4-20-16 | T. E. Quinn | 596 00 |
| 64581 | 3-18-16 | 4-20-16 | T. E. Quinn | 111 55 |
| Department of Bridges. | | | | |
| 64392 | 4-13-16 | 4-20-16 | Proment & Company | \$153 54 |
| 64395 | 3-24-16 | 4-20-16 | Standard Oil Co. of New York. | 228 29 |
| Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. | | | | |
| 68368 | 4-18-16 | 4-28-16 | John W. Brannan, President. | \$300 00 |
| 67518 | | 4-28-16 | Hunter & Trimm Co. | 93 |
| 68370 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 34 86 |
| 68369 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 2 50 |
| 67023 | 3- 3-16 | 4-26-16 | John Greig | 45 81 |
| 67027 | 2-23-16 | 4-26-16 | T. G. Sellow | 61 75 |
| 66993 | 3-28-16 | 4-26-16 | Wm. A. Sander | 87 10 |
| 67010 | 12- -15 | 4-23-16 | Henry Allen | 33 00 |
| 67013 | 6-21-15 | 4-26-16 | John Boyle & Co., Inc. | 28 08 |
| 67014 | 2-20-16 | 4-26-16 | H. Kohnstamm & Co. | 26 16 |
| 64666 | 5-12-14 | 4-20-16 | George Poll & Co. | 45 00 |
| 64693 | 1-25-16 | 4-20-16 | Borden's Condensed Milk Company. | 575 48 |
| 64732 | 2-18-16. 3-11-16 | 4-20-16 | Standard Oil Co. of New York. | 127 17 |
| 64687 | 12-31-15 | 4-20-16 | T. H. Adie | 582 00 |
| 64682 | 11-26-15. 2-15-16 | 4-20-16 | Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison. | 1,680 00 |
| 64677 | | 4-20-16 | Pedersen Lubricator Co. | 182 50 |
| 64706 | 2- 4-16. 2-25-16 | 4-20-16 | Nathan Strauss | 323 04 |
| 64708 | 2-26-16. 2-28-16 | 4-20-16 | Frank J. Lennon Company. | 148 31 |
| 64719 | 2-29-16 | 4-20-16 | Burns Bros. | 132 22 |
| 64673 | 11-16-15. 11-18-15 | 4-20-16 | Geo. W. Millar & Co. | 288 40 |
| 64671 | | 4-20-16 | J. M. Gottesman | 455 45 |
| 64697 | 2-29-16 | 4-20-16 | J. F. Gylsen | 219 45 |
| 64700 | 2-29-16 | 4-20-16 | Nathan Strauss, Inc. | 691 11 |
| 64686 | 1-10-16 | 4-20-16 | Julius Fowl | 135 60 |
| 64685 | 8-10-15 | 4-20-16 | The Kny-Scheerer Corporation. | 150 20 |
| County Court, Queens County. | | | | |
| 68032 | | | Edward J. Smith | \$10 00 |
| 68037 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 4 91 |
| 68036 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 6 72 |
| 68035 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 4 97 |
| 68034 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 4 75 |
| 68033 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 6 09 |
| 68038 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 6 13 |
| County Court, Kings County. | | | | |
| 68154 | | | John F. Hylan, County Judge. | \$10 00 |
| 68155 | | | H. W. Smith | 6 00 |
| 68157 | | 4-28-16 | New York Telephone Co. | 74 16 |
| County Court, Bronx County. | | | | |
| 67055 | 4-26-16 | | Robert Hamburger | \$7 10 |
| City Magistrates' Courts. | | | | |
| 65039 | 4-11-16 | 4-22-16 | Hillard Manufacturing Company | \$15 00 |
| Court of Special Sessions. | | | | |
| 68347 | 4-14-16 | 4-28-16 | William C. McKee | \$10 00 |
| Court of General Sessions. | | | | |
| 66505 | 4-18-16 | 4-26-16 | Finn Brothers | \$18 00 |
| Surrogate's Court, New York County. | | | | |
| 68497 | | 4-29-16 | New York Telephone Co. | \$51 58 |
| Board of City Record. | | | | |
| 67928 | 4-20-16 | 4-28-16 | The Financial Age | \$37 50 |
| 67926 | | 4-28-16 | The Bradstreet Company | 37 50 |
| 67939 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | The Magazine of Wall Street; the Ticker Publishing Co., publishers | 50 00 |
| 67938 | 4-10-16 | 4-28-16 | The Annalist | 30 00 |
| 67927 | 4-19-16 | 4-28-16 | Steurer Publishing Company | 37 50 |
| 67937 | 4-19-16 | 4-28-16 | Steurer Publishing Company | 37 50 |
| 67936 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | Dun's Review | 37 50 |
| 67935 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | The Financier Publishing Co. | 37 50 |
| 67934 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | New-Yorker Handels-Zeitung | 45 00 |
| 67933 | 4-18-16 | 4-28-16 | Daily Banker | 37 50 |
| 67931 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | William B. Dana Company | 45 00 |
| 67930 | 4-14-16 | 4-28-16 | The Bond Buyer | 37 50 |
| 67929 | 4-15-16 | 4-28-16 | The Independent | 75 00 |

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| Department of Correction. | | | | |
| 66383 | 1-26-16 | 4-26-16 | Candee, Smith & Howland Co. | \$46 00 |
| 64243 | 3-31-16 | 4-20-16 | The East River Mill and Lumber Co. . | 274 74 |
| 64263 | 12-31-15 | 4-20-16 | American Fence Construction Co. | 964 28 |
| 62414 | 3-29-16 | 4-15-16 | C. E. Cornelius | 5 00 |
| District Attorney, Queens County. | | | | |
| 68042 | | | Charles Krummel | \$16 42 |
| 68041 | | | William F. Ryan | 13 45 |
| District Attorney, Kings County. | | | | |
| 68193 | 4-25-16 | 4-28-16 | Harry G. Anderson | \$18 55 |
| 68194 | 4-21-16 | 4-28-16 | Thomas J. Carroll | 25 74 |
| 64526 | 4- 4-16 | 4-20-16 | Stillman Appellate Printing Co. | 270 20 |
| 68191 | | | Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney ... | 118 05 |
| 68195 | | 4-28-16 | Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney ... | 53 34 |
| 65211 | 2-18-16 | 4-22-16 | Remington Typewriter Company | 29 95 |
| District Attorney, Bronx County. | | | | |
| 68169 | | | Francis Martin, District Attorney | \$207 59 |
| District Attorney, New York County. | | | | |
| 66861 | 4-14-16 | 4-26-16 | The American Law Book Company .. | \$8 00 |
| 5707 | 3-21-16. 4- 8-16 | 4-26-16 | Frederick A. Baker | 10 92 |
| 63891 | 3-31-16 | 4-19-16 | Bartholomew Moynahan | 115 80 |
| 63886 | 2- 8-16. 3-18-16 | 4-19-16 | Thomas Corrigan | 150 13 |
| Department of Docks and Ferries. | | | | |
| 67585 | | 3-31-16 | Burglar Proof Lock Co. | \$6 83 |
| 67588 | 3-20-16 | 4-27-16 | James McKay Company | 78 40 |
| 57871 | 3- 1-16 | 4- 6-16 | Henry C. Parsons | 75 50 |
| Board of Elections. | | | | |
| 67681 | 1- 3-16 | 4-28-16 | L. Barth & Son | \$6 20 |
| Board of Estimate and Apportionment. | | | | |
| 66922 | 4-19-16 | 4-26-16 | George B. Buck, Actuary | \$22 10 |
| 69555 | | 4- 3-16 | Joseph Haag, Secretary | 78 90 |
| Department of Education. | | | | |
| 66603 | 2- 7-16 | 2-26-16 | Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison. | \$47 25 |
| 67087 | 2-16-16 | 4-27-16 | The A. S. Barnes Co. | 3 60 |
| 67712 | 2-18-16 | 4-28-16 | Bruce & Cook | 12 00 |
| 67711 | 2-18-16 | 4-28-16 | Bloomington Bros. | 3 75 |
| 67699 | 2-18-16 | 4-28-16 | E. Steiger & Co. | 89 |
| 67696 | 11-19-15 | 4-28-16 | John Wanamaker | 70 |
| 67737 | 1-20-16 | 4-28-16 | Bloomington Bros. | 17 00 |
| 67219 | 2-15-16 | 4-27-16 | Atlantic Show Case Co., Inc. | 34 00 |
| 66554 | 2- 1-16. 2-28-16 | 4-26-16 | William Kroepke | 77 54 |
| 67278 | 2-23-16 | 4-27-16 | J. A. O'Brien | 47 59 |
| 67216 | | | S. Zacharkow | 29 40 |
| 67713 | 3- 1-16 | 4-28-16 | F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co. . | 5 40 |
| 67714 | 2-14-16 | 4-28-16 | Hull, Grippen & Co. | 60 |
| 67716 | 2-17-16 | 4-28-16 | Singer Sewing Machine Co. | 5 70 |
| 67718 | 2-10-16 | 4-28-16 | American Electrotape Co. | 8 00 |
| 67289 | 1-27-16 | 4-27-16 | George Rabe | 35 79 |
| 67195 | 1- 8-16 | 4-27-16 | Simon Russek, Assignee of R. Solomon & Son, Inc. | 84 00 |
| 67702 | 2-28-16 | 3-15-16 | M. J. Tobin | 2 50 |
| 67703 | 3- 4-16 | 4-28-16 | M. J. Tobin | 12 90 |
| 67701 | 2-20-16 | 4-28-16 | O. J. Maigne Co. | 5 50 |
| 67707 | 2-17-16. 2-23-16 | 4-28-16 | F. E. Folsom Co., Assignee of Peerless Manifold Book Co. | 21 85 |
| 67709 | 3- 1-16 | 4-28-16 | The J. W. Pratt Company. | 7 00 |
| 67217 | 3-20-16 | 4-27-16 | Thos. Cummings | 4 90 |
| 67682 | 12-30-15 | 4-28-16 | Stanley & Patterson, Inc. | 7 65 |
| 66596 | 1-31-16 | 4-26-16 | The New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Co. | 30 49 |
| 67265 | 2-11-16 | 4-27-16 | Lignum Carpenter Works | 3 91 |
| 67264 | 2-16-16 | 4-27-16 | J. J. Fay | 4 05 |
| 67263 | 2-11-16 | 4-27-16 | Paul Euell, Inc. | 17 23 |
| 67266 | 2-14-16 | 4-27-16 | The Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of Herman Sacks Roofing & Contracting Co., Inc. | 11 74 |
| 67268 | 2-29-16 | 4-27-16 | Philp & Paul | 12 66 |
| 67670 | 2- 8-16. 3- 3-16 | 4-28-16 | Rosemary F. Mullen | 28 23 |
| 57954 | | | Borough Wire, Iron & Brass Works.. | 122 00 |
| 64202 | | 43823 | Wm. Knabe & Co. | 436 50 |
| 64266 | 3-10-16 | 44073 | Samuel Lewis | 1,579 93 |
| 67269 | 2-26-16. 3-10-16 | 4-27-16 | Henry Pearl & Sons Co. | 30 43 |
| 67623 | 2-27-16 | 4-28-16 | J. Hess | 6 00 |
| 67245 | 2-26-16 | 4-27-16 | Peter Clark Iron Works. | 18 75 |
| 67243 | | | Aeolian Company | 2 20 |
| 67244 | 12-31-15 | 4-27-16 | Sohmer & Co. | 2 00 |
| 66598 | 2-25-16 | 4-26-16 | William Kreisberg | 14 00 |
| 66599 | 3- 6-16 | 4-26-16 | Rose Goldstone, Assignee of Philip Simberg | 19 00 |
| 66600 | 2-21-16 | 4-26-16 | Emil F. Bertram | 2 75 |
| 66583 | 3-17-16 | 4-26-16 | Karl Heinrich | 10 00 |
| 66584 | 3-14-16 | 4-26-16 | Karl Heinrich | 10 00 |
| 66581 | 2-29-16 | 4-26-16 | Richardson & Boynton Co. | 8 25 |
| 66582 | 3- 3-16 | 4-26-16 | Pratt & Cady Co., Inc. | 9 25 |
| 66543 | 2- 9-16 | 4-26-16 | Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co. | 6 25 |
| 66544 | 2-28-16. 2-29-16 | 4-26-16 | J. D. Johnson Co. | 1 88 |
| 66545 | 2-26-16 | 4-26-16 | The H. B. Smith Co. | 9 75 |
| 66601 | 3- 3-16 | 4-26-16 | B. B. Edward | 6 30 |
| 66602 | 3- 6-16 | 4-26-16 | John A. Brennan | 6 54 |
| 66578 | 2-16-16. 2-17-16 | 4-26-16 | B. B. Edwards | 3 75 |
| 66577 | 2- 9-16. 2-15-16 | 4-26-16 | B. B. Edwards | 4 00 |
| 66586 | 2-29-16 | 4-26-16 | Hugo Enders | 4 00 |
| 66585 | 2-25-16 | 4-26-16 | Waldorf, Haflner & Schultz | 15 48 |
| 66587 | 1- 4-16. 1-16-16 | 4-26-16 | Waldorf, Haflner & Schultz | 4 00 |
| 67252 | 9-22-15 | 4-27-16 | Lawson Piano Co. | 5 00 |
| 67246 | 1-19-16 | 4-27-16 | Benjamin Kaplan, Assignee of L. E. Atherton | 25 00 |
| 67249 | | | Paul C. Taylor | 8 11 |
| 67250 | 1-30-16 | 4-27-16 | Edward Sullivan | 4 25 |
| 67247 | 2-26-16 | 4-27-16 | S. Zacharkow | 28 68 |
| 67212 | 3- 1-16 | 4-27-16 | Jacob D. Ausenberg | 11 00 |
| 67251 | | | Philip Simberg | 4 50 |
| 67669 | 1- 3-16 | 4-28-16 | Frank A. Rexford | 8 00 |
| 67672 | 1-25-16 | 4-28-16 | Harper & Brothers | 1 50 |
| 67671 | 1-29-16 | 4-26-16 | Longmans, Green & Co. | 1 40 |
| 67673 | 2-17-16 | 4-28-16 | The Macmillan Co. | 5 52 |
| 67676 | 1-25-16 | 4-28-16 | Manhattan Electrical Supply Co. | 2 20 |
| 67677 | 1-29-16 | 4-28-16 | Charles Scribner's Sons | 60 40 |
| 67678 | 2-28-16 | 4-28-16 | Houghton-Mifflin Co. | 94 |
| 67720 | 2-14-16 | 4-28-16 | William Zinsser & Co., Inc. | 1 30 |
| 67721 | 2-15-16 | 4-28-16 | Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co. | 3 05 |
| 67722 | 2-14-16 | 4-28-16 | H. H. Harrison | 40 |
| 63234 | 1-20-16 | 4-18-16 | H. T. Dakin | 598 00 |
| 50896 | | 3-20-16 | Leigh Lundy | 579 90 |
| Department of Finance. | | | | |
| 69488 | | 4- 3-16 | Sadie Wiener, Clerk | \$31 63 |
| Department of Health. | | | | |
| 67415 | 3-31-16 | 4-28-16 | Knickerbocker Ice Company | \$31 36 |
| 67419 | 4- 6-16. 4-24-16 | 4-27-16 | Crown Stamp Works | 2 65 |
| 67521 | 3-25-16 | 43393 | Scientific Materials Company | 21 60 |
| 67540 | 12-30-15 | 43393 | Scientific Materials Company | 3 22 |

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| 67534 | 3-31-16 | 43930 | Borden's Farm Products Division | 31 00 | 69683 | 4-3-16 | | Edgar S. Follwell | 120 00 |
| 66157 | 3-31-16 | 44525 | Carl H. Schultz | 72 00 | 68743 | | | Merchants' and Manufacturers' Ex- change of N. Y. | 805 00 |
| 66146 | 3-31-16 | 44526 | Samuel E. Hunter | 77 55 | 68744 | | | State Court Holding Corporation | 173 25 |
| 67532 | 4-8-16 | 43950 | P. Lawless' Sons | 36 84 | 68262 | 4-28-16 | | Richard J. Delaney | 38 00 |
| 67529 | 3-31-16 | 44478 | A. Silz, Inc. | 13 82 | 68273 | 4-28-16 | | John H. Timmerman as City Pay- master | 80 00 |
| 67533 | 4-8-16 | 44524 | P. Lawless' Sons | 66 90 | 68268 | 4-28-16 | | Bernardine Kieckhoefer | 2 25 |
| 67519 | 3-31-16 | 44527 | Krakaur Poultry Co., Inc. | 63 75 | 68503 | | | New York Public Library. | |
| 68089 | 4-10-16 | | Lucius P. Brown, Director | 1 85 | 67460 | 4-10-16 | | New York Telephone Co. | \$2 50 |
| 68090 | 4-12-16 | | J. J. Crane, Assistant to Director | 3 90 | 67318 | | | Department of Parks. | |
| 68092 | | | J. J. Crane, Assistant to Director | 5 45 | 67500 | 4-10-16 | | E. G. Soltmann, Inc. | \$10 50 |
| 68057 | | | S. Dana Hubbard, M.D., Chief | 41 55 | 67320 | | | Percy R. Pyne, Treasurer | 1,070 93 |
| 68053 | 4-6-16 | | Lucius P. Brown, Director | 80 | 67482 | 4-1-16 | | E. G. Soltmann, Inc. | 4 50 |
| 68052 | 4-6-16 | | Lucius P. Brown, Director | 2 85 | 67483 | 4-7-16 | | The American Museum of Natural History, Henry P. Davison, Treasurer | 1,406 35 |
| 68051 | 4-10-16 | | S. Dana Hubbard, M.D., Chief | 80 | 67484 | 4-6-16 | | New Jersey Foundry & Machine Co. | 11 00 |
| 68050 | 3-31-16 | | Dr. C. Bolduan, Director | 80 | 67487 | 4-8-16 | | Wm. C. Ehrig | 9 50 |
| 68058 | 4-6-16 | | Daniel T. Kenny, Inspector in Charge | 60 | 67476 | 4-17-16 | | Jos. Ruppert | 11 63 |
| 68091 | 4-12-16 | | J. J. Crane, Assistant to Director | 4 80 | 67477 | 4-8-16 | | Paul Ayres Co., Inc. | 15 17 |
| 67428 | 4-5-16 | | Palo Company | 2 20 | 67478 | 4-20-16 | | The Manhattan Supply Company | 15 88 |
| 67427 | 3-25-16 | | Leousi, Clonney & Co. | 12 00 | 67462 | 4-6-16 | | Greenhut Company | 16 60 |
| 67426 | 3-22-16 | | Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison. | 30 80 | 67467 | 4-6-16 | | E. Belcher Hyde | 3 30 |
| 67425 | 4-11-16 | | E. N. Little's Sons | 2 60 | 67469 | 4-4-16 | | J. W. Gasteiger & Son | 2 00 |
| 67423 | 4-11-16 | | F. A. Hardy & Co. | 5 25 | 67470 | 4-18-16 | | Cascade Steam Laundry Co., Inc. | 12 63 |
| 67422 | 4-1-16 | | Union Carpet Co. | 12 85 | 67471 | 3-9-16 | | F. A. Walter | 2 00 |
| 67420 | 3-25-16 | | Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison | 4 50 | 67474 | 2-29-16 | | Superior Oxygen Company of New York | 2 25 |
| 67421 | 4-6-16 | | P. W. Valley, Inc. | 38 75 | 67476 | 3-23-16 | | Tower Bros. Stationery Co. | 5 00 |
| 64460 | 3-15-16 | | Armour & Co. | 131 36 | 67491 | 4-3-16 | | Eugene Dietzgen Co. | 15 97 |
| 64448 | | | Educational Films Corporation | 109 50 | 67497 | 4-10-16 | | Saml. W. Cornell | 8 60 |
| 64276 | | 43928 | R. F. Stevens Co. | 744 32 | 68373 | 4-15-16 | | Thomas C. Dunham | 95 00 |
| 64270 | 3-31-16 | 43942 | Beyer Bros. Com. Co. | 434 68 | 68374 | | | Fred'k J. Herr | 13 65 |
| 64274 | | 44477 | Swift & Co. | 115 90 | 68377 | 4-20-16 | | Police Department. | |
| 64269 | 3-31-16 | 43943 | Shults Bread Company | 410 05 | 68378 | | | Abram F. Ackerman | \$1 00 |
| 64267 | 2-29-16 | 43951 | Richman & Samuels | 166 98 | 68379 | | | Arthur Woods, Police Commissioner | 1,792 75 |
| 64268 | 4-1-16 | 43937 | Westchester Fish Co., Inc. | 141 64 | 68380 | | | Anthony M. Duffy | 9 00 |
| 64273 | 4-1-16 | 44480 | Frank J. Murray Co., Inc. | 196 82 | 68381 | | | Emil Panevino | 45 |
| 64453 | 1-13-16 | | Geo. A. Dugan Co. | 137 00 | 68387 | | | Cornelius W. Willemse | 17 13 |
| 64345 | 3-30-16 | | Henry R. Worthington | 151 50 | 68388 | | | Western Union Telegraph Company | 4 45 |
| 67412 | 1-31-16 | | Richmond Ice Company | 2 44 | 68376 | 4-20-16 | | Gertrude Schoensiegel | 8 75 |
| 67414 | 3-31-16 | | Knickerbocker Ice Co. | 6 35 | 68377 | | | James C. Sterett | 5 10 |
| 67413 | 3-31-16 | | Knickerbocker Ice Company | 9 12 | 68378 | | | Charles P. R. Dorschel | 49 |
| 67416 | 3-29-16 | | A. P. W. Paper Co. | 23 00 | 68379 | | | Philip E. McGuire | 54 |
| 67418 | 4-1-16 | | Wm. Zinsser & Co. | 7 50 | 68378 | | | James A. Knapp | 79 |
| 67411 | 3-31-16 | | Richmond Ice Company | 2 36 | 68378 | | | John F. Manning | 8 34 |
| 67417 | | | Clover Farms, Inc. | 72 | 68378 | | | F. W. Anderson & Co., Inc. | 536 00 |
| 67400 | 3-1-16 | | Anthony Krayer | 5 78 | 68379 | | | Library Bureau | 214 40 |
| 67401 | 3-1-16 | | Leo Hamburger | 51 58 | 68378 | | | Royal Typewriter Company, Inc. | 2,360 00 |
| 67402 | 3-24-16 | | Benj. E. Weeks | 6 50 | 68378 | | | J. E. Backus' Sons | 63 81 |
| 67403 | 3-14-16 | | Benj. E. Weeks | 6 00 | 68378 | | | President of the Borough of Manhattan. | |
| 67406 | 3-22-16 | | New York Blue Print Paper Co. | 6 00 | 68378 | | | S. Appel & Co. | \$36 00 |
| 67407 | 4-7-16 | | Casualty Actuarial & Statistical Society of America | 6 00 | 68378 | | | Manhattan Electrical Supply Co. | 5 76 |
| 67409 | 3-25-16 | | A. G. Clambour | 1 76 | 68378 | | | Casper Glass Co. | 4 00 |
| 67408 | 4-10-16 | | John Bellmann | 10 00 | 68378 | | | Standard Oxygen Company | 30 00 |
| 67438 | 3-24-16 | | R. Melnick | 20 | 68378 | | | The Ensign Refining Co. | 71 75 |
| 67439 | 3-27-16 | | The Fairbanks Company | 70 | 68378 | | | Thomas F. Walsh, Finance Clerk | 250 00 |
| 67440 | 3-31-16 | | Union Carpet Co. | 7 33 | 68378 | | | The Manhattan Rubber Mfg. Co. | 35 00 |
| 67441 | 3-20-16 | | Michael Paulini | 2 50 | 68378 | | | The Adder Machine Company | 35 40 |
| 67442 | 3-20-16 | | Sheppard & Kellett | 3 70 | 68378 | | | Manhattan Electrical Supply Co. | 60 77 |
| 67443 | 4-4-16 | | C. I. Vail | 6 25 | 68378 | | | Patterson Brothers | 79 95 |
| 67399 | 3-1-16 | | Anthony Krayer | 2 40 | 68378 | | | Montgomery & Co., Inc. | 9 20 |
| 67510 | 2-28-16 | 42994 | William Farrell & Son | 55 71 | 68378 | | | Jacob Schnaible & Son | 45 00 |
| 67404 | 3-13-16 | 3-16-16 | Benj. E. Weeks | 18 00 | 68378 | | | G. W. Bromley & Co. | 10 00 |
| 67410 | 4-4-16 | | Wm. H. Park | 8 89 | 68378 | | | M. Eberhart & Son Co. | 85 50 |
| Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County. | | | | | 68378 | | | A. F. Brombacher & Co. | 8 18 |
| 66813 | 4-20-16 | | R. L. Polk & Company, Inc. | 24 00 | 68378 | | | The Manhattan Rubber Mfg. Co. | 13 20 |
| Law Department. | | | | | 68378 | | | E. H. Walsh | 7 92 |
| 67981 | 4-28-16 | | New York Telephone Company | 25 18 | 68378 | | | F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co. | 53 91 |
| 67980 | 4-28-16 | | New York Telephone Co. | 23 62 | 68378 | | | William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of The City of New York, trustee for account of Street Opening Fund | 1,123 05 |
| 64373 | 4-15-16 | | James MacDonald | 111 00 | 68378 | | | Harlem Contracting Co. | 555 19 |
| 64632 | 3-16-16 | | James Adamson | 100 00 | 68378 | | | Nytanday Letter and Design Co., Inc. | 13 61 |
| 67056 | 12-31-15 | | Martin J. Dwyer M. D. | 35 00 | 68378 | | | President of the Borough of The Bronx. | |
| Miscellaneous. | | | | | 68378 | | | Peter Wynne, Secretary | \$36 91 |
| 68269 | 4-28-16 | | Newtown Creek Towing Co. | 67 21 | 68378 | | | Robert J. Moorehead, Superintendent. | 20 00 |
| 68274 | 4-28-16 | | Treasurer of the State of New York.. | 694 00 | 68378 | | | Spadaro Contracting Co. | 2,587 83 |
| 68275 | | | Trustees of the Department of Health Pension Fund | 3,728 00 | 68378 | | | S. Amanna & Sullivan | 261 53 |
| 68545 | 5-1-16 | | Veteran Firemen's Association of the North Shore Fire Department of Staten Island, George Bowman as Treasurer.. | 287 62 | 68378 | | | Joseph L. Sigretto & Co. | 4,421 83 |
| 68543 | 5-1-16 | | Veteran Exempt and Volunteer Fire- men's Association of the Edgewater Fire Department of Staten Island, John Berkle, as Treasurer | 338 57 | 68378 | | | Jacob Rosenthal, assignee of Delson Contracting Co. | 1,353 62 |
| 68544 | 5-1-16 | | Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Associa- tion of Tottenville, N. Y., Peter C. Dilg, as Treasurer | 47 44 | 68378 | | | John T. Brady & Co. | 35,331 40 |
| 68542 | 5-1-16 | | Firemen's Association, State of New York, for payment to the Treasurer of the Volunteer Firemen's Home Associa- tion at Hudson, N. Y. | 964 65 | 68378 | | | President of the Borough of Brooklyn. | |
| 68546 | 5-1-16 | | South shore Veteran and Exempt Vol- unteer Firemen's Association of Staten Island, Albert Killmeyer, as Treasurer | 116 57 | 68378 | | | Short Bros. | \$245 00 |
| 68607 | | | Hebrew Infant Asylum of The City of New York | 4,875 02 | 68378 | | | President of the Borough of Queens. | |
| 68608 | | | New York Catholic Protectory | 31,588 94 | 68378 | | | Tisdale Lumber Company | \$47 68 |
| 68609 | | | Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Soci- ety, St. John's Home | 9,803 97 | 68378 | | | W. F. Sheehan Co., Inc. | 13 49 |
| 68610 | | | Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd | 3,265 57 | 68378 | | | Department of Public Charities. | |
| 68611 | | | St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of New York | 3,898 44 | 68378 | | | James S. Barron & Co. | \$75 33 |
| 68612 | | | Volunteer Hospital | 577 10 | 68378 | | | Alfred Chatwin Supply Co. | 8 86 |
| 68555 | 5-1-16 | | Mary Bryson | 179 00 | 68378 | | | Paul Schaad | 6 00 |
| 68556 | 5-1-16 | | Collector of Assessments and Arrears of The City of New York | 427 10 | 68378 | | | International Shoe Supplies Co., Inc. | 3 83 |
| 68557 | 5-1-16 | | Chamberlain of The City of New York | 179 00 | 68378 | | | George Damon & Sons | 8 00 |
| 68267 | 4-18-16 | | Pratt Institute | 59 25 | 68378 | | | The Smith-Worthington Co. | 13 65 |
| 68266 | 4-7-16 | | Fred W. Beatty | 6 37 | 68378 | | | New York Butchers' Supply Co. | 14 50 |
| 69682 | 4-3-16 | | George W. Ross or Meyer D. Siegel, Attorney | 1,000 00 | 68378 | | | Milton Bradley Company | 1 00 |
| 69680 | 4-3-16 | | County of Livingston | 4,748 87 | 68378 | | | J. M. Gottesman | 22 41 |
| 69681 | 4-3-16 | | Elizabeth A. Cleary or Jonas, Lazansky & Neuburger, Attorneys | 792 39 | 68378 | | | J. S. Biesecker | 8 25 |
| 68570 | 5-1-16 | | The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt | 1,000,000 00 | 68378 | | | Commercial Sales Company | 15 40 |
| 68571 | 5-1-16 | | The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt | 2,136 99 | 68378 | | | Bradley & Smith | 3 00 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | S. J. Rosenthal | 75 60 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | S. J. Rosenthal | 19 44 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Knickerbocker Supply Company | 36 80 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Beyer Bros. Com. Co. | 526 51 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Beyer Bros. Com. Co. | 3,081 32 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | R. F. Stevens Co. | 3,355 14 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | R. F. Stevens Co. | 257 43 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Walker & Gillette | 156 18 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | B. Diamond | 5,622 43 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Morris & Company | 6,295 24 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Department of Correction | 41 94 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Ajax Sheet Metal Auto Parts Co. | 3 75 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | I. E. Giles | 7 50 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Steinway & Sons | 2 50 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Humphrey Co. | 8 00 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Arthur C. Jacobson & Son | 25 50 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | J. Edelson | 5 00 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | American Engine & Electric Co. | 2 25 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | Frank Sutton E. E. | 77 25 |
| | | | | | 68378 | | | James Harley Plumbing Co. | 25 00 |

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| Department of Street Cleaning. | | | | | | | | | |
| 64625 | 2-23-16. | 3-12-16 | 4-20-16 The Manhattan Supply Company..... | 105 78 | 68440 | 3-31-16 | 4-29-16 | James H. Little, Inspector..... | 64 16 |
| 64603 | | | 4-20-16 The McGraw Tire & Rubber Company..... | 413 40 | 68437 | | 4-29-16 | H. R. Emerson, Clerk..... | 183 79 |
| 64610 | 2-19-16 | | 4-20-16 Drake Awning & Mfg. Co..... | 574 19 | 67969 | | 4-28-16 | George Sheridan, Inspector..... | 49 95 |
| 64627 | 3-30-16 | | 4-20-16 John A. McCarthy..... | 149 11 | 67970 | | 4-28-16 | A. H. Kirchmer, Clerk..... | 95 85 |
| 64626 | 3-29-16 | | 4-20-16 Martin Motor Trucking Co..... | 152 38 | 66659 | 3-23-16 | 4-26-16 | Harry F. Bowsky..... | 5 36 |
| 64622 | 3-14-16. | 3-20-16 | 4-20-16 F. & P. Auto Transportation Co., Inc..... | 232 50 | 67974 | | 4-28-16 | Peter Johnson, Supervising Engineer | 9 62 |
| 64619 | 4- 3-16 | | 4-20-16 Chester Contracting Co., Inc..... | 106 82 | 67972 | | | Joseph Dougherty, Inspector..... | 67 55 |
| 64629 | 4-11-16 | | 4-20-16 Joe Roche..... | 3,371 63 | 67971 | | 4-28-16 | Nicholas I. Clarkin, Inspector..... | 34 25 |
| 64631 | 3- 2-16. | 3- 6-16 | 4-20-16 Wolfman Contracting Co., Inc..... | 195 42 | 67968 | | 4-28-16 | Chas. E. Keefe, Inspector..... | 41 85 |
| 64628 | 3-25-16 | | 4-20-16 Packard Auto Renting Co., Inc..... | 540 00 | 67820 | | 4-28-16 | Fisk Rubber Company..... | 16 00 |
| 64620 | 3-31-16 | | 4-20-16 John H. Eckhoff, Jr..... | 368 78 | 67823 | | 4-28-16 | Henry Wimmer..... | 13 00 |
| 64595 | | 42808 | 4-20-16 Commercial Construction Co..... | 200 00 | 67824 | | 4-28-16 | Norman MacLeod..... | 26 00 |
| Department of Taxes and Assessments. | | | | | 67825 | | 4-28-16 | E. F. Newman..... | 27 00 |
| 68201 | 4-18-16 | | 4-28-16 M. L. McInerney..... | 7 25 | 67815 | | 4-28-16 | Receiver of Taxes..... | 81 |
| 64517 | | | 4-20-16 Joseph B. Weed..... | 6 20 | 67816 | | 4-28-16 | Receiver of Taxes..... | 1 27 |
| United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps. | | | | | 67827 | | 4-28-16 | Receiver of Taxes..... | 1 15 |
| 67897 | | | Ida Osborne..... | 8 00 | 67822 | | 4-28-16 | Receiver of Taxes..... | 45 |
| Board of Water Supply. | | | | | 67828 | | 4-28-16 | Carl Reich..... | 5 00 |
| 67130 | 3-30-16. | 4- 5-16 | 4-28-16 Tower Mfg. & Novelty Company..... | 4 91 | 67830 | | 4-28-16 | Robert T. Ritchie..... | 20 00 |
| 55421 | 3-14-16 | | 3-30-16 Paul Motor Car Company, Inc..... | 5,100 00 | 67831 | | 4-28-16 | Noah Clark, Inc..... | 23 00 |
| 64638 | | 43236 | 4-20-16 Concord Construction Co..... | 234 26 | 67832 | | 4-28-16 | James A. Byxbee..... | 18 00 |
| 62644 | | 43587 | 4-17-16 Lord Electric Co..... | 570 42 | 67833 | | 4-28-16 | Kelsey, Suydam & Mollenhauer..... | 18 00 |
| Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. | | | | | 67829 | | 4-28-16 | Kelsey, Suydam & Mollenhauer..... | 14 00 |
| 67967 | 4-12-16 | | 4-28-16 William T. Wallace, Inspector..... | 46 00 | 67817 | | 4-28-16 | Kelsey, Suydam & Mollenhauer..... | 75 00 |
| 67973 | | | William L. Doncaster, Engineer..... | 1 80 | 67834 | | 4-28-16 | The Cornician Realty Company..... | 3 00 |
| 68446 | | | 4-29-16 J. T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer..... | 3 30 | 67835 | | 4-28-16 | Angelina Chiacelli..... | 10 00 |
| 67975 | 3-31-16 | | 4-28-16 John T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer.. | 22 40 | 67836 | | 4-28-16 | L. Gelber..... | 2 00 |
| 68444 | | | 4-29-16 Walter Lethbridge, Inspector..... | 72 44 | 67818 | | 4-28-16 | Sam Rappoport..... | 7 00 |
| 68436 | | | 4-29-16 H. B. Machen, Borough Engineer..... | 96 49 | 67819 | | 4-28-16 | Jemima Cargill..... | 1 00 |
| 67965 | | | Henry E. Scholl, Clerk..... | 52 55 | 64637 | | 42110 | Frederic W. Burnham..... | 916 58 |
| 67966 | 3-31-16 | | 4-28-16 H. B. Machen, Borough Engineer.... | 194 75 | 66661 | 3-20-16 | 4-26-16 | Bernard Renehan..... | 3 72 |
| | | | | | 66662 | 3- 3-16. | 3-28-16 | Thomson Meter Co..... | 16 70 |
| | | | | | 66663 | 3- 7-16 | 4-26-16 | Henry R. Worthington..... | 3 38 |
| | | | | | 62773 | | 43117 | 4- 7-16 James McAvoy..... | 2,462 46 |

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1916.

A statement is herewith submitted of all vouchers filed in the Department of Finance on this date, in which is shown the Department of Finance voucher number, the date of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the name of the payee and the amount of the claim. Where two or more bills are embraced in one voucher the date of the earliest is given, excepting that when such vouchers are submitted under a contract the registered number of the contract is shown instead.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

| Finance Voucher No. | Invoice Dates or Contract Number. | Name of Payee. | Amount. |
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| Armory Board. | | | |
| 69737 | | Thomas J. York..... | \$18 60 |
| Department of Bridges. | | | |
| 69712 | 42992 | S. Tuttle's Son & Co..... | \$6 58 |
| 69713 | 44110 | J. W. Gasteiger & Son..... | 918 27 |
| 69717 | 4-24-16 | Pure Oil Co..... | 4 50 |
| 69718 | 4-19-16 | Indian Refining Co..... | 26 40 |
| 69719 | 4- 4-16 | Geo. Pool & Son..... | 4 56 |
| 69720 | 4- 3-16 | A. & W., Sing Sing Prison. | 57 60 |
| 69721 | 4-26-16 | Peter Henderson & Co..... | 11 05 |
| 69722 | 4-24-16 | John W. Masury & Son..... | 9 75 |
| 69723 | 4-21-16 | Stanley & Patterson..... | 26 23 |
| 69724 | 4-21-16 | National Bridge Works..... | 158 55 |
| 69725 | 4-15-16 | Washington Buckley, Inc..... | 58 00 |
| 69726 | 4-21-16 | Mittnacht & Co..... | 15 00 |
| 69727 | 2- 5-16 | Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co..... | 94 74 |
| 69714 | | Jos. R. Geoghan..... | 2 60 |
| 69715 | 10-13-15 | Jos. R. Geoghan..... | 1 80 |
| 69716 | | Jos. R. Geoghan..... | 12 20 |
| Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. | | | |
| 69525 | 2-29-16 | P. Laruffa..... | \$2 75 |
| 69526 | 12-31-15 | The Tengelwall Co. of Ill..... | 1 00 |
| 69527 | 4- 1-16 | Herschman, Bleier, Edelstein Co..... | 73 91 |
| 69528 | 3-31-16 | Shultz Bread Co..... | 4 87 |
| 69529 | 3-31-16 | Sheffield Farms - Slawson Decker Co..... | 249 60 |
| 69530 | 2-19-16 | L. E. Hamburger..... | 71 04 |
| 69531 | 2-16-16 | The Abbott Press..... | 4 75 |
| 69532 | 2-18-16 | Armour & Co..... | 1 56 |
| 69533 | 3-10-16 | H. T. Jarrett..... | 15 45 |
| 69534 | 1-20-16 | The Electric Smelting & Aluminum Co..... | 506 25 |
| 69535 | 3-14-16 | John Bellmann..... | 66 00 |
| 69536 | 1-27-16 | Granite City Soap Co., Inc..... | 158 40 |
| 69537 | 3-16-16 | Jas. A. Miller..... | 38 40 |
| 69538 | 3-31-16 | Burns Bros..... | 37 41 |
| 69539 | | Knickerbocker Ice Co..... | 90 60 |
| 69540 | 2-28-16 | Scott Paper Co..... | 7 50 |
| 69541 | 4- 1-16 | Indian Refining Co..... | 7 52 |
| 69542 | 3-24-16 | Alex F. Reid & Sons..... | 3 60 |
| 69543 | 3-25-16 | Royal Eastern Electrical Supply Co..... | 2 50 |
| 69544 | 3-21-16 | Crandall Packing Co..... | 1 09 |
| 69545 | 3-28-16 | The Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.. | 7 20 |
| 69546 | 3-13-16 | Stumpp & Walter Co..... | 75 93 |
| 69547 | 3-28-16 | Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co..... | 18 18 |
| 69548 | 3-16-16 | Swan & Finch Co..... | 20 00 |
| 69549 | 2- 3-16 | Peerless Rubber Mfg. Co.... | 21 85 |
| 69550 | 3-21-16 | John Boyle & Co., Inc..... | 191 60 |
| 69551 | 3-21-16 | Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co..... | 27 00 |
| 69552 | 3-16-16 | Welsbach Gas Lamp Co..... | 70 67 |
| 69553 | 3-17-16 | Turner, Halsey Co..... | 40 64 |
| 69554 | | The Lily Cup Co..... | 300 00 |
| 69607 | 3-23-16 | The Hospital Supply Co..... | 50 00 |
| 69608 | 3-13-16 | Corbett & Co..... | 44 00 |
| 69609 | 3- 9-16 | Robert A. Keasbey Co..... | 105 00 |
| 69610 | 3-18-16 | Victor Iron Works..... | 89 00 |
| 69611 | 3-30-16 | The Ballwood Co..... | 80 75 |
| 69612 | 3-21-16 | Wm. Langbein & Bros..... | 44 15 |
| 69614 | 2- 3-16 | Belding & Franklin Machine Co..... | 27 10 |

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| 69613 | 3-13-16 | Otis Elevator Co..... | 129 03 |
| 69615 | 3-10-16 | Watters Laboratories..... | 18 00 |
| 69616 | 3-14-16 | American Laundry Machinery Co..... | 59 00 |
| 69617 | 3- 9-16 | Taylor Instrument Co..... | 10 50 |
| 69618 | 2-10-16 | John Wanamaker, N. Y..... | 2 00 |
| 69619 | 3-22-16 | J. G. MacDougall Co..... | 1 25 |
| 69620 | 3-23-16 | William Meier..... | 53 00 |
| 69621 | | Wappler Elec. Mfg. Co., Inc. | 9 50 |
| 69622 | 3-31-16 | Charles Doudera, Inc..... | 237 00 |
| 69623 | 4- 1-16 | Jas. B. Donohue..... | 29 20 |
| 69624 | 2-11-16 | Postal Tel. Cable Co..... | 5 40 |
| 69625 | 1-13-16 | The White Co..... | 16 30 |
| 69626 | 3-14-16 | Auto Maintenance Co..... | 106 60 |
| 69627 | 3-20-16 | The Perfection Spring Service Co..... | 1 68 |
| 69628 | 3-11-16 | M. Eblen..... | 4 85 |
| 69629 | 3-16-16 | Daniel Murphy..... | 33 05 |
| 69630 | 3-20-16 | The United Express & Vans | 45 00 |
| 69631 | 1-20-16 | Nicholas J. Schery..... | 49 70 |
| 69632 | 2-26-16 | Nicholas J. Schery..... | 32 00 |
| 69633 | 3- 2-16 | Nicholas J. Schery..... | 25 00 |
| 69596 | 3- 4-16 | Jordan Bros..... | 73 20 |
| 69597 | 3-18-16 | Roger Williams..... | 3 75 |
| 69598 | 3-22-16 | The Watters Laboratories... | 27 00 |
| 69599 | 3-21-16 | Hartley, Wallace Co..... | 17 50 |
| 69600 | 2-27-16 | T. Madlener Mfg. Co..... | 16 95 |
| 69601 | 3-17-16 | Bissell Carpet Sweeper Co. | 12 45 |
| 69602 | | Aseptic Hospital Supply Co. | 9 00 |
| 69603 | 3- 3-16 | The Vacuum Cleaner Constr. Co..... | 18 00 |
| 69604 | 3-11-16 | Paul L. Bryant..... | 18 12 |
| 69605 | 2-15-16 | E. Leitz..... | 28 00 |
| 69606 | 3-28-16 | Frank A. Hall..... | 11 45 |
| 69514 | 3-24-16 | Patterson Bros..... | 51 60 |
| 69515 | 3-25-16 | Nason Mfg. Co..... | 19 13 |
| 69516 | 3- 9-16 | The J. L. Mott Iron Works | 16 20 |
| 69517 | 3-29-16 | The Frank, Richard & Gardner Co..... | 69 74 |
| 69518 | 3-21-16 | Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co..... | 34 00 |
| 69519 | 3- 7-16 | The White Co..... | 19 44 |
| 69520 | 2-24-16 | Gurney Elevator Co..... | 94 00 |
| 69521 | 3-25-16 | Otto F. Schuster, Inc..... | 1 50 |
| 69522 | 3-21-16 | A. Itzkowitz..... | 4 80 |
| 69523 | 3-16-16 | George Tiemann & Co..... | 1 25 |
| 69524 | 3- 9-16 | William Meier..... | 77 50 |
| 69489 | 3-24-16 | Coles & Co..... | 22 80 |
| 69490 | 3-30-16 | F. Schmickel & Co..... | 29 00 |
| 69491 | 3-24-16 | The Auto Supply Co..... | 27 65 |
| 69492 | 3-28-16 | The Torsion Balance Co..... | 43 50 |
| 69493 | 3- 8-16 | The Yale & Towne Mfg. Co. | 6 85 |
| 69494 | 3-27-16 | John Simmons Co..... | 11 00 |
| 69495 | 3- 1-16 | Elevator Supply & Repair Co..... | 2 40 |
| 69496 | 3-15-16 | Theo. W. Morris & Co..... | 178 00 |
| 69497 | 11-23-15 | Otis Elevator Co..... | 8 20 |
| 69498 | 3-17-16 | The Peck Bros. & Co..... | 16 60 |
| 69499 | 3-22-16 | The American Laundry Machinery Co..... | 6 15 |
| 69500 | 3-30-16 | The Yale & Towne Mfg. Co. | 1 26 |
| 69501 | 3- 1-16 | Balfour & Koch Co..... | 8 10 |
| 69502 | 4- 2-16 | The Hospital Supply Co..... | 3 50 |
| 69503 | 3-25-16 | The Prometheus Elec. Co.... | 20 50 |
| 69504 | 3-24-16 | Wm. Zinsser & Co..... | 29 50 |
| 69505 | 1-26-16 | Hermann Fougner..... | 20 00 |
| 69506 | 2-28-16 | Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.. | 10 44 |
| 69507 | 3-13-16 | Thos. A. Glendinning..... | 13 55 |
| 69508 | 3- 9-16 | Henry R. Worthington..... | 3 60 |
| 69509 | 3-13-16 | E. J. Bergin..... | 21 60 |
| 69510 | 3-16-16 | Cornell & Underhill..... | 15 62 |
| 69511 | 3-30-16 | Dowd Lumber Co..... | 22 50 |
| 69512 | 3-29-16 | Johnson Service Co..... | 11 58 |
| 69513 | 3-17-16 | C. W. Hunt Co., Inc..... | 187 70 |
| 69634 | 3-29-16 | Stanley & Patterson..... | 365 47 |
| 69635 | 3- 3-16 | N. Y. Stencil Works..... | 10 00 |
| 69636 | 3-18-16 | Underwood Typewriter Co. | 92 03 |
| 69637 | 2- 5-16 | A. & W., Auburn Prison.. | 65 00 |
| 69638 | 3-30-16 | Greenhut & Co..... | 292 01 |
| 69639 | 2-29-16 | Bramhall, Deane Co..... | 6 55 |

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| 69640 | 3-11-16 | F. Madlener Mfg. Co..... | 4 50 |
| 69641 | 3-31-16 | Geo. F. Sargent Co..... | 69 75 |
| 69642 | 2-29-16 | B. Altman & Co..... | 139 00 |
| 69643 | 3-28-16 | L. Barth & Son..... | 33 22 |
| 69644 | 2-26-16 | Geo. Vause..... | 234 40 |
| 69645 | 3-25-16 | Chas. W. Brucher..... | 303 00 |
| 69646 | 3-24-16 | Jas. M. Shaw & Co..... | 58 66 |
| 69647 | 3-31-16 | Wm. Langbein & Bros..... | 53 10 |
| 69648 | | Clements Mfg. Co..... | 46 50 |
| 69649 | 3-29-16 | Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Inc..... | 14 70 |
| 69650 | 3-18-16 | J. H. Block Co..... | 4 75 |
| 69651 | 3-17-16 | Syndicate Trading Co..... | 179 36 |
| 69652 | 3-18-16 | J. Price..... | 165 00 |
| 69653 | 3-16-16 | The Perfect Safety Window Guard..... | 8 00 |
| 69654 | 3-11-16 | Jas. S. Barron & Co..... | 17 50 |
| 69655 | 3-21-16 | American Flag Co..... | 7 10 |
| 69656 | 3-15-16 | John Chatillon & Sons..... | 3 00 |
| 69657 | 3-24-16 | Peerless Rubber Mfg. Co.... | 17 50 |
| Board of Coroners. | | | |
| 69688 | 4-24-16 | George Anderson..... | \$13 50 |
| Surrogate's Court, Queens County. | | | |
| 69904 | 5-21-15 | L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriting Co. | \$2 65 |
| 69905 | 2-11-16 | Elliott Fisher Co..... | 35 |
| 69664 | | N. Y. Telephone Co..... | 18 47 |
| County Court, Bronx County. | | | |
| 69899 | 5- 1-16 | Underwood Typewriter Co. | \$2 50 |
| 69900 | 5- 1-16 | Adams Flanigan Co..... | 42 00 |
| 69901 | 5- 1-16 | Everson & Reed Co..... | 4 10 |
| 69902 | 5- 1-16 | A. Pearsons Sons..... | 11 00 |
| 69903 | | Royal Stat'y Co..... | 56 45 |
| 69895 | | Louis A. Cohen..... | 11 00 |
| 69896 | | Geo. A. Daly..... | 7 20 |
| 69897 | | Harry B. Harris..... | 5 55 |
| 69898 | 3-31-16 | N. Y. Tel. Co..... | 21 19 |
| Surrogates' Court, New York County. | | | |
| 69738 | 4-26-16 | R. L. Polk & Co..... | \$12 00 |
| 69739 | 3-31-16 | Knickerbocker Towel Sup. Co..... | 40 00 |
| 69740 | | Gerard Crane & Co..... | 22 08 |
| 69741 | 4- 6-16 | Library Bureau..... | 3 00 |
| 69742 | | Fallon Law Book Co..... | 10 20 |
| 69743 | 4-15-16 | L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co..... | 6 00 |
| 69744 | | Wilson Stamp Co..... | 17 25 |
| 69745 | 4-24-16 | Arthur Mountain & Co..... | 10 00 |
| 69746 | 4-26-16 | Munson Supply Co..... | 3 15 |
| Supreme Court, First Judicial District. | | | |
| 69894 | | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | \$533 80 |
| 69877 | 4-29-16 | The Banks Law Pub. Co.... | 136 75 |
| 69878 | 4-28-16 | Chas. S. Cook..... | 105 00 |
| 69879 | 4-27-16 | West Pub. Co..... | 36 75 |
| 69880 | 4-20-16 | American Law Book Co..... | 8 00 |
| 69881 | 4-21-16 | Jas. O'Neill..... | 25 00 |
| 69882 | 4-27-16 | R. L. Polk & Co., Inc..... | 60 00 |
| 69883 | 4-13-16 | The Sherwood Co..... | 74 00 |
| County Clerk, Queens County. | | | |
| 69684 | 2- 1-16 | Wallford Hafner & Schultz | \$83 09 |
| 69685 | 3-31-16 | Elliott Fisher Co..... | 8 02 |
| 69686 | 4-28-16 | Jamaica Bookbindery..... | 92 60 |
| 69687 | 3-31-16 | B'klyn Union Towel Supply Co. | 3 25 |
| 69662 | 4-26-16 | Long Island Star Pub. Co.. | 2 60 |
| 69663 | | N. Y. Telephone Co..... | 25 56 |
| County Clerk, New York County. | | | |
| 69893 | | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | \$55 62 |
| 69658 | | N. Y. Tel. Co..... | 28 65 |
| 69659 | 4- 1-16 | Fred Morgenweck..... | 12 80 |
| 69660 | 4- 1-16 | Knickerbocker Ice Co..... | 10 00 |
| 69661 | 2- 4-16 | Agent and Warden Auburn Prison..... | 51 90 |
| Board of City Record. | | | |
| 69676 | 44210 | Enlow Co., Inc..... | \$483 26 |
| 69677 | 44210 | Enlow Co., Inc..... | 175 30 |
| 69678 | 44212 | The J. W. Pratt Co..... | 326 55 |
| 69679 | 44212 | The J. W. Pratt Co..... | 774 91 |

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| Board of Building Examiners. | | | 69871 | S. Dana Hubbard, M. D.... | 144 75 | 69577 | Westchester Homes Co.... | 15 00 |
| 69692 | Edward V. Barton..... | \$3 00 | 69872 | S. Dana Hubbard, M. D.... | 51 35 | 69578 | John N. Golding, Agent. | |
| 69693 | Timothy J. Lane..... | 80 | 69873 | S. Dana Hubbard, M. D.... | 43 65 | | American Surety Co..... | 343 33 |
| Board of Estimate and Apportionment. | | | 69874 | N. Y. Tel. Co..... | 57 30 | 69579 | S. M. Wilson..... | 28 61 |
| 69758 | Katherine H. Yochman..... | \$32 70 | 69875 | N. Y. Telephone Co..... | 50 19 | 69580 | The Sherwin, Williams Co. | 160 00 |
| 69759 | Drop Line Indicator Co..... | 5 00 | 69876 | John J. Cronin, M. D..... | 41 25 | 69581 | Eugene Douglas..... | 198 80 |
| 69760 | 4-17-16 Keuffel & Esser Co..... | 6 00 | Department of Licenses. | | | 69582 | Frank Cannella..... | 10 00 |
| 69761 | 4-12-16 American Lumber Man.... | 4 00 | 69690 | 4-27-16 George H. Bell..... | \$126 64 | 69583 | Culbert Co..... | 21 60 |
| 69762 | 4-14-16 Oil, Paint & Drug Reporter | 6 00 | 69691 | George H. Bell..... | 68 70 | 69584 | Royal Ribbon & Carbon Co. | 14 15 |
| 69763 | 2-1-16 The National Provisioner.. | 3 00 | Law Department. | | | 69585 | Fulton Blue Print Co..... | 4 69 |
| 69764 | 1-1-16 The N. Y. Lumber Trade Journal | 2 00 | 69777 | 3-6-16 Knickerbocker Towel Sup. Co. | 36 70 | 69586 | Cornell Bros..... | 4 92 |
| Department of Education. | | | 69778 | 4-19-16 Burroughs Adding Machine Co. | 2 80 | 69587 | Engineering News..... | 5 00 |
| 69570 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | \$47 85 | 69779 | 4-5-16 E. Belcher Hyde..... | 5 00 | 69588 | MacGowan & Slipper..... | 45 75 |
| 69571 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 231 18 | 69780 | 4-14-16 L. D. Powell Co..... | 6 50 | Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond. | | |
| 69572 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 1 08 | 69781 | 3-28-16 West Pub. Co..... | 57 00 | 69798 | 43959 I. Sanger..... | \$1,570 50 |
| 69573 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 101 44 | 69782 | 4-28-16 West Pub. Co..... | 43 75 | 69799 | 44373 N. Y. Tel. Co..... | 822 82 |
| 69574 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 74 03 | 69783 | 4-28-16 Edward Thompson Co..... | 11 50 | Police Department. | | |
| 69575 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 04 | 69784 | 3-31-16 The Banks Law Pub. Co... | 297 20 | 69665 | 4-26-16 Jos. Gilkinson..... | \$18 36 |
| 69556 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 15,484 57 | 69785 | 3-29-16 G. W. Bromley & Co..... | 5 00 | 69666 | 4-26-16 George C. Leavitt..... | 1 55 |
| 69557 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 9,558 42 | 69786 | 4-1-16 J. & M. Steinberg..... | 206 50 | 69667 | 4-26-16 Grant Williams..... | 25 44 |
| 69558 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 29,915 80 | 69787 | 4-10-16 Geo. Kemp..... | 40 00 | 69668 | 4-20-16 John F. Solan..... | 7 90 |
| 69559 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 7,700 11 | 69788 | 4-15-16 Chas. S. Findlay..... | 6 50 | 69669 | 4-25-16 Emil Panevino..... | 5 10 |
| 69560 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 1,931 22 | 69789 | 3-31-16 Geo. M. Laubshire..... | 47 50 | 69670 | 4-24-16 Henry P. Oswald..... | 2 00 |
| 69561 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 145 24 | 69790 | 4-14-16 T. J. Prenderville..... | 6 00 | 69671 | 4-24-16 Allen C. Landvoe..... | 2 00 |
| 69562 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 132 20 | 69791 | 4-12-16 P. B. Sheridan..... | 276 80 | 69672 | 4-26-16 Floyd Horton..... | 35 |
| 69563 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 480 19 | 69792 | 3-31-16 N. Y. Tel. Co..... | 4 80 | 69673 | 4-26-16 James Diglio..... | 3 50 |
| 69564 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 444 01 | 69793 | Frank J. Price..... | 11 25 | 69674 | 3-21-16 William B. Caputo..... | 76 47 |
| 69565 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 156 25 | 69794 | Chas. R. Hartmann..... | 10 75 | 69675 | 4-26-16 N. Y. Consolidated R. R. Co. | 2 25 |
| 69566 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 26 00 | Miscellaneous. | | | President of the Borough of The Bronx. | | |
| 69567 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 79 58 | 69681 | Elizabeth A. Cleary..... | \$792 39 | 69800 | J. Henry Browne..... | \$7 40 |
| 69568 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 04 | 69682 | George W. Ross, or Meyer | | 69801 | John F. Oheir..... | 100 00 |
| 69569 | Wm. A. Prendergast..... | 433 33 | 69683 | D. Siegel, Atty..... | 1,000 00 | President of the Borough of Queens. | | |
| 69694 | 43160 Leslie & Tracy, Inc..... | 2,188 80 | 69680 | Edgar S. Follwell..... | 120 00 | 69710 | 42095 Wm. J. Scanlon..... | \$4,032 71 |
| 69695 | 43432 Johnson Service Co..... | 670 50 | 69735 | County of Livingston..... | 4,748 87 | 69711 | 33561 Borough Asphalt Co..... | 686 27 |
| Department of Finance. | | | 69736 | The Chamberlain of The City of N. Y..... | 500 00 | 69708 | John W. Moore..... | 23 00 |
| 69795 | T. J. Hogan..... | \$21 50 | 69737 | The Chamberlain of The City of N. Y..... | 500 00 | 69709 | Fred B. George..... | 50 07 |
| 69796 | W. S. Wolfe..... | 25 65 | 69731 | 4-27-16 James F. Donnelly..... | 185 50 | 69826 | 37934 Hastings Pavement Co..... | 66 75 |
| 69797 | 3-31-16 Powers Accounting Machine Co. | 97 23 | 69732 | 4-27-16 Ernest Hall..... | 110 00 | President of the Borough of Richmond. | | |
| Fire Department. | | | 69733 | John J. Mackin..... | 50 00 | 69884 | Agent and Warden Sing | |
| 69765 | Robt. Adamson..... | \$300 00 | 69734 | Franz Marquardt..... | 55 00 | | Sing Prison..... | \$475 35 |
| Department of Health. | | | 69728 | Jere Johnson, Jr., Co..... | 436 00 | 69885 | 4-17-16 T. J. Mullen..... | 19 65 |
| 69827 | 4-13-16 Bacon Coal Co..... | \$21 60 | 69729 | Theresa Manko..... | 27 14 | 69886 | 3-25-16 Central Hardware Co..... | 25 00 |
| 69828 | 4-13-16 Henry Bainbridge & Co.... | 35 | 69730 | Anna H. Reges..... | 25 21 | 69887 | 4-11-16 J. A. Snyder & Bros..... | 33 75 |
| 69829 | 4-10-16 Keuffel & Esser Co..... | 1 13 | 69774 | 3rd Ave. Railway Co..... | 104 00 | 69888 | Frank Bunge..... | 65 00 |
| 69830 | 4-11-16 Jas. A. Miller..... | 27 00 | 69775 | Atlantic Basin Iron Works. | 64 20 | 69889 | 8-9-15 Hudson Motor Car Co. of N. Y., Inc..... | 8 50 |
| 69831 | 4-12-16 Powers Weightman Rosengarten Co. | 1 70 | 69776 | Dora Pines..... | 461 92 | 69890 | 4-18-16 Wm. S. Van Cleef & Sons.. | 230 00 |
| 69832 | 4-15-16 Palo Co..... | 4 75 | 69766 | William West..... | 50 00 | 69891 | 3-31-16 Staten Island Shipbuilding Co. | 3 15 |
| 69833 | 4-15-16 Merck & Co..... | 9 00 | 69767 | 4-26-16 William H. Daly..... | 50 00 | 69892 | 4-15-16 Killians Garage..... | 15 00 |
| 69834 | 4-7-16 Merck & Co..... | 19 82 | 69768 | 4-26-16 Wm. Van Cleef, Jr..... | 50 00 | Public Service Commission. | | |
| 69835 | 4-6-16 Merck & Co..... | 13 00 | 69769 | Edward F. McGee..... | 50 00 | 69696 | Ramapo Iron Works..... | \$259 26 |
| 69836 | 4-17-16 Geo. Tiemann & Co..... | 4 00 | 69770 | 4-26-16 Frank E. Campbell..... | 50 00 | 69697 | 43643 Long Leaf Pine Co., Inc.. | 521 86 |
| 69837 | 4-11-16 Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. | 9 60 | 69747 | Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital..... | 655 67 | 69698 | 43643 Long Leaf Pine Co., Inc.. | 173 95 |
| 69838 | 4-24-16 Burton & Davis Co..... | 4 80 | 69748 | Brooklyn Home for Blind, Crippled & Defective Children | 4,591 59 | 69699 | 39492 Cranford Co..... | 4,000 00 |
| 69839 | 4-14-16 Burton & Davis Co..... | 3 00 | 69749 | Brooklyn Children's Aid Society for Seaside Home... | 291 66 | 69700 | 39492 Cranford Co..... | 2,000 00 |
| 69840 | 4-7-16 The Lily Cup Co..... | 30 00 | 69750 | Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children | 3,333 33 | 69701 | 40315 Cranford Co..... | 4,000 00 |
| 69841 | 4-9-16 A. F. Brombacher & Co.... | 3 25 | 69751 | Brooklyn Eastern District Dispensary and Hospital... | 601 10 | 69702 | 40315 Cranford Co..... | 4,000 00 |
| 69842 | 3-31-16 Adams Flanigan Co..... | 14 10 | 69752 | House of Calvary..... | 1,461 50 | 69703 | 37711 The Snare & Triest Co.... | 718 22 |
| 69843 | 4-11-16 Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc. | 1 00 | 69753 | House of St. Giles the Cripple | 425 81 | 69704 | 37711 The Snare & Triest Co.... | 587 62 |
| 69844 | 4-11-16 Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc. | 56 70 | 69754 | New York Nursery and Childs Hospital..... | 8,298 20 | 69705 | 35720 E. E. Smith Cont. Co..... | 1,155 40 |
| 69845 | 2-1-16 Columbia Graphophone Co.. | 25 00 | 69755 | St. Josephs Asylum..... | 4,028 72 | 69706 | 35720 E. E. Smith Cont. Co..... | 6,168 29 |
| 69846 | 4-14-16 C. L. Soldan..... | 18 90 | 69756 | St. Vincents Hosp., Borough of Richmond | 2,680 63 | Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. | | |
| 69847 | 4-8-16 The Globe Wernicke Co.... | 75 | 69757 | St. Vincents Hosp., Borough of Richmond | 2,543 19 | 69707 | Edmon Beardsley..... | \$548 17 |
| 69848 | 4-20-16 R. L. Polk & Co., Inc..... | 12 00 | 69771 | 4-26-16 Isidore Kohn, Ind..... | 275 00 | 69802 | 4-6-16 Parkinson Coke & Coal Co. | 13 00 |
| 69849 | 4-18-16 Henry Bainbridge & Co.... | 63 | 69772 | 4-25-16 David Sheeran..... | 112 50 | 69803 | 3-31-16 Schildwachter Ice Co..... | 10 80 |
| 69850 | 4-11-16 The Charity Organization Society | 24 00 | 69773 | 5-1-16 Francis A. Holman..... | 9 00 | 69804 | 2-14-16 Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co..... | 3 60 |
| 69851 | 4-18-16 Henry Bainbridge & Co.... | 1 26 | Board of Parole. | | | 69805 | 2-19-16 Hull Grippen & Co..... | 5 25 |
| 69852 | 4-15-16 Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. | 15 30 | 69689 | Thomas R. Minnick..... | \$57 93 | 69806 | 3-1-16 J. C. Muller..... | 2 55 |
| 69853 | 4-15-16 S. Lemkin..... | 2 00 | Bronx Parkway Commission. | | | 69807 | 2-2-16 A. F. Brombacher & Co.... | 21 70 |
| 69854 | 2-28-16 Agent and Warden Clinton Prison | 171 00 | 69589 | 3-8-16 Broun, Green & Co..... | \$34 00 | 69808 | 2-24-16 Hull Grippen & Co..... | 118 42 |
| 69855 | 4-11-16 John L. Whiting & J. J. Adams Co. | 3 10 | 69590 | 3-3-16 Scarsdale Supply Co..... | 15 00 | 69809 | 3-22-16 The Frank Richard & Gardner Co. | 22 50 |
| 69856 | 4-15-16 Auburn Prison..... | 56 25 | 69591 | 4-13-16 The Sun..... | 12 00 | 69810 | 4-6-16 Ross Valve Mfg. Co..... | 40 50 |
| 69857 | 4-8-16 Auburn Prison..... | 12 00 | 69592 | 3-28-16 B. J. Schaefer..... | 29 90 | 69811 | 2-19-16 Hull Grippen & Co..... | 3 51 |
| 69858 | 4-12-16 A. F. Brombacher & Co.... | 26 94 | 69593 | Treas. of the City of Yonkers | 2 56 | 69812 | 4-10-16 Richmond Light & R. R. Co. | 50 00 |
| 69859 | 4-12-16 A. F. Brombacher & Co.... | 2 50 | 69594 | Commissioner of Finance, White Plains, N. Y..... | 4 59 | 69813 | 4-4-16 J. H. Martin..... | 9 95 |
| 69860 | 4-7-16 Church E. Gates & Co..... | 194 00 | 69595 | National Tracing Cloth Co. | 55 08 | 69814 | American Express Co..... | 30 30 |
| 69861 | 4-11-16 Thomas C. Dunham..... | 69 35 | 69576 | Geo. R. Hilty..... | 58 82 | 69815 | 3-20-16 N. Bassen..... | 5 30 |
| 69862 | 3-30-16 Geo. Pool & Son..... | 9 00 | | | | 69816 | 3-30-16 Merchant & Evans Co..... | 13 11 |
| 69863 | 3-3-16 John H. H. Van Hoven..... | 71 00 | | | | 69817 | 3-23-16 E. F. Keating Co..... | 34 25 |
| 69864 | 4-6-16 F. A. Hardy & Co..... | 7 50 | | | | 69818 | 4-14-16 Greenpoint Fire Brick Co.. | 3 00 |
| 69865 | 3-10-16 Bligh & Engel..... | 11 70 | | | | 69819 | 3-31-16 The Columbia Machine Works and Malleable Iron Co. | 49 92 |
| 69866 | 4-12-16 Burroughs, Wellcome & Co. | 18 55 | | | | 69820 | 3-31-16 Atlantic Basin Iron Works.. | 31 66 |
| 69867 | 3-23-16 Sheppard & Kellett..... | 6 25 | | | | 69821 | 4-1-16 Peter J. Donohue & Sons.. | 12 40 |
| 69868 | 4-28-16 George A. Roberts..... | 23 04 | | | | 69822 | 3-22-16 The Hisey Wolf Machine Co. | 12 20 |
| 69869 | 4-20-16 John J. Cronin, M. D..... | 51 85 | | | | 69823 | 4-17-16 E. Belcher Hyde..... | 41 25 |
| 69870 | 4-8-16 S. Dana Hubbard, M. D..... | 160 70 | | | | 69824 | 4-17-16 E. Belcher Hyde..... | 13 50 |
| | | | | | | 69825 | 4-12-16 E. Belcher Hyde..... | 5 00 |

Police Department.

Report for Week Ended April 15, 1916.
APRIL 10.

Runner License Granted—Manuel F. Leon, 224 E. 25th st., from April 10, 1916, to April 9, 1917; fee \$20, bond \$300.

The following advancements to grades are ordered, effective as indicated: Patrolmen, to \$1,350 Grade, April 26, 1916—Michael Rafferty, 4; Emil H. Lundberg, 5; Henry Wolf, 7; Julius A. Scheider, 7; William J. Cummings, 40; John A. Flanagan, 63; Herman J. Ahr, 144; Peter Schuller, 156; John F. J. Hoffman, 164; Thomas E. Roden, 276; John W. Sutter, 2d Dist.; James H. Wavle, 5; Joseph H. Cahill, 5; Michael Silberski, 7; Salvatore G. Romano, 7; Frederick Reger, 63; Bertram M. Smith, 68; William H. Daly, 148; Charles R. Steuer, 162; Raymond L. Mulvey, 171; Nathan A. Davis, 1st Dist.; George F. McGann, D. B.; Joseph M. Thomas, 144, April 19, 1916; Louis Hoffman, 1, and James F. Riley, D. B., April 27, 1916. To \$1,250 Grade, April 24, 1916:

Adam J. Reydel, 2; Joseph Sabatella, 15; Edward H. Mutter, 21; William H. T. Reardon, 28; William J. Harvey, 63; Gustave C. Durholz, 68; John H. Miller, 149; Frederick J. Taylor, 171; Martin J. Brown, 274; Thomas J. Milan, Traffic E.; Joseph L. Massie, D. B.; Charles F. Feteroll, 2; Patrick H. English, 21; John H. Hembt, 25; Richard L. Foran, 38; James S. Powers, 65; Patrick A. O'Connor, 144; George Neary, 167; James T. Brady, 171; William P. Ward, 279; William B. Walsh, 5th Dist.; Thomas E. Dowling, D. B., April 26, 1916; Otto Rausch, 23; William Jackson, 3d Dist.; George S. Schreiber, 23; George A. Stone, 25, April 21, 1916; Rudolph J. Hoerr, 16, April 25, 1916; Henry F. Miller, 31, April 29, 1916. To \$1,150 Grade, April 26, 1916: Alex. McKittrick, 5; Thomas McNamara, 10; William String, 14; Michael Connolly, 17; Frank Marek, 22; Ernest Noble, 26; Martin Flannery, 39; George H. Pohmer, 61; Bernard F. Butler, 143; Joseph Lit-schauer, 148; Jacob H. Weber, 156;

Ulysses Boetig, 172; Robert P. Gray, Traffic E.; Charles A. McCarthy, 10; Ivo F. Vogel, 13; Patrick J. McCaffrey, 15; James Murphy, 18; Peter Donnelly, 22; James O'Brien, 39; Ernest W. Brender, 43; Thomas H. Moore, 74; Edward A. Schmitt, 145; Richard H. Hall, 153; Henry Bestmann, 159; David Levey, 283; Valentine W. Corell, D. B. George T. Cooper, 172, April 18, 1916.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, fines were imposed as indicated: Lieutenant, Joseph D. Wooldridge, 10th precinct (attached to 157th precinct when charges were preferred—3 charges), Feb. 26, smoking a cigar while on desk duty; Feb. 26, improperly uniformed while on desk duty; Feb. 26, improperly uniformed while on desk duty, 2 days, on three charges. Sergeant, Neil Browne, 12th precinct, March 18, (1) improper patrol; (2) while sitting in chair had coat unbuttoned, 3 days. Patrolmen, George F. Morano, 2d precinct,

March 10, (1) left post without proper relief; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, ½-day. John White, 6th precinct, March 18, (1) absent from post, standing in barroom of liquor saloon; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 3 days. Frederick Heppenheimer, 12th precinct, March 7, (1) improper patrol, could not be found; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 2 days. Donato Cavone, 14th precinct, March 15, (1) absent from post, coming from storm-door leading to liquor saloon; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 2 days. Charles E. Kirk, 18th precinct, March 16, (1) absent from post, sitting in a watchman's shanty with his hat off; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 1 day. Charles Leff, 18th precinct, March 10, (1) absent from post and relieving post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, ½ day. Patrick Tubridy, 21st precinct, March 10, sitting while assigned in-

side raided premises, 3 days. Walter C. Rosendale, 22d precinct, March 5, (1) absent from post, in conversation with a patrolman; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 1 day. Henry J. Spiess, 22d precinct, Jan. 24, failed to take proper police action, 5 days. John Schriener, 35th precinct (2 charges), Oct. 23, 1915, (1) absent from post, coming from premises; (2) failed to make entry; (3) failed to obtain permission, 5 days. March 3, absent from outgoing roll-call, 1 day. George A. Wolf, 62d precinct, March 7, (1) absent from post, in basement of premises; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 3 days. Martin A. Walsh, 79th precinct, Feb. 26, riding in automobile, in uniform, 1/2 day. William J. Tjarks, 143d precinct, Feb. 14, failed to report at special assignment, 5 days. Herbert C. Slott, 143d precinct, Feb. 20, absent from reserve roll-call, 2 days. Frederick Meybert, 149th precinct, Feb. 10, failed to appear at Court, 2 days. Frank J. Gehrling, 151st precinct, March 11, improper patrol, could not be found, 2 days. Michael Fanon, 159th precinct, Jan. 15, (1) in premises, sitting, cap and coat off, reading; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 5 days. James F. Havens, 160th precinct, Feb. 20, improper patrol, 3 days. Julius C. Steinheuser, 165th precinct (2 charges), Jan. 7, improper patrol, 3 days. March 10, (1) absent from post, coming from office of Department of Street Cleaning; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 2 days. Ellsworth E. Brown, 283d precinct (2 charges), Nov. 15, 1915, (1) absent from post, standing in store in conversation; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry, 4 days. March 2, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry; (4) absent from relieving point, was not properly relieved, 3 days.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, were reprimanded: Lieutenants, John L. Bergman, 25th precinct, Sept. 2, 1915, failed to enter in Aided, Arrest and Accident Record the names of two witnesses in an accident case. George F. Green, 25th precinct, Sept. 2, 1915, failed to make entries. Sergeant, Charles F. Jones, 16th precinct, Sept. 2, 1915, failed to treat as confidential certain police business. Patrolmen, Stephen E. McBride, 10th precinct, March 7, allowed prisoner to escape from his custody. John W. Donaldson, 23d precinct, Feb. 28, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. William E. Meier, 28th precinct, March 23, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Harry J. Haas, 28th precinct, March 23, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Bert Sears, 32d precinct, March 13, (1) absent from post, coming from restaurant; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Francis Bradley, 32d precinct, March 16, (1) improper patrol, in conversation and walking with a man; (2) standing in hallway leading to rear room of liquor saloon; (3) failed to obtain permission; (4) failed to make entry. John Alexy, 39th precinct, Jan. 26, failed to report an accident. William W. Murdoch, 66th precinct, March 16, (1) failed to relieve at Police Telephone Booth, coming from lunch room; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Frank Rockelein, 149th precinct, March 16, (1) absent from post, in barber shop; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Leonard Hessler, 155th precinct, March 18, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Carl F. Nohrenberg, 165th precinct, March 17, (1) absent from post, in office of Department of Street Cleaning; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Edward Kemmeter, 283d precinct, March 13, (1) improper patrol, loitering and apparently in conversation with a patrolman; (2) improper patrol, walking with a patrolman; (3) failed to obtain permission; (4) failed to make entry. Benjamin V. Merritt, Traffic Division, Sub-division C, March 21, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry.

The following members of the Force having passed their probationary period without being again convicted on a complaint, were reprimanded: Patrolmen, Henry C. McCarthy, 5th precinct, Dec. 12, 1915, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Harry A. O'Neil, 6th precinct, Dec. 7, 1915, absent without leave, reported sick. John T. Sheehan, 15th precinct, Jan. 10, failed to prevent, discover or report burglary. Robert A. Murphy, 16th precinct, Jan. 4, failed to report accident. Edward Moraghan, 22d precinct, June 29, 1915, (1) absent from post, standing at bar in liquor saloon; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Thomas R. Ford, 29th precinct, Nov. 6, 1915, (1) absent from post, coming from lunch room; (2) failed to obtain permis-

sion; (3) failed to make entry. Peter Lennox, 38th precinct, Sept. 13, 1915, (1) absent from special post, partly standing in liquor saloon with a patrolman; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Christopher J. Mills, 38th precinct, Sept. 13, 1915, (1) on an adjoining post, standing in liquor saloon with a patrolman; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Terence Donohue, 38th precinct, Nov. 9, 1915, (1) absent from post, in apartment house; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. John K. Trimble, 40th precinct, Nov. 9, 1915, (1) absent from post, in laundry; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. William G. Irwin, 40th precinct, Dec. 7, 1915, (1) absent from post, coming from wine and liquor store; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. George O. Masterson, 42d precinct, Nov. 29, 1915, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. George L. Stevens, 62d precinct, Jan. 15, (1) absent from post, standing in an office; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. William Reuter, 63d precinct, Jan. 13, (1) standing in grocery store, on adjoining post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. John D. O'Connor, 65th precinct, Jan. 14, (1) absent from post, standing in a stable; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. George Stern, 68th precinct, Jan. 19, (1) absent from post, coming from shoemaker's store; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Charles J. McCarthy, 69th precinct, Nov. 6, 1915, failed to signal. Walter A. Bambay, 79th precinct, Nov. 7, 1915, sitting on chair in fixed booth, apparently asleep. Thomas F. Colton, 80th precinct, Dec. 8, 1915, absent without leave. John F. Curley, 89th precinct, Dec. 14, 1915, absent without leave. George W. Hoeffling, 143d precinct (attached to 172d precinct when charges were preferred), Jan. 12, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Francis Kelly, 144th precinct, Dec. 14, 1915, (1) absent from post, riding on front platform of car; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Francis J. Egan, 160th precinct, Aug. 31, 1915, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Frederick Dehler, 163d precinct, Sept. 11, 1915, (1) improper patrol; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Michael Woods, 163d precinct, Dec. 13, 1915, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Franklin I. Stillwell, 172d precinct, Dec. 15, 1915, (1) absent from post, in premises; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Walter J. Molen, 172d precinct, Jan. 12, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Matthew E. Bongard, 172d precinct, Jan. 12, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. George D. Hammond, 172d precinct, Jan. 12, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Patrick J. Dooley, 275th precinct, Nov. 10, 1915, improper patrol. Jeremiah Clifford, Traffic Division, Sub-division E (attached to 28th precinct when charges were preferred), Sept. 30, 1915, (1) improper patrol; (2) absent from post; (3) failed to obtain permission; (4) failed to make entry. Joseph E. Cantrell, Bridge Precinct (attached to 172d precinct when charges were preferred), Jan. 12, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the charges were dismissed: Sergeant Ernest N. Corwin, 279th precinct, March 10, 1915, failed to make proper disposition of a dog coming into his premises. Patrolmen, Francis J. Mace, 18th precinct, Nov. 20, 1915, struck a man with his baton. John C. Logan, 21st precinct, March 11, absent from assignment and failed to remain thereon until properly relieved. John Finneran, 22d precinct, March 16, while in uniform and assigned to traffic duty (snow removal), entered liquor saloon. Raymond Leida, 28th precinct, March 10, (1) absent from post, coming from a house; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Alfred Stang, 29th precinct, March 4, (1) absent from post, at side entrance to liquor saloon; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Joseph C. Downey, 39th precinct (attached to 26th precinct when charges were preferred), Nov. 29, 1915, struck prisoner with his night stick. Albert Bruggemann, 42d precinct (2 charges), March 17, absent from outgoing roll-call. March 18, failed to report for duty when ordered to do so by a Surgeon. William B. Freeman, 42d precinct, March 15, (1) absent from post, in office of

Street Cleaning Department; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. William L. Heisterhagen, 62d precinct, March 21, (1) absent from post, coming from store; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Francis E. McGreevy, 144th precinct, Feb. 10, (1) improper conduct; (2) improper conduct; (3) failed to make report relative to a quarrel in liquor saloon. Frank J. McDermott, 154th precinct, March 20, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to make entry; (3) failed to obtain permission. Herman Weiss, 160th precinct, March 10, improper patrol. Richard Hiller, 161st precinct, March 19, (1) absent from post, coming from premises; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. John E. Driscoll, 172d precinct, March 19, (1) improper patrol; (2) failed to obtain permission. Herman G. Nicholson, 174th precinct, March 13, failed to cover Police Telephone Booth as directed. Morris H. Gliemann, 277th precinct, March 15, improper conduct. Arthur B. Ennis, 283d precinct, March 7, (1) absent without leave, proceeding to post without being assigned by competent authority; (2) addressed Sergeant in disrespectful and insolent manner. John M. Hofmann, 285th precinct, March 17, (1) absent from post, coming from theatre; (2) failed to obtain permission; (3) failed to make entry. Charles H. Wash, Traffic Division, Sub-division D (attached to 32d precinct when charges were preferred), Jan. 10, (1) delivered property of a prisoner to a woman and insinuated that he could influence decision in case; (2) attempted to regain possession of said property for purpose of destroying same.

APRIL 11.

Granted—Application of Sarah Ryan, widow of Patrolman William A. Ryan, for continuance of relief from the Police Relief Fund; \$240 granted to be paid in installments of \$20 a month from May 1, 1916. Application of Daniel C. Devoti, Acting Detective Sergeant, 2d Grade, Detective Bureau, for permission to accept reward of \$50, less the usual deduction for the Police Pension Fund, from the United States authorities for the arrest of a deserter from the U. S. Navy. Application of Patrolman Bernard J. Loonam, 43d precinct, to be reimbursed in the sum of \$6 for repairs to uniform overcoat damaged in the performance of duty.

APRIL 12.

Runner Licenses Granted—Edwin Seeschaf, 265 W. 114th st., from April 6, 1916, to April 5, 1917; fee \$12.50, bond \$300. William C. Mayer, 1728 W. 9th st., Brooklyn, from April 13, 1916, to April 12, 1917; fee \$12.50, bond \$300.

APRIL 13.

The following resignation was accepted: Patrolman, Charles H. Vaughn, 42d precinct, to take effect 12 p. m. April 12, 1916.

APRIL 14.

Granted—Application of Mrs. Agnes Earle, widow of Patrolman John W. Earle, for an allowance from the Police Relief Fund; \$240 allowed payable in installments of \$20 per month from May 1, 1916.

Runner Licenses Granted—Charles L. Mantaras, 131 E. 27th st., Manhattan, from April 6, 1916, to April 5, 1917; fee \$12.50; bond \$300. Charles F. Baer, 230 E. 95th st., from April 14, 1916, to April 13, 1917; fee \$20; bond \$300.

John R. Powelson, Stenographer to the Police Commissioner, resigned, effective April 15, 1916.

Watson R. Buehler, Stenographer to the 2d Deputy Commissioner, resigned, effective April 22, 1916.

APRIL 15.

The following members of the Force were relieved and dismissed from the Police Force and Service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and were awarded the following pension, to take effect 12 p. m. April 15, 1916: Patrolmen, on Police Surgeons' Certificate, Joseph H. Prece, 80th precinct, at \$700 per annum; appointed Feb. 29, 1896. James Tappen, 80th precinct, at \$700 per annum; appointed Nov. 26, 1894. Timothy Minogue, 150th precinct, at \$700 per annum; appointed June 7, 1895.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 300 of the Greater New York Charter, the following member of the Force was dismissed from the Police Force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 12 p. m. April 14, 1916: Patrolman, Frank B. Ahlborn, 162d precinct.

The following member of the Force having been tried on a charge before a Deputy Commissioner, and found guilty, was dismissed from the Police Force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 2:20 p. m. April 14, 1916: Patrolman, Bernard J. Higgins, 38th precinct; charge, Feb. 26, 1916, violation of rules, intoxication. While in sitting room of station house was so much under the influence of some intoxicant as to be unfit for police duty.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Department of Public Charities.

Report for Week Ended April 15, 1916.

Appointments—Wm. F. Gallagher, Licensed Fireman, \$3 a day; Fred Caillias, Cook, \$780; Persis E. Weare and Eirene Harper, Trained Nurses, \$600; Katherine Coyle and Jennie Clircord, Pupil Nurses, \$144; Teresa Manning, Trained Nurse, \$600; Viola Burd, Grace Chamberlain, Mary Cuff, Elizabeth Denson, Nanett Fitzgerald, Catherine Gunn and Rebecca Landon, Pupil Nurses, \$120. Thomas P. Goodwyn and Francis F. Callahan, Physicians, at \$1,140; Beatrice Arthur, Trained Nurse, \$600; Rose Clarkin, and James Cullen, Attendants, \$300; William S. Kinney, Hospital Clerk, \$480; George Genzmer, Pathological Chemist, \$1,500; Patrick Curry, Engineer, \$4.50 a day; J. O'Neil, Painter, \$1,020. Attendants: J. J. McLoughlin, \$360; John P. Spillane, \$300; Elizabeth Kelly, \$420, and Joseph Spotter, \$480, Cooks; Frank Early, Cutter, \$900; Constantine P. McGuire, Assistant Physician, \$900; Morris Davidson, Executive Intern, \$600; Alice Whalen, Mamie McGee and Annie Frank, Hospital Helpers, \$450; Fred Bailey, Cook, \$480; Julia Sheehan and Catherine McEvinie, Hospital Helpers, \$450; John Cras, Head Cook, \$840; Charles G. Darlington, Laboratory Assistant, \$660; Henry Hassenback, Fireman, \$3 a day; Timothy Killaran, Engineer, \$4.50 a day; Alberta Berger, Elizabeth H. Wickham, Mabel L. Jarrett and Janie Buckley, Trained Nurses, \$600; Carrie Davis and Hazel Shield, Pupil Nurses, \$120; Charlotte Elliott, Margaret Morgan, Mary Donahue and May Hartoys, Attendants, \$360; Louise Reynolds and Marie Gutzenson, Trained Nurses, \$600; Mary McMahon, Attendant, \$360; Gertrude Cowbig, Clerk, \$360; Kathryn Boehm, Trained Nurse, \$600; Jean R. Geddes, Attendant, \$360; John Belski, Licensed Fireman, \$3 a day; Edward Condon, Clerk, \$900; Lillian Kaufman, Alice Lawton, Mabel Ludeman, Vivian Lutes, Elinor Matheson, Bertha McVicar, Helen Ozman, Kathryn Mullins, Annie Murphy, Katherine Shanley, Carrie Walker, Christine Warren and Margaret Walsh, Pupil Nurses, at \$120; Mary Robinson, Assistant Superintendent Nurses, \$1,500; Paul Delanoix, Cook, \$480; George Philip Schmitt, Attendant, \$300; Robert D. Hutton, Laundryman, \$960; Joseph Kamarek, Cutter or Tailor, \$720; Eleanor Labben, Clerk, \$600; Jessay C. Palmer, Trained Nurse, \$900; John Ward, Frank Davis, Thomas Brehan, Joseph Reed and James Farrell, Hospital Helpers, \$480; Joseph Pirecos, Licensed Fireman, \$3 a day; Harry P. Percy, Pilot, \$1,400; Helen Savage, Trained Nurse, \$600.

Title Changed—Robert W. Vickery, Electrician, \$1,440; Institutional Clerks: Joseph A. Delag, \$720; Katherine Carroll, \$540; Daniel M. Maloney, \$480; James Bennett, \$300; Margaret T. Wall, \$480.

Salaries Reduced—Katherine Nolan, Hospital Helper, \$240; John Robinson, Tailor, \$720; Lawrence W. Duffy, Hospital Clerk, \$480; Ellen Bargin, Cutter or Tailor, \$720.

Services Ceased—Christina McQuade, Hospital Helper, \$450; James Rostrom and George Lacatse, Cooks, \$480; Thomas Cuddy, Admitting Physician, \$900; Constantine F. McGuire, Executive Intern, \$600; Gus. Heiss, Head Cook, \$900; Joseph A. Komarek, Cutter, \$900; James Brown, Attendant, \$360; Anna M. Lynch, Pupil Nurse, \$144. Attendants: Henry J. McSweeney, \$360; James Cullen, \$300; Elizabeth Kelly, Cook, \$420; Elizabeth H. Wickham and Mabel L. Jarrett, Trained Nurses, \$600. Pupil Nurses: Janie Buckley, \$180; Hazel Shields, \$120; Mary Riviere, \$144. Maude Gilbert and Charlotte Elliott, Attendants, \$360; John Read, Senior Hospital Artisan, \$390; Philip G. Schmitt, Laboratory Assistant, \$660; Francis Smithwick, Deputy Superintendent, \$1,000; Thomas Conarty and Harry Murray, Licensed Fireman, \$3 a day; Meyer Emanuel, Pharmacist, \$900. Clerks: S. Travis Gilbert, \$540; Nora V. Casey, Louis Levine and Patrick Hall, \$600; Edythe A. Meeker, Trained Nurse, \$600. Attendants: Tessie Kerrel, \$300; Abraham Richmond, \$1,200; Bessie Rowell, Trained Nurse, \$600. Cooks: Catherine Roy, \$480; Margaret Butler, \$420; Ruric N. Smith, Pathological Chemist, \$1,500; Dorothy Puddicombe and Frances Stoppel, Pupil Dietitians, \$120; Agnes M. Hogg and Mary C. Nolan, Trained Nurses, \$600; Mary A. Nolan Annie T. Grant, Nicholas McCann and Frank Davis, Attendants, \$480.

Promoted—Frank J. Herbig, Clerk, \$1,500. Attendants: John P. Spillane and Frank McAvoy, \$360; Russell Grimes, \$480; Mary L. Line and Agnes M. Reilly, Pupil Nurses, \$180. Emily K. Brophy, Attendant; Chris C. McGrane, Supervising Engineer, \$1,500; Arthur O'Donnell, Senior Hospital Artisan, \$390; Richard Walsh, Caretaker, \$780.

Contract Awarded—Manhattan Supply Company, 115 Franklin st., furnishing and delivering duck and wool felt, \$1,954; surety, bond, \$590.

STANLEY H. HOWE, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.Abstracts of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending
April 22, 1916.Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W.
Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 Feet; Above the Sea, 97 Feet.
Under Supervision of U. S. Weather Bureau, James H. Scarr,
District Forecaster, Acting Director.

Barometer.

| Date. | April. | 7 a. m. | | | 2 p. m. | | | 9 p. m. | | | Mean for the Day. | | | Maximum. | | | Minimum. | | |
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| Sunday, | 16 | 50.30.15 | 60.30.10 | 53.30.05 | 30.10 | 56.30.16 | 9 a. m. | 51.30.00 | 12 p. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Monday, | 17 | 50.29.85 | 55.29.69 | 56.29.69 | 29.74 | 51.30.00 | 0 a. m. | 58.29.63 | 5.15 p. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tuesday, | 18 | 46.29.67 | 50.29.64 | 48.29.71 | 29.67 | 45.29.76 | 12 p. m. | 49.29.63 | 11 a. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wednesday, | 19 | 45.29.86 | 59.29.89 | 55.29.94 | 29.90 | 55.29.95 | 10 p. m. | 45.29.76 | 0 a. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thursday, | 20 | 52.29.98 | 58.29.90 | 50.29.85 | 29.91 | 51.29.99 | 6.15 a. m. | 54.29.80 | 5.20 p. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Friday, | 21 | 50.29.76 | 58.29.67 | 50.29.68 | 29.70 | 48.29.87 | 12.10 a. m. | 58.29.63 | 5.30 p. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Saturday, | 22 | 42.29.55 | 44.29.56 | 45.29.61 | 29.57 | 46.29.64 | 0 a. m. | 41.29.53 | 5.30 a. m. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mean for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 29.80 inches | | | | | | | | |
| Maximum for the week at 9 a. m. April 16th..... | | | | | | | | | | | 30.16 inches | | | | | | | | |
| Minimum for the week at 5.30 a. m. April 22..... | | | | | | | | | | | 29.53 inches | | | | | | | | |
| Range for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 0.63 inch | | | | | | | | |

Thermometers.

| Date. | April. | 7 a. m. | | | 2 p. m. | | | 9 p. m. | | | Mean. | | | Maximum. | | | Minimum. | | |
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| Sunday, | 16 | 50 | 43 | 60 | 48 | 53 | 44 | 54 | 45 | 62 | 10.30 | 48 | 10.30 | 43 | 5.40 | 40 | 5.40 | 40 | 104 |
| Monday, | 17 | 50 | 48 | 55 | 54 | 56 | 52 | 54 | 51 | 61 | 11 | 48 | 7 | 46 | 5.50 | 43 | 1 | 48 | 88 |
| Tuesday, | 18 | 46 | 40 | 50 | 48 | 48 | 39 | 48 | 40 | 52 | 4 | 47 | 0 | 45 | 12 | 37 | 12 | 48 | 94 |
| Wednesday, | 19 | 45 | 38 | 59 | 45 | 53 | 43 | 53 | 42 | 61 | 4.40 | 45 | 4 | 42 | 5.45 | 40 | 5.4 | 40 | 105 |
| Thursday, | 20 | 52 | 42 | 58 | 45 | 50 | 44 | 53 | 44 | 60 | 11.50 | 47 | 11 | 48 | 12 | 41 | 3 | 48 | 102 |
| Friday, | 21 | 50 | 45 | 58 | 48 | 50 | 43 | 53 | 45 | 60 | 4.15 | 49 | 4.15 | 46 | 12 | 41 | 11 | 48 | 100 |
| Saturday, | 22 | 42 | 40 | 44 | 40 | 45 | 41 | 44 | 40 | 46 | 0 | 42 | 0 | 41 | 5.30 | 39 | 6 | 48 | 55 |
| Mean for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 51.3 degrees | | | | | | | | |
| Maximum for the week at 10.30 a. m. April 16..... | | | | | | | | | | | 62 degrees at 7 p. m. April 17. | | | | | | | | |
| Minimum for the week at 5.30 a. m. April 22..... | | | | | | | | | | | 41 degrees at 5.45 a. m. April 19 | | | | | | | | |
| Range for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 21 degrees | | | | | | | | |

Wind.

| Date. | April. | Direction. | | | Velocity in Miles. | | | Force in Pounds per Square Foot. | | | Time. |
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| | | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | |
| Sunday, | 16 | N | S | S | 46 | 39 | 59 | 144 | 0 | 3/4 | 8.50 p. m. |
| Monday, | 17 | SE | SW | W | 66 | 46 | 36 | 147 | 1/4 | 1/4 | 12.50 a. m. |
| Tuesday, | 18 | NW | NW | NW | 96 | 149 | 129 | 405 | 9/4 | 22 1/2 | 1.03 p. m. |
| Wednesday, | 19 | NW | NW | NW | 139 | 104 | 76 | 280 | 1 1/4 | 4 3/4 | 11.40 a. m. |
| Thursday, | 20 | E | S | SE | 41 | 41 | 38 | 121 | 3/4 | 3/4 | 3.25 p. m. |
| Friday, | 21 | E | NE | E | 39 | 60 | 74 | 179 | 3/4 | 1 1/2 | 2.25 p. m. |
| Saturday, | 22 | NE | NE | N | 104 | 79 | 59 | 235 | 3/4 | 8 3/4 | 12.25 p. m. |
| Distance traveled during the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 1,511 miles |
| Maximum force during the week..... | | | | | | | | | | | 22 1/2 pounds |

Hygrometer.

| Date. | April. | Force of Vapor. | | | Relative Humidity. | | | Clear, 0 | | | Overcast, 10 | | |
|------------|--------|-----------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|----------|---------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| | | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. |
| Sunday, | 16 | .195 | .203 | .187 | .195 | 53 | 37 | 47 | 46 | 0 | 4 Ci. St. | 8 Ci. St. | 9 Ci. St. |
| Monday, | 17 | .310 | .402 | .347 | .353 | 91 | 93 | 78 | 87 | 10 A. St. | Lt. fog | Lt. fog | Lt. fog |
| Tuesday, | 18 | .180 | .136 | .136 | .151 | 61 | 38 | 40 | 46 | 6 St. Cu. | 9 St. Cu. | 0 | 0 |
| Wednesday, | 19 | .150 | .143 | .143 | .145 | 53 | 24 | 32 | 36 | 0 | 9 St. Cu. | 2 Ci. St. | 2 Ci. St. |
| Thursday, | 20 | .157 | .157 | .219 | .178 | 41 | 31 | 61 | 44 | 2 Ci. | 1 Ci. St. | 10 St. | 10 St. |
| Friday, | 21 | .247 | .219 | .195 | .220 | 68 | 46 | 56 | 57 | 2 A. St. | 10 St. | 10 St. | 10 St. |
| Saturday, | 22 | .228 | .203 | .211 | .214 | 82 | 70 | 71 | 74 | Lt. fog | 10 St. | 10 St. | 10 St. |

Rain and Snow.

Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches.

| Date. | April. | Time of Beginning. | | | Time of Ending. | | | Duration. | Amount of Water. | Depth of Snow. |
|---|--------|--------------------|---------|---------|-----------------|---------|---------|------------|------------------|----------------------|
| | | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | 7 a. m. | 2 p. m. | 9 p. m. | | | |
| Sunday, | 16 | 11.25 a. m. | | | 12.30 p. m. | | | 1 h. 05 m. | | |
| Monday, | 17 | 1.00 p. m. | | | 2.45 p. m. | | | 1 h. 45 m. | .05 in. | |
| Tuesday, | 18 | 3.45 p. m. | | | 6.06 p. m. | | | 2 h. 21 m. | | |
| Wednesday, | 19 | 11.38 p. m. | | | 11.45 p. m. | | | 0 h. 07 m. | | |
| Thursday, | 20 | | | | | | | | | |
| Friday, | 21 | | | | | | | | | |
| Saturday, | 22 | 2.45 a. m. | | | 11.20 a. m. | | | 8 h. 35 m. | .39 in. | |
| Total amount of water for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | .44 inch |
| Duration for the week..... | | | | | | | | | | 13 hours, 53 minutes |

| Date. | April. | 7 a. m. | | | 2 p. m. | | |
|------------|--------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Sunday, | 16 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Monday, | 17 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Tuesday, | 18 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Wednesday, | 19 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Thursday, | 20 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Friday, | 21 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |
| Saturday, | 22 | Clear, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant | Partly cloudy, pleasant |



Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Promoted—Mary Dowling, 385 Wierfield st., Brooklyn; Delia Moore, 327 Eighth st., Brooklyn, and Mary Donohue, 85 10th st., Brooklyn, to Attendant at \$2 a day, April 27.

Died—William F. Nett, 2128 Watson ave., Bronx, Bridge Tender, April 29.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Services Ceased—James S. Cunningham and Walter L. Harper, Caretakers, at Brooklyn Truant School, April 30.LAW DEPARTMENT.
Services Ceased—George Schier, Clerk, April 30.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.
Appointed—William D. Brush, 415 W. 118th st., Manhattan, Assistant Superintendent, at \$4,000 per annum, May 1.
Salary Fixed—Henry J. Herold, 12 Mangin st., Manhattan, Clerk, at \$540 per annum, May 1.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Appointed—Mary McIver, 1515 Pelham rd., Driver with wagon and team, at \$5 a day, May 3; Frederick Forbach, 309 E. 90th st., Auto Lawn Mower Engineer, at \$3.50 a day, May 2. Painters, at \$4

a day, May 1: Frank D. Koester, 308 Ninth ave., Astoria, L. I.; William F. White, 72 E. 112th st.; Joseph O. Lustgarten, 1509 Charlotte st.; Reuben M. Levanion, 86 Parkville ave., Brooklyn; George M. Jones, 420 Sixth st., Brooklyn; Daniel H. Olmsted, 1236 Simpson st.; John J. Rivers, 108 Canal st., Stapleton, S. I.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Unless otherwise stated, the Public Offices of the City are open for business from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John Purroy Mitchell, Mayor.
Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.
Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary.
Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.
Joseph Hartigan, Commissioner.
COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Municipal Building, Telephone, 4315 Worth.
Leonard M. Walstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.
P. J. Scully, Clerk.
President of the Board of Aldermen.
City Hall, Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt.
Frank L. Dowling, President.
BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

ARMORY BOARD.

Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.

William C. Ormond, Chairman.

St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

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

Dr. John W. Brannan, President.

J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

F. J. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

CENTRAL PURCHASING COMMITTEE.

Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4315 Worth.

Director.

BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.

Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.

Henry Bruere, Chamberlain.

BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.

City Hall, Telephone, 7541 Cortlandt.

Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

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

David Ferguson, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," North River. Telephone, 300 Rector.

R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.

Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in August, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

William G. Willcox, President.

A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

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

Edward F. Boyle, President.

Moses M. McKee, Secretary.

Other Borough Offices.

City, Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George.
William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d ave. and 177th st. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.
Douglas Mathewson, President.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Public Buildings and offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.
Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.
Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.
Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.
Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.
Telephone, 3960 Main.
Lewis H. Pounds, President.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

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

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

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

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

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth.
Marcus M. Marks, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

President's Office, Borough Hall, L. I. City.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Flushing, L. I. Telephone, 1740 Flushing.

Maurice E. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

CORONERS.

Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor.

Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont aces. Telephone, 1250 Tremont, 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.

Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.

Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica, 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

Unless otherwise stated, the County offices are open for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.

Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swann, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

119 Nassau. Telephone, 6375 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August.

John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.

51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.

Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cohan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogate.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 4930 Main.

William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

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

Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House. Clerk's office, Room 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

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

Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 330-331 Main.

Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main.

Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 2830 Main.

Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.

50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3934 Main.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

Civil Records—161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.

Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave.

James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.

Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur aces. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.

Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Tremont and Arthur aces. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.

Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.

John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

2808 Third ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.

Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.

Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.

James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point.

Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

County Court House, L. I. City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

302 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.

Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.

Paul Stier, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SUBROGATE.

Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October.

Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.

Special Terms, Without Jury—Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

Surrogate's Court.

Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.

J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate. 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

Municipal Term—Room 500, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

First District—Criminal Courts Building.

Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.

Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.

Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.

Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.

Second District—Court and Butler sts.

Fifth District—261 Bedford ave.

Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.

Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt aces.

Borough of Queens.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.

Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Criminal Court Buildings. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

The Clerks' offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Board of Justices—James J. Devlin, Secretary. 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge rd., Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 308 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.

Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—14 Howard ave. Telephone, 4323 Bushwick.

Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.

Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.

Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District, 115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown

the rate of compensation is contemplated, within the salary limits of this grade, which range from \$4,140 to \$4,740 per annum.

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

m4,18 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1916, TO TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1916,**

for the position of

CHIEF ACTUARY (PENSIONS).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., **TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1916,** will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 75% required. Thesis, 3; 70% required. Oral, 3; 70% required.

A qualifying physical test will be given on the same day as the oral examination.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

Duties: (1) To supervise the force engaged on actuarial work in the Commission on Pensions; (2) To outline the work, and to prepare actuarial formulae and valuations; (3) To direct the investigation of service, mortality and salary experience, and to devise adequate records showing such experience. (4) To prepare premium and contribution rates.

Requirements: (1) Experience: Extended experience in a supervisory capacity in the practice of actuarial science is required. In lieu of such experience, evidence that the candidate has independently prepared rates of contribution, actuarial valuation of existing pension funds or other actuarial data may be accepted. (2) Technical: A knowledge of those branches of higher mathematics employed in actuarial work and a familiarity with actuarial formulae for calculating reserves and contribution rates are required.

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

There is one vacancy in the Commission on Pensions at \$3,600 per annum. It is contemplated, however, to increase this rate of compensation within the salary limits of this grade, which are from \$4,140 to \$4,740 per annum.

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

m2,16 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1916, TO FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1916,**

for the position of

STATIONARY ENGINEER (HOIST).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., **FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1916,** will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical, 5; 75% required.

The technical examination will consist of a practical test and a written examination, each counting 50%. 75% will be required on the practical test.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the examination.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties: The duties of a Stationary Engineer (Hoist) are to operate and repair hoisting machinery used at the shafts of the Board of Water Supply. The hoisting engines are used to convey men and materials to and from the tunnels which are several hundred feet below the surface.

The Stationary Engineer (Hoist) will be required to make small field repairs to the apparatus and must have a knowledge of the construction, operation and repair of gears, drums, cables, electric controllers and appurtenances relating to hoisting machinery.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of at least one year's experience in the operation of steam, electric, hydraulic or pneumatic hoists or similar machinery.

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

The salary is \$4.50 a day and there are three vacancies in the Board of Water Supply.

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

a28,m12 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1916, TO THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916,**

for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT OF GARAGE.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., **THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916,** will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 5; 70% required. Experience, 5; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C.

Duties: The duties of a Superintendent of Garage which involve supervision of the entire Municipal Garage system are to render prompt automobile service to city departments, to be responsible for the operation, care and maintenance of the garage and automobiles, to direct the work of the drivers, mechanics and others and to order and properly store all supplies and accessories.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of at least three years' experience in an executive position, such as manager or superintendent of garage or of traffic for taxicab or transportation companies or in related work, requiring active supervision over a large force of drivers, mechanics and other subordinates, or the equivalent of such experience. Candidates must have a thorough knowledge of the methods of caring for and maintaining a considerable amount of garage and motor equipment.

Candidates must be not less than 21 nor more than 50 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary is \$3,000 per annum and there is one vacancy in the Department of Bridge.

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

a27, m11 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 1916, TO WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916,**

for the position of

MASTER MECHANIC, DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., **WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916,** will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical, 5; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C.

Duties: The duties of a Master Mechanic consist of the maintenance (under the direction of the Mechanical Engineer of the Department) of the plant and the equipment of the Department of Street Cleaning, including the buildings, dumping boards and vehicles; and the supervision of four shops with about 150 men, including Foremen and such mechanics as Carpenters, Painters, Letterers, Tinsmiths, Blacksmiths, Harness-Makers, Wheelwrights, Masons, Electricians, Machinists, Mechanics' Helpers and Laborers.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of not less than two years' experience as a shop superintendent, or not less than five years' experience as a Foreman of one of the trades enumerated in the preceding paragraph, or equivalent experience. The completion of a course of instruction in engineering or applied science may be accepted as the equivalent of not more than one-half of the required practical experience.

Candidates must be not less than 21 nor more than 40 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary is \$1,800 per annum and there is one vacancy in the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

a26,m10 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

Duties: The duties of a Superintendent of Garage which involve supervision of the entire Municipal Garage system are to render prompt automobile service to city departments, to be responsible for the operation, care and maintenance of the garage and automobiles, to direct the work of the drivers, mechanics and others and to order and properly store all supplies and accessories.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of at least three years' experience in an executive position, such as manager or superintendent of garage or of traffic for taxicab or transportation companies or in related work, requiring active supervision over a large force of drivers, mechanics and other subordinates, or the equivalent of such experience. Candidates must have a thorough knowledge of the methods of caring for and maintaining a considerable amount of garage and motor equipment.

Candidates must be not less than 21 nor more than 50 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary is \$3,000 per annum and there is one vacancy in the Department of Bridge.

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

a27, m11 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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for the position of

MASTER MECHANIC, DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical, 5; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C.

Duties: The duties of a Master Mechanic consist of the maintenance (under the direction of the Mechanical Engineer of the Department) of the plant and the equipment of the Department of Street Cleaning, including the buildings, dumping boards and vehicles; and the supervision of four shops with about 150 men, including Foremen and such mechanics as Carpenters, Painters, Letterers, Tinsmiths, Blacksmiths, Harness-Makers, Wheelwrights, Masons, Electricians, Machinists, Mechanics' Helpers and Laborers.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of not less than two years' experience as a shop superintendent, or not less than five years' experience as a Foreman of one of the trades enumerated in the preceding paragraph, or equivalent experience. The completion of a course of instruction in engineering or applied science may be accepted as the equivalent of not more than one-half of the required practical experience.

Candidates must be not less than 21 nor more than 40 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The salary is \$1,800 per annum and there is one vacancy in the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

a26,m10 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

AMENDED NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1916, TO FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916,**

for the position of

FORESTER.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., **FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916,** will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical, 5; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C.

Duties: The duties of a Forester are to plan and supervise the work of planting, pruning, spraying and protecting trees and plants in public parks and streets.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of at least two years' experience in the practice of forestry and of such training in forestry as is evidenced by a degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction in a forestry school of recognized standing, or training recognized by the Commission as equivalent thereto.

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

The salary is \$2,280 per annum and there is one vacancy in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

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

Persons who have filed applications since April 6, 1916, for the position of Forester need not file further applications.

a21,m5 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 o'clock noon on **TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1916,**

for the position of

FOR REPAIRING THE SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FIRST AVE. BETWEEN WESTERVELT AVE. AND SHERMAN AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

260 square feet of new flagstone, furnished and laid.

550 square feet of old flagstone, retrimmed and relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is five (5) days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where the plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Council, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated April 18, 1916. a28,m9

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

260 square feet of new flagstone, furnished and laid.

550 square feet of old flagstone, retrimmed and relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is five (5) days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where the plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Council, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated April 18, 1916. a28,m9

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Auction Sale of Condemned Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of Section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Department of Street Cleaning will sell at public auction at Van Tassel and Kearney's, 130 E. 13th st., Manhattan, New York City, the following described condemned property of the said Department, at 12 noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1916,

THIRTY-FIVE (35) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

The horses will be sold separately to the highest bidder and shall be paid for in full at the time of the sale and shall be removed by the purchasers before 3 p. m. on the day of the sale. Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the condition and value of each horse before paying for the same, as in no case will money be refunded or the return of the horses accepted after the sale.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated, April 23, 1916. a28,m9

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN HOWARD AVE. FROM A POINT ABOUT 250 FEET SOUTH OF HERKIMER ST. TO HERKIMER ST. AND IN HERKIMER ST. FROM HOWARD AVE. TO RALPH AVE. AND IN RALPH AVE. FROM HERKIMER ST. TO CHAUNCEY ST.

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

1,145 linear feet of 42-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$9.20..... \$10,534.00

1,002 linear feet of 30-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$6.25..... 6,262.50

1 storm overflow connection No. 1, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per storm overflow connection No. 1, \$180..... 180.00

1 storm overflow connection No. 2, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per storm overflow connection No. 2, \$116..... 116.00

1 storm overflow connection No. 3, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per storm overflow connection No. 3, \$194..... 194.00

12 manholes complete, with standard iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$70..... 840.00

222,000 feet, B. M., of sheeting and bracing, driven and left in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$18..... 3,996.00

13,500 feet, B. M., of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$25..... 337.50

110 cubic yards of concrete, Class "B," laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$7..... 770.00

10 barrels of Portland cement, furnished and delivered, in place in the work, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per barrel, \$15..... 15.00

2 sewer basins, reconnected complete, with iron basin hoods, connecting culverts and all incidentals and appurtenances; per reconnection, \$50..... 100.00

1,000 linear feet of piles, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.40..... 400.00

2,000 pounds steel bars, in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per pound, \$0.03..... 60.00

Total..... \$23,805.00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN SARATOGA AVE. FROM HULL ST. TO CHAUNCEY ST.

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

252 linear feet of 42-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$6.25..... 1,575.00

783 linear feet of 30-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$5..... 3,915.00

9 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3..... 27.00

1 manhole, Class "D," complete, with standard iron head and special cover, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 50.00

8 manholes, Class "E," complete, with standard iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 400.00

4 sewer basins reconnected, complete, with iron basin hoods, connecting culverts, and all incidentals and appurtenances; per reconnection, \$50..... 200.00

20 house connection drains reconnected, complete, with all pipes and fittings, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per reconnection, \$5..... 100.00

Total..... \$12,389.50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be ninety (90) working days.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR

50,000 feet, B. M., of sheeting and bracing, driven and left in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$18..... 900.00

6,000 feet, B. M., of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$25..... 150.00

180 linear feet of 8-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2..... 360.00

100 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete, laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$7..... 700.00

10 barrels of Portland cement, furnished and delivered, in place in the work, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per barrel, \$15..... 15.00

1,000 linear feet of piles, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.40..... 400.00

2,000 pounds steel bars, in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per pound, \$0.03..... 60.00

Total..... \$8,852.00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER IN AVENUE J BETWEEN OCEAN AVE. AND BEDFORD AVE. AND OUT

CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN W. 11TH ST. FROM AVENUE Q TO 86TH ST.

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

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| 398 linear feet of 114-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$40 | \$15,920.00 |
| 5 linear feet of 102-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$37 | 185.00 |
| 1,711 linear feet of 78-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$20 | 34,220.00 |
| 842 linear feet of 72-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$16.50 | 13,893.00 |
| 20 linear feet of 36-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$7 | 140.00 |
| 39 linear feet of 24-inch pipe storm sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.25 | 126.75 |
| 920 linear feet of 66-inch combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$14.50 | 13,340.00 |
| 11 linear feet of 60-inch combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$12.50 | 137.50 |
| 51 linear feet of 42-inch combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$7.65 | 390.15 |
| 56 linear feet of 36-inch combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$6.65 | 372.40 |
| 15 linear feet of 24-inch pipe combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.50 | 52.50 |
| 51 linear feet of 22-inch pipe combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.30 | 168.30 |
| 38 linear feet of 12-inch pipe combined sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.75 | 66.50 |
| 345 linear feet of 36-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$18.50 | 6,382.50 |
| 42 linear feet of 30-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$14 | 588.00 |
| 856 linear feet of 22-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$9.75 | 8,346.00 |
| 858 linear feet of 20-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$8 | 6,864.00 |
| 825 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$7 | 5,775.00 |
| 36 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$4.25 | 153.00 |
| 21 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$4 | 84.00 |
| 20 linear feet of 6-inch storm house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.50 | 10.00 |
| 252 linear feet of 6-inch combined house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70 | 176.40 |
| 2,652 linear feet of 8-inch sanitary house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50 | 3,978.00 |
| 537 linear feet of stand pipes, complete, including concrete casing, covers, specials, extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2 | 1,074.00 |
| 3 float chambers, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per float chamber, \$250 | 750.00 |
| 3 drop manholes complete, with standard manhole heads and special covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$145 | 435.00 |
| 9 manholes on storm sewers, complete, with special manhole heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45 | 405.00 |
| 7 manholes on combined sewers, complete, with standard manhole heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45 | 315.00 |
| 14 manholes on sanitary sewers, complete, with standard manhole heads and special covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$95 | 1,330.00 |
| 11 manholes on sanitary house connection drains, complete, with standard manhole heads and special covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$40 | 440.00 |
| 9 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods, and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$115 | 1,035.00 |
| 130,000 feet, B. M., of foundation planking, pile capping and stringers, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$30 | 3,900.00 |
| 300,000 feet, B. M., of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, B. M., \$18 | 5,400.00 |
| 35,000 linear feet of piles, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.35 | 12,250.00 |
| 20 cubic yards of concrete, Class "A," laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$8 | 160.00 |
| 20 cubic yards of concrete, Class "B," laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$7.50 | 150.00 |
| 10 barrels of Portland cement, furnished and delivered, in place in the work, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per barrel, \$1.75 | 17.50 |
| 12,000 pounds of steel bars, in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per pound, \$0.04 | 480.00 |

Total, \$139,510.50
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be two hundred and fifty (250) working days.
The amount of security required will be Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000).
The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimates of the total cost for the completed work are to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for

bidding. Proposals shall state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING TEMPORARY STORM RELIEF SEWER IN THE RIGHT OF WAY OWNED BY THE CITY LOCATED IN WHAT WAS FORMERLY PAERDEGAT BASIN, BETWEEN E. 37TH ST. AND E. 31ST ST., TOGETHER WITH A TEMPORARY STORM OVERFLOW CONNECTION AT FLATBUSH AVE. AND FOSTER AVE.

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

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| 3,810 linear feet of 72-inch sewer. | |
| 27 linear feet of 66-inch brick and concrete sewer. | |
| 4 manholes. | |
| 70,000 feet, B. M., of foundation planking and pile capping. | |
| 100 cubic yards concrete, Class "A." | |
| 2,000 lbs. steel bars. | |
| 10,000 feet, B. M., of sheeting and bracing. | |
| 7,500 linear feet of piles. | |
| 250 cubic yards of extra excavation. | |
| 13,000 cubic yards of embankment. | |

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred and ten (110) working days.
The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, Brooklyn, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

Dated, April 24, 1916. L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY 37TH ST. FROM BATH AVE. TO BENSON AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 16,780 cubic yards fill to be furnished. | |
| 1,670 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 8,320 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance). | |
| 8,320 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation. | |
| Time allowed, 130 working days. Security required, \$3,300. | |

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BOERUM ST. FROM WHITE ST. TO BOGART ST. THE BLOCKS USED ON THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE NEW GRANITE BLOCKS.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 2,735 cubic yards excavation. | |
| 20 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 990 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 30 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 5,130 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance). | |
| 5,130 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation. | |
| 277 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 1,659 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand (no maintenance). | |
| Time allowed, 40 working days. Security required, \$3,200. | |

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BUSHWICK AVE. FROM ARION PL. TO MYRTLE AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 50 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 100 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 55 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 510 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area. | |
| 55 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area. | |
| 3,470 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area (5 years maintenance). | |
| 490 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area (no maintenance). | |
| 23 square yards adjacent pavement to be relaid. | |
| Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$2,300. | |

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DIVISION AVE. FROM THE BULKHEAD TO KENT AVE. THE BLOCKS USED ON THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE NEW GRANITE BLOCKS.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 10 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 295 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 35 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 100 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area. | |
| 10 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area. | |
| 605 square yards grade 1 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand, outside railroad area (no maintenance). | |
| 55 square yards grade 1 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand, within railroad area (no maintenance). | |
| 20 square yards adjacent pavement to be relaid. | |
| Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,000. | |

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HICKS ST. FROM JORALEMON ST. TO ATLANTIC AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 50 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 50 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 70 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 20 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 2,225 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |
| 10 square yards adjacent pavement to be relaid. | |
| 10 new covers and heads for sewer manholes. | |

Time allowed, 20 working days. Security required, \$900.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HINSDALE ST. FROM RIVERDALE AVE. TO NEWPORT ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 550 cubic yards excavation to subgrade. | |
| 145 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 370 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 2,210 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,500.

NO. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE PRESENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF IRVING AVE. FROM STARR ST. TO SUYDAM ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 25 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 10 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 5 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 2,110 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 25 working days. Security required, \$700.

NO. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MIDWOOD ST. FROM FLATBUSH AVE. TO BEDFORD AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 1,000 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 960 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 580 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 3,485 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$2,700.

NO. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MONITOR ST. FROM DRIGGS AVE. TO ENGERT AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 50 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 50 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 10 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 1,450 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 20 working days. Security required, \$700.

NO. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ST. JOHN'S PL. FROM ROGERS AVE. TO NEW YORK AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 400 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 400 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 30 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 400 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area. | |
| 70 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area. | |

635 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area (5 years maintenance).

635 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area (no maintenance).

Time allowed, 35 working days. Security required, \$2,200.

NO. 11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THROOP AVE. FROM FLOYD ST. TO MYRTLE AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 40 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 890 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete. | |
| 35 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 320 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 1,910 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

5 square yards adjacent pavement to be relaid.

7 new covers and heads for sewer manholes.

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,500.

NO. 12. FOR REGULATING, PAVING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY AND CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON THE WEST SIDE OF 7TH AVE. FROM 76TH ST. TO 77TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 480 cubic yards excavation to subgrade. | |
| 130 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 245 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 1,280 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance). | |
| 1,280 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation. | |
| 320 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 1,920 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,500.

NO. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT AND GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 60TH ST. FROM 18TH AVE. TO 19TH AVE. THE BLOCKS USED ON THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE NEW GRANITE BLOCKS.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 210 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 60 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 1,215 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 580 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 2,295 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

1,185 square yards grade 1 granite pavement with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand (no maintenance).

Time allowed, 35 working days. Security required, \$3,300.

NO. 14. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 71ST ST. FROM 15TH AVE. TO NEW UTRICHT AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 900 cubic yards excavation. | |
| 30 cubic yards fill (not to be bid for). | |
| 10 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete. | |
| 80 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 1,090 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 3,970 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance). | |
| 3,970 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation. | |
| 310 cubic yards concrete. | |
| 1,870 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance). | |

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,800.

NO. 15. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 79TH ST. FROM 17TH AVE. TO 18TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

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| 70 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete. | |
| 1,580 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance). | |
| 470 cubic yards concrete. | |

2,830 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$2,100.

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

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

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, April 24, 1916. L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING THE MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT OF THE SEWAGE PUMPING STATION AT AVENUE V, BETWEEN W. 10TH AND W. 11TH STS., SECTION NO. 3. SANITARY OUTLET SEWERS, STORM OUTLET SEWERS AND THE FORCE MAIN IN AVENUE V, BETWEEN THE WESTERLY LINE OF W. 10TH ST. AND THE EASTERLY LINE OF W. 10TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL SANITARY OUTLET SEWERS, STORM OUTLET SEWERS AND THE FORCE MAIN AND THE SEWAGE PUMPING STATION AND ALL ADJUNCTS AND APPURTENANCES WITHIN THE PARCEL OF LAND BETWEEN W. 10TH ST. AND W. 11TH ST. AND BETWEEN AVENUE V AND A LINE PARALLEL THEREWITH AND 200 FEET SOUTHERLY THEREFROM.

The work to be done and the materials to be supplied are as follows:

Furnishing and delivering all labor and materials and installing complete, and ready to run with all accessories, appliances, incidentals and appurtenances, the entire Mechanical Equipment of the Sewage Pumping Station at Avenue V between W. 10th st. and W. 11th st., Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The attention of bidders is called to the fact that the successful bidder will be required to guarantee the efficiency of the pumps and motors and the suitability of the apparatus for the expected service.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

The bidder will be required to deposit a certified check or sum of money equal to five per cent. (5%) of the amount of bond required.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

Dated, April 13, 1916. L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

BELEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, DEPARTMENT OF DOCK AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Department of Public Charities, Department of Correction, Department of Dock and Ferries, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before May 31, 1916, as stated in the schedules.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

The bidder will state the price per gross ton, 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 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 Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BUREAU OF G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

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

THE SOUTHERLY END OF CARL SCHURZ PARK.

No bids shall be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than One Hundred Dollars. Should the successful bidder refuse to accept the privilege after award by the Commissioner, the deposit will be forfeited to The City of New York.

Each bidder shall make his bid for the amount of monthly rental.

The period of time, should the contract be let, will expire on Oct. 15, 1916.

The bids will be compared and the privilege will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids.

The form of proposal and full information as to bidding can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond. a27,m9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Commissioner, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the above office of the Department of Parks until 12 noon.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916.
FOR THE FOLLOWING PRIVILEGES:
Item No. 1: Conducting a restaurant at the building known as the McGowan's Pass Tavern in Central Park.

Item No. 2: Conducting a restaurant at the building known as the Casino building in Central Park.

Item No. 3: Conducting a restaurant at the building known as the Arsenal Restaurant in Central Park.

Subject to the following conditions:
On Item No. 1.

A. The City of New York will expend about \$14,000 on the exterior and interior structural repairs to this building, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment passed April 7, 1916.

B. The term of lease will be five (5) years from the completion of the repairs undertaken, pursuant to this resolution.

C. The privilege holder shall operate a lunch room and lunch counter in the basement of said building, and shall operate on the main floor a restaurant serving a table d'hôte meal of not more than 75 cents and not less than fifty cents, and shall serve a la carte dishes at a moderate scale of prices to be approved by the Park Commissioner. Dancing will be permitted on the main floor at the pleasure of the Commissioner, and the privilege holder will be permitted to place tables in the space west of said building to the easterly boundary of the park walk, extending west of the building.

Bidders may bid on any or all items. The Commissioner reserves the right to award any item to the high bidder thereon, or to award all items to the bidder whose aggregate bids for all three items shall be higher than any other bidder for those three items, or to award any two items to the person the sum of whose bids for those two items shall exceed the aggregate amount bid by any other bidder for those two items. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on one of the national or state banks of the City of New York drawn to the order of the Comptroller of New York City, or money to the amount of \$500 on Item No. 1; \$500 on Item No. 2, and \$250 on Item No. 3 as guarantee that the successful bidder will carry out the terms of his bid.

Should the successful bidder or bidders refuse or neglect to execute the agreement for the privilege, if award is made to him by the Commissioner, or to furnish the necessary security, within five days after notice of award, the amount of deposit accompanying his bid shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal.

The amount of the security for the faithful performance of the terms of the agreement for the privilege shall be 20% of the total amount for which the privilege is awarded.

The Commissioner of Parks will accept as satisfactory surety to the bond for the faithful performance of the agreement, a duly qualified surety company approved by the Comptroller of the City, or cash, certified check, or corporate stock of the City of New York of an amount equal to the security required to be deposited with him as collateral security.

The form of bid and agreement and other information can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, City of New York.

On Item No. 2.

A. The City of New York will expend about \$7,000 on the exterior and interior structural repairs to the building, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment passed April 7, 1916.

B. The term of lease will be five (5) years from the completion of the repairs undertaken, pursuant to this resolution.

C. The privilege holder shall operate the building as a moderate priced restaurant, with a schedule of prices for a la carte dishes to be approved by the Park Commissioner, and shall serve a table d'hôte meal at a price of not more than 75 cents and not less than fifty cents.

Dancing will be permitted on the main floor of the building at the pleasure of the Commissioner.

The privilege holder shall have the right to place a single row of tables along the walk in the pergola overlooking the Mall.

On Item No. 3.

A. The City of New York will expend about \$2,550 on the exterior and interior structural repairs to the building, pursuant to the resolution passed April 7, 1916, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

B. The term of lease will be five years from the completion of the repairs undertaken, pursuant to this resolution.

C. The privilege holder shall operate the restaurant as a moderate priced restaurant, also a lunch counter, with a schedule of prices to be approved by the Park Commissioner.

The Commissioner of Parks reserves the right to reject all bids, and also, in case of unsatisfactory service or violation of conditions, to revoke the permit.

No bid shall be withdrawn pending the awards. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned within three days after the awards shall have been made.

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond. a29,m10

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Commissioner at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1916.
FOR THE PRIVILEGE TO OCCUPY AND OPERATE THE STRUCTURE AND APPURTENANCES KNOWN AS THE CAROUSAL IN CENTRAL PARK.

No bids shall be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than Two Hundred Dollars. Should the successful bidder refuse to accept the privilege after award by the Commissioner, the deposit will be forfeited to The City of New York.

Each bidder shall make his bid for the amount of monthly rental.

The period of time, should the contract be let, will expire on October 15, 1916.

The bids will be compared and the privilege will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids.

The form of proposal and full information as to bidding can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond. a27,m9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND SPREADING 41,550 GALLONS OF NON-ASPHALTIC ROAD OIL TO PARKWAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be until Oct. 15, 1916.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount for which the contract will be awarded.

A deposit of one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of bid must accompany estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CABOT WARD, President, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a29,m11
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO WATER-BOUND GRAVEL, ASPHALTIC "TOP" ROADS IN PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

The time allowed to complete the work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

CABOT WARD, President, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a22,m4
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1916.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRASS SOD AND GARDEN MOULD.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before May 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

The bidder will state the price per square foot, cubic 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 item, as stated in the specifications.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

PARK BOARD, CABOT WARD, President; THOS. W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a29,m11
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Dept of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before May 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per hundred pounds of measure, 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, as stated in the specifications.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

PARK BOARD, CABOT WARD, President; THOS. W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. a22,m4
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1916.
NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS ALTERED AND IMPROVED ON E. 4TH ST., FROM BROADWAY TO SECOND AVE., WITH INLETS

AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—1 receiving basin, altered and improved, Method "A," complete.

Item 2—1 receiving basin, altered and improved, Method "B," complete.

Item 3—2 inlets, Type "A," complete.

Item 4—3 inlets, Type "B," complete.

Item 5—1 inlet, Type "C," complete.

Item 6—85 linear feet of 12" vitrified pipe culvert, complete.

Item 7—1 cubic yard of concrete, Class "A."

Item 8—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 9—2 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 10—80 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class "A"), set in concrete.

Item 11—44 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class "B"), set in concrete.

Item 12—12 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.

Item 13—50 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.

Item 14—600 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.

Item 15—450 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.

Item 16—20 square yards of roadway pavement, all kinds, for which double deposit is required.

Item 17—500 feet B. M. of timber and plank for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the alterations and improvements to basins will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required shall be Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR THE RECEIVING BASINS ALTERED AND IMPROVED ON 25TH ST., FROM 8TH AVE. TO 10TH AVE., WITH INLETS AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—1 receiving basin, altered and improved, Method "A."

Item 2—3 receiving basins, altered and improved, Method "B."

Item 3—3 inlets, Type "B," complete.

Item 4—2 inlets, Type "C," complete.

Item 5—90 linear feet of 12" vitrified pipe culvert, complete.

Item 6—2 cubic yards of rock, Class "A," excavated and removed.

Item 7—2 cubic yards of rock, Class "B," excavated and removed.

Item 8—1 cubic yard of concrete, Class "A."

Item 9—2 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 10—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 11—80 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class A), set in concrete.

Item 12—41 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class B), set in concrete.

Item 13—12 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.

Item 14—100 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement, furnished and laid.

Item 15—1,200 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.

Item 16—30 square yards of roadway pavement, all kinds, for which double deposit is required.

Item 17—500 feet B. M. of timber and plank for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the alteration to receiving basins and appurtenances will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Hundred (\$600) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 3. FOR THE RECEIVING BASINS ALTERED AND IMPROVED ON 120TH ST., FROM PARK AVE. TO 1ST AVE., WITH INLETS AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—2 receiving basins, altered and improved, Method "A."

Item 2—4 receiving basins, altered and improved, Method "B."

Item 3—2 inlets, Type "A," complete.

Item 4—8 inlets, Type "B," complete.

Item 5—3 inlets, Type "C," complete.

Item 6—113 linear feet of 12" vitrified pipe culvert, complete.

Item 7—1 cubic yard of concrete, Class "A."

Item 8—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 9—2 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 10—1 ton of cast-iron water pipes and special water pipe iron castings removed and relaid.

Item 11—160 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class A) set in concrete.

Item 12—20 linear feet of 6" granite curb (Class B) set in concrete.

Item 13—24 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.

Item 14—200 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.

Item 15—500 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.

Item 16—1,000 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.

Item 17—26 square yards of roadway pavement, all kinds, for which double deposit is required.

Item 18—1,000 feet B. M. of timber and plank for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for altering and improving these basins and appurtenances will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

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

Blank forms may be had and the drawings, form of specification and contract may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Sewers, Room 2103, Manhattan.

Dated, May 2, 1916.
m2,12 MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916.
FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR INSTALLING NEW ROOF DRAINAGE SYSTEM FOR WEST WASHINGTON MARKET BUILDING, LOCATED AT GANSEVOORT AND BLOOMFIELD STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
Dated April 29, 1916. a29,m10
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Notice of Hearings.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 52 OF THE LABOR Law, hearings will be held by the State Industrial Commission on a proposed amendment to Rule 375 of the Industrial Code relative to fire alarm signal systems in factories at 10 a. m. on Tuesday, May 9, 1916, at Room 1900, 230 Fifth ave., New York City.

Printed copies of the proposed amendment may be had upon application to the Commission at 230 Fifth ave., New York City.

Dated April 25, 1916.
STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION,
HENRY D. SAYER, Secretary. a27,m4

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, 177th st. and 3rd ave., until 10.30 a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.
NO. 1. PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 199TH ST., FROM BAINBRIDGE AVE. TO ERIGGS AVE., ADJUSTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (PRELIMINARY PAVEMENT.)

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

1,080 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

125 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

660 linear feet of curbstone, adjusted.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 15 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

NO. 2. COMPLETING THE REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN W. 233D ST., FROM BROADWAY TO ALBANY RD.; W. 234TH ST., FROM KINGSBRIDGE AVE. TO ALBANY RD., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

700 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10 cubic yards of rock excavation.

8,000 cubic yards of filling.

400 linear feet of new blue stone curb.

1,400 square feet of new bluestone flagging.

485 square feet of new bluestone.

1,250 cubic yards dry rubble masonry.

230 cubic yards Class B concrete.

6,000 feet B. M. timber.

8,800 linear feet piles.

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

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100).

NO. 4. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING, SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN DIGNEY AVE., FROM E. 233D ST. TO E. 237TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

4,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.
100 cubic yards of rock excavation.
14,100 cubic yards of filling.
3,500 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
17,000 square feet of two course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
1,500 square feet new bridge stone.
400 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
75 linear feet vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.
1,000 feet B. M. timber.
2,600 linear feet of new guard rail.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 135 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Sixty-five Hundred Dollars (\$6,500).

NO. 5. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN E. 228TH ST., FROM BRONX BOULEVARD TO PAULING AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

5,100 cubic yards of earth excavation.
800 cubic yards of rock excavation.
25,450 cubic yards of filling.
6,910 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
34,460 square feet of two course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
1,510 square feet of new bridge stone.
1,750 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
6 cubic yards Class A concrete.
570 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12 inches in diameter.
3,000 feet B. M. timber.
3,000 linear feet of new guard rail.
350 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.
4 manholes.
2 receiving basins, Type B.
14 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 200 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000).

NO. 6. CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN RADCLIFF AVE., BETWEEN SACKET AVE. AND THE SUMMIT NORTH OF MORRIS PARK AVE.; PIERCE AVE., BETWEEN RADCLIFF AVE. AND COLDEN AVE.; VAN NEST AVE., BETWEEN DEAR SWAMP RD. AND HAIGHT AVE.; MORRIS PARK AVE., BETWEEN FOWLER AVE. AND WILLIAMSBURGH RD.; FOWLER AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND MORRIS PARK AVE.; BOGART AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND MORRIS PARK AVE.; COLDEN AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND RHINELANDER AVE.; PAULING AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND RHINELANDER AVE.; HONE AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND RHINELANDER AVE.; LUTING AVE., BETWEEN VAN NEST AVE. AND LYDIE AVE.; HAIGHT AVE., BETWEEN MORRIS PARK AVE. AND THE PROPERTY OF THE NEW YORK, WESTCHESTER AND BOSTON RAILROAD CO.; MUNROE AVE., BETWEEN MORRIS PARK AVE. AND PELHAM PARKWAY SOUTH; RHINELANDER AVE., BETWEEN LUTING AVE. AND WILLIAMSBURGH RD.; NEILL AVE., BETWEEN HONE AVE. AND WILLIAMSBURGH RD.; LYDIE AVE., BETWEEN LUTING AVE. AND MUNROE AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done under Proposition A is as follows:

1,955 linear feet of concrete sewer, 4' 0" diameter.
520 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3' 9" diameter.
285 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3' 6" diameter.
812 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3' 3" diameter.
242 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3' 0" diameter.
261 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2' 9" diameter.
525 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 30-inch.
1,345 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 24-inch.
525 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 20-inch.
1,440 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 18-inch.
3,890 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15-inch.
8,450 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
935 linear feet of basin connections.
200 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.
2,655 spurs for house connections.
210 manholes.
14 receiving basins, Type B.
14 receiving basins, Type C.
9,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,000 cubic yards of Class C concrete.
1,000 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.
5,000 feet B. M. of timber sheeting.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done under Proposition B is as follows:

1,955 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 4' 0" diameter.
520 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 3' 9" diameter.
285 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 3' 6" diameter.
812 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 3' 3" diameter.
242 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 3' 0" diameter.
261 linear feet of vitrified segment block sewer, 2' 9" diameter.
525 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 30-inch.
1,345 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 24-inch.
525 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 20-inch.
1,440 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 18-inch.
3,890 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 15-inch.
8,450 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer, 12-inch.
935 linear feet of basin connections.
200 linear feet of vitrified pipe drains, 12-inch to 24-inch.
2,655 spurs for house connections.
210 manholes.
14 receiving basins, Type B.
14 receiving basins, Type C.
9,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,000 cubic yards of Class C concrete.
1,000 pounds of steel reinforcement bars.
5,000 feet B. M. of timber sheeting.

Bidders may bid upon one proposition or upon both propositions.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is three hundred (300) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the per-

formance of the contract will be Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000).

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

The bidder must state a price for each item or article contained in the Engineer's estimate, per foot, yard, pound or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump or aggregate sum, except that the last described contract will, if awarded, be awarded to the lowest of all the bids received on both propositions.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Department of Bridges at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CREOSOTED WOOD BLOCKS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Aug. 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

The bidder will state the price per thousand 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 and awarded, if made, made to the lowest bidder on the class, as stated in the schedules.

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 Room 1230, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPT. OF BRIDGES, F. I. H. KRACKER, Commissioner.

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STRUCTURAL STEEL TO THE WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the material and for the complete performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days after the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City.

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

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids, should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

F. J. H. KRACKER, Commissioner.

Dated, April 20, 1916.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, Auctioneers, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916,

at premises 130 E. 13th st., Manhattan, at 12 noon on said date, the following nineteen horses: HORSES REGISTERED NOS. 156-N. Y., 159-B., 160-B., 170-B., 261-B., 291-B., 328-N. Y., 356-B., 408-N. Y., 512-B., 505-N. Y., 516-N. Y., 593-N. Y., 648-B., 676-B., 736-B., 778-B., 786-N. Y. AND 408-B.

The above horses may be seen at any time before the date of sale at department stables, Bolivar and St. Edward's sts., Brooklyn.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANIES NOS. 202, 210, 212, 220, 225, 229, 238, 239, 240, 251, 256, 276, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284 AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANIES NOS. 101, 105, 114, 119, 131, 132, 146, 147 AND 148, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

Bids will be compared and contract awarded to the lowest bidder on each item. Contracts will be prepared where the items awarded to any bidder amount to Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) or more. Open market orders will be issued where the items awarded to any bidder amount to less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916.

NO. 1—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOOLS, IMPLEMENTS, HARDWARE, ELECTRICAL MACHINISTS' AND ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1916.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) 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, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each class or item, as stated in the specifications.

Bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

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, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Invitation to Contractors.

For the Station Finish Work for Part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of station finish for seven (7) stations on the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of Manhattan will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 25th day of May, 1916, at twelve-fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The stations for which said station finish is to be provided are seven (7) stations on that part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad beginning at a point under Lexington Avenue near the southern building line of East 43rd street and extending thence northerly under Lexington Avenue to a point about seventy (70) feet south of the center line of East 106th street.

The work to be done will also include other finish work along the line of the Railroad.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract on such station or stations or other parts of said Railroad as the Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of said Railroad within ten (10) days after notice and shall complete all work within six (6) months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A full description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, May 1, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

Part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of Section No. 5 of Route No. 8, a part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 22d day of May, 1916, at twelve-fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Section No. 5 of Route No. 8 is to be a two-track subsurface railroad extending under Metropolitan and Bushwick aves., in the Borough of Brooklyn, from a point near Manhattan ave. to Meserole st.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation under cover, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission.

The Contractor must begin work within 22 months from the delivery of the contract complete the Railroad and such other work covered by the contract as may be necessary to put the Railroad in condition for operation and must complete all other work covered by the contract within 26 months from the delivery of the contract.

A full description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, April 20, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

Part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of Section No. 1 of Route No. 8, a part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 18th day of May, 1916, at twelve-fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Section No. 1 of Route No. 8 is to be a two-track subsurface railroad extending under E. and W. 14th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, from a point about 300 feet west of the center line of 6th ave. to a point about opposite the easterly building line of Irving pl.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be partly by tunneling and partly by excavation from the surface.

The Contractor must within 22 months from the delivery of the contract complete the Railroad and such other work covered by the contract as may be necessary to put the railroad in condition for operation and must complete all other work covered by the contract within 26 months from the delivery of the contract.

A full description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be

deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, April 20, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

Part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of Section No. 4 of Route No. 8, a part of the Fourteenth Street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 16th day of May, 1916, at twelve-fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said Section No. 4 of Route No. 8 is to be a two-track subsurface railroad extending under N. 7th st. and Metropolitan ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, from Bedford ave. to Manhattan ave.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation under cover, unless otherwise permitted by the Commission.

The Contractor must within 22 months from the delivery of the contract complete the Railroad and such other work covered by the contract as may be necessary to put the Railroad in condition for operation and must complete all other work covered by the contract within 26 months from the delivery of the contract.

A full description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, April 20, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

Notice of Hearing on Form of Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC hearing will be held at the offices of the Public Service Commission for the First District, No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 8, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., upon the proposed terms and conditions of a contract for the supply of structural steel for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads to be operated under Contracts Nos. 3 and 4, respectively entered into by the City of New York and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company and the New York Municipal Railway Corporation. Said structural steel is to be used upon portions of the 14th street-Eastern Rapid Transit Railroad, the elevated extension of the Eastern Parkway subway, the Mott avenue connection, the Queensboro Subway and its extension, the Nassau street subway, the St. Felix street and Flatbush avenue subway and the White Plains road extension.

Copies of the said form of contract may be obtained at the said offices of the Public Service Commission at No. 120 Broadway for \$1 each.

Dated New York, April 20, 1916.

OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at 3rd floor, Borough Hall, 5th st. and Jackson ave., L. I. City, until 11 a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN JAMAICA AVE. FROM GREENWOOD AVE. TO THE ROCKAWAY BRANCH OF THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

289 linear feet 3' 0" plain concrete sewer.
762 linear feet 2' 6" plain concrete sewer.
517 linear feet 24" vitrified pipe sewer.
40 linear feet 18" vitrified pipe sewer.
231 linear feet 15" vitrified pipe sewer.
1,007 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe sewer.
7 single receiving basins, complete.
2 double receiving basins, complete.
215 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe for basin connections.
40 linear feet 10" vitrified pipe for basin connections.
81 six-inch spurs, 24" long, on concrete sewers.
46 six-inch spurs on 24-inch vitrified pipe sewers.
17 six-inch spurs on 15-inch vitrified pipe sewers.
77 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewers.
4,242 linear feet 6" vitrified pipe for house connections.
33 manholes, complete.
100,000 feet B. M. timber for sheeting and bracing.
20 cubic yards concrete, Class A, not shown on plan.

The time allowed for completing the above work is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand (\$12,000) Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MAPLE ST. FROM FREEFORD AVE. TO HERALD AVE., AND IN OXFORD AVE. FROM MAPLE ST. TO RIDGEWOOD AVE., FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

480 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
30 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
928 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
10 manholes, complete.
1 drop manhole on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
28 spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
70 spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
1 single receiving basin, complete.
1 double receiving basin, complete.
60 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe for basin connections.
20 linear feet 10-inch vitrified pipe for basin connections.
944 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe for house connections.

The time allowed for completing the above work is forty (40) working days.

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

NO. 3. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WOOD

HAVEN AVE. FROM FULTON ST. TO ASHLAND ST.; BRADON AVE. FROM WOODHAVEN AVE. TO OCEAN VIEW AVE.; JAMAICA AVE. FROM GHERARDI AVE. TO VANDERVEER AVE.; MANOR AVE. FROM JAMAICA AVE. TO ASHLAND ST., FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

1,488 linear feet 5' 3" reinforced concrete sewer.
451 linear feet 3' 9" plain concrete sewer.
406 linear feet 3' 6" plain concrete sewer.
703 linear feet 3' 0" plain concrete sewer.
250 linear feet 2' 6" plain concrete sewer.
688 linear feet 24" vitrified pipe sewer.
250 linear feet 22" vitrified pipe sewer.
486 linear feet 20" vitrified pipe sewer.
498 linear feet 18" vitrified pipe sewer.
511 linear feet 15" vitrified pipe sewer.
699 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe sewer.
46 manholes, complete.

1 junction chamber at Woodhaven ave. and Jamaica ave., complete.
1 junction chamber at Manor ave. and Jamaica ave., complete.

1 junction chamber at Woodhaven ave. and Brandon ave., complete.

69 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe for basin connection spurs.

198 six-inch spurs, 24" long, on concrete sewer.

55 six-inch spurs on 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

40 six-inch spurs on 20-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

38 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

37 six-inch spurs on 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

56 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

4,533 linear feet 6" pipe for house connection drains.

50 cubic yards concrete, Class A, not shown on plan.

4,000 lbs. reinforcing steel.

100,000 feet B. M. timber for sheeting and bracing.

The time allowed for completing the above work is two hundred (200) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

NO. 4. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BEDFORD AVE. FROM KIMBALL AVE. TO THE CROWN ABOUT 250 FEET SOUTH OF ATLANTIC AVE., AND IN GREENWOOD AVE. FROM KIMBALL AVE. TO ATLANTIC AVE., FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

2,586 linear feet 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

470 linear feet 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

1,266 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

32 manholes, complete.

25 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe for basin connections.

174 spurs on 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

34 spurs on 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

87 spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

2,439 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe for house connections.

10 cubic yards of concrete, Class A, not shown on plan.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be one hundred and ten (110) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Thousand (\$8,000) Dollars.

NO. 5. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN LOTT ST. FROM JAMAICA AVE. TO ASHLAND ST.; RACKETT ST. FROM JAMAICA AVE. TO ASHLAND ST.; WINDOM ST. FROM LOTT ST. FROM LOTT AVE. TO RACKETT ST.; SHIPLEY ST. FROM LOTT AVE. TO RACKETT ST.; STANTON ST. FROM LOTT AVE. TO RACKETT ST.; ASHLAND ST. FROM LOTT AVE. TO RACKETT ST., FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

288 linear feet 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

813 linear feet 20-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

250 linear feet 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

250 linear feet 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

3,094 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

250 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

33 manholes, complete.

2 drop manholes, complete.

19 spurs on 24-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

60 spurs on 20-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

18 spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

16 spurs on 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

212 spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

3,808 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe for house connections.

39 linear feet 12-inch vitrified pipe for basin spurs.

22 feet house connection risers on 12-inch pipe sewer, including Y.

3,000 feet B. M. timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for completing the above work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Thousand (\$9,000) Dollars.

NO. 6. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MAURE AVE. FROM WISNER PL. TO METROPOLITAN AVE.; IN JAMAICA AVE. FROM NORTH VINE ST. TO ELLSWORTH AVE., AND IN RIDGEWOOD AVE. FROM MAURE AVE. TO NORTH CURTIS AVE., FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

252 linear feet 6' 6" reinforced concrete sewer.

568 linear feet 5' 9" reinforced concrete sewer.

802 linear feet 4' 0" reinforced concrete sewer.

1,000 linear feet 3' 6" plain concrete sewer.

412 linear feet 3' 3" plain concrete sewer.

972 linear feet 2' 9" plain concrete sewer.

270 linear feet 22" vitrified pipe sewer.

253 linear feet 20" vitrified pipe sewer.

302 linear feet 18" vitrified pipe sewer.

346 linear feet 15" vitrified pipe sewer.

1,002 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe sewer.

44 manholes, complete.

27 single receiving basins, complete.

1 double receiving basin, complete.

800 linear feet 12" vitrified pipe for basin connections.

20 linear feet 10" vitrified pipe for basin connections.

256 six-inch spurs, 24 inches long, on concrete sewers.

2 six-inch spurs on 22-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

15 six-inch spurs on 20-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

18 six-inch spurs on 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

20 six-inch spurs on 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

75 six-inch spurs on 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.

4,515 linear feet 6" vitrified pipe for house connections.

1 junction chamber at Wisner pl. and Maure ave., complete.

1 junction chamber at Ridgewood ave. and Maure ave., complete.

1 junction chamber at Jamaica ave. and Maure ave. (south side), complete.

1 junction chamber at Jamaica ave. and Maure ave. (north side), complete.

1 junction chamber at Metropolitan ave. and Maure ave., complete.

1 junction chamber at Jamaica ave. and North Villa ave., complete.

25,000 feet B. M. timber for bracing and sheet piling.

50 cubic yards concrete, Class A, not shown on plan.

4,000 lbs. reinforcing steel, not shown on plan.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be two hundred (200) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-two Thousand (\$22,000) Dollars.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained at the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President, Borough of Queens.

Dated April 29, 1916.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

Auction Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE President of the Borough of Queens, through his duly designated representative, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder

FIVE (5) DRIVING HORSES, SEVEN (7) BUGGIES AND FIVE (5) SETS OF HARNESS, ON

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916,

at 11 o'clock a. m., at the First Ward Corporation Yard, Nott ave., between Vernon and West aves., L. I. City.

TERMS OF SALE.

Each horse, buggy and set of harness will be sold separately to the highest bidder therefor.

The successful bidder, or bidders, at the sale will be required to pay the full amount of the bid in cash or by certified check, drawn to the order of The Comptroller of The City of New York, at the time and place of sale.

The property shall be removed by the purchasers before 4 o'clock p. m. on the day of sale, in default of which the property will be deemed to have been abandoned by the purchaser. In addition, the amount paid by the purchaser shall be retained by and forfeited to the City as liquidated damages for such default.

The President of the Borough of Queens reserves the right to reject any and all bids received at the sale if in his opinion he deems it for the best interests of the City to do so.

JAMES A. DAYTON, Commissioner of Public Works, and Acting President.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING, DRAINAGE, ETC., FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW LAUNDRY BUILDING, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is two hundred (200) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars (\$125) must accompany bid.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated May 3, 1916. m3,15

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

Auction Sale of Condemned Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of Section 1553 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Department of Public Charities will sell at public auction at Pier, Foot of E. 26th st., Manhattan, the following described condemned property of the said Department in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn at 11 a. m.

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.

TWENTY (20) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

Each horse will be sold separately to the highest bidder.

The horses shall be paid for in full at the time of the sale and shall be removed by the purchasers before 3 p. m. on the day of the sale.

Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the condition and value of each horse before paying for the same, as in no case will money be refunded, or the return of the horses accepted, after the sale.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated April 29, 1916. a29,m4

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1916,

for

CONTRACT 147.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING PITOT CONNECTIONS, VALVES, STUFFING BOXES AND APPURTENANCES FOR CONTROLLING RISER VALVES IN THE SHAFTS OF THE CITY TUNNEL OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN NEW YORK CITY.

A statement of the work required and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) 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 Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 24 consecutive weeks from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. a20,m9

Note: See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Corporation Sale of Real Estate.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916,

at 12 o'clock noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, all that certain piece or portion of Parcel 1013 shown on map, entitled "City of New York, Board of Water Supply, Southern Aqueduct, Department, Parcel No. 1013, Section No. 15," as Parcel 1013B, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Parcel 1013, said point being 201.4 feet from the southerly end of the course north 31° 39' east; and running thence north 31° 39' east 40.3 feet; thence north 69° 57' east 175.0 feet; thence north 24° 57' east 282.8 feet; thence north 69° 57' east 310.0 feet; thence south 20° 3' east 225 feet; thence south 69° 57' west 716.7 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 2.285 acres; being premises located in the Town of Mt. Pleasant, Westchester County, State of New York.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of One Dollar (\$1). The sale to be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the amount bid at the time of the sale.

The delivery of the deed shall be within sixty (60) days from the date of the sale.

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

The successful bidder to assume the burden and expense of removing all the spoil from the premises to be demised and to restore the surface and to grant over any parts of Parcel 1013, shown on the above mentioned map, as shall be required by the Board of Water Supply.

The successful bidder shall also landscape Parcel 1013 A, shown on the above mentioned map (all cemetery purposes being strictly prohibited thereon); the surface of said parcel is not to be used at any time for any purpose or purposes inconsistent with its use as an aqueduct right of way.

The successful bidder to have the use of the access road to the siphon chamber from the public highway jointly with the City, and to have the privilege of crossing the parcel at any place or part thereof or at any time so long as such use or crossing does not interfere with the free and uninterrupted use of said parcel 1013A by the City for the purposes for which it was acquired.

The successful bidder shall remove all spoil from Parcel 1013A, as shown on the above mentioned map, and assume the care of said parcel in its present condition and at his own expense shall grade, plant and do other landscape work, subject to the approval of the Board of Water Supply.

The City of New York reserves to itself the exclusive right of renting, leasing, selling, erecting, maintaining or otherwise using poles, pole lines or other appurtenances necessary therefor for power and telephone wires on and across

Parcels 1013, 1013A and 1013B, as shown on above mentioned map, and will be located in such places as shall be agreed upon between the successful bidder and the Board of Water Supply.

The City of New York reserves to itself the right to build conduits below the surface of Parcel 1013A, as shown on the above mentioned map, and to construct two (2) additional pipe siphons at any time it may elect without payment for disturbance and restoration of the landscape features, and to maintain, operate, repair and have access to at any and all times the existing pipe siphons, siphon chamber ducts, pole lines and their appurtenances, or any pipe siphons, siphon chamber ducts, pole lines and their appurtenances which may be constructed in the future.

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

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the office of the Department of Finance (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held April 13, 1916.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 20, 1916. a21,m8

William P. Rae Company, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916,

at 12 o'clock noon, at the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange, 189 Montague st., Borough of Brooklyn, all that certain piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the southerly line of Lincoln pl. distant 575 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Lincoln pl. with the easterly line of Underhill ave.; running thence southerly and parallel with Underhill ave. 204 feet 2 inches to the northerly line of Eastern parkway; running thence easterly and along the northerly line of Eastern Parkway 100 feet 3/4 inches; thence northerly and parallel with Underhill ave. 215 feet 7 inches to the southerly line of Lincoln pl.; thence westerly along Lincoln pl. 100 feet to the point or place of beginning; said premises being shown on the present Tax Maps as Lot 27, Block 1179, of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of Thirty-nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$39,500). The sale to be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

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

Sixty-five per cent. (65%) of the purchase price may remain on bond and mortgage for two years at 5 per cent., the purchaser to pay the mortgage tax and recording fee; the interest on such mortgage to be payable every six months.

The purchaser to have the privilege of paying off said mortgage at any time by giving sixty (60) days' written notice to the City.

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

The premises to be sold subject to whatever restrictions are on record against the same.

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

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Department of Finance (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held March 30, 1916.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 18, 1916. a18,m4

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE JUNE 1, 1916, ON REGISTERED AND COUPON BONDS AND STOCK OF THE City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 851), Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre sts., Manhattan.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable June 1, 1916, will be closed from May 15, 1916, to June 1, 1916.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, May 1, 1916. m1,j1

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICES TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Gerry ave. and Christie st., as these streets are laid out between Cushman pl. and Marlowe ave.; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Gerry ave. and Christie st., as these streets are laid out between Sothen ave. and Field pl.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Gerry ave. and Christie st. to a point distant 100 feet westwardly from the westerly line of Field pl.; thence northwardly and parallel with Field pl. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Gerry ave. and Maurice ave., as these streets are laid out between Chicago st. and Hanover ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Gerry ave. and Maurice ave. and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 200 feet westwardly from the westerly line of Gerry ave., as this street adjoins Corona ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Gerry ave.; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Gerry ave. and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Corona ave.; thence northwesterly at right angles to Corona ave. to the intersection with a line midway between St. James st. and Corona ave.; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between St. James st. and Corona ave. to the intersection with a line at right angles to Corona ave., and passing through the point of beginning; thence southeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Corona ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before June 19, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, April 24, 1916. a25,m5

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following public playground in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 5, 12, 15 and 24. ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE PUBLIC PLAYGROUND within the area bounded by Douglass st., Dumont ave., Hopkinson ave., Bristol st., Dumont ave., Hopkinson ave. and Livonia ave. Confirmed January 28, 1916. Entered April 19, 1916.

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

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Utica ave. and Rochester ave. where it is intersected by a line midway between Sterling pl. and St. John's pl., and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Sterling pl. and St. John's pl. to the intersection with a line midway between Rochester ave. and Buffalo ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Rochester ave. and Buffalo ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Prospect pl. and Park pl.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Prospect pl. and Park pl. to the intersection with a line midway between Buffalo ave. and Ralph ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Buffalo ave. and Ralph ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Bergen st. and St. Marks ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Bergen st. and St. Marks ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph ave. and Howard ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Ralph ave. and Howard ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Pacific st. and Dean st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pacific st. and Dean st. to the intersection with a line midway between Howard ave. and Saratoga ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Howard ave. and Saratoga ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Atlantic ave. and Herkimer st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Atlantic ave. and Herkimer st. to the intersection with a line midway between Eastern Parkway and Sackman st.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Eastern Parkway and Sackman st. as these streets are laid out northwardly from Atlantic ave., along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Pacific st. and Dean st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pacific st. and Dean st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Powell st. and Junius st.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Powell st. and Junius st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersections of the prolongations of the southerly line of Liberty ave. and the northerly line of Liberty ave., as these streets are laid out between Powell st. and Junius st.; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Hinsdale st. and Snediker ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hinsdale st. and Snediker ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Liberty ave. and Glenmore ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Liberty ave. and Glenmore ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Williams ave. and Alabama ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Williams ave. and Alabama ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Glenmore ave. and Pitkin ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Glenmore ave. and Pitkin ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Alabama ave. and Georgia ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Alabama ave. and Georgia ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Pitkin ave. and Belmont ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pitkin ave. and Belmont ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Georgia ave. and Sheffield ave. to the intersection with a line midway between New Lots ave. and Hegeman ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between New Lots ave. and Hegeman ave. as these streets are laid out easterly from Malta

st., and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Hinsdale st. and Williams ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hinsdale st. and Williams ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Hegeman ave. and Vienna ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Hegeman ave. and Vienna ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Snediker ave. and Van Sinderen ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Snediker ave. and Van Sinderen ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line between Avenue D and Foster ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Avenue D and Foster ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between E. 95th st. and E. 96th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 95th st. and E. 96th st. to the intersection with the northerly property line of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence southwardly along the said line to the intersection with a line midway between E. 92nd st. and E. 93rd st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 92nd st. and E. 93rd st. to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue B and Ditmas ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Avenue B and Ditmas ave. to the intersection with a line midway between E. 89th st. and E. 90th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 89th st. and E. 90th st. to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue A and Avenue B; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Avenue A and Avenue B to the intersection with a line midway between E. 87th st. and E. 88th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 87th st. and E. 88th st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Snider ave. and Tilden ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Snider ave. and Tilden ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between E. 57th st. and E. 58th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 57th st. and E. 58th st. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Church ave. and Snider ave., as these streets are laid out between E. 56th st. and E. 57th st.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Church ave. and Snider ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between E. 54th st. and E. 55th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 54th st. and E. 55th st. to the intersection with a line midway between Linden ave. and Church ave., as these streets are laid out between E. 54th st. and E. 55th st.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Linden ave. and Church ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between E. 52nd st. and E. 53rd st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between E. 52nd st. and E. 53rd st. to the intersection with a line midway between Lenox ave. and Linden ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Lenox ave. and Linden ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Utica ave. and E. 51st st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica ave. and E. 51st st. to the intersection with a line midway between Winthrop st. and Clarkson ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Winthrop st. and Clarkson ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Schenectady ave. and Utica ave.; thence northwardly and always midway between Schenectady ave. and Utica ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Union st. and President st.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Union st. and President st. to the intersection with a line midway between Utica ave. and Rochester ave.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica ave. and Rochester ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of water rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before June 19, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y., between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, April 24, 1916. a25,m5

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

Borough of Brooklyn. BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., on the plot of ground on the northerly side of Second st., east of and adjoining Public School 77, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held April 13, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

PARCEL 1. Two Two-story and basement brick buildings, 465 and 467 Second st., Brooklyn. Sealed bids (blank form of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 4th day of May, 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the

successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened May 4, 1916, and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 13, 1916. a18,m4

Sureties on Contracts.

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

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Corporation Sales by Sealed Bids of the Lease of Certain City Real Estate.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held March 30, 1916, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of the following described property belonging to the City of New York, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point distant 247 feet northerly of the established bulkhead line along the southerly side of South st. approach, Borough of Richmond, and 160 feet west of the established bulkhead line along the easterly side of St. George Ferry Terminal; running thence northerly along a line parallel with the last mentioned bulkhead line a distance of 115 feet, more or less; running thence westerly and along a line at right angles to last mentioned bulkhead line 100 feet; running thence southerly and at right angles to last mentioned line 115 feet, more or less, to a point 247 feet northerly of the established bulkhead line along the southerly side of South st. approach; running thence easterly and along a line distant 247 feet northerly of and parallel to the last mentioned bulkhead line a distance of 100 feet to the point or place of beginning;

—for a period of ten years from June 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for a further period of ten years at an increased rental of ten (10) per cent. per annum on the rental for the first period.

The Comptroller will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said premises for the said period at the minimum or upset rental of \$805 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 twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution.

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

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

The lease shall 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 reserves the right for itself, its agents or contractors to enter upon and use said premises, or any part thereof, for the purpose of carrying on any public improvement, or making examinations or doing work preparatory thereto, or for the purpose of making repairs, alterations or additions to the columns, supports, drains or drainage pipes and appurtenances, which are now or may hereafter be placed by the City or its agents or contractors upon the premises and for the repairs, maintenance, alterations or additions to the platform over the property leased.

And in any and all such cases the lessee shall at his own expense remove any and all structures erected under the provisions of the lease which may be required to be removed for the purpose of doing such work.

The persons or corporations using the surface of the platform over the property leased shall have the right of access at all times to the premises for the purpose of repairs or maintenance of said platform or altering, repairing or maintaining the railroad tracks, drains and drainage pipes and other appurtenances, and the lessee shall remove any and all structures erected under the provisions of the lease, which may be required to be removed, for the purpose of doing such work.

The lessee may construct an approach or right of way from the ferry entrance to the proposed street adjacent to the rear wall of the ferry building, in order to provide access to the premises to be demised, as shown on a map prepared by the Department of Docks and Ferries, and on file in the office of said Department at Pier A, North River. The cost of such construction to be credited to the lessee as rent, to an amount not exceeding \$1,000; the work to be

done under the supervision of the Department of Docks and Ferries. Said approach or right of way to be used by the lessee and its subtenants only as a means of access to the property to be leased. In all other respects the said right of way shall be maintained free and clear for use as a passageway for the City and its employees, and for other persons dealing ingress and egress over and across said right of way.

The lessee shall not in any event sell or dispose of or derive any revenue from any of the following articles or privileges upon the demised premises during the term of the lease or renewal thereof:

Automatic machines, books, bootblacking, Cent-a-drink fountains, cigars, confectionery, flowers, fruit, lunch counter and checking privilege, mineral water (bottled) and soda water; news bureau, newspapers, periodicals, telephone booths, tobacco, use of premises for any purposes in connection with wireless telegraphy, barber shop, handling of express matter, ice cream and soda water, Post Office, restaurant, telegraph office.

The lessee shall not erect or construct any building or buildings or other alterations or improvements upon the demised premises unless the plans thereof have first been approved by the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries.

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,
April 29, 1916. m1,17

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held April 20, 1916, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of premises known as 160 E. 33rd st., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for a period of ten years from Sept. 1, 1916.

The Comptroller will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said premises for the said period at the minimum or upset rental of Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$650) 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 twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution.

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

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

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

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

Third—A clause providing that during the term of the lease the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, at his own cost and expense, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

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

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

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
April 27, 1916. a28,m15

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held April 13, 1916, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of premises known as 185 Lafayette st., Borough of Manhattan, for a period of ten years from June 1, 1916, at a minimum or upset rental of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) 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 twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution.

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

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

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

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

Second—A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements to the premises except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

Third—A clause providing that during the term of the lease, or any renewal thereof, the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, at his own cost and expense, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of The City of New York.

Fourth—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the demised premises by the lessee during the period of the lease, or any renewal thereof, shall be

come the property of the City of New York at the expiration thereof.

Fifth—A clause providing that the lessee shall, at the expiration of the first period of ten years from June 1, 1916, have a privilege of renewal of the lease for a further period of ten years upon an annual rental to be determined upon by two appraisers, one of whom shall be named by the lessee and the other to be named by the Comptroller of the City of New York. In the event of the inability of said two appraisers to agree upon the sum to be paid as rental, a third appraiser shall be named by the two appraisers first mentioned, who shall determine the rental to be paid.

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.

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 18, 1916. a19,m5

Corporation Sale of the Lease of Certain Real Estate at Public Auction.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held April 20, 1916, the Comptroller of the City of New York will sell at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 1916,
at 11 o'clock a. m., in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of premises known as Nos. 29-33 Lafayette st. and 63 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan, for a period of ten years from Aug. 1, 1916.

The minimum or upset rental at which such lease shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$8,500) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, for the first five years of such term; the rental per annum for the remainder of the term to be 30% over and above the amount bid. The sale to be made upon the following

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Fifth—A clause providing that the lessee shall have possession of that portion of the premises not occupied, immediately upon the execution of the lease, without the necessity of paying rent until the date of the commencement of the lease, but he shall be liable for any damages which may occur in or to the premises to be demised from the date of possession.

Sixth—A clause providing that the City may cancel the lease at the expiration of the first five years thereof, upon giving six months' notice in writing to the lessee in advance of its intention so to do, and a further clause whereby the City may cancel the lease at any time after the expiration of the first five years of the term upon giving the lessee six months' notice in writing in advance of its intention so to do.

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

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 29, 1916. m1,17

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of Manhattan Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan as to the liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Aug. 26, Oct. 7, Nov. 18, 1915; Jan. 6, Feb. 17, and April 13, 1916, has been continued to

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1916,
at 2 p. m., pursuant to Section 1023 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fifth floor of the Municipal Building (room 512), Manhattan, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 4, 10, 27, 30, 40, 60, 94, 107, 130, 131, 136, 146, MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL AND MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL ANNEX, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 2, \$200; P. S. 4, \$500; P. S. 10, \$700; P. S. 27, \$500; P. S. 30, \$400; P. S. 40, \$200; P. S. 60, \$300; P. S. 94, \$300; P. S. 107, \$300; P. S. 130, \$400; P. S. 131, \$300; P. S. 136, \$500; P. S. 146, \$1,200; M. T. H. S., \$400; M. T. H. S. Annex, \$300.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security. A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

hattan, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston St., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, May 3, 1916. m3,15

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916,
Borough of Manhattan.

FOR SANITARY ALTERATIONS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 12, 14, 19, 34, 40, 47, 61, 64, 71, 82, 105, 117, 135, 188 STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL AND WASHINGTON IRVING HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be forty (40) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 12, \$400; P. S. 14, \$200; P. S. 19, \$400; P. S. 34, \$300; P. S. 40, \$300; P. S. 47, \$400; P. S. 61, \$800; P. S. 64, \$600; P. S. 71, \$200; P. S. 82, \$400; P. S. 105, \$200; P. S. 117, \$400; P. S. 135, \$200; P. S. 188, \$500; S. H. S., \$400; W. I. H. S., \$200.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, May 3, 1916. m3,15

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916,
Borough of Queens.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 42, 46, 48, 50, 54, 57, 59, 65, 66, 82, 90 AND RICHMOND HILL HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 42, \$200; P. S. 46, \$500; P. S. 48, \$300; P. S. 50, \$200; P. S. 54, \$200; P. S. 57, \$200; P. S. 59, \$200; P. S. 65, \$100; P. S. 66, \$200; P. S. 82, \$100; P. S. 90, \$300; J. R. H. S., \$300.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, May 3, 1916. m3,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1916,
Various Boroughs.

FOR INSTALLATIONS FOR ECONOMIZING FUEL IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 20, 23, 31, 32, 34, 37, 42, 46 AND 47, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX; PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 6, 16, 56, 85 AND 86, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 13, 14 AND 17, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be ninety (90) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Bronx: P. S. 20, \$300; P. S. 23, \$300; P. S. 31, \$300; P. S. 32, \$300; P. S. 34, \$300; P. S. 37, \$300; P. S. 42, \$300; P. S. 46, \$100; P. S. 47, \$100. Queens: P. S. 1, \$300; P. S. 6, \$300; P. S. 16, \$300; P. S. 56, \$300; P. S. 85, \$300; P. S. 86, \$300. Richmond: P. S. 1, \$300; P. S. 13, \$400; P. S. 14, \$400; P. S. 17, \$600.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, May 3, 1916. m3,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 3, 64, 72, 84, 91, 92, 106, 108, 109, 155, 156, 158, BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL, ERASMUS HALL, HIGH SCHOOL AND TRUANT SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 3, \$800; P. S. 64, \$1,800; P. S. 72, \$500; P. S. 84, \$600; P. S. 91, \$400; P. S. 92, \$300; P. S. 106, \$1,000; P. S. 108, \$400; P. S. 109, \$500; P. S. 155, \$900; P. S. 156, \$1,600; P. S. 158, \$600; B. H. S., \$400; E. H. H. S., \$1,000; T. S., \$400.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, April 26, 1916. a26,m8

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916,
Borough of Queens.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 20, 22, 27, 34, 37, 79,

JAMAICA HIGH SCHOOL, JAMAICA TRAINING SCHOOL AND NEW YORK PARENTAL SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 20, \$300; P. S. 22, \$100; P. S. 27, \$100; P. S. 34, \$100; P. S. 37, \$300; P. S. 79, \$100; J. H. S., \$600; J. T. S., \$300; N. Y. P. S., \$1,000.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item, and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, April 26, 1916. a26,m8

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916,
Borough of Manhattan.

FOR INSTALLATIONS FOR ECONOMIZING FUEL IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 5, 6, 14, 37, 40, 43, 63, 64, 96, 103, 150, 158, 169, 186 AND WADLEIGH HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be ninety (90) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 5, \$300; P. S. 6, \$300; P. S. 14, \$400; P. S. 37, \$500; P. S. 40, \$300; P. S. 43, \$300; P. S. 46, \$700; P. S. 63, \$300; P. S. 64, \$400; P. S. 96, \$100; P. S. 103, \$700; P. S. 150, \$400; P. S. 158, \$400; P. S. 169, \$300; P. S. 186, \$700; W. H. S., \$300.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, April 26, 1916. a26,m8

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1916,
FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before Dec. 31, 1916.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount of the contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, April 26, 1916. a26,m8

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 28, 1916, the Board continued until May 5, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to The Service street located on the easterly side of Riverside Drive extending from a point near West 168th street to a point near West 178th street, together with the Public Park intervening between The Service street and Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan.

The hearing will be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 5, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The map showing the proposed area of assessment and the proposed distribution of the cost in this proceeding appear in the issues of the City Record from April 1 to April 12, 1916, both dates inclusive.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated May 1, 1916. m1,5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades for Albemarle Terrace between East 21st street and a point about 211 feet easterly therefrom, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 14, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for Albemarle Terrace between East 21st street and a point about 211 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated March 30, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, the 12th day of May, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held

at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

Dated April 29, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. a29,m10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Rockaway avenue, East 98th street, Hegeman avenue, New Lots avenue, Williams avenue, Louisiana avenue, Stanley avenue and Foster avenue; to discontinue Bristol street between Ditmas avenue as now to be laid out and East 98th street; and to discontinue Thatford avenue between Deehan (Vienna) avenue and Stanley avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 14, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, the 12th day of May, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

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Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

Dated April 29, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. a29,m10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close Purves street at Thomson avenue, and establish grades for Purves street between Jackson avenue and Thomson avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 14, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of Amity street from Boerum avenue to Murray street, and of Botanic street from Amity street to a point 100 feet north thereof, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 14, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

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Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

Dated April 29, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. a29,m10

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Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 12th day of May, 1916.

Dated April 29, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. a29,m10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 14, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under resolutions adopted on May 1, 1913, December 4, 1913, and April 1st, 1915, authorized a proceeding for acquiring title to Lambertville avenue (Pacific street and Packard avenue) from Sutphin road to Merrick road, subject to the easement of the Long Island Railroad Company for the operation of its railroad across this street, Borough of Queens; and

Whereas, the Board is considering the advisability of further amending the said proceeding so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March

31, 1916, in which the lines of said Lambertville avenue, in the section adjoining Merrick Road are shifted southwardly a distance of about 20 feet; the amendment now proposed providing for the acquisition of title to Lambertville avenue (Pacific street and Packard avenue) from Sutphin road to Merrick road, subject to the easement of the Long Island Railroad Company for the operation of its railroad across this street, as said Lambertville avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of the City of New York.

Resolved, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 950 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Lambertville avenue, as this street is laid out between New York avenue and Globe avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Lambertville avenue, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lakewood avenue (Lincoln avenue), the said distance being measured at right angles to Lakewood avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Lambertville avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 800 feet easterly from the easterly line of Merrick road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Merrick road; thence southwardly and always distant 800 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Merrick road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 950 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Lambertville avenue, as this street is laid out between New York avenue and Globe avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Lambertville avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Lambertville avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 800 feet westerly from the westerly line of Sutphin road (Rockaway turnpike), the said distance being measured at right angles to Sutphin road; thence northwardly and always distant 800 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Sutphin road to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lakewood avenue (Lincoln avenue), the said distance being measured at right angles to Lakewood avenue; thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Lakewood avenue to the point or place of beginning.

(The lines of the streets hereinbefore referred to which have not been incorporated upon the City plan are intended to be those as in use and as commonly recognized.)

Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, May 12, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to May 12, 1916.

Dated April 29, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. a29,m10

Notices of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the following communication was received:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, April 17, 1916.
To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

The Public Service Commission for the First District herewith transmits for the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the following certificates to Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company:

Form of certificate modifying the certificate of May 4, 1909, for extension to the Grand Central Station.

Form of certificate modifying the certificate of February 2, 1905, to New York and Jersey Railroad Company for Thirty-third Street Extension.

Form of certificate modifying the certificate of November 24, 1903, for Cortlandt and Fulton street tunnels.

The situation in respect of these modifications is as follows:

Extension to Grand Central Station—Under date of May 4, 1909, the Commission granted a certificate to Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company authorizing it to extend its line from its then authorized terminus at 6th avenue and 33d street under 6th avenue, Bryant Park and 42d street to a terminal station between Vanderbilt and Lexington avenues. The Railroad Company secured the necessary consents and approvals, but did not begin the construction of the line within the period prescribed by the certificate. The Railroad Company some time ago applied for an extension of two years, but the matter of a long extension was held in abeyance pending the development of the plans for certain of the municipal railroads to be operated under contracts Nos. 3 and 4 so that the precise effect of their construction upon the Hudson and Manhattan Line and vice versa could more definitely be ascertained. In lieu of the long extension applied for by the Company short extensions of time have been granted by the Commission and the time of the Railroad Company to begin construction now expires on May 1, 1916.

The construction of the Hudson and Manhattan Line affects and is affected by the construction of the City's Broadway Line at the intersection of Broadway, 6th avenue and 33d street and the construction of the City's Steinway Tunnel Line in 42d st. In order to safeguard the Broadway Line against the future construction of a subway under it at the 33d street intersection, a special floor design was developed whereby the floor of the City subway would also act as the roof of the future subway. This would require the extension of the third track in the Thirty-third Street station a short distance further north than would otherwise be necessary and some changes in levels.

The plans for the Steinway Tunnel Line have not been developed to a point where a precise location can now be given for the Hudson and Manhattan Line in 42d street. The certificate of May 4, 1909, provides "The tunnels of the Railroad, but not including the stations thereof, where the same shall be in 42d street shall be located south of the center line of said street unless the Commission shall expressly authorize the location of the tunnels elsewhere in the said street." The certificate also locates the terminal station in 42d street between Vanderbilt and Lexington avenues. Both these locations are apt to conflict with the location of the Steinway Tunnel Line and one of provinces of the proposed certificate is to place control of the entire situation in the Commission so that it may precisely locate the portion of the Hudson and Manhattan Line in 42d street so as to accommodate it to the location of the Steinway Tunnel.

Following the development of the special floor design for the Broadway Line at the 33d street intersection, application was made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropri-

ation to meet the increased expense due to the adoption of such a design which was estimated at Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000). This matter was before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for some time and after several conferences between the representatives of the Commission and the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen an understanding was reached that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment would appropriate the amount requisitioned for the special floor design, but the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company should agree to reimburse the City for this expenditure if it extended its line and should generally agree to such relocation of its line as might be necessary to accommodate it to the construction of the City railroads, and that if these conditions were complied that an extension of two years to begin construction might be granted.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment appropriated the sum of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) for the special floor design at the 33d street intersection and the proposed certificate carries out the rest of the understanding. The amount to be repaid by the Hudson and Manhattan Company to the City when the Company begins the construction of its line is Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) with interest at six per centum (6%) per annum from the first day of June, 1916. By this modifying certificate the certificate of May 4, 1909, is further revised so as to include provisions for the responsibility of the Hudson and Manhattan Company for any damages that may be caused by it to the City rapid transit railroads. The extension of time proposed to be granted by this modifying certificate is up to and including the first day of March, 1918.

Thirty-third Street Extension—The certificate of February 2, 1905, to New York and Jersey Railroad Company (of which the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company is the successor) authorized the construction of a railroad from the intersection of Greenwich, West 10th and Christopher streets in the Borough of Manhattan under Christopher street to 6th avenue, thence with one branch under 6th avenue to a terminal station at or near the intersection of 6th avenue and 33d street, and with another branch crossing diagonally under 6th avenue to 9th street, and thence easterly under 9th street to a terminal station at or near the intersection of 4th avenue and 9th street. The 6th avenue branch provided for in such certificate has been constructed and put in operation, but the construction of the 9th street Branch has never been begun. Under the certificate as heretofore modified the time of the Company to construct the 9th street Branch begins to run from the time the Commission establishes certain levels. These levels have not been established.

Under the certificate of February 2, 1905, the City has the right to recapture either the 6th avenue Branch or the 9th street Branch or both after the expiration of twenty-five years from the date of beginning operation of any part upon paying an amount, based upon cost, to be ascertained as provided in the certificate. As a basis for this ascertainment the certificate provides that within a certain period after the completion of the 6th avenue Branch and the 9th street Branch the Company should file a statement of cost which, if agreed upon, should be the amount to be paid by the City upon recapture, and if not agreed upon the cost should be determined by arbitration. It seems advisable that this statement of cost of the 6th avenue Branch which is constructed and in operation should be furnished while the facts in regard to its construction are comparatively fresh in the minds of those connected with the work, and when evidence, documentary and otherwise, in regard thereto can be secured, and that this examination should not be deferred on account of the 9th street Branch, the construction of which is problematical. The second of the proposed certificates modifies the certificate of February 2, 1905, so as to provide that the statements of cost of the 6th avenue Branch shall be submitted by the Hudson and Manhattan Company within ninety days after the Commission shall notify it in writing to present such statement.

Cortlandt and Fulton Street Tunnels—Under date of November 24, 1903, the former Rapid Transit Board authorized the Hudson and Manhattan Company to construct the portion of the Cortlandt and Fulton street tunnels within the State of New York. In connection with the authorization of the terminal station the Company was authorized to construct a passageway for foot passengers under Dey street from the terminal station to a connection with the present rapid transit railroad in Broadway. This passageway was never constructed and the purpose which it was intended to serve will be met by the construction of the new City subway in Church street. Although the time of the Hudson and Manhattan Company to construct this passageway has expired and the Commission by following the procedure set forth in the certificate, giving three months' notice, might declare the authorization in respect thereto vacated, it would seem to be preferable to eliminate the provision for this passageway by agreement. This is the province of the third of the modifying agreements transmitted herewith which provides for eliminating from the certificate of November 24, 1903, the provision for the construction of the Dey Street passageway.

Respectfully yours, JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

—and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Resolved, That the communication be received and, pursuant to law, this Board hereby fixes Friday, May 5, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., as the time and place where and where such certificate will be considered, and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he hereby is directed to publish notice of such consideration in the City Record.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.
Dated, New York, April 28, 1916. m1,5

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held April 7, 1916, the following petition was received:

The Long Island Railroad Company, General Office, Pennsylvania Station, New York, March 27, 1916.

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

The Long Island Railroad Company hereby makes formal application to your Honorable Board for a further extension of time to August 4th, 1916 (a period of three months), within which to complete the construction work and changes called for under a contract dated May 4th, 1914, granting to this Company a franchise to construct and operate certain railroad tracks across Hamilton Street, Farmers Avenue and South Street, in the Borough of Queens. Except as to time of completion, the contract or franchise to be and remain unchanged with respect to terms and conditions set forth therein.

Work has been in progress for a number of months and it is confidently expected that the petitioner's Main Line traffic will have been removed from the surface of Farmers Avenue by May 4th next, but for reasons beyond our control it will be impossible for us to complete the construction at Hamilton Avenue by that date.

Respectfully submitted,
The Long Island Railroad Company, Joseph F. Keany, General Solicitor. Frank E. Hafl, Secretary.

State of New York, County of New York, City of New York, ss.:

Frank E. Hafl, being duly sworn, deposes and says: that the petitioner above named is a domestic corporation, and that he is an officer thereof, to wit, Secretary, and therefore makes this verification. The foregoing application is true to the knowledge of deponent, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, as to which matters he believes it to be true. Frank E. Hafl.

Sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1916. Harry K. Howland, Notary Public, Queens County, No. 226. Certificate Filed New York County, No. 46. Term expires March 30, 1916.

—and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the Long Island Railroad Company dated March 27, 1916, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held April 7, 1916.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the fifth day of May, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, that the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least twice in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.
New York, April 7, 1916. a24,m5

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

Whereas, The Far Rockaway Transportation Company, Inc., has by a petition dated January 20, 1916, applied to this Board for a modification of the terms and conditions of the contract dated June 15, 1915, granting said Company the right and privilege to maintain and operate a stage or omnibus route for public use, upon and along Central Avenue and South Street in the former Village of Far Rockaway, upon and along Corning, Sea View, Atlantic and Washington avenues in Rockaway Park, and upon and along Mott Avenue in the former Village of Far Rockaway, all in the Borough of Queens, by being relieved from operating all or some of the above routes during certain months of the year; 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, and Chapter 467 of the Laws of 1914, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, in pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on January 28, 1916, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as February 25, 1916, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "New York Press" and the "Evening Post," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the proposed modifications and amendments of said contract of June 15, 1915; now therefore it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the consent or right applied for by the Far Rockaway Transportation Company, Inc., 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 contract of June 15, 1915, 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 contract of June 15, 1915, which said contract 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 and executed in duplicate this day of May, 1916, 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 and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the FAR ROCKAWAY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, By contract dated June 15, 1915, the City granted to the Company the right and privilege to maintain and operate stage or omnibus routes, for public use, on three routes in the Borough of Queens in the City of New York; and

WHEREAS, the Company has, by a petition dated January 20, 1916, applied to the Board for an amendment of said contract by being relieved from operating all or some of its routes during certain months of the year;

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 parties hereto hereby consent, subject to the provisions and conditions hereinafter set forth, to certain modifications and amendments in and to the said contract of June 15, 1915, such modifications and amendments to be as follows:

1. So much of Section 2, First, of said contract of June 15, 1915, reading as follows:

"Such right and privilege shall be valued as if the Company had not exercised the same for the said period of ten (10) years, and no allowance shall be made to the Company in such valuation by reason of such exercise."

is hereby stricken out.

2. So much of Section 2, Second, of said contract of June 15, 1915, reading as follows:

(b) "During the succeeding term of four (4) years, an annual sum which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500)."

"During the remaining term of five (5) years, an annual sum which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000)."

"The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be the gross receipts of the Company from all sources within the limits of the City, and for the purpose of determining such gross annual receipts, the Company shall keep accurate accounts of all fares collected within the limits of the City."

is hereby stricken out, and the following substituted therefor:

(b) "During the succeeding term of four (4) years, an annual sum which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which sum shall not be less than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000)."

"During the remaining term of five (5) years, an annual sum shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which shall not be less than Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

"The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be the gross receipts of the Company from all sources within the limits of the City, and for the purpose of determining such gross annual receipts, the Company shall keep accurate accounts of all fares collected for rides within the limits of the City."

3. So much of Section 2, Fifth, of said contract of June 15, 1915, reading as follows:

"At the termination or forfeiture of this grant, the City, at the election of the Board, shall have the right to purchase all or any part of the property of the Company used for the purpose of the operation of the stage or omnibus system hereby authorized, at a sum equal to a fair valuation of such property, exclusive of any value which such property may have by reason of this contract."

"If the Company and the City cannot agree upon a fair valuation of such property, then the valuation thereof shall be determined and fixed by three arbitrators selected in the following manner."

is hereby stricken out, and the following substituted therefor:

"At the termination or forfeiture of this grant, the City, at the election of the Board, shall have the right to purchase all or any part of the property and plant of the Company used for the purpose of the operation of the stage or omnibus system hereby authorized, at a sum equal to a fair valuation of such property and plant, exclusive of any value which such property and plant may have by reason of this contract. Such property and plant are to be valued as if the Company had not exercised the right and privilege granted by this franchise for the said period of ten (10) years, and no allowance shall be made to the Company in such valuation by reason of such exercise."

"If the Company and the City cannot agree upon a fair valuation of such property and plant, then the valuation thereof shall be determined and fixed by three arbitrators selected in the following manner."

4. All of Section 2, Nineteenth, of said contract of June 15, 1915, is hereby stricken out, and the following substituted therefor:

"Nineteenth: The rate of fare for any passenger upon any stage or omnibus route herein authorized shall not exceed ten cents (10c.), and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than ten cents (10c.) for one continuous ride from any point on any of the stage or omnibus routes hereby authorized to any other point on any of said routes. If vehicles are operated between any point on such routes and any point outside of the limits of the City, then a separate fare shall be collected for each ride within the City limits."

5. All of Section 2, Twentieth, of said contract of June 15, 1915, is hereby stricken out, and the following substituted therefor:

"Twentieth: Stages or omnibuses shall be run on said routes on each day, as required under the terms of this contract, at intervals of not more than thirty (30) minutes during the period between six o'clock a. m. and twelve o'clock midnight, and as much oftener as reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by resolution of the Board; and stages or omnibuses shall be operated on such routes and at such intervals between the hours of twelve o'clock midnight and six o'clock a. m. as reasonable convenience of the public may require or as may be directed by resolution of the Board."

6. Section 2 of said contract of June 15, 1915, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following additional clause numbered thirty-fourth:

"Thirty-fourth: The company shall operate its vehicles on all of the routes herein authorized from June 15, 1916, to October 1, 1916, inclusive, and shall operate its vehicles on such routes from May 28 to October 1, inclusive, each succeeding year during the remaining term of this contract. The Board, however, expressly reserves the right to and may in its own discretion, by resolution, at any time during the term of this contract, order and direct the Company to operate its vehicles on any or all of said routes or any part thereof during the period from October 1 to May 28, or any part of such period during which the Board deems operation necessary for the public convenience, and provided that the Board may, by resolution, relieve the Company from operating its vehicles during the whole or any portion of the period between June 15, 1916, and October 1, 1916, inclusive."

SECTION 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions:

All the terms, provisions and conditions contained in said contract of June 15, 1915, excepting those which are herein expressly amended or modified, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to, abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By Mayor.

Attest: City Clerk.

FAR ROCKAWAY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC.,
By 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 to be paid therefor and of the terms and conditions, are as specified and fully set forth in the said contract dated June 15, 1915, as amended by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the consent to such modifications and alterations;

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modifications and alterations as applied for by the Far Rockaway Transportation Company, Inc., and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published in full for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, May 5, 1916, in the City Record, together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment before authorizing any contract for the consent of the City to certain modifications and amendments in and to the terms and conditions of the said contract of June 15, 1915, such modifications and amendments being fully set forth and described

in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 5, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice, at the expense of the proposed grantee, during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, May 5, 1916, in the "New York Press" and the "Evening Post," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary.
Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Dated, New York, April 7, 1916. a18,m5

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing of Final Reports.

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 BLONDELL AVENUE, from Barlow Street to Westchester Avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of the Bronx, City of New York, as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 23, 1911, and approved by the Mayor March 6, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and amended final report of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter 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 9th day of May, 1916, at 10.15 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said supplemental and amended final report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, East 161st Street and 3rd Avenue, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, May 2, 1916.
JAMES F. DONNELLY, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. m2,6

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST 172D STREET, from Inwood Avenue to Jerome Avenue, as laid out on Section 15 of the final maps, in the 24th Ward, Borough of the Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage as to damage No. 14, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 13th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 13th day of May, 1916, at 11 o'clock a. 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 172nd 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 172nd Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to West 172nd Street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West 172nd Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Inwood Avenue; thence northwesterly at right angles to 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 Inwood Avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of West 172nd Street and the southerly line of Goble Place, as these streets are laid out between Inwood Avenue and Jerome Avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Jerome Avenue; thence southeasterly at right angles to Jerome Avenue a distance of 200 feet; thence southwesterly and parallel with Jerome Avenue to the intersection with the line parallel with West 172nd Street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West 172nd Street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment, for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in

making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 12th day of May, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the supplemental and amended 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 8th day of June, 1916, 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 supplemental and amended reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 31, 1916.
GEORGE M. S. SCHULZ, Chairman; JAMES V. GANLY, JOHN DAVIS, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE M. S. SCHULZ, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. m1,11

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Queens Boulevard to Jackson Avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated April 25, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on April 27, 1916, Leander B. Faber, John A. Leach and Emil A. Guenther were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Leander B. Faber was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Leander B. Faber, John A. Leach and Emil A. Guenther will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, May 4, 1916.
m4,15 LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.

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 VAN PELT STREET, from Borden Avenue to Skillman Avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated April 25, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on April 27, 1916, Eugene N. L. Young, John H. Fox and Robert Wilson were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Eugene N. L. Young was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Eugene N. L. Young, John H. Fox and Robert Wilson will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, May 4, 1916.
m4,15 LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.

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 ELY AVENUE, from Jackson Avenue to Nott Avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated April 19, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on April 20, 1916, Wilbur R. Lewis, John Kindred Gillette and Emil A. Guenther, Esqrs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Wilbur R. Lewis, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Wilbur R. Lewis, John Kindred Gillette and Emil A. Guenther, Esqrs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, May 4, 1916.
m4,15 LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.

Application to Court to Condemn Property.

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 extensions of LINCOLN TERRACE PARK, as

laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 11, 1916, and to the unacquired portion of PRESIDENT STREET, from Buffalo Avenue to Rochester Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term, Part I, held for the hearing of motions, held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be acquired for such improvement ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury and to have the cost of such improvement assessed by the Court, as hereinafter set forth, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the extension of Lincoln Terrace Park, as laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 11, 1916, and to the unacquired portion of President Street, from Buffalo Avenue to Rochester Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

EXTENSION OF LINCOLN TERRACE PARK.

Parcel "A."
Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Buffalo Avenue with the north line of Carroll Street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence westerly along the north line of Carroll Street 670.0 feet to the east line of Rochester Avenue; thence northerly along the east line of Rochester Avenue 240.58 feet to the south line of President Street; thence easterly along the south line of President Street 670.0 feet to the west line of Buffalo Avenue; thence southerly along the west line of Buffalo Avenue 240.58 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Buffalo Avenue with the north line of East New York Avenue, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northerly along the east line of Buffalo Avenue 706.49 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90° to the right 69.80 feet; thence southeasterly deflecting 51° 16' 42" to the right 48.27 feet; thence southerly deflecting 38° 43' 18" to the right 80.42 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90° to the left 49.37 feet; thence southerly deflecting 63° 47' 13" to the right 96.59 feet; thence southerly deflecting 4° 12' 47" to the right 84.30 feet; thence westerly deflecting 90° to the right 1.63 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90° to the left 232.18 feet to the north line of East New York Avenue; thence westerly 372.40 feet to the point of beginning.

PRESIDENT STREET.
Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Buffalo Avenue with the south line of President Street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northerly along the west line of Buffalo Avenue 61.88 feet; thence westerly deflecting 109° 46' 57" to the left 74.15 feet; thence westerly deflecting 14° 48' 50" to the right 79.66 feet; thence westerly deflecting 9° 11' 59" to the left 122.08 feet; thence easterly 262.50 feet to the point of beginning.

The land to be acquired in this proceeding is shown on "Map showing the closing and discontinuing of that part of Lincoln Terrace Park, bounded by Eastern Parkway, Ralph Avenue, East New York Avenue, and the westerly line of the land required for purpose of the Public Service Commission for the Eastern Parkway Subway, of President Street, from Buffalo Avenue to East New York Avenue, of East 98th Street, from President Street to East New York Avenue, and of Rockaway Parkway, from Buffalo Avenue to East New York Avenue, and showing the locating and laying out of Portal Street, from Eastern Parkway to East New York Avenue, of Union Street, from Portal Street to Ralph Avenue, and establishing grades therefor, and of additions to Lincoln Terrace Park, bounded by Buffalo Avenue, the westerly line of President Street, the westerly line of the land required for purpose of the Public Service Commission for the Eastern Parkway Subway and East New York Avenue and bounded by President Street, Buffalo Avenue, Carroll Street and Rochester Avenue. Dated New York, January 13, 1916, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 11, 1916," which map was filed as follows: In the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn on the 18th day of March, 1916, in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 18th day of March, 1916, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on the 18th day of March, 1916.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution adopted on the 3d day of March, 1916, duly determined that 50 per cent. of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings, less any portion of the awards for damage to buildings which the Court may place upon The City of New York be borne and paid by the Borough of Brooklyn, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 679 of the Laws of 1911 (Section 247 of the Charter); said entire cost and expense to include all costs and expenses of said proceedings incurred by reason of the provisions of Title 4, Chapter 17, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, including the expense of the Bureau of Street Openings, the cost and expense incurred by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn in the preparation of rule, damage and benefit maps for use in the proceedings; and all other expenses and disbursements authorized by Section 977 of said title as amended.

That the remainder of the entire cost and expense of the proceedings be assessed upon the property benefited, comprising the following area:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Sterling Place and St. John's Place, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Kingston Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kingston Avenue, and running thence easterly along the said line midway between Sterling Place and St. John's Place to the intersection with a line midway between Kingston Avenue and Albany Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Kingston Avenue and Albany Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Park Place and Prospect Place; thence easterly along the said line midway between Park Place and Prospect Place to the intersection with a line midway between Albany Avenue and Troy Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Albany Avenue and Troy Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between St. Mark's Avenue and Bergen Street; thence easterly along the said line midway between St. Mark's Avenue and Bergen Street to the intersection with a line midway between Troy Avenue and Schenectady Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Troy Avenue and Schenectady Avenue to the intersec-

tion with a line midway between Pacific street and Atlantic avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Pacific street and Atlantic avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Atlantic avenue and Herkimer street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Atlantic avenue and Herkimer street to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Atlantic avenue and Pacific street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Atlantic avenue and Pacific street to the intersection with a line midway between Howard avenue and Saratoga avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Howard avenue and Saratoga avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Dean street and Bergen street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Dean street and Bergen street to the intersection with a line midway between Saratoga avenue and Hopkinson avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Saratoga avenue and Hopkinson avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Hopkinson avenue and Rockaway avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hopkinson avenue and Rockaway avenue to the intersection with the southerly line of St. Mark's avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the southeasterly line of East New York avenue midway between Chester street and Rockaway avenue; thence southwardly along a line midway between Chester street and Rockaway avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Sutter avenue and Blake avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Sutter avenue and Blake avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Chester street and Bristol street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Chester street and Bristol street to the intersection with a line midway between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Hopkinson avenue and Amboy street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hopkinson avenue and Amboy street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Herzl street and Douglass street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Herzl street and Douglass street to the intersection with a line midway between Riverdale avenue and Newport street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Riverdale avenue and Newport street to the intersection with a line midway between Douglass street and Saratoga avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Douglass street and Saratoga avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Newport street; thence westwardly and parallel with Newport street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Linden avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Linden avenue; thence southwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Linden avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 91st street and East 92d street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 91st street and East 92d street to the intersection with a line midway between Lenox road and Linden avenue; thence southwestwardly and along a line always midway between Lenox road and Linden avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Utica avenue and East 49th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica avenue and East 49th street to the intersection with a line midway between Clarkson avenue and Lenox road; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Clarkson avenue and Lenox road to the intersection with a line midway between Schenectady avenue and East 46th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Schenectady avenue and East 46th street to the intersection with a line midway between Clarkson avenue and Winthrop street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Clarkson avenue and Winthrop street to the intersection with a prolongation of a line midway between Troy avenue and Albany avenue, as these streets are laid out immediately north of Winthrop street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Troy avenue and Albany avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Rutland road and Fenimore street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Rutland road and Fenimore street to the intersection with a line midway between Albany avenue and Kingston avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Albany avenue and Kingston avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East New York avenue and Lefferts avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between East New York avenue and Lefferts avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Kingston avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Kingston avenue to the point or place of beginning.

That the proportion of the cost and expense of the proceedings to be placed upon the Borough of Brooklyn shall be levied and collected with the taxes upon the real property in said borough becoming due and payable in the year in which such cost and expense shall have been fixed and determined, provided that such cost and expense be ascertained in time to be included with the taxes on the real property of said borough in the same year, and if not determined in time, the same shall be levied and collected with the taxes of the succeeding year.

Dated, New York, April 26, 1916.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. a26,m6

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST 24TH STREET, from Neptune avenue to Surf avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; WEST 25TH STREET, from Neptune avenue to the mean high-water line of the Atlantic Ocean, excluding the right-of-way of the N. Y. & Coney Island R. R., and WEST 23RD STREET, from the southerly limit of the land heretofore acquired to the mean high-water line of the Atlantic Ocean, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceedings, and to the owner or owners, occupant or

occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their amended and supplemental estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 18th day of May, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his amended and supplemental estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of May, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of May, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between West 23rd street and West 24th street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Neptune avenue, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between West 23rd street and West 24th street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Surf avenue; thence eastwardly along the centre line of Surf avenue to the intersection with a line midway between West 21st street and West 23rd street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between West 21st street and West 23rd street to the intersection with the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean; thence westwardly along the said mean high water line to the intersection with a line midway between West 25th street and West 28th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West 25th street and West 28th street to the intersection with the centre line of Surf avenue; thence eastwardly along the centre line of Surf avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West 25th street and West 27th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West 25th street and West 27th street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line parallel with Neptune avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Neptune avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said amended and supplemental estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 22nd day of May, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of June, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, May 2, 1916.
WM. H. TAYLOR, FRANCIS STOCKTON
McDIVITT, LORING M. BLACK, JR.,
Commissioners of Estimate, LORING M. BLACK,
JR., Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. m2,12

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 BROOKLYN AVENUE, from President street to Winthrop street, in the 24th and 29th 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 15th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 16th day of May, 1916, 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 15th day of May, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 17th day of May, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 2nd day of May, 1912, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York,

which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Brooklyn avenue and Kingston avenue as these streets are laid out north of Lefferts avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between President street and Union street, and running thence southwardly along a line always midway between Brooklyn avenue and Kingston avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Winthrop street and Clarkson avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Winthrop street and Clarkson avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue as these streets are laid out between Hawthorne street and Winthrop street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Lefferts avenue; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the northerly line of Malbone street where it is intersected by a line midway between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue as these streets are laid out at Montgomery street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Union street and President street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Union street and President street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 26th day of May, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, April 26, 1916.
THOMAS D. HEWITT, JAS. H. CALLENDER, ROBT. J. KENWORTHY, Commissioners of Estimate, JAS. H. CALLENDER, Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. a26,m12

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfurnished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such buildings by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street and the openings of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all openings in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days

from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting bricks, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions shall in any case be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, title thereto shall thereupon become vested in The City of New York and a resale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureau or officers, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk thereof, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.