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BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Hearing on Proposed Ordinance Relative to Moving Picture Shows.

Public notice is hereby given that the Special Committee on Investigation of Laws applicable to moving picture shows of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, December 1, 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m. on the following matter:

On the investigation of laws applicable to moving picture shows and an ordinance in connection therewith.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for Week Commencing November 27, 1911.

Friday, December 1—2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1375—South Brooklyn Railway Company et al.—“Fares to and from Coney Island.” Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 310—Case 1415—Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company—“Application for approval of exercise of franchise for Manhattan Street Loop extension in the Borough of Manhattan.” Commissioner Maltbie.

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

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

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

November 20—On the 15th inst. the Commissioner appointed Patrick Carroll, 339 E. 43d st., Manhattan, for temporary employment as a Marine Stoker, at \$90 per month.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

November 27—Resigned: Mrs. Margaret Schleider, Janitress of Public School 26, Queens, the resignation to take effect December 1, 1911.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

November 28—I have the honor to notify you of the following changes in personnel in this Department:

Appointed—Alexander R. Weismuller,

provisionally, an Architectural Draftsman in the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, Borough of Manhattan, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, to take effect at 9 a. m., November 24, 1911.

Retired on Half Pay—Assistant Foreman Herman Weigel, Hook and Ladder Co. 5, after more than 20 years of service, is, on his own application, retired on annual pension of \$1,050, to take effect at 8 a. m., December 1, 1911.

Died—Tinsmith Matthew J. Dunnigan, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens November 19, 1911.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

November 28—The services of Michael Lyons, Caretaker, were dispensed with on account of absence without leave for more than five days, to take effect October 5, 1911.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, November 28, 1911, 1.30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Francis P. Bent, Vice-Chairman; Thomas F. Baldwin, Thomas F. Barton, Niles R. Becker, John A. Bolles, John H. Boschen, Edward Brady, William D. Brush, James E. Campbell, Michael Carberry, Charles P. Cole, Daniel R. Coleman, Daniel T. Cornell, Frank A. Cunningham, Henry H. Curran, Charles Delaney, William J. Desmond, John Diemer, Frank J. Dotzler, Frank L. Dowling,	Robert F. Downing, Alexander S. Drescher, William Drescher, Alexander Dujat, Daniel Ehntholt, Edward Eichhorn, O. Grant Esterbrook, Lawrence J. Fagan, William Fink, William H. Finley, John S. Gaynor, Waldo S. Godwin, Henry F. Grimm, James Hamilton, Joseph M. Hannon, Abram W. Herbst, John J. Hickey, William P. Kenneally, Francis P. Kenney, Max S. Levine, Thomas J. McAleer,	John McCann, George Markert, Samuel Marx, John J. Meagher, James J. Molen, George A. Morrison, James J. Mulhearn, Courtlandt Nicoll, Lewis M. Potter, John J. Reardon, John C. Ruff, James J. Smith, Frederick Snell, Michael Stapleton, Michael J. Volkmann, Leonard A. Van Nostrand, John F. Walsh, Louis Wendel, Jr., John J. White, Bryant Willard, James R. Weston.
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George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.
Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn.
George McAneny, President, Borough of Manhattan, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the Stated Meeting of November 21, 1911.

On motion of Alderman Cornell, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

Nos. 4853 and 4858.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed resolutions numbered 4853 and 4858, respectively, entitled:

“Resolution to permit Julius Schwarzwald to parade two advertising ponies,”

—and

“Resolution to permit Joseph Smith to lead a horse for advertising purposes.”

To lead horses through the streets for advertising purposes would interfere with traffic regulations and embarrass the Police Department.

Respectfully, W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Julius Schwarzwald to parade two advertising ponies through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of 30 days from the receipt hereof from his Honor, the Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Smith, representing Miner's Bowery Theatre, to lead a horse by the halter, for advertising purposes, through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period from November 27 to December 2, inclusive.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 4892.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen

Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed resolution 4892, entitled:

“Resolution to permit A. Galewski & Son to keep a showcase.”

This proposed resolution would permit the maintenance of a showcase on Broadway in one of the busiest parts of the City, which we are trying to keep as clear as we can. Respectfully, W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Galewski & Son to place and keep a showcase within the stoop line in front of their premises, 323 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said showcase shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 4965.

162 W. 126th St., New York, November 27, 1911.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Dear Sir—I have noticed in the evening newspapers of November 23 a protest against the use of 43d and 44th sts., east of Lexington ave., as a hack stand. As an owner of property in 44th st., east of Lexington ave., I desire to add my protest to that of the Rev. Dr. Brann against such a resolution or ordinance, and to state that I was surprised that such a resolution or ordinance was allowed to pass without a hearing on it. I believe that it ought to have been vetoed by the Mayor promptly and without hesitation, and I cannot understand how our vigilant Mayor would allow such an obnoxious measure as this to pass. I do not think he would like to have a hack stand in front of his own door.

I believe that the Board of Aldermen is not justified in passing an ordinance that would permit a nuisance to be maintained which might jeopardize the health of the people of the neighborhood. These streets mainly contain private houses, a large parochial school, a church and a few apartment houses. There are also a large number of persons passing through them from and to the Grand Central Depot. Boards of Health and sanitarians all over the civilized world have declared the house-fly to be a conveyer and carrier of disease, and it is impossible to prevent the gathering of flies in warm weather where the excreta and filth from horses are deposited. Filth draws them and in filth they thrive, and filth is injurious to health.

It seems to me that the Board of Health cannot rule otherwise than declare a hack stand in a public street to be a nuisance and detrimental to health. The ordinance, I believe, would legalize a nuisance—if such could be sustained by any Court—and I believe would depreciate the value and rental of property in these streets; besides it would be the means of obstructing the delivery of fuel, the necessities of life and other goods to the dwellings in these streets.

The health and welfare of a large number of pupils of the parochial school, as well as the residents, who have to endure the offensive smells from the excreta and filthy emanations from the horses call for the speedy rescinding of an ordinance or resolution that would permit a hack stand in these streets. I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN T. NAGLE.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Health:

No. 4966.

Department of Health, City of New York, Southwest Corner 55th Street and 6th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 25, 1911.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Sir—Enclosed herewith you will find copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Health at a meeting held November 21, 1911, requesting an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$15,000 for the purpose of employing 50 Medical Inspectors for a period of three months from January 1, 1912, for the purpose of performing vaccinations.

According to the report of the Surgeon-General of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, smallpox has been more than usually prevalent in the United States during the past two years. The disease is widespread throughout the United States. Outbreaks of considerable size have been reported from a number of large cities. Among them may be mentioned Buffalo, which had a considerable number of cases in May and June of the present year, and within the past few weeks smallpox is said to have been very prevalent in the neighborhood of Providence, R. I.

With the extensive and intimate relations which New York City has with all parts of the United States, it is practically impossible to avoid the occasional introduction of the disease into the City, and with an increased prevalence of the disease, such as now obtains in other parts of the country, this introduction is extremely liable to occur. In large cities where there is no lack of frequent importation of the virus, where, in fact, the poison is perennial, an epidemic will come whenever there is a sufficiently large number of persons capable of infection, that is to say, unvaccinated. This accounts for the well-established periodicity of the smallpox epidemic. Experience has shown that in New York City an epidemic of smallpox may be expected about every ten years, the commencement of the last epidemic being 1901 and 1902. It is clear, therefore, that the soil is ripe in this City for another epidemic outbreak, and that steps should at once be taken to protect the community. The remedy, of course, lies in vaccinating all susceptible persons. It is easy to deal with those born and brought up in this City, for a certificate of vaccination is and has long been required of all school children. The difficulty arises in dealing with adults coming into the city from other parts of this country, or from foreign countries where compulsory vaccination is not enforced.

It has been established that the best way to overcome this difficulty is by the organization of a special vaccination squad to go through the City and make vaccinations on a large scale. The staff of the Division of Contagious Diseases is absolutely unable to undertake any such campaign, and indeed the Budget for the year 1912 provides for twenty-three Medical Inspectors less than are at present employed.

The Board of Health deems it necessary, therefore, to appeal to the Board of

Aldermen and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for additional funds to carry on the work needed. Very truly yours,

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

Department of Health, City of New York, Southwest Corner 55th Street and 6th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 25, 1911.

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

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held November 21, 1911, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, be and it is hereby respectfully petitioned to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to an amount not exceeding the sum of \$15,000, the proceeds whereof to be applied to provide means necessary for the employment of 50 Medical Inspectors for a period of three months commencing from and after January 1, 1912.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Commissioner:

No. 4967.

Fire Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, November 27, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—This Department stands greatly in need of funds for use in purchasing an additional supply of fire hose to maintain at a proper standard of efficiency the equipment of existing companies in this regard and to provide for the estimated requirements of forty new companies proposed to be organized during the coming year.

In a detailed statement (copy of which is herewith enclosed) submitted to me by the Clerk in charge of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, the needs of this Department in the matter of a hose supply for the existing and prospective companies are shown to be as follows:

32,700 feet of 1½-inch hose, \$0.60 per foot.....	\$19,620 00
194,000 feet 2½-inch hose, \$1.20 per foot.....	232,800 00
4,600 feet 3-inch hose, \$1.60 per foot.....	7,360 00
24,950 feet 3½-inch hose, \$2 per foot.....	49,900 00

Total \$309,680 00

An appropriation for the purchase of hose was requested in the Departmental estimate for 1912, but not allowed in the Budget for that year.

I have, therefore, the honor to request that, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen apply to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed the sum of three hundred and nine thousand six hundred and eighty dollars (\$309,680), the proceeds to be used for the purchase of the required quantity of hose.

Draft of necessary resolution is also herewith enclosed.

Respectfully, GEO. W. OLVANY, Deputy and Acting Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen hereby requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed three hundred and nine thousand six hundred and eighty dollars (\$309,680), the proceeds to be applied to the purchase of hose for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York.

Hose Report.

Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

Size.	Lengths on Hand.	Over Eight Years Old.	Eight Years and Less.	Yearly Depreciation.	Serviceable.	Hose Required.	Necessary to Equip to Proper Standard.	Unit Cost.	Estimated Cost.
3½.....	405	82	323	40	283	700	417	\$2 00	\$41,700 00
3.....	1,914	69	1,845	369	1,476	1,750	274	1 60	21,920 00
2½.....	4,344	589	3,755	470	3,285	4,475	1,190	1 20	71,400 00
1½.....	556	240	316	40	276	675	399	60	11,970 00
									\$146,990 00
Brooklyn and Queens.									
3½.....	132	66	66	8	58	140	82	\$2 00	\$8,200 00
3.....	286	20	266	34	232	320	88	1 60	7,040 00
2½.....	3,160	655	2,505	315	2,190	3,070	880	1 20	52,800 00
1½.....	328	132	196	25	171	426	255	60	7,650 00
									75,690 00
Forty New Companies To Be Organized, 1912.									
2½-inch, estimated 2,000 fifty-foot lengths for equipment and maintenance.....								\$1 20	120,000 00
Total									\$342,680 00

Recapitulation.

Size.	Estimated No. of Lengths Required.	Due on Contract.	Lengths Necessary to Equip.	No. of Feet.	Unit Cost.	Estimated Cost.
3½.....	499	.....	499	24,950	\$2 00	\$49,900 00
3.....	362	270	92	4,600	1 60	7,360 00
2½.....	4,070	190	3,880	194,000	1 20	232,800 00
1½.....	654	.....	654	32,700	60	19,620 00
						\$309,680 00

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 4968.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, November 23, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I am directed by the President to enclose for introduction in the Board of Aldermen a resolution giving permission to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect and maintain a drinking fountain in Sheridan square, Borough of Manhattan. Yours very truly,

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary to the President.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to place and keep an ornamental drinking fountain, the plans and site for which have been already approved by the Municipal Art Commission, in Sheridan square, at the junction of West Washington place and W. 4th st., adjacent to and on the east of the lamp-post in the middle of said square, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at the expense of the said society under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

Nos. 4582, 4689, 4690, 4691, 4692 and 4697.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 3 and 17, 1911 (Minutes, pages 645, 87, 88, 89, 90 and 93), duplicate departmental estimates, communications

from the State Comptroller and request from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for special revenue bonds for a Librarian, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these matters require no further consideration from the Board. It therefore recommends that the said documents be placed on file.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

No. 4844.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 156), the annexed resolution in favor of rescinding issue of \$180,000 corporate stock for water supply, Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed action to be necessary. Another resolution for the same work, but at a cost \$20,000 less, is herewith reported; hence it is necessary to rescind this resolution. It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted November 2, 1911

“Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911:

“Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and eighty thousand dollars (\$180,000), to provide means for furnishing and laying a 30-inch distribution main, and appurtenances in and along Fresh Meadow road, North Hempstead turnpike, Jamaica ave. and Union ave., to con-

nect the distribution systems of the First Ward and Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in connection with improving the water supply system in said Borough, and that that 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, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid;

—be and the same is hereby rescinded."

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers—46.

No. 4845.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 157), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing corporate stock, \$160,000, for laying mains for water supply, Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. This proposition is for \$20,000 less than was originally appropriated, owing to a shortening of the route.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in the sum of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000), to provide means for furnishing and laying a distribution main and appurtenances in the First and Third Wards of Queens, in connection with the water supply system.

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 November 2, 1911, 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, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000), to provide means for furnishing and laying a 30-inch distribution main and appurtenances in and along Fresh Meadow road and Union avenue, to connect the distribution systems of the First Ward and Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in connection with improving the water supply system of said Borough, 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, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers—46.

No. 4919.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 21, 1911 (Minutes, page 190), the annexed resolution in favor of rescinding resolution for \$100,000 corporate stock for playground in Central Park already rescinded, in order to provide for an expenditure of \$1,000 in this connection, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed action to be necessary, so that claims for services to the amount of \$1,000 may be met.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 16, 1911:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and finally concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on June 14, 1910:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to provide means for the construction and equipping of playgrounds in Central Park, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and finally concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on June 14, 1910, as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to provide means for the construction and equipping of playground in Central Park, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be amended to make the amount read one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers—46.

No. 4920.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 21, 1911 (Minutes, page 191), the annexed resolution amending resolution for \$75,000 corporate stock for the Metropolitan Museum of Art, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be necessary. It is merely a change in the name of the institution, it having inadvertently been designated as the American Museum of Art in the original appropriation.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 16, 1911:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on July 31, 1911, as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), to provide means for the purchase of furniture and fittings for equipment and construction of permanent improvements for the American Museum of Arts, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, 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, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the word "American" and inserting in place thereof the word "Metropolitan."

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers—46.

No. 4836.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 151), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Corporation Counsel to draw from time to time on his contingency accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be necessary to facilitate the work of this Department. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, First—That the resolutions adopted by this Board on September 17, 1895; June 20, 1899; January 24, 1905; October 27, 1908, and April 26, 1910, relating to the defraying of minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, and the resolutions adopted by this Board on March 26, 1901, and September 29, 1908, relating to the defraying of minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, and the resolution adopted by this Board on the 26th day of April, 1910, relating to the defraying of minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Brooklyn office of the Law Department, and the resolutions of this Board adopted on the 26th day of January, 1904, and the 19th day of June, 1906, relating to the minor or incidental expenses of the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes of the Law Department, be and they hereby are repealed.

Second—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars. The Corporation Counsel may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, However, That upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon the said draft to the extent of five hundred dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of five hundred dollars in part disbursement of the advance of two thousand five hundred dollars.

Third—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars. The Corporation Counsel may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, However, That upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon said draft to the extent of two hundred dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of two hundred dollars in part disbursement of the advance of six hundred dollars.

Fourth—That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Brooklyn branch office of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, the Corporation Counsel may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding four hundred fifty dollars. The Corporation Counsel may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Law Department, office of the Corporation Counsel, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Corporation Counsel, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, However, that upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon said draft to the extent of one hundred fifty dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the Corporation Counsel for the sum of one hundred fifty dollars in part disbursement of the advance of four hundred fifty dollars.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink,

Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers—46.

No. 4841.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 154), a request from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for \$400 special revenue bonds for payment of additional employees, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary. These employees have been in the service from two to four months, having been previously paid from contingencies. That their services are necessary is shown by their positions being provided for in the 1912 Budget. The Committee 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 Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the purpose of paying salaries of additional employees for months of November and December, 1911, as follows:

Resident Physician	\$150 00
Stenographer	125 00
Laboratory Assistant	125 00
	\$400 00

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Shipley, Snell, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—61.

No. 4839—(G. O. No. 145).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 153), the annexed resolution, amending a resolution for revenue bonds heretofore issued by including a Janitor at \$900 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be necessary. This does not add to the total allowance, but represents a saving made in the allotment made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 11, 1911, becoming a law without the approval or disapproval of his Honor the Mayor on April 25, 1911, authorizing the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds for an amount not exceeding \$6,997.50, the proceeds whereof to be expended by the President of the Borough of Queens to employ additional help in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, be amended to include the position of one (1) Janitor for three months at \$75 per month, or \$225.

That, when concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the following schedule is hereby approved in connection with said authorization, to wit:

Fund R-PQ-12, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance, Wages, Temporary Employees, Revenue Bond Force:	
Engineer (199 days), at, per diem	\$4 50
Elevator Man (4 months), at, per annum	900 00
Watchman (6½ months), at, per annum	900 00
Laborers (1,414 days), at, per diem	2 50
Tinsmith (177 days), additional	25
Janitor (3 months), at, per annum	900 00

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

Alderman Walsh, then in the chair, put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Fagan, Finley, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Shipley, Snell, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell—46.

Alderman Dowling moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was lost.

Which motion was adopted.

The paper was then placed on the list of General Orders.

No. 4894.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 14, 1911 (Minutes, page 181), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$1,457.12 special revenue bonds for the expenses of the Committee on Congestion, respectfully

REPORTS:

That a resolution for this purpose in precisely this same amount has already passed this Board. The resolution then adopted, however, was not worded to suit the Finance Department. The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand four hundred and fifty-seven dollars and twelve cents (\$1,457.12), the proceeds whereof to be used for the purpose of reimbursing the Committee on Congestion of Population in New York for funds advanced by said Committee to the New York City Commission on Congestion of Population for necessary expenditures incurred by said Commission for the purpose of meeting expenditures incurred in its labors prior to reporting to the Board of Aldermen.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Shipley, Snell, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Miller, by

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—61.

No. 4911.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 21, 1911 (Minutes, page 186), a request from the Sheriff of Richmond County for \$1,000 special revenue bonds to pay salaries of additional force, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. The details are set forth in the letter of request. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment fixed the salaries, but could not provide for their payment until this Board acted. The Committee 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 dollars (\$1,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Richmond County, for the purpose of paying salaries from September 1 to December 31, 1911, of employees, as follows:

Under Sheriff	\$500 00
Deputy Sheriff	333 34
Counsel	166 67
	\$1,000 00

Sheriff's Office, Richmond County, Richmond, N. Y., November 13, 1911.

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

Sirs—Pursuant to the provisions of chapter seven hundred and one (701) of the Laws of 1911, I appoint the following officers in my office as Sheriff of the County of Richmond on the 1st day of September, 1911: Under Sheriff, Peter J. Finn; Deputy Sheriff, Edward Peterson; Counsel, Alfred V. Norton.

Under the said chapter seven hundred and one (701) of the Laws of 1911, the salaries of these officers were to be fixed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The said Board has fixed the said salaries as follows: Under Sheriff, \$1,500; Deputy Sheriff, \$1,000; Counsel, \$500.

I therefore respectfully request the issuance of special revenue bonds to meet the payment of said salaries from September 1, 1911, to December 31, 1911, in the following amounts: Under Sheriff, \$500; Deputy Sheriff, \$333.34; Counsel, \$166.67; making a total of \$1,000. Respectfully,

JOHN J. COLLINS, Sheriff, Richmond County.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Shipley, Snell, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—61.

No. 4913.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 21, 1911 (Minutes, page 187), the annexed order of the Court and request from the Sheriff of Queens County in relation to an allowance of \$500 special revenue bonds for plumbing repairs at Queens County Jail, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary, and 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 hundred dollars (\$500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Queens County for the purpose of making plumbing repairs to Queens County Jail.

Office of the Sheriff of Queens County, County Court House, Long Island City, November 17, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—The plumbing system in the Queens County Jail and Administration Building has suddenly become in such a condition as to cause unsanitary conditions to arise.

A major portion of the water pipes in the Administration Building have burst, causing a continuous flow of water through the walls and ceiling of said building, and considerable damage.

The outpour is so strong as to deprive the offices in the County Court House adjoining of a sufficient supply of water, so much so, that the County Judge of Queens County has served an order on me directing the immediate repair of the plumbing (a copy of which order is herewith enclosed).

In view of the foregoing facts, I most respectfully request that your honorable Board recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under section 188 of the Charter, an authorization to issue special revenue bonds in the sum of five hundred dollars to meet the costs of the immediate repairing of the plumbing system in the Queens County Jail and Administration Building. Very truly yours,

THOS. M. QUINN, Sheriff of Queens County.

County Court, Queens County, Long Island City, N. Y.

In the matter of the repairing of the plumbing system in the Queens County Jail.

It appearing to my satisfaction that the plumbing system in the Queens County Jail is out of repair and in such a condition as to cause unsanitary conditions to arise, and therefore

I do hereby direct and order the Sheriff of the County of Queens to have made the necessary repairs to the plumbing system in the said jail as to warrant the elimination of any cause for the existence of unsanitary conditions.

Dated Long Island City, N. Y., November 16, 1911.

(Signed) BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Judge, Queens County.

FRANK L. DOWLING, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTOLT, MICHAEL STAPLETON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

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 Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Shipley, Snell, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; McAneny, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works—61.

At this point Alderman Walsh took the chair.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Dowling called up General Order 141, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 3932.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on July 11, 1911

(Minutes, page 46), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing the position of Chief Medical Officer in the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed position to be necessary. The reasons therefor are fully set forth in the herewith attached report of the Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and it therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 6, 1911:

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 Fire Department of the position in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chief Medical Officer.....	\$3,600 00	1

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

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 30, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 22, 1911, the Commissioner of the Fire Department requested the establishment in his Department of the position of Chief Medical Officer, at \$6,000 per annum, for one incumbent. In connection therewith we report as follows:

Chapter 392, Laws of 1911, amending section 740 of the Greater New York Charter, which became a law on June 21, 1911, provides as follows:

"Section 740. The rank and salaries of officers of the fire department shall be as follows: * * * battalion chiefs, whose annual salary shall be not more than three thousand three hundred dollars; medical officers, whose rank and salary shall be the same as that of battalion chiefs, one of whom shall be appointed chief medical officer, whose annual salary shall be not more than six thousand dollars. * * *

There are eleven Medical Officers in the Department, at the rate of \$3,300 per annum, and distributed as follows: Manhattan, 4; The Bronx, 1; Richmond, 1; Brooklyn, 3; Queens, 2. To comply with the provisions of the law, the Commissioner proposed to appoint the Chief Medical Officer, to have general supervision of the medical work of the Department, and requests the rate of \$6,000 per annum as the maximum amount fixed by the law. It seems that \$3,600 would be a reasonable compensation for the position.

We recommend that the request be approved for one incumbent, at the \$3,600 rate, by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen; Select Committee.

JOHN J. REARDON, JOHN J. WHITE, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, F. SNELL, WILLIAM DRESCHER, RALPH FOLKS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Hickey, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Steers—42.

Alderman Dowling called up General Order 142, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 4414.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on July 31, 1911 (Minutes, page 516), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing the grades of positions of Assistant Electrical Engineer and Draftsman in the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed grades of positions to be necessary. The reasons therefor are fully set forth in the herewith attached report of the Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and it therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held July 27, 1911:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Fire Department of the grades of positions in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Assistant Electrical Engineer.....	\$3,000 00	1
Draftsman	1,200 00	2

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein:

JOHN J. REARDON, JOHN J. WHITE, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, F. SNELL, WILLIAM DRESCHER, RALPH FOLKS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Hickey, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Steers—42.

Alderman Dowling called up General Order 143, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 4657.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on October 10, 1911 (Minutes, page 683), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the position of Secretary to the President of the Board of Inebriety, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes that said grade should be established. The work to be performed will in the main be of a confidential nature, consisting largely of handling the correspondence of the President.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, October 9, 1911.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 5, 1911, recommending the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary to the President, in the office of the Board of Inebriety, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, for one incumbent.

I also transmit copy of report of the Select Committee relative thereto. Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held October 5, 1911:

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 office of the Board of Inebriety of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Secretary to the President.....	\$1,500 00	1

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

FRANCIS P. BENT, JOHN J. REARDON, JAMES H. FINNIGAN, F. SNELL, WILLIAM DRESCHER, RALPH FOLKS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Hickey, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Steers—42.

Alderman Dowling called up General Order 144, being a report and resolution, as follows:

Nos. 4663 and 4820.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on October 10 and 31, 1911 (Minutes, pages 710 and 139), the annexed resolutions in favor of appointing William H. Meyer and Frank G. Ruf as City Surveyors, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, these applicants having filed the customary references as to character and fitness, the Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed City Surveyors:

William H. Meyer, of Concord st., Morris Park, in the Borough of Queens; Frank G. Ruf, of 27 7th st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That William H. Meyer, of Concord st., Morris Park, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That Frank G. Ruf, of 27 7th st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Homer L. Bartlett, Civil Engineer, City Surveyor, 189-191 Montague St., Borough of Brooklyn, October 25, 1911.

To Whom it May Concern:

Mr. Frank G. Ruf was in my employ as assistant in charge of field party and as such demonstrated his ability.

Mr. Ruf was with me for nearly one year and should receive the desired appointment as City Surveyor on his qualifications. Very truly,

HOMER L. BARTLETT.

R. L. Williams, City Surveyor and Civil Engineer, 189-191 Montague St., Brooklyn, N. Y., October 27, 1911.

Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I have known Mr. Frank G. Ruf for some seven years and believe he is competent for the position of City Surveyor. Respectfully,

R. L. WILLIAMS, City Surveyor, 189 Montague st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JOHN J. REARDON, JOHN J. WHITE, JAMES F. FINNIGAN, F. SNELL, WILLIAM DRESCHER, RALPH FOLKS, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Hickey, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Molen, Reardon, Ruff, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell, Steers—42.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 4969.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Jesse J. Goldburg, 2071 5th ave., Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

E. M. Homann, 1263 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Baldwin—

Edward G. Sheldon, 429 E. 51st st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Barton—

Chas. J. Barbuti, 586 Leonard st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bolles—

Adolph S. Wasserman, 173 W. 141st st., Manhattan; Geo. B. French, 1776 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan; C. A. Crane, 535 W. 141st st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Boschen—

Robt. H. Hahn, 570 W. 183d st., Manhattan; Pierrepont Davenport, Bolton road, Manhattan; Alfred B. McNamara, 572 W. 187th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Brady—

Charles A. Brodek, Broadway, Far Rockaway, Queens.

By Alderman Brush—

Solon J. Liebeskind, 629 W. 115th st., Manhattan; Joseph G. Sichel, 545 W. 111th st., Manhattan; Ralph H. Raphael, 520 W. 122d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Callaghan—

Walter B. Milkman, 244 Garfield place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Campbell—

D. Charles Campbell, 317 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn; A. Lloyd Lott, 189 Montague st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cole—

De Witt Stafford, Heberton ave., Port Richmond, S. I.

By Alderman Coleman—

Frank E. Kerby, 596 Franklin ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cunningham—

Matthew M. White, 131-133 Hamilton ave., Brooklyn; George Groeber, 109 Dike-man st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Davis—

Luke J. Le Rolle, 63 W. 143d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

John U. Lang, 28 Hopkins st., Brooklyn; Paul A. Katske, 367 Fulton st., Brooklyn; Alfred R. Miles, 35 Hart st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Isidore Langsam, 726 E. 6th st., Manhattan; Joseph H. Rabinowitz, 399 E. 18th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Dowling.

Charles P. Kleber, 1567 Broadway, Manhattan; Simon Anhalt, 6 Morningside ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Joseph S. Boyle, 123 Nevins st., Brooklyn; Michael J. Kelly, 293 Clinton st., Brooklyn; Thomas J. Hines, 322 State st., Brooklyn; Lauren Moody, 44 Court st., Brooklyn; Harry H. Herche, 26 Manhattan ave., Manhattan; Julius B. Baer, 37 W. 93d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Simon H. Kugel, 1758 Union st., Brooklyn; Leo. B. Cohen, 452 Howard ave., Brooklyn; Gabriel Heatter, 408 Stone ave., Brooklyn; Irving I. Kremer, 682 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Eichhorn—
William W. Gleason, 164 Hull st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—
A. Lincoln Pittinger, 1215 Dean st., Brooklyn; Benj. A. H. Baker, 422a Hancock st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fagan—
Ruth Stone, 202 Brown place, Bronx; Abraham Smith, 886 Kelly st., Bronx.

By Alderman Finley—
H. E. Lawrence, 96 E. 172d st., Bronx.

By Alderman Finnigan—
Herman Scheidlinger, 951 New York ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Grimm—
Frank D. Chinnock, 546 8th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hamilton—
Matthew C. Griffin, 2290 Aqueduct ave., Bronx; Wm. C. Rittenberg, 25 W. 184th st., Bronx; Louis J. Etzel, 417 E. 180th st., Bronx.

By Alderman Herbst—
Annie Stein, 622 E. 169th st., Bronx; Max Freedberger, 1007 Southern boulevard, Bronx.

By Alderman Hickey—
William W. Penfield, 730 E. 242d st., Bronx.

By Alderman Hoertz—
Elihu S. Leschinsky, 924 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenneally—
Christian Beisler, 352 E. 125th st., Manhattan; Charles E. Griffin, 147 E. 54th st., Manhattan; Nicholas E. Betjeman, 431 E. 57th st., Manhattan.

Alderman Levine—
Henry H. Silver, 309 Broadway, Manhattan; Maurice L. Snitkin, 281 Division ave., Brooklyn; Nathan Nathanson, 74 Delancey st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Marx—
Frederick R. A. Stiefel, 1931 Madison ave., Manhattan; George B. McKegney, 264 W. 126th st., Manhattan; Henry S. J. Flynn, 271 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Meagher—
Louis A. Rosenstein, 503 13th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—
George M. Fayles, 5 Kenmore place, Brooklyn; Francis R. Mullin, 94 Albany ave., Brooklyn; Elias Jacoby, 1397 Sterling place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Molen—
John C. Kinkel, 198 Prospect ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Nicoll—
Charles S. Conklin, 49 W. 39th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Nugent—
W. L. Robson, 421 E. 56th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Potter—
T. S. German, 381 Fulton st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Reardon—
Joseph A. Mannix, 304 E. 79th st., Manhattan; Leo Robbins, 158 E. 79th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Schloss—
Samuel Dreyfus, 778 1st ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Shipley—
Herman Herst, 141 Crescent st., Queens.

By Alderman Smith—
Abraham Bernstein, 31-35 W. 115th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Stapleton—
Paul Armitage, 280 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Volkmann—
Charles F. Wilson, 145 E. 82d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Wendel—
Frank K. Johnston, 723 8th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Willard—
Anna H. Peyser, 218 W. 141st st., Manhattan; H. Adolph Howell, 22 W. 133d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Weston—
Everard C. Ketcham, 747 Hancock st., Brooklyn; William J. Young, 92 McDonough st., Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Meagher, Molen, Nicoll, Reardon, Ruff, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, White, Willard; Presidents Cromwell; Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—46.

No. 4970.

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4971.

By Alderman Wendel—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Musical Mutual Protective Union to parade two men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4972.

By Alderman White—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Luigi Pistani to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of premises 193 Mott st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4973.

By Alderman Van Nostrand—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Callan to erect, place and keep an awning within the stoop line in front of premises 210 and 212 E. 121st st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4974.

By Alderman Townen—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dooley Bros. to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of premises 500 W. 38th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4975.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick B. Kumpf to erect, place and keep an awning or marquee of iron and glass within the stoop line

in front of premises 474 8th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning or marquee shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4976.

By Alderman Reardon—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk near the curb and with pushcarts in the carriageway near the curb on all streets and avenues of The City of New York for the sale of holiday goods, Christmas trees, toys, etc., with the consent of the property owners and the written permission of the Alderman of the district, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians, and in the carriageway for all vehicles; such permission to continue only from December 12, 1911, up to and including January 5, 1912, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned; the exercise of any privilege granted hereunder to be subject to supervision by the Police Department.

Which was adopted.

No. 4977.

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4978.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Maurice Dewan, of 2 W. 33d st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4979.

By Alderman Mulhearn—
Resolved, That the public place at the junction of Westchester ave., East 177th st., Storrow st., Virginia ave. and Gray st., in the Borough of The Bronx, is hereby designated and shall hereafter be known as Hugh J. Grant Circle, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the same on the maps and records of The City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 4980.

By the same—
Resolved, That Alban Mazeau, of 2331 Gleason ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4981.

By Alderman Meagher—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. J. Carley to erect, place and keep three storm doors within the stoop line of the premises on the northwest corner of 3d ave. and Bay Ridge ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm doors shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4982.

By Alderman Marx—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Panzorella to place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 2197 8th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4983.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael's Tonsorial Parlor to place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 274 W. 120th street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4984.

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4985.

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4986.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for further consideration the following resolutions now in his hands:

Int. No. 4882—To permit the Orlor Brotherhood Lodge, No. 291, I. O. B. A., to drive an advertising wagon.

Int. No. 4883—To permit the Commercial Club to drive an advertising wagon.

Int. No. 4884—To permit the Yanover Literary Circle to drive an advertising wagon.

Int. No. 4885—To permit the Stavisker Young Men's Benevolent Association to drive an advertising wagon.

Int. No. 4897—To permit the Wolyner Young Men's Benevolent Society to drive an advertising wagon.

Which was adopted.

The papers were then received from his Honor, the Mayor, and are as follows:

No. 4882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Orlor Brotherhood Lodge, No. 291, I. O. B. A., to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

No. 4883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Commercial Club to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

No. 4884.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Stavisker Young Men's Benevolent Association to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

No. 4885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Yanover Literary Circle to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

No. 4897.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Wolyner Young Men's Benevolent Society to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department. Such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, the votes by which these resolutions were adopted were reconsidered.

The papers were then placed on file.

No. 4987.

By Alderman Herbst—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rocco Casella to place and keep a booth within the stoop line on the Southern boulevard side of the premises located on the northwest corner of Southern boulevard and 180th st., in the Borough of The Bronx, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made, and provided the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4988.

By Alderman Hannon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Swift & Co. to erect, place and keep an overhead trolley, or slide, in front of their premises, 32 10th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, the said overhead trolley, or slide, to be securely fastened and to be used only for conveying merchandise from trucks at the curb line to the premises of the aforesaid Swift & Co., at the above location; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4989.

By Alderman Fagan—

Resolved, That the name of Bancroft st. in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby changed to E. 165th st., and that the President of said Borough is authorized and directed to make the necessary changes upon the maps and records of The City of New York. As Bancroft st. is a continuation of E. 165th st., it will simplify matters and therefore do away with confusion.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 4990.

By Alderman Dujat—

Elmhurst Taxpayers' Association, Elmhurst, N. Y., Borough of Queens, November 18, 1911.

Hon. ALEXANDER DUJAT, Member, Board of Aldermen, Corona, L. I.:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of this Association, held October 31, a resolution was adopted requesting the Board of Aldermen to authorize the Elmhurst Taxpayers' Association to assign temporary numbers for houses within the Elmhurst Station of the Flushing postoffice.

A horrible state of confusion in house numbers exists in the Elmhurst postal district, and as we believe that under section 50 of the Charter the Board can allow us such authority, I beg to ask you to prepare and introduce before the Board of Aldermen a resolution accordingly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 4991.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Whereas, Corporate stock has been appropriated for the establishment of public schools in Districts 39 and 40 in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are located in the 65th Aldermanic District; and

Whereas, There is no section in Brooklyn where there are more children on part time than in this locality, especially in the vicinity of Pennsylvania ave., Sutter ave. and Hinsdale st., because of the lack of school facilities; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Education, in order to relieve the congestion that now exists in that district, is respectfully requested to proceed as early as possible for the construction of a public school in this locality.

Which was adopted.

No. 4992.

By the same—

Resolved, That the triangular space bounded by East New York ave., Barrett st. and Pitkin ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby named and shall hereafter be known and designated as "Zion Park."

Which was referred to the Committee on Parks.

No. 4993.

By Alderman W. Drescher—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ida Perlmutter to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals, upon payment of the usual license fee therefor, in front of the Hall of Records, at the southwest corner of Centre and Reade sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4994.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Bohier, of 546 W. 23d st., to parade three men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4995.

By Alderman Brush—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Manuel to erect, place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 2051 8th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4996.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Wasserstrom to erect, place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of premises 31 Avenue B, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4997.

By Alderman Brush—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Bernard to erect, place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 2099 8th ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4998.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Spachuer & Berger to erect, place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of premises 601 and 601½ E. 6th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4999.

By Alderman Brush—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Phillip Miller to erect, place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 1272 Amsterdam ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5000.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Manago to erect, place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of premises 1303 Amsterdam ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 5001.

By Alderman Cornell—

Whereas, The former Village of Stapleton, in the Borough of Richmond, the largest of the many minor civic divisions consolidated with others into Greater New York, is constantly growing in population and greatly in need of better facilities for transit connection with the Borough of Manhattan, with which it has large business connections; and

Whereas, At present the ferry service between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond at Stapleton has only one boat in operation, wholly inadequate to accommodate the many who find it convenient to travel that way; and

Whereas, It is believed that the addition of more boats for service on this line would be a great convenience and largely facilitate the business of a great many people who suffer because of lack of direct transportation to what is considered the mainland; therefore,

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and he is hereby requested to heed the cry of the constantly increasing population of Stapleton, and make effort to add to the ferry service now conducted between that point and Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 5002.

By Alderman Carberry—

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 three hundred and forty-eight dollars and twenty cents (\$348.20), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Chief Clerk of the County Court, Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, to pay a bill to Patrick Dougherty for ice furnished to the various offices of the County Court, Kings County, during the years nineteen hundred and ten (1910) and nineteen hundred and eleven (1911).

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 5003.

By Alderman Bolles—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Rose Market Co., of 2775 8th ave., to parade two men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 5004.

By Alderman Boschen—

Whereas, The condition of the streets and highways in the various boroughs of New York City, due to the accumulation of ashes and garbage which it was difficult to remove in the regular manner which prevailed in the Department of Street Cleaning prior to the recent strike of the employees of said Department, and

Whereas, It is a fact that a considerable amount of ashes and garbage has been deposited on vacant lots, particularly in the upper section of Manhattan, thus creating conditions detrimental to the health of the community; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Department of Health be and the same is hereby requested to investigate the condition of the streets, and particularly the condition of vacant lots where ashes and garbage have been deposited and to take such action which shall have the effect of cleaning up such streets and vacant lots so that the health of the community may thus be safeguarded.

Which was adopted.

No. 5005.

By Alderman Baldwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dick Schlichting to erect, place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of premises 943 2d ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

Nos. 4756, 4787 and 4945.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred the following enumerated subjects respectfully reports that the same be placed on file, they requiring no further consideration:

No. 4756 (By Alderman Finnigan)—Resolution to permit Joseph Mailey to drive an advertising wagon. Page 121, Minutes of October 24, 1911.

No. 4787 (By Alderman Brady)—Resolution to permit Frederick Kreuscher to drive an advertising wagon. Page 135, Minutes of October 31, 1911.

No. 4945 (By Alderman Hannon)—Resolution to permit the Pilsner Club to suspend a banner. Page 303, Minutes of November 21, 1911.

MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN J. MEAGHER, WILLIAM DRESCHER, LEONARD VAN NOSTRAND, JOHN S. GAYNOR, JAMES E. CAMPBELL, SAMUEL MARX, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which report was accepted.

No. 4613.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on October 3, 1911 (Minutes, page 672), the annexed resolution in favor of changing the name of Cheever place, in the Borough of The Bronx, to E. 140th st., respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change of name to be necessary. The said Cheever place is really a continuation of E. 140th st. The request for a change of name is made by manufacturers on said thoroughfare who are caused endless trouble by a confusion with Cheever Place West, in the same Borough. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That the name of Cheever place, from Mott ave. to the Harlem River, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as E. 140th st., and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to renumber the buildings thereon in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary, and to note the changes on the map and records of The City of New York.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That the name of Cheever place, in the Borough of The Bronx, be changed to E. 140th st., as the said Cheever place is really a continuation of E. 140th st. The request for said resolution was petitioned by owners of manufactories in the street who are caused endless trouble by the confusion of 140th Street East with the short space of Cheever Place West which ends at the Harlem River.

MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN J. MEAGHER, WILLIAM DRESCHER, LEONARD VAN NOSTRAND, JOHN S. GAYNOR, JAMES E. CAMPBELL, SAMUEL MARX, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Nicoll, Reardon, Ruff, Snell, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Willard; Presidents Cromwell; Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—44.

Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 4812.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on October 31, 1911 (Minutes, page 138), the annexed ordinance in favor of the Stimmel Rod and Gun Club, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 430 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "the Discharge of Firearms."

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

Section 1. Section 430 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "the discharge of firearms," as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the words, "the grounds of the Stimmel Rod and Gun Club, foot of Bayside ave., Whitestone, in the Borough of Queens."

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

MAX S. LEVINE, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN J. MEAGHER, SAMUEL MARX, JAS. E. CAMPBELL, JOHN J. REARDON, JOHN McCANN, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Cunningham, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Nicoll, Reardon, Snell, Stapleton, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Weston, Willard; President Cromwell—42.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Report of Special Committee on Investigation of Law Applicable to Moving Picture Shows—

No. 5006.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

The Committee appointed by your Committee on Rules, pursuant to resolution dated the 7th day of February, 1911, to investigate and report as to the conditions with respect to the situation affecting the conduct of moving picture shows and nickelodeons in The City of New York, respectfully reports as follows:

First—Your Committee has investigated the ordinance under which the Mayor, through the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, is presently acting, and under which licenses are purported to be issued; it has inspected numerous places operated under licenses issued by the Bureau of Licenses, and the conditions existing in such places with respect to necessary precautions for the protection of life and limb, for the safeguarding of the morals of the persons who frequent these places, and particularly of minors in attendance thereat; and also the character of the pictures displayed and of the performances given.

Second—Your Committee finds that the only authority, if any, that may be found for the issuance of these licenses is pursuant to section 305 of the Ordinances, which section reads as follows:

"Sec. 305. The following businesses must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely, public cartmen, truckmen, hackmen, cabmen, expressmen, drivers, junk dealers, dealers in second-hand articles, hawkers, peddlers, vendors, coal scalpers, common shows, shooting galleries, bowling alleys, billiard tables, dirt carts, exterior hoists and stands within stoop lines, and under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations. (Ord. app. May 22, 1899, sec. 1.)"

—and section 352 of the Ordinances, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 352. A common show shall be deemed to include a carousel, Ferris wheel, gravity steeplechase, chute, scenic cave, bicycle carousel, scenic railway, striking machines, switchback, merry-go-round, puppet show, ball game, and all other shows of like character, but not to include games of baseball, or to authorize gambling or any game of chance. (Id., sec. 40.)"

Third—That the words "common shows," as used in section 305, must be deemed qualified by the provisions of section 352 of the Ordinances, and that apparently there has been an omission to provide for a license for the character of shows commonly known or designated as a "moving picture show."

Fourth—In connection with the foregoing, the attention of the Committee has been called to the decision of Mr. Justice Crane, of the Second Department, in the case of Weistblatt vs. Bingham, 58 Misc., 328.

Fifth—Your Committee also finds in its investigation that before the decision of Mr. Justice Crane, this Board, by resolution presented by Alderman Klein on March 27, 1906, adopted an ordinance, including moving pictures under section 305, and that the said ordinance was duly forwarded to his Honor, George B. McClellan, then Mayor of The City of New York, who vetoed the same on April 10, 1906, for the reason stated by him in writing and reported in the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen, volume 2, 1906, at page 88, and in which Mayor McClellan states that a moving picture show does not come within the intentment of section 305 of the Code of Ordinances, but that shows of this character must be licensed under section 1472 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Sixth—Your Committee confronted with the language of the ordinance the decision of Mr. Justice Crane, the veto of Mayor McClellan (presumably an opinion of the Corporation Counsel), requested Mr. Wallace, Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, to attend before a session of your Committee and to inform the said Committee with respect to the issuance of the license and the authority therefore, and after hearing Mr. Wallace, your Committee is of the opinion that Mr. Wallace is doubtful as to his powers to issue the license, and that he is acting mainly under the decision of Mr. Justice Crane, of the Brooklyn Supreme Court, and concededly the question has never been passed upon by any Appellate Court, or so far as your Committee has been able to find, by a Justice of the Supreme Court in the First Department.

Seventh—Your Committee has examined into the provisions of law with respect to the performance and the character of the performance given at theatres in The City of New York, which are licensed by the Police Commissioner under section 1472 of the Charter, and finds that while the performance and the character of it is regulated by the provisions of the Charter and the Penal Law, that under the ordinances as they now stand, no attempt is made to regulate the kind of performance that may be given, or the character of it.

Eighth—Your Committee also finds that there are two classes of licenses now being issued by the Bureau of Licenses for so-called moving picture exhibition: (1) for indoor performances, (2) for outdoor exhibitions; that for the indoor exhibitions attempt is made to regulate with respect to places having a seating capacity of not more than three hundred, but that no restriction is attempted or placed as to seating capacity with respect to outdoor shows, and that some of these outdoor shows accommodate a thousand people and more, although operating under the same form of license, for which a fee of but twenty-five dollars (\$25) is charged, whereas, theatres actually operated in The City of New York, accommodating less than a thousand persons, are required to obtain a license from the Police Commissioner under section 1472 of the Charter.

Ninth—Your Committee finds that there are approximately five hundred places operated in Greater New York for the purpose of moving picture exhibitions, indoors and outdoors, and that some of these places are constructed and maintained in a safe and proper manner, and that in nearly all of the places presently operated there are requirements of the Building Department, Fire Department, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, intending to make them safe, but in the opinion of your Committee there is much room for improvement and certainly there is no reason why, with respect to new places, there should not be more rigid regulation and supervision.

Tenth—Your Committee has considered that, with respect to existing places in which sums of money have been invested on the faith of the license which has been issued and the renewal thereof from time to time, that legislation attempted should afford some protection to the capital so invested and to follow the general idea which obtained at the time of the adoption of the so-called Building Code, in June, 1904, respecting theatres and places of amusement, and that while these places should, before a license is renewed, be made as safe as it is possible to make them under their present construction, but that, as to new places, new and proper regulations be provided.

Eleventh—Your Committee urges that upon principle, so far as the conduct of any place is concerned (with the possible exception of places that have been constructed and actually in use and in which capital has been invested) there would seem to be no good reason why a place accommodating a hundred people should not be made as safe against the contingency of fire, panic and kindred disaster as a place accommodating two thousand people, for the only difference between a catastrophe in the two places would be that the smaller place would perhaps have a smaller numerical loss, but the percentage of loss would be undoubtedly the same.

Twelfth—Your Committee is of the opinion that for the sake of uniformity, that the licensing of places of public amusement, whether they be theatres or moving picture shows, should be under the same regulations and under the same licensing officer, and for that reason believe that issuance of the licenses for moving picture exhibitions should be invested in the Police Commissioner of The City of New York, with the same safeguards and the same general idea as to license, excepting the amount of license fee as is provided under section 1472 of the Charter and the sections following it with respect to the licensing of theatres, etc.

Thirteenth—Your Committee finds with respect to the character of the performance that this may be best regulated and perhaps the only way by which it could be regulated is that since the performance consists mainly of the pictures which are shown thereat, that the films and prints be first approved by the Police Commissioner of The City of New York in a manner similar to the method now in use in the Cities of Chicago and St. Louis, in each of which cities provision is made for the censoring of pictures. In this connection the Committee finds no fault with the present system, which is that pictures are submitted to an organization known as the National Board, but deems it inadequate for the following reasons: (1) that organization is without official power; (2) it can do no more than invite the manufacturers to present their pictures for inspection, the result of which is that some manufacturers submit some of their pictures to this Board, and that some of the manufacturers submit none of their pictures; (3) that from information your Committee has, this Board is supported wholly or in part by the manufacturers, and while probably not subject to the influence of the manufacturers, are susceptible to such influence. Your Committee deems the Police Commissioner the proper official to be invested with the censoring of these pictures (whose decision should be subject to review by the Mayor), because since that Department is charged with the administration of the law and the observance of it, that that official is best qualified to pass upon the propriety of the exhibition of the picture from the standpoint of its morality and etc. Your Committee also believes that a minimum of expense will obtain if the Police Department is charged with the duty, rather than the creation of a commission or board for the purpose, since it is apparent that the Police Commissioner, with the entire Police Force at hand, may not only decide the matter, but enforce the decision.

Fifteenth—With respect to the admission of minors, we believe that the same is fully covered by section 484 of the Penal Law, which was amended to take effect on September 1, 1909, and that the law should remain as it is presently drafted, for there seems to be no good reason why the same rigid provision should not be made with respect to the admission of a child under the age of sixteen years to this class of performance as to any other place of amusement or public place. Section 484 of the Penal Law reads as follows:

"484. Permitting Children to Attend Certain Resorts—A person who:

"1. Admits or allows to remain in any dance house, concert, saloon, theatre, museum, skating rink, kineoscope or moving picture performance, or in any place where wines or spirituous or malt liquors are sold or given away, or in any place of entertainment injurious to health or morals, owned, kept, leased, managed or controlled by him or by his employer, or where such person is employed or performs such services as doorkeeper or ticket seller or ticket collector, any child actually or apparently under the age of sixteen years, unless accompanied by its parent or guardian. (Subd. thus amended by L. 1909, ch. 278, in effect September 1, 1909.)"

Your Committee has therefore prepared for submission a set of ordinances which it believes covers the situation, and begs leave to herewith present the same.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN J. WHITE, DANIEL T. CORNELL, JOHN McCANN, JOHN A. BOLLES.

Which report was placed on file.

Alderman White announced that such Special Committee would hold a public hearing on a proposed ordinance regulating moving pictures and moving picture shows in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, December 1, 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Alderman Dowling moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Chairman pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 5, 1911, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, held Wednesday, November 8, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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

The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

The public hearing on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the exempt class, under the heading "Mayor's Office," the title: Confidential Inspector of Weights and Measures, was adjourned until Wednesday, November 15.

John J. Halley, of 375 East 146th street, New York City, appeared before the Commission relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list.

Edward J. Donnelly, of 462 West 43d street, Borough of Manhattan, appeared before the Commission relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list.

John Cooney, of 91 Ackroyd avenue, Jamaica, N. Y., and Messrs. Brady and

Price, all former employees of Silas W. Titus at the Jameco Pumping Station, appeared before the Commission and requested that they be given a noncompetitive examination under the provisions of chapter 142 of the Laws of 1908 to qualify them for appointment in the City's service.

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meetings held November 1 and 3 were approved.

On motion, it was resolved, that the name of John J. Halley, of 375 East 146th street, New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the disqualified list.

On motion, it was resolved, that the name of Edward J. Donnelly, of 462 West 43d street, Manhattan, be and the same hereby is removed from the disqualified list.

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

Michael J. O'Loughlin, from the position of Patrolman to that of Sergeant in the Police Department, under the provisions of paragraph 3 of Rule XIV.

James H. Nugent, Clerk, at \$600 per annum, in the Tenement House Department, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum.

James Markey, Attendant in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, to the position of Watchman at \$900 per annum in that Department.

Timothy O'Shea, Keeper at \$800 per annum in the Department of Correction, to the position of Guard at \$1,050 per annum in the Department of Finance.

Harry V. Russell, Stenographer and Typewriter to the First Deputy Police Commissioner (exempt) at \$1,500 per annum, to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,190 per annum, in the Board of Water Supply (competitive), under the provisions of paragraph 3 of Rule XIV.

J. J. Balmuth, Clerk, at \$300 per annum, from the Board of Education to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Joseph W. McDonald, Attendant, at \$1,200 per annum, in the City Magistrates Court, to the City Court of The City of New York, at \$1,500 per annum.

Claude A. Wanzor, Clerk, at \$1,650 per annum, in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts (competitive), to the position of Examining Inspector, at \$1,800 per annum (exempt) in that Department, under the provisions of paragraph 3 of Rule XIV.

Martin J. Dwyer, Inspector of Tenements, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Tenement House Department, to the position of Sanitary Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Department of Health.

Charles L. Kloss, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$1,150 per annum, in the Board of Water Supply (competitive), to the position of Stenographer to the First Deputy Police Commissioner (exempt), at \$1,500 per annum, under the provisions of paragraph 3 of Rule XIV.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the transfer of Jacob F. Hazrick from the position of Clerk, at \$1,200 per annum, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to a similar position in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts was denied for the reason that Mr. Hazrick was not eligible for transfer at a salary of \$1,200 per annum, his promotion to that grade having been approved by the Commission upon the certification of the head of his Department that his duties would not be changed.

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

Thomas W. Gilroy, Jr., in the position of Architectural Draftsman, at \$1,500 per annum, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Reginald Miller, in the position of Laboratory Assistant, Department of Health.

Robert Kelly, in the position of Inspector of Supplies, at \$1,500 per annum, in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Henry Greenfield, in the position of Clerk, at \$900 per annum, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as of October 31, 1911.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the reinstatement of Frank J. Farnan in the position of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct in the Board of Water Supply was disapproved for the reason that he had been dismissed on charges on May 10, 1911.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following named persons were denied, no errors of marking or rating having been shown:

Aristide L. B. Carbone, 586 Park place, Brooklyn, N. Y., Interpreter.

Norman P. Nelson, 434 W. 163d street, New York City, Patrolman-on-Aqueduct.

Henry Lukowsky, 89 Monroe street, New York City, Patrolman-on-Aqueduct.

Mary Hoffman Jones, The Ansonia, 73d street and Broadway, New York City, Examining Physician.

Abraham Silverman, 389 Covert avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., promotion to Second Grade Attendant, Borough of Manhattan.

George A. Fitzgerald, 467 Kosciuszko street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Patrolman.

George H. Evans, 360 East 138th street, New York City, Patrolman.

James B. Lynk, 330 West 21st street, New York City, Marine Engineer.

John J. Butler, 186 Bayard street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Patrolman.

Edward A. Jerman, 621 10th avenue, New York City, Instructor of Plumbing.

The following appeals were presented and referred to the Committee on Appeals: Fridolin Ziegler, 1313 Clinton avenue, Borough of The Bronx, Marine Engineer.

Louis Baker, 212 West 115th street, New York City, Patrolman.

Anthony M. De Luca, 324 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y., Interpreter, Italian.

Frank Lembo, 564 Onderdonk avenue, Ridgewood, N. Y., Interpreter, Italian.

Edgar Dahlgren, 491 Dean street, Brooklyn, N. Y., promotion to Foreman, Fire Department.

Dominick G. Riley, Detective Bureau, promotion to Captain, Police Department.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Veterinarian, Department of Health.

The Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions appeared before the Commission and requested permission to withdraw his report, dated November 1, with reference to the request of the Chief City Magistrate of the Second Division that Interpreters and Male and Female Probation Officers be admitted to the examination for promotion to Clerk's Assistant. The Commission permitted the withdrawal of the report pending the decision of the Court of Appeals on the appeal in the matter of Simons vs. the Municipal Civil Service Commission et al.

The President stated that the following matters had been acted upon by him subsequent to the last meeting of the Commission:

Report of the Chief Examiner, dated November 1, with reference to the request of the Commissioner of Public Works, Manhattan, that the minimum age limit for Inspector of Public Works be reduced to 21 years, recommending that the request be denied. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Chief Examiner, dated October 30, stating that of the several plans submitted relative to the investigation of the accuracy of candidate's statements as to experience, he liked the suggestions made by Mr. Rafferty, Examiner, and recommending that they be put into effect. Recommendation adopted.

Reports of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, under various dates, recommending that the following promotion examinations be held:

Department of Education.

From First to Second Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

Junior Mechanical Draftsman to Mechanical Draftsman, Grade C (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Junior Architectural Draftsman to Architectural Draftsman, Grade C (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Department of Bridges.

From Structural Steel Draftsman and Transitman to Assistant Engineer, Grade D (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Law Department.

From Third to Fourth Grade Computer of Assessments (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Typewriting Copyist (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

Police Department.

From Stenographer and Typewriter, Third Grade, to Stenographer and Typewriter, Fourth Grade (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, all Bureaus, including the Bureau of Buildings.

From Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Third to Fourth Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Fourth to Fifth Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Typewriting Copyist, Second Grade, to Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade (Rule XV., paragraph 8c).

From Second to Third Grade Inspector (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

From Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Third to Fourth Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Axeman, Grade B, to Rodman, Grade C (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

From Rodman to Transitman, Grade C (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Assistant Engineer, from Grade D to Grade E (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Topographical Draftsman, from Grade C to Grade D (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

Assistant Foreman, from Grade 1 to Grade 2 (Rule XV., paragraph 10).

From Assistant Foreman, Paver and Rammer to Foreman, Grade 2 (Rule XV., paragraphs 10 and 17).

From Attendant, Messenger and Telephone Operator to Third Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8d).

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

From Second to Third Grade Clerk (Rule XV., paragraph 8a and 22).

Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

From Laborer to Foreman in the Bureau of Highways (Rule XV., paragraph 17).

President of the Borough of Queens.

From Foreman, Assistant Foreman and Laborer to Axeman, Grade B (Rule XV., paragraphs 17 and 18).

From Axeman to Rodman, Grade B (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

From Rodman to Transitman and Computer (Rule XV., paragraph 9).

From Junior Draftsman to Topographical Draftsman (Grade C).

From First to Second Grade Clerk, Topographical Bureau (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Messenger to Third Grade Clerk, Topographical Bureau (Rule XV., paragraph 8d).

Tenement House Department.

From Second Grade Typewriting Copyist to Second Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV., paragraph 8c).

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Second to Third Grade Clerk, Bureau of Lamps and Lighting (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Clerk, Bureau of the Water Register, Brooklyn (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Clerk, Bureau of the Chief Engineer, Brooklyn (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Second to Third Grade Clerk, Central Office, Borough of Manhattan (Rule XV., paragraph 8a).

From Grade 1 to Grade 2, Architectural Draftsman; Mechanical Draftsman, Grade 1 to Grade 2; Topographical Draftsman, Grade 1 to Grade 2; Architectural Draftsman, Grade 2 to Grade 3; Mechanical Draftsman, Grade 2 to Grade 3, and Topographical Draftsman, Grade 2 to Grade 3—under the provisions of Rule XV., paragraph 9.

Inspector of Masonry, Fourth to Fifth Grade; Inspector of Pipe Laying, Fourth to Fifth Grade; Inspector of Hydrants, Stop Cocks, etc., Fourth to Fifth Grade; Inspector of Pipe Making, Fourth to Fifth Grade, and Inspector of Pipe Laying, Pipes and Hydrants, Fourth to Fifth Grade—under Rule XV., paragraph 10.

Department of Public Charities.

From First to Second Grade Clerk; from Second to Third Grade Clerk; from Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, and from Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV., paragraph 8a). Recommendations adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries, under date of October 26, that the examination ordered for promotion to the position of Third Grade Clerk in his Department be canceled, and recommending that the request be granted. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, recommending that the request of the Department of Education, under date of October 27, that the examination for promotion from Third to Fourth Grade Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, Electrical Inspector and Heating and Ventilating Inspector, be held for promotion from Second to Third Grade, be granted. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, that an examination be held for promotion from the position of Driver to that of Automobile Engineman, recommending that the request be denied (Rule XV., paragraph 17). Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Engineer in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that the examination for promotion from First to Second Grade Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, Manhattan, be extended to include all Boroughs, recommending that the request be granted under Rule XV., paragraph 10. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 1, relative to the request of the Board of Water Supply that eligibility for examination for promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grades C and D, be extended to Mechanical Draftsmen, recommending that the request be granted. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of the Board of Water Supply that the successful candidates in the examination for promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grades D and E, be placed on the list according to the Division in which they were employed at the time of the promulgation of the list, and recommending that the request be denied. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of John O'Rourke, Reservoir Oval, Williamsburg, a Transitman employed in the Board of Water Supply, that the Commission authorize his promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer on the ground that his name appeared on the list for that position in the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, and recommending that the request be denied. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 1, relative to the request of C. B. Cosgrove, a candidate in the examination for promotion to Superintendent, Bureau of Dependent Adults, Department of Public Charities (Manhattan), that the efficiency records of the candidates for the time during which the Acting Superintendent had been in charge, be omitted from consideration by the Examiners, for the reason that the Acting Superintendent was a candidate in the examination; and recommending that the request be denied. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries for approval of an increase in the salaries of certain persons employed in the Engineering Service of his Department. The report stated that with respect to the proposed increases in the salary of Philip Guise and Traugott F. Keller, Assistant Engineers, from \$2,700 to \$3,000, and from \$2,400 to \$2,700, respectively, that these increases did not constitute promotions within the meaning of the law as both salaries appeared in Grade E of the Engineering Service; that the increase in salary of Charles H. Hall, Assistant Engineer, from \$2,100 to \$2,700 per annum, and of eight Chainmen and Rodmen from \$1,080 to \$1,200 per annum, did constitute promotions within the meaning of the law and, therefore, could not be allowed without promotion examinations.

Secretary instructed to communicate substance of report to the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Reports of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 1, relative to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities and that of Miss Louise M. Harty, an Examiner of Charitable Institutions employed in the Borough of Brooklyn, that the promotion examination for the position of Superintendent of the Bureau of Domestic Relations, Manhattan, be open to all Examiners of Charitable Institutions and Visitors in the Department, and recommending, in view of the fact that the examination had been set for November 10, that it should proceed as originally ordered. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated October 31, relative to the inquiry of Mr. P. Kelly, 300 West 120th street, as to the power of the head of a Department to assign a person to act as Foreman, and recommending that as it was not the practice of the Commission to rule on hypothetical questions that the communication be filed, unless Mr. Kelly should present some evidence of a violation of the civil service law and rules. Recommendation adopted.

Report of Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated November 1, relative to the certificate of confirmation, submitted as proof of his age, by Benjamin Grodinsky, of 139 Christie street, Manhattan, who had been appointed to the position of Clerk, First Grade, in the Law Department. Proof accepted.

Report of Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated November 1, relative to Charles M. Jones, an applicant for Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, recommending that he be marked qualified on the eligible list. Recommendation adopted.

Report of Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated November 3, relative to Frederick H. J. Hahn, of 5421 3d avenue, Brooklyn, an applicant for Patrolman, recommending that he be marked qualified on the eligible list. Recommendation adopted.

Request of the Secretary of the Armory Board, dated October 24, that the limitation of compensation fixed by clause 6 of Rule XII (\$750) be waived in the case of Mr. Thomas B. Fielders, Expert Statistical Clerk, and his total compensation fixed at \$1,200. Granted under paragraph 6 of Rule XII, subject to approval by the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission.

Request of the Board of Water Supply, dated November 1, for approval of the appointment of Henry Kahn, Sprout Brook, N. Y., to the position of Caretaker, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, under the provisions of paragraph 7 of Rule XII. Granted.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated October 30, for approval of the reassignment of Edward M. Pindar, Marine Engineer. Granted.

Request of the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated October 27, for approval of the reassignment to duty of Nathan V. Houghtaling, Janitor, in his Department. Granted.

Request of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated October 24, for authority to employ Thomas Nugent, of 25 Lee avenue, Brooklyn, for an additional period of 15 days, with compensation at the rate of \$3 a day, to sort minutes, records, etc. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

Request of the Comptroller, dated October 30, for authority to continue the temporary employment of the following named Bookkeepers until December 31, 1911: Louis Kiefer, Jr., 1268 1st avenue, Manhattan; Charles L. Bergman, 179 Nassau street, Brooklyn; Maurice L. Geller, 317 E. 78th street, Manhattan; Treve H. Collins, 646 Marcy avenue, Brooklyn; Max Fink, 2168 Dean street, Brooklyn. Granted.

Request of the Comptroller, dated October 23, for information as to the eligibility of David Sturmwald for transfer from the position of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct, at \$900 per annum, to that of Guard in the Department of Finance, at \$1,050 per annum. Secretary instructed to state that such transfer was allowable.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated October 30, for approval of the employment of Dr. Irving C. Allen as Medical Inspector up to and including October 28, 1911, and stating that Dr. Allen's appointment had been authorized for a period of three months from June 26, but that through oversight his employment was not terminated at the end of that period. Granted.

Request of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, Office of the Mayor, dated October 28, for authority to continue the services of the following temporary Clerks for a period of three months: Moses Marx, 319 East 79th street, Manhattan; Charles R. Davis, 283 Pacific street, Brooklyn; Wilfred F. Farney, 492 E. 164th street, N. Y. City; Abraham F. Hazen, 243 E. 48th street, Manhattan. Granted in the cases of Messrs. Davis, Farney and Hazen. Denied in the case of Mr. Moses Marx, under the provisions of clause 1 of Rule XII.

Request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated October 27, for approval of the reassignment to duty of Mabel Macomber, Playground Attendant. Granted.

Request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated October 31, for authority to continue the employment of William A. Corcoran as Inspector of Furniture and Equipment at the New York Public Library for a period of two months, with compensation at the rate of \$2,500 per annum. Granted, subject to approval by the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission.

Request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 1, for approval of the appointment in the noncompetitive class, on July 27, 1911, of Henry T. Hallahan as Automobile Engineman, on the ground that he was not aware when he made the appointment that the position had been transferred to the competitive class and that the appointment could properly have been made on July 23. Appointment approved.

Request of the Police Commissioner, dated November 1, for authority to employ the following named Architects to prepare plans and specifications for and superintend the work of constructing station house buildings, at the compensation specified: Francis L. V. Hoppin, 244 5th avenue, \$15,425; Hazzard, Erskine & Blagden, 437 5th avenue, \$8,100, and Francis W. Ford's Sons, Surveyors, of 8 James street. Employment of Architects approved under paragraph 6 of Rule XII, subject to approval by the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission; that of Francis W. Ford's Sons approved under paragraph 6 of Rule XII, the total compensation not to exceed \$750.

Communication from the Police Commissioner, dated November 3, stating that he had granted full pay to Lieutenant Michael Larkin, from June 17 to October 2, 1911, during which time he had been on the sick list as the result of injuries received in the performance of duty. Payroll approved.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated October 31, for authority to employ Messrs. Dow and Smith as experts to inspect the manufacture of wood block pavement at Mobile, Alabama, at a total compensation of \$750. Approved under paragraph 6 of Rule XII.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated October 31, for approval of the emergency appointment of Albert D. Fell, of 536 West 153d street, as Inspector of Repairs and Supplies for a period of 15 days, beginning November 1. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

Request of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, dated October 31, for authority to continue the temporary services of Bernard J. Fagan, of 110 West 61st street, as Messenger, until April 30, 1912, in the absence of the regular incumbent on account of illness. Denied, under paragraph 1 of Rule XII.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated October 17, for approval of the emergency appointment of the following named persons as Inspectors (Public Works): Edward McDonald, 518 West 150th street, 15 days, from November 1, 1911; J. F. Kiernan, 2400 7th avenue, 15 days, from November 1, 1911; Orange F. Terry, 8 South Portland avenue, Brooklyn, 15 days, from October 17, 1911; John L. Hill, 225 West 109th street, 15 days, from October 30, 1911. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 1, for approval of the reassignment of Anthony Denney, Mate. Granted.

Request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated October 26, for approval of his action rescinding the dismissal of John T. Ryan from the position of Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption. Granted.

Requests of the following named persons for permission to amend their statements as to the date of birth to conform with the proof submitted: Lewis Protass, 640 3d avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., Clerk, First Grade; Lewis A. Cohn, 47 Attorney street, New York City, Clerk, Second Grade. The action of the President was approved.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of

Manhattan and Richmond be and he hereby is authorized to continue the services of Mr. William A. Corcoran as Inspector of Furniture and Equipment at the New York Public Library, from October 24 to December 24, 1911, with compensation at the rate of \$2,500 per annum (Rule XII, clause 6).

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. Francis L. V. Hoppin, Architect, of 244 5th avenue, New York City, be and he hereby is excepted from examination in accordance with Rule XII, clause 6, to prepare plans and specifications for and superintend the construction of station house buildings for the eighth and eighteenth precincts; the total compensation to approximate \$15,425.

On motion, it was resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Messrs. Hazzard, Erskine & Blagden, Architects, of 437 5th avenue, New York City, be and they hereby are excepted from examination, in accordance with the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII, to be employed in the Police Department to prepare plans and specifications for and superintend the construction of a station house building for a new precinct in The Bronx on the east side of Simpson street, near 167th street, the total compensation to approximate \$8,100.

On motion, it was resolved, that the following resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, adopted August 16, 1911:

"Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the limitation of compensation (\$750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule XII, be and the same hereby is waived in so far as it applies to the case of Mr. Thomas B. Fielders, now serving as Expert Statistical Clerk in the Armory Board, and his total compensation is hereby fixed at an amount not to exceed \$900."

—be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the limitation of compensation (\$750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule XII, be and the same hereby is waived in so far as it applies to Thomas B. Fielders, now serving as Expert Statistical Clerk in the Armory Board, and his total compensation is hereby fixed at an amount not to exceed \$1,200.

The following matters, not on the Calendar, were considered by unanimous consent:

Report of the Chief Examiner, dated November 4, relative to the request of the Comptroller that an examination be held for Adding and Billing Machine Operators (Male and Female), recommending that certification be made from the list of Typewriter Accountant before ordering the requested examination. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 4, relative to the protest of Michael C. Donovan against the holding of an examination for promotion from Third to Fourth Grade Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens, and stating that the protest was without merit. Report ordered filed.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 6, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning that the name of Patrick McSorley, a Driver in his Department, be restored to the promotion list for Assistant Stable Foreman, on which it had appeared up to the time of his dismissal on August 2, 1910; and recommending, in view of the fact that Mr. McSorley had been reinstated in the Department on December 27, 1910, that the request be granted. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 4, relative to the request of the Comptroller, under date of October 26, for approval of the promotion of William P. Dawson, a Clerk in the Awards Division, from \$2,250 to \$2,650 per annum without examination, and recommending that the request be granted under Rule XV, paragraph 23. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 3, relative to the proposed promotion of John Collins, a Messenger in the office of the City Paymaster, Department of Finance, from the First to the Second Grade (\$1,050 to \$1,200 per annum), and recommending that the promotion be allowed, without further examination, under the provisions of Rule XV, paragraph 23. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 6, relative to a communication from the Fire Commissioner, stating that, pursuant to chapter 899 of the Laws of 1911, certain changes had been made in his Department; and recommending corresponding changes in the titles of various promotion examinations ordered at a meeting of the Commission held October 11. Recommendation adopted.

Reports (4) of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 6, recommending that the following promotion examinations be held in accordance with the requests of the several Departments:

Department of Finance.

From Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV, paragraph 8a).

College of The City of New York.

From Second to Third Grade Clerk and from Second to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Rule XV, paragraph 8a).

Department of Street Cleaning.

From Sweeper, Driver, Hostler, Stableman, Dump Boardman and Scowman to Assistant Dump Inspector (Rule XV, paragraph 17).

Department of Taxes and Assessments.

From Second to Third Grade Clerk, in all Boroughs, excepting Brooklyn (Rule XV, paragraph 8a).

From Third to Fourth Grade Clerk, all Boroughs (Rule XV, paragraph 8a).

Recommendation Adopted.

Report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 3, relative to his investigation of the statements made in their experience papers by the second group of ten candidates on the eligible list for the position of Clerk, Card Indexer. Approved.

Supplemental report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 2, relative to his investigation of the statements made in their experience papers by the twenty candidates whose names stood at the head of the eligible list for Nurse's Assistant. Approved.

Report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated October 24, relative to the statements made in their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names stood at the head of the eligible list for Assistant Superintendent of Docks, and recommending that the list be promulgated. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Assistant Superintendent of Docks be and the same hereby is promulgated.

Report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 3, relative to his investigation of the statements made in their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names stood at the head of the eligible list for Inspector of Iron and Steel, and recommending that the list be promulgated. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for the position of Inspector of Iron and Steel be and the same hereby is promulgated.

Report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 3, relative to his investigation of the statements made in their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names stood at the head of the eligible list of Mechanical Engineer, and recommending that the list be promulgated. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for the position of Mechanical Engineer be and the same hereby is promulgated.

Report of the Record Clerk, dated November 2, stating that Beatrice E. Duffy, of 331 E. 58th street, Manhattan, who had been appointed as Telephone Operator in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and had afterwards resigned, had failed to produce proof of the date of her birth, although requested to do so several times. Secretary directed to mark Miss Duffy not qualified on the eligible list, pending the production of satisfactory proof as to the date of her birth.

In the matter of Giuseppe Mazzeo, Court Attendant in the City Magistrates' Court, First Division, the President was authorized to communicate with the Chief City Magistrate of the First Division and request that the appointment of Giuseppe Mazzeo be canceled, it appearing from an investigation of his case that Mr. Mazzeo had perpetrated a fraud in his examination.

Communication from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated

November 3, stating that at a meeting of that Board held October 31, the following resolutions of the Municipal Commission had been approved:

1. Amending the third paragraph of subdivision 1 of Rule XI. (Certification and Appointment).
 2. Striking from the Non-competitive Class, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Street Cleaning, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," the following: "Scowman, \$2.50 per day," and including in Part 2 of the Labor Class the title "Scowman."
 3. Excepting from examination, under Rule XII, clause 6, Mr. William R. Copeland, to be employed by the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission as Chemist, at a compensation not to exceed \$3,500.
 4. Waiving limitation of compensation (\$750) in the employment of the Harris Laboratories by the Dock Department, and fixing the total compensation at \$1,500.
 5. Waiving the limitation of compensation (\$750) in the case of Robert Kenny, G. S. Davis and F. C. Ryder, temporary Expert Accountants in the Department of Finance, and fixing the total compensation at \$1,500 in each case.
 6. Waiving the limitation of compensation fixed by paragraph 6 of Rule XII. in the case of Mr. Everett Stewart, Expert Investigator, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and fixing total compensation at \$1,750.
 7. Waiving the limitation of compensation fixed by paragraph 6 of Rule XII. in the case of Dr. Louis V. Dublin, Expert Statistician, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and fixing the total compensation at \$2,450.
 8. Waiving the limitation of compensation fixed by paragraph 6 of Rule XII. in the case of Mr. S. Harold Smith, Expert Accountant in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and fixing the total compensation at \$1,500.
 9. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Professor Edward C. Elliott, to be employed as Expert Examiner by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a compensation not to exceed \$2,200.
 10. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Charles G. Armstrong, to be employed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to conduct an expert inspection and to report upon the mechanical equipment of a typical number of school buildings, etc., at a compensation not to exceed \$3,000.
 11. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr. Frank M. McMurry, to be employed as Educational Expert by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,800.
 12. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr. Herman Schneider, to be employed as Educational Expert by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,000.
 13. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Frank W. Ballou, to be employed as Educational Expert by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,000.
 14. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr. Jesse D. Burks, to be employed as Educational Expert by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,200.
 15. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Robert B. Morse, to be employed as Assistant Sanitary Engineer in the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission for a period of one year, provided that his total compensation shall not exceed \$3,000.
 16. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. William B. Goentner, Assistant Engineer, to be employed in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in connection with the remodeling of the distribution system, provided that his total compensation shall not exceed \$2,550.
 17. Amending the classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Mayor's Office," the following: "Confidential Stenographer."
 18. Amending the classification by striking from the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Parks," the line "Stenographer to the Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens," and substituting therefor the following: "Stenographer to the Commissioner, Brooklyn; Stenographer to the Commissioner, Queens."
 19. Amending paragraph 22 of Rule XV.
 20. Waiving the limitation of compensation fixed by clause 6 of Rule XII., in so far as it applies to Mr. John H. Dwyer, now serving as Expert Accountant in the Department of Finance.
 21. Excepting Messrs. J. W. Millard & Bro., Naval Architects, from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII., to render service in the Fire Department in connection with the construction and equipment of a new fireboat, at a compensation to approximate \$5,953, or 5 per cent. of the estimated cost of the work.
 22. Amending the classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Bureau of Public Works in each Borough," the following: "Consulting Engineer of Sewers, Manhattan."
- and that the following resolutions had been ordered continued on the calendar:
- Amending the classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part 5 (the Legal Service), the title "Librarian, City Court."
- Excepting from examination Herbert Hawkins, to be employed as Expert Accountant in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for two years, at \$3,000 per annum.
- Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Marvyn Scudder and Mr. Arthur E. Demeritt, to render expert services to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the inquiry into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education; provided that the total compensation shall not exceed \$4,000 in the case of Mr. Scudder, and \$2,000 in the case of Mr. Demeritt.
- Amending the classification by striking from the Competitive Class, Part 1, group 2, the title "Supervising Nurse," and, second, by including in the Non-competitive Class the following: "Supervising Nurse, \$750 per annum," under the heading "Positions in the Department of Public Charities (with maintenance)."
- Amending the classification by striking from the Exempt Class, under the heading "Coroners," the line "Replevin Clerk in each Borough office."
- The communication was ordered filed.
- Request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated October 31, for approval of the reassignment of Dr. Morton F. Hall, Pathologist, and stating that his absence from August 2 to October 4 had been caused by illness. Granted.
- Request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated November 6, for authority to employ Dr. C. A. Holmes as Assistant Alienist, under the provisions of paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII. Granted.
- Request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated October 24, transmitting vouchers in favor of the following-named persons for services as Nurses:
- William Marquette, \$18; Matthew E. Egan, \$9; Mary Fleming, \$6; Helen J. McAteer, \$3; Irene Coolis, \$3.
- Approved under paragraph 8 of Rule XII.
- Request of the Board of Water Supply, dated November 3, for approval of the emergency appointment of John Berg, of 860 Hunts Point, The Bronx, as Inspector, with compensation at the rate of \$120 per month (\$130 when working in shaft or tunnel), for a period of fifteen days. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.
- Request of the Board of Water Supply, dated October 31, for approval of a voucher, amounting to \$38.30, in favor of the Builders' Iron Foundry, for services during the month of June, in adjusting and checking the venturi meter. Approved under paragraph 6 of Rule XII.
- Communication from the Secretary of the Department of Correction, dated November 4, stating that Mrs. Bridget McCarthy, the only person on the preferred list of Matron, had declined appointment on account of ill health, and requesting that another certification be made for Matron, at \$500 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to certify twelve names from the appropriate preferred list of Attendant.
- Request of the President of the Board of Education, dated October 30, for approval of the following vouchers:
- January 25 to 31, 1911—Charles Langford, Caretaker, New York Parental School, \$7.90.
- January 25 to 31, 1911—Mrs. Ada Langford, Caretaker, New York Parental School, \$7.90.
- Seventy Hours in May, 1911—Henry W. Jameson, reimbursement of money expended for services of Edith P. Tanzer (Stenographer), \$17.50.
- July 13 to 31, 1908—John McMurray, Coal Heaver, \$12.58.
- The Secretary was directed to certify that Mr. and Mrs. Langford and John McMurray had been appointed and employed in pursuance of law and the rules made

in pursuance of law, and the voucher in favor of Henry W. Jameson was approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

Request of the Fire Commissioner, dated November 1, that the name of John D. Zaiser be recertified for appointment as Fireman in the uniformed force of his Department. Granted, it appearing from a report of the Chief of the Bureau of Physical Examinations that he had re-examined the candidate and found him to be physically fit for the duties of the position.

Request of the Executive Secretary to the Mayor, dated October 30, for approval of the temporary employment of Mrs. Jeanne B. Marion, of 124 E. 23d street, Manhattan, as Stenographer and Typewriter, from October 1 to 31, at the rate of \$175 per month. Approved under Rule XII, clause 6.

Communication from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 2, stating that he had rescinded his action of November 5, 1910, in removing Charles C. Vanderburg, Attendant, at \$900 per annum, in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. Action noted on records.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, for authority to employ Michael A. Bickar, of 391 7th avenue, as Inspector, with compensation at the rate of \$750 per annum, under the provisions of paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII. Granted.

Request of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated October 18, for approval of the reassignment of Herman Mason, Computer in the Topographical Bureau, at the expiration of a three months' leave of absence on account of illness. Granted.

Request of the President of the Borough of Queens, dated October 24, for authority to employ Dr. Samuel E. Wright, of 18 Madison avenue, Flushing, L. I., as Veterinarian in his Department from time to time. Approved under paragraph 6 of Rule XII., the total compensation not to exceed \$750.

Request of the President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 3, for authority to employ James Parenti as Automobile Engineman, under the provisions of paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII. Granted.

Request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated October 30, for approval of a voucher in favor of the Remington Typewriter Company for the emergency services of Howard C. Kelly, as Stenographer and Typewriter from October 2 to 14, amounting to \$36.67. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

Request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 2, for approval of a voucher in favor of Miss M. S. Lynch, Stenographer and Typewriter, from July 31 to August 11. Approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

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

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, October 20, 20, 20, 23, 23 and November 1.

Department of Correction, October 31, 31.

Department of Education, November 1.

Department of Health, November 4.

Department of Public Charities, October 31, November 8.

Request of Diadato Villamena that his change of address from 25 East 15th street, College Point, to 355 East 116th street, Manhattan, be noted on the eligible list of Interpreter (Italian). Granted.

Request of Percy R. Marvin that his change of address from 214 West 105th street, Manhattan, to 15 4th avenue, Brooklyn, be noted on the eligible list of Court Stenographer, Fourth Grade. Granted.

Requests of the following-named persons for permission to amend their statements as to date of birth to conform with the proof submitted:

James J. Kilduff, 576 Grand street, New York City, Temporary Clerk.

Thomas F. McGrath, 11 Hicks street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Temporary Clerk.

Claude Ballard, 638 5th avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., Temporary Clerk.

Granted.

Application of John Woodward Walther for the position of Medical Inspector, Accepted, he having produced a copy of the certificate of naturalization of his father.

Requests of Gasper C. Wiseman, of 889 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, and Joseph Burns, Jr., of 55 Newell street, Brooklyn, dated October 24, that they be admitted to the examination for Automobile Engineman. Denied, for the reason that they did not possess the necessary license.

A communication was presented from Frank G. Rinn, of 125 West 97th street, New York City, requesting that his name be removed from the disqualified list. The Secretary was instructed to summon Mr. Rinn before the Commission on Wednesday, November 15, relative to his request.

Request of the following-named persons for restoration to the eligible lists specified:

Carolyn L. Dunham, 245 West 14th street, New York City, Nurse; stated that owing to absence from City she did not receive notice from the Department of Health (October 18, 1911).

James F. Mullen, 938 Pacific street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Attendant, preferred; stated that owing to temporary inability he could not accept position in the Health Department (July 31, 1911).

Victor Weintraub, 107 West 117th street, New York City, Inspector, Board of Water Supply; stated that owing to change of address he did not receive notice from Board of Water Supply (April 29, 1911).

Abraham Pruzan, 236 Madison street, New York City, Clerk Second Grade, for temporary work; stated that he did not receive notice from the Department of Finance (October 4, 1911).

William W. Hala, 324 East 72d street, New York City, Pathologist; statement of Department of Public Charities that he failed to reply to notice sent him (August 25, 1911), incorrect.

Stephen J. Masters, 255 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sergeant on Aqueduct; stated that he did not receive notice of appointment as Patrolman-on-Aqueduct (April 25, 1911).

Frank J. Guilfoyle, 50 East 129th street, New York City, Clerk, Second Grade, for temporary work; stated that owing to absence from City he did not receive notice from the Department of Finance (October 4, 1911).

Granted.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, November 15, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Meeting Held Wednesday, November 15, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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

The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Mayor's Office," the following: Confidential Inspector of Weights and Measures. John L. Walsh, Commissioner of Weights and Measures, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. Robert W. Belcher, representing the Civil Service Reform Association, appeared in opposition.

Charles B. Gaffney, of 225 East 53d street, appeared to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, by reason of the fact that he was not a resident of the State of New York.

John Cooney, of 91 Ackroyd avenue, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, appeared relative to his request that he be given a non-competitive examination for the position of Stationary Engineer in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, under chapter 142 of the Laws of 1908.

Frank C. Rinn, of 125 West 97th street, appeared relative to his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list.

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meeting held November 8 were approved.

The President stated that, in his opinion, the head of each Department was entitled to at least one confidential assistant. On motion it was

Resolved, That the classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the exempt class, under the heading, "Mayor's Office," the following: Confidential Inspector of Weights and Measures.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the name of Charles B. Gaffney be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, under the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII.

On motion, the request of John Cooney that he be granted a special examination under the provisions of chapter 142 of the Laws of 1908 to qualify him for employ-

ment as Stationary Engineer in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, was denied for lack of power.

On motion, the request of Frank G. Rinn that his name be removed from the disqualified list was denied.

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

Richard H. Murphy, Foreman of Laborers, \$4 per diem, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, to the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Benjamin S. Wever, Assistant Engineer, \$3,000 per annum, Board of Water Supply, to a similar position at \$3,500 per annum in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.

Charles B. Grant, Clerk, \$900 per annum, Board of Water Supply, to the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

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

George R. Hilty, Accountant, \$1,500 per annum, Office of the Commissioner of Accounts, to Chief Clerk, \$2,100 per annum, Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, there being a preferred list in existence for Fourth Grade Clerk.

William W. Porter, Clerk, \$1,050 per annum, Tenement House Department, to a similar position at \$1,350 per annum in the Department of Finance, there being a preferred list in existence.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatement was approved under the provisions of Rule XIII., clause 3:

John A. Conway, Inspector of Supplies, \$1,500 per annum, office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following-named persons were denied, no errors of marking or rating having been shown: Kristian H. Knudson, Morgantown, W. Va., Chemist; William S. Horton, 200 West 100th street, Chemist; Fridolin Ziegler, 1313 Clinton avenue, The Bronx, Marine Engineer; William S. Warren, 2485 Elm place, The Bronx, Instructor of Plumbing; Arthur Traynor, 336 East 156th street, Patrolman; Samuel H. Clarke, 1318 57th street, Brooklyn, Patrolman; Louis Baker, 212 West 115th street, Patrolman; Michael J. Mulvey, 393 Kosiusko street, Brooklyn, Patrolman; Edgar Dahlgren, 491 Dean street, Brooklyn, promotion to Foreman of Laborers, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens; William Shute, 130 7th street, Long Island City, promotion to Assistant Section Foreman, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough of Queens; Anthony M. De Luca, 324 Fulton street, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Interpreter (Italian); Francis M. Rossi, 611 Pacific street, Brooklyn, Interpreter (Italian); Joseph Viggiano, 1202 St. Johns place, Brooklyn, Interpreter (Italian); Frank Lembo, 564 Onderdonk avenue, Ridgewood, L. I., Interpreter (Italian); Francis V. Lombardo, 462 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn, Interpreter (Italian); Thomas A. Hayes, 32 East 131st street, Storekeeper, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The following appeals were presented and referred to the Committee on Appeals: James H. Doyle, 725 Madison street, Brooklyn, Mate; Michael J. Mulvey, 393 Kosiusko street, Brooklyn, Patrolman; Nicholas Ryan, 100 4th place, Brooklyn, Marine Engineer; Clifford A. Hahn, 4 Manning street, Providence, R. I., Topographical Draftsman.

The President stated that the following matters had been acted upon by him subsequent to the last meeting of the Commission:

Report of the Chief Examiner, dated November 10, relative to the request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for modifications of three rulings of the Commission, as follows, and recommending that the request should be denied:

That the examination for promotion of Assistant Engineers from Class D to Class E should be by means of the submission of a thesis.

That the Commission should reconsider its action refusing to transfer Inspectors from the Board of Water Supply to the Department of Public Works in Manhattan, at least so far as two incumbents were concerned.

That a modification be made in the age requirement for Inspectors (Public Works), reducing the minimum from 25 to 21.

Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 8, recommending that an examination be held for promotion from Stoker to Stationary Engineer in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough of Richmond, under the provisions of Rule XV., paragraph 17. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 8, recommending that the promotion of Clifford M. Pinkey, Assistant Engineer in the Division of General Administration, office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, from Grade D to Grade E, be approved without further examination under Rule XV., clause 24. Recommendation adopted.

Report of Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of promotions, dated November 9, recommending that the request of the Board of Water Supply under date of November 8, that the examination for promotion to Sergeant on Aqueduct be held on three different dates, be granted. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Labor Clerk, dated November 8, relative to the request of the President of the Borough of Queens for approval of his action in rescinding the dismissal of John Fleischer from the position of Laborer in the Bureau of Highways of his Department. Approved.

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Investigations, dated November 8, recommending that the candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman from No. 125 to No. 142, both inclusive, be marked qualified, except in the following cases, where certification should be withheld pending further investigation: No. 125, Edward M. McGarry, No. 130, Henry A. Eagan; No. 132, Charles B. Gaffney. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Investigations, dated November 9, recommending that Maximer D. Touart, M. D., 248 Audubon avenue, Manhattan, be marked qualified on the eligible list of Bacteriologist. Recommendation adopted.

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Investigations, dated November 9, relative to the physical condition of George Walters, approval of whose reinstatement had been requested by the President of the Borough of Queens, and stating that Mr. Walters was physically unfit to perform the duties of a Laborer. Request denied.

Communication of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 9, re-submitting his report (C-45) on the experience papers of the ten candidates whose names stood at the head of the list for Assistant Electrical Engineer, which had been returned by the President for further investigation of the experience paper of Christopher Peterson. Report ordered filed.

Preliminary report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 9, in relation to an anonymous complaint against Abraham Solomon, a candidate in the examination for Patrolman-on-Aqueduct, and stating that as the candidate was not within the zone of early appointment, he would continue the investigation and submit a complete report at a later date. Report ordered filed.

Supplemental report of Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 9, of his investigation of the statements made on their experience papers by the candidates whose names stood on the eligible list of Veterinarian. Report ordered filed.

Supplemental report of Mr. Leonard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated November 9, of his investigation of the statements made on their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names stood at the head of the eligible list of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct. The Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification appearing against the name of George H. MacClary (No. 7), and the report was ordered filed.

Report of Mr. M. C. Ihlseng, Examiner, dated November 3, recommending the following subjects and weights for the examination for Inspector of Plastering: Experience, 6; duties, 4, with a preliminary physical test; and stating that the only form of practical test which occurred to the Examiner was that of inspecting work done by others, unless the Superintendent of Buildings could suggest a better scheme. Recommendations adopted.

Report of Mr. M. C. Ihlseng, Examiner, dated November 8, relative to the request of the Department of Health for authority to employ Walter John Winship, under the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII., as an expert to supervise the work of filling in and draining certain marsh lands in the City, with a view to their destruction as mosquito breeding places. The report stated that the work to be performed did not involve any technical knowledge, nor was the position one of peculiar, expert or technical responsibility, and that it might be filled by any Civil Engineer, or by any person of conscientious, well balanced judgment. Request denied.

Communication from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated November 9, stating that at a meeting held on November 6 the following resolutions of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York had been approved.

Including in the competitive class (Part V., the Legal Service) the title "Librarian, City Court."

Striking from the competitive class (Part I., group 2) the title "Supervising Nurse," and including in the non-competitive class, under the heading, "Positions in the Department of Public Charities, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below" (with maintenance), the following: Supervising Nurse, \$750 per annum.

Communication ordered filed.

Reports of the Departmental Board of Examiners for positions in the non-competitive class of the Department of Correction, dated November 2 and 9. Approved.

Request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated November 9, that the date of resignation of John Cummins, Gardener, be changed on the records of the Commission from October 27 to October 31. Granted.

Request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 8, for approval of his action in rescinding the dismissal of Samuel H. Wilensky from the position of Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption on October 25, 1910, and accepting his resignation as of that date. Approved.

Request of the Board of Water Supply, dated November 8, for approval of their action in rescinding the dismissal on May 29, 1911, of Frank J. Farnan, Patrolman-on-Aqueduct. Approved.

Communication from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated November 11, stating that on September 22 the action of the Committee on the Care of Buildings in accepting the resignation of Edward Bolman, Janitor of Public School No. 18, Brooklyn, had been rescinded. The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 8, for authority to employ Messrs. Dow & Smith, under the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII., as Experts in the preparation of standard specifications for asphalt and asphalt block pavements, at a compensation not to exceed \$50. Approved.

Request of the Superintendent of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, dated November 3, for authority to employ Mr. Frank Martin as Brass Band Instructor, in place of Mr. Emil Richardt, who had been given a leave of absence, on account of illness. Approved (Rule XII., clause 6).

Request of the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated October 13, for approval of the emergency appointment of William J. Power, 1387 Herkimer street, Brooklyn, as Telephone Operator, at a compensation of \$75 a month, under the provisions of Rule XII., clause 4. Granted.

Request of the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated November 9, for authority to temporarily appoint Thomas R. Hadley, 272 Martense street, Brooklyn, and Emmett H. Lane, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, as Inspectors of Electric Lighting and Conductors, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum. Approved (Rule XII., clauses 3 and 4).

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 13, that the following-named persons be included in the non-competitive examinations for provisional appointment to the position of Inspector (Public Works), grades 2 and 3, to be held for that Department:

Albert Birch, 103 Park place, Brooklyn; Murray Quinn, Bretton Hall, 85th street and Broadway; Edward Mason, 424 Sherman street, Long Island City; Edward Schaarf, 1623 1st avenue; Richard Durrett, 73 West 89th street.

Approved (Rule XII., paragraph 3).

Request of Mr. J. W. F. Bennett, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated October 17, for approval of the emergency appointment of George Matthews, 1383 1st avenue, as Stationary Engineer, at a compensation of \$4.50 a day. Approved (Rule XII., paragraph 4).

Letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 10, stating, with reference to the reassignment to duty of Edward P. Lippincott, Clerk in the Bureau of Highways, on October 10, that Mr. Lippincott had been unable to perform any duty on account of illness; that he had reported at the office on October 10 and worked for a few days, when he was compelled again to give up. Approved.

Letter from the President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 13, stating that, pursuant to the provisions of Rule XV., section 21, he had designated the following-named persons as a Board of Promotions for that Department: Denis O'Leary, Commissioner of Public Works; Leonard C. L. Smith, Consulting Engineer; David W. Murphy, Chief Clerk and Acting Secretary. Approved.

Communication from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 9, stating, with reference to the eligible list of Marine Engineer, certified on October 27, from which to make a temporary appointment for two weeks, that by the time the list was received and the notices sent out, it was so near the end of the period for which James B. Lynk's employment had been authorized (Rule XII., clause 3), that his services were continued until November 6. Approved.

Request of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, dated November 6, for the certifications of additional names from the list of Topographical Draftsman from which to make temporary appointments to fill the places of the persons whose provisional appointments under Rule XII., clause 3, had terminated on the establishment of the eligible list. Approved.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated November 8, for the certification of additional names from the list of Topographical Draftsman from which to make three appointments to fill the places of the persons whose employment had been authorized under Rule XII., clause 3. Approved.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated November 9, for approval of vouchers in the amount of \$70 and \$1.50, respectively, for services of the Vienna Window Cleaning Company, for cleaning windows throughout the Department building and at the milk station 209 Stanton street. Approved.

Request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated November 10, for approval of a voucher in the amount of \$15.50, in favor of the Underwood Typewriting Company, for services in typewriting the monthly reports of the Department. Approved.

Request of the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated November 3, for approval of vouchers for the services of Minnie L. Whiting and Fred Mason as Special Nurses, amounting to \$12 and \$3, respectively. Approved.

Request of the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, dated October 26, for approval of vouchers in payment of Samuel Meratchnik and Hugh C. Seward as Special Interpreters, amounting to \$9 and \$3, respectively. Approved.

Request of the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated November 10, for approval of a voucher in favor of J. Schnurmacher, amounting to \$4, for services as Veterinarian. Approved.

Request of John A. Casey, 136 E. 96th street, an applicant for the position of Automobile Engineman, that he should be accorded a hearing to establish his identity on account of a change of name. Approved.

Request of Carl O. Strenge, 155 South 11th street, Newark, N. J., that the requirement of residence in the State of New York be waived in his case, and that he be permitted to compete in the examination for Inspector (Public Works). Denied.

Request of Jalo Lehti, 729 43d street, Brooklyn, that his application for Assistant Fire Marshal be accepted. Denied, the applicant having failed to establish citizenship.

Requests of the following named persons that their names be restored to the eligible lists specified: William Moran, 10 Pearson street, Long Island City, Clerk, First Grade; declined appointment in the Board of Water Supply, November 17, 1911, on account of illness; granted. Edna M. Elliott, 270 West 123d street, Manhattan; Stenographer and Typewriter (second and third grades); stated that she was unable to accept appointment, when offered by the Department of Health (October 26, 1911) as there was not sufficient time allowed to notify her employers; granted. Katherine F. Curtin, 259 Cumberland street, Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter (second and third grades); stated that she was out of the city when notified by the Department of Education (February 16, 1911); granted. Louis C. Kane, 110 Fort Greene place, Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter (second and third grades), for temporary work; stated that he was employed by the Bayonne City democratic committee when notified by the President of the Borough of Queens to report (September 20, 1911); granted.

Request of Mrs. Wilhelmina Calder, 540 West 160th street, that her name be restored to the list of Nurse's Assistant. Denied.

Request of Harry Barrow, 105 Ames street, Brooklyn, that his name be restored to the list of Instructor of Plumbing. Denied.

The action of the President was approved.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Secretary proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Inspector of Electric Lighting and Conductors, grade 2.

The following matters, not on the calendar, were considered by unanimous consent:

Report of the Chief Examiner, dated November 6, with reference to the protest of Alfred J. Talley, Esq., attorney and counsellor at law, against the recent examination for Italian Interpreter. The report was ordered filed.

Report of the Assistant Chief Examiner in charge of Promotions, dated November 4, recommending that Rule XV., clause 24, be amended to read as follows:

"Any person in the competitive service who shall have obtained his position as the result of an examination either for appointment or promotion covering in its scope a higher grade or compensation than that of the position he holds, provided there is not more than one other person in the same grade, and if not otherwise disqualified, shall be eligible for promotion or advancement to such higher grade or compensation without further examination under this rule, provided he has actually served at least one year in the Bureau or other subdivision of the Department in which the promotion is to be made."

The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment in accordance with Rule III.

Request of the Board of Water Supply, dated November 13, for approval of the emergency appointment of John Berg, 860 Hunts Point road, The Bronx, as Inspector, for an additional period of fifteen days. Granted (Rule XII., 4).

Request of Samuel Bachman, 141 E. 114th street (care Rashbo), that his name be restored to the eligible list of Mechanical Draftsman (Electrical). Stated that he had not received the notice of the Board of Education, for the reason that he had changed his address. Granted.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the request of James T. J. Daly, 176 East 78th street, Manhattan, that his name be removed from the disqualified list be and the same hereby is granted. The Commission then adjourned, subject to the call of the Chair.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Special Meeting, Held on Thursday, November 16, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Rules, by adding to Rule XIX., clause 11, the following:

"In a case of extraordinary emergency involving the public welfare, and where the appropriate eligible lists are exhausted, the Commission may authorize the extension of such employment, but the reasons therefor, with the full particulars thereof, must be stated in its minutes."

There was no opposition.

After the Commission had gone into regular session, it was

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Rules be and the same hereby are amended by adding to Rule XIX., clause 11, the following:

"In a case of extraordinary emergency involving the public welfare, and where the appropriate eligible lists are exhausted, the Commission may authorize the extension of such employment, but the reasons therefor, with the full particulars thereof, must be stated in its minutes."

On motion, it was

Resolved, That under the foregoing amendment of the Civil Service Rules the Department of Street Cleaning be and hereby is authorized to continue the employment of temporary Drivers until further action by the Commission or until their places are filled from regular lists. The reason for this action by the Commission, is that an extraordinary emergency affecting the public welfare has existed for a number of days, and still exists, in consequence of the concerted refusal to work of a majority of the Drivers in the Department of Street Cleaning, which has created a condition perilous to the public health and safety.

Morris B. Simon, 855 Home street, Borough of The Bronx, appeared before the Commission as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII. At the conclusion of the hearing, it was

Resolved, That the Commission unanimously strikes the name of Morris B. Simon from the eligible list of Patrolman for making a false statement to the Commission, and for notoriously disgraceful conduct.

The President stated, with respect to the examination for promotion to Fourth Grade Medical Inspector, in the Department of Health (Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn), that a communication had been received from the Department of Health, under date of November 15, as follows:

"FRANK A. SPENCER, Esq., Secretary, Municipal Civil Service Commission:

"Sir—In reply to your inquiry of the 13th instant relative to the filing of additional applications for examination for the promotion of Fourth Grade Medical Inspector, Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn, I beg to advise you that the blank applications forwarded by the Municipal Civil Service Commission to this Department some time since, were sent to the Medical Inspectors in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn, and but one of them filed his application, due to the fact that each of the others eligible for the examination forwarded waivers to the Municipal Civil Service Commission. It is presumed that the one who has filed his application will be the only one who will take the examination."

"Very truly yours,

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary."

After careful consideration of the matter, it was

Resolved, That the examination for promotion to Fourth Grade Medical Inspector in the Department of Health (Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn), be and the same hereby is canceled, it appearing that an effective list cannot be established through such an examination; and the President is requested to communicate with the Department of Health and state that the position of Fourth Grade Medical Inspector in the Division of Contagious Diseases, Borough of Brooklyn, if filled at all, must be filled from the competitive eligible list now in course of preparation.

The Commission then adjourned, subject to the call of the Chair.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending November 18, 1911.

Central Park of 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.

BAROMETER.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean for the day.	Maximum.	Minimum.
November	Reduced to Freezing	Reduced to Freezing	Reduced to Freezing	Reduced to Freezing	Reduced to Freezing	Reduced to Freezing
Sunday, 12	29.852	29.873	29.828	29.884	29.938	29.452
Monday, 13	30.030	30.132	30.286	30.149	30.315	29.827
Tuesday, 14	30.341	30.185	29.961	30.162	30.362	29.928
Wednesday, 15	29.636	29.566	29.618	29.603	29.927	29.541
Thursday, 16	29.732	29.985	30.126	29.948	30.133	29.625
Friday, 17	30.149	30.042	29.859	30.017	30.159	29.824
Saturday, 18	29.448	29.271	29.422	29.380	29.802	29.221

Mean for the week 29.849 inches
Maximum " " at 9.00 a. m., November 14 30.362
Minimum " " at 10.00 a. m., November 18 29.221
Range " " 1.141

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.
November	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 12	61	58	69	62	37	57	70
Monday, 13	26	23	32	26	24	29	33
Tuesday, 14	26	22	35	30	32	31	37
Wednesday, 15	37	36	43	38	42	37	44
Thursday, 16	36	30	37	31	30	25	34
Friday, 17	28	23	39	33	43	36	7
Saturday, 18	50	48	45	38	42	37	45

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week 39.4 degrees 34.6 degrees
Maximum " " at 12.30 p. m., Nov. 12 70. " at 1.00 p. m., Nov. 12 62.
Minimum " " at 5.00 a. m., Nov. 14 25. " at 5.00 a. m., Nov. 14 21.
Range " " 45. " 41.

WIND.

DATE.		Direction.			Velocity in Miles.				Force in Pounds per Square Foot.					
November		7 a.m.	2 p.m.	9 p.m.	9 p.m. 7 a.m.	7 a.m. 2 p.m.	2 p.m. 9 p.m.	Distance for the Day.	7 a.m.	2 p.m.	9 p.m.	Max.	Time.	
Sunday,	12	SSW	S	WNW	56	74	110	240	0	2	0	8	7.10 p.m.	
Monday,	13	WNW	WNW	WNW	166	119	72	357	2	3/4	0	6 1/2	10.10 a.m.	
Tuesday,	14	NW	S	N	80	26	41	147	0	1/4	0	1 1/2	1.45 p.m.	
Wednesday,	15	WSW	WNW	W	34	83	70	187	0	3/4	3/4	3	10.50 a.m.	
Thursday,	16	NW	WNW	WNW	114	120	107	341	1 1/2	2	0	6	1.20 p.m.	
Friday,	17	W	WNW	SSW	80	87	28	145	0	0	0	1	1.25 a.m.	
Saturday,	18	NW	W	SW	48	81	92	221	0	1	3/4	9	2.50 p.m.	

Distance traveled during the week 1,638 miles
Maximum force during the week 9 pounds

DATE.		Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.		Ozone.					
		Force of Vapor.			Relative Humidity			Clear, 0 Overcast, 10			Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches							
November		7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	0
																		10
Sunday,	12	443	462	142	346	82	65	51	66	10	10	10	5.30 p.m.	9.00 p.m.	3.30	10	..	
Monday,	13	469	472	072	078	63	40	45	49	0	0	0						
Tuesday,	14	472	109	135	112	52	34	80	62	10	10	10	6.20 p.m.	.....	5.40	38	1.0	
Wednesday,	15	199	164	155	173	90	59	58	69	2	10	10	.....	.....	5.00	52	..	
Thursday,	16	098	105	078	094	46	48	46	47	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Friday,	17	066	110	121	099	43	46	43	44	2	10	10	10.15 p.m.	.....	1.45	08	..	
Saturday,	18	309	138	155	201	86	46	58	65	10	8	10	.....	10.15 a.m.	10.15	1.24	..	

Total amount of water for the week 2.32 inch.
Duration for the week 26 hours, 10 minutes.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.
Sunday, November 12	Threatening, mild.	Threatening, Warm.
Monday, " 13	Clear, cold wave.	Clear, cold.
Tuesday, " 14	Overcast, cold.	Overcast, cool.
Wednesday, " 15	Clear, cool, windy.	Overcast, cool.
Thursday, " 16	Clear, cold.	Clear, cool.
Friday, " 17	Clear, cold.	Overcast, cool.
Saturday, " 18	Raining, mild.	Clearing, high winds.

Under the Supervision of the Local Office of the U. S. WEATHER BUREAU.

Borough of Richmond.

Commissioner of Public Works.

Report of the transactions of the office of the President for the week ending November 11, 1911:

Public Moneys Received During Week Ending November 8—Restoring and repaving, Special Fund (fees), \$283.56; sewer inspection and repair, Special Fund (fees), \$15; special security deposits (materials on streets, etc.), \$5; contract security deposits (with bids or estimates), \$160; miscellaneous, \$4.90; total, \$468.46.

Permits Issued—To open street pavement for all purposes, 24; to place building materials on streets, 1; special and miscellaneous, 21; total, 46.

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller—Payroll vouchers, \$9,206.40; contract vouchers, \$43,127.84; open market order vouchers, \$1,237.47; miscellaneous vouchers, \$312.64; total, \$53,884.35.

Contract Awarded—Engineering-Construction, combined sewer in Westervelt ave. and 5th st., etc., November 9, 1911; \$4,550.47; John E. Donovan, Port Richmond, S. I., contractor.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed.

Eight Hours Constitute One Working Day.	Bureau of Highways.		Bureau of Sewers.		Bureau of Street Cleaning.		Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.		Bureau of Engineering.		Total.	
	No. Days.		No. Days.		No. Days.		No. Days.		No. Days.		No. Days.	
	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.	No.	Days.
Foremen	36	238	6	42	11	70	4	28	11	77	68	455
Assistant Foremen....	1	7	..	..	1	7	..	..	..	..	2	14
Laborers	121	617½	8	37	42	293	17	114	35	243	223	1,304½
Laborers (Destructors) ..	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	..	..	..	1	7
Carts	17	84½	2	9½	..	..	..	..	2	9	21	103
Carts (hired).....	..	..	..	..	8	48	..	..	..	..	8	48
Teams	43	198½	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	44	202½
Drivers	1	7	4	28	50	347	1	7	8	56	64	445
Sweepers .....	..	..	..	..	94	646	..	..	..	..	94	646
Hostlers .....	..	..	..	..	13	89	..	..	..	..	13	89
Auto Enginemen.....	..	..	1	7	..	..	..	..	1	7	2	14
Sewer Cleaners.....	..	..	35	167½	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	167½
Janitors .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	21	..	..	3	21
Janitress .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	..	1	7
Female Cleaners.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	42	..	..	6	42
Mechanics .....	..	..	..	..	1	7	2	14	..	..	3	21
Stationary Enginemen.	..	..	..	..	1	7	2	14	..	..	3	21
Stokers .....	..	..	..	..	1	7	4	24	..	..	5	31
Elevatormen .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	14	..	..	2	14
Total	219	1,152½	56	290½	223	1,528	42	285	58	396	598	3,652½

Work Done—Bureau of Highways: Repairing and maintaining roadways, curbs, gutters, bridges, crosswalks, culverts, ditches, etc.

Bureau of Sewers: Cleaning, examining and repairing sewers, basins, manholes, flush tanks, culverts, drains, etc., and miscellaneous work.

Bureau of Street Cleaning: Street sweeping, refuse collection, final disposition, clearing gutters, light macadam repairs, weeding gutters and miscellaneous.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices: Care and maintenance of Borough Hall,

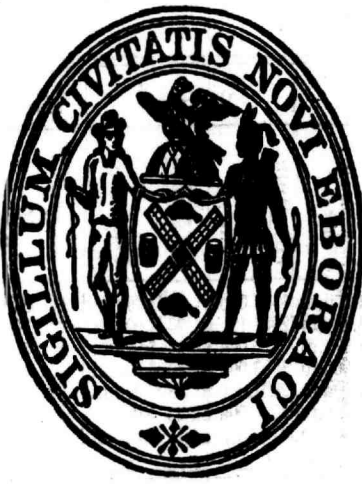
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President's Office, Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City; 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1900 Greenpoint.
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Emanuel Branden, Superintendent of Highways.
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Maybury Fleming, Secretary.
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Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

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Borough of Brooklyn—Office, Rooms 1 and 3, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4004 Main and 4005 Main.
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Borough of Manhattan—Office, Criminal Courts Building, Centre and White streets. Open at all times of the day and night.
Coroners: Israel L. Feinberg, Herman Helenstein, James E. Winterbottom, Herman W. Holtzhauser.
Telephones, 1094, 5057, 5058 Franklin.
Borough of Queens—Office, Town Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.
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Office hours from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m., excepting Sundays and holidays; office open then from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Borough of Richmond—No. 175 Second street, New Brighton. Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.
William H. Jackson, Coroner.
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COUNTY OFFICES.
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COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Thomas Allison, Commissioner.
Frederick P. Simpson, Assistant Commissioner.
Telephone, 241 Worth.

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

COUNTY CLERK.
Nos. 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court House.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
William F. Schneider, County Clerk.
Charles E. Gehring, Deputy.
Wm. B. Selden, Second Deputy.
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Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Building for Criminal Courts, Franklin and Centre streets.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.
Henry D. Sayer, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 3304 Franklin.

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

REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Max S. Grifenhagen, Register.
William Halpin, Deputy Register.
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SHERIFF.
No. 299 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Except during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
John S. Shea, Sheriff.
John B. Cartwright, Under Sheriff.
Telephone, 4984 Worth.

SURROGATES.
Hall of Records. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Saturday, when it closes at 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
John P. Cohalan and Robert L. Fowler, Surrogates; William V. Leary, Chief Clerk.
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KINGS COUNTY.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
5 County Court-house.
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Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Office hours during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1454 Main.

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

COUNTY CLERK.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Henry P. Molloy, County Clerk.
William J. Heffernan, Deputy County Clerk.
Telephone call, 4930 Main.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Brooklyn, Rooms 1, 10, 14, 17, 18, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 p. m. daily and sits until business is completed.
Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10; Part III., Room No. 14; Part IV., Room No. 1.
Court House. Clerk's office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22, open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.
Thomas F. Wogan, Deputy Clerk.
Telephone, 4154 and 4155 Main.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
John F. Clarke, District Attorney.
Telephone number 2954-6-7 Main.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Charles E. Teale, Public Administrator.
Telephone, 2840 Main.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Frederick Lundy, Register.
Owen J. Murphy, Deputy Register.
Telephone, 2830 Main.

SHERIFF.
Temple Bar Building, 186 Rensselaer street, Room 401, Brooklyn, N. Y.
9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Patrick H. Quinn, Sheriff.
John Morrissey Gray, Under Sheriff.
Telephone, 6845, 6846, 6847 Main.

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

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

COUNTY CLERK.
No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.
Office open, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Martin Mager, County Clerk.
Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.
Fred. G. De Witt, District Attorney.
Telephone, 2986 and 2987 Greenpoint.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.
John T. Robinson, Public Administrator, County of Queens.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Telephone, 335 Newtown.

SHERIFF.
County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Thomas M. Quinn, Sheriff.
John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.
Telephone, 2741 and 2742 Greenpoint (office).
Henry O. Schleth, Warden.
Telephone, 372 Greenpoint.

SURROGATE.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.
Office, No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica.
Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
The calendar is called on each week day at 10 a. m., except during the month of August.
Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

RICHMOND COUNTY.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.
Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

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

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1911:
County Court—Sidney Fuller Rawson, County Judge.
First Monday of April, Grand and Trial Jury.
First Monday of October, Grand and Trial Jury.
On Wednesdays of each week at Richmond (except during August) without a Jury.
Surrogate's Court—Sidney Fuller Rawson, Surrogate.
Court days: Mondays, at the Borough Hall, St. George, and Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., on which citations and orders are returnable, except during August, and except on days when jury terms of County Court are held.
Telephones, 235 New Dorp and 1000 Tompkinsville.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.
Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.
Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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

SHERIFF.
County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.
John J. Collins, Sheriff.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

THE COURTS.
APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion day, Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m.
George L. Ingraham, Presiding Justice; Chester B. McLaughlin, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, Francis M. Scott, Nathan L. Miller, Victor J. Dowling, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office opens 9 a. m.
Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.
County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room 16.
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 6.
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. —.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 26.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 27.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. —.
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.
Trial Term, Part XIV., Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XV., Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XVI., Room No. —.
Trial Term, Part XVII., Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 29.
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on mezzanine floor, northeast.
Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motion), Room No. 15.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, ground floor, south.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
Justices—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James Fitzgerald, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Joseph E. Newburger, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzeck, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Leh-

man, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Bijur, John J. Delany, Francis K. Pendleton, Daniel F. Cohalan.
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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. Special Term *ex parte* business.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.
Telephone, 5-60 Main.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
Clerk's Office opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalsky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.
William F. Schneider, Clerk, Supreme Court.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Isaac Franklin Russell, Chief Justice; Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, Joseph F. Moss, Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Morgan M. L. Ryan, James J. McInerney, Arthur C. Salmon and Henry Steinert, Justices. Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.
Part I, Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan, John P. Hilly, Clerk. Telephone, 2092 Franklin.
Part II, County Court House, Room 7, Borough of Brooklyn. This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 189 Jamaica.
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond. This part is held on Wednesdays. Robert Brown, Clerk. Telephone, 49 Tompkinsville.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
New York County—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan. Ernest K. Coulter, Clerk. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.
Kings County—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk. Telephone, 627 Main.
Queens County—No. 19 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk. This court is held on Thursdays.
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Bldg., St. George, S. I. William J. Browne, Clerk. This court is held on Tuesdays. Office open every day (except Sundays and holidays) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. On Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.
First Division.
Court opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate; Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederick Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton, Daniel P. Murphy, John J. Freschi, Francis X. McQuade, City Magistrates.
Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry street. Telephone, 6213 Spring.
First District—Criminal Courts Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—Second avenue and First street.
Fourth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.
Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.
Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth avenue.
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.
Eleventh District—Domestic Relations Court—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.
Second Division.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Otto Kemper, Chief City Magistrate; Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John F. Hyman, Howard P. Nash, Moses J. Harris, Charles J. Dodd, John C. McGuire, Louis H. Reynolds, City Magistrates.
Office of Chief Magistrates, 44 Court street, Rooms 209-214. Telephone, 7411 Main.
William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.
Archibald J. McKinney, Chief Probation Officer.
Courts.
First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Fourth District—No. 6 Lee avenue.
Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat-bush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.
Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.
Domestic Relations Court—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Borough of Queens.
City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph Fitch, Eugene C. Gilroy.
Courts.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.
Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.
Borough of Richmond.
City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.
Courts.

First District—Lafayette avenue, New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second Division—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.
All Courts open daily for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.
Wauhope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.
Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-60 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Additional Part is held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street.
Telephone, 6030 Franklin.
Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.
Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Snitkin, Justices.
James J. Devlin, Clerk.
Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.
Thomas E. Murray, Thomas F. Noonan, Justices.
Michael Skelly, Clerk.
Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.
Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwells Island.
Michael F. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.
Abram Bernard, Clerk.
Location of Court—Part I and Part II, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.
Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.
Alfred F. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.
Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwells Island and excluding any portion of Wards Island.
Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.
Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 4343 Lenox.
Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem River, on a line coterminous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.
Philip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.
John P. Burns, Clerk.
Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randalls Island and the whole of Wards Island.
Joseph P. Fallon and Leopold Prince, Justices.
William J. Kennedy, Clerk.
Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 3950 Harlem.
Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Central Park West, on the east by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue

from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.
Edgar J. Lauer, Frederic De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.
William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street. Parts I and II. Court opens at 9 a. m. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.
Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.
Peter A. Sheil, Justice.
Stephen Collins, Clerk.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.
Telephone, 457 Westchester.
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.
Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Coping First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards, and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets. Parts I and II.
Court-house, northwest corner of State and Court streets. Parts I and II.
Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.
Court-room No. 495 Gates avenue.
John R. Farrar, George Freinfeld, Justices.
Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted. Saturdays 8.45 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest to the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.
Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
Philip D. Meagher and William J. Bogenshutz, Justices. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Court opens at 9 a. m.
Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.
Court-room No. 14 Howard avenue.
Jacob S. Strahl, Justice, Joseph P. McCarthy, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue.
Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue (No. 5220 Third avenue).
Cornelius Furgueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.
Lucien S. Bayliss and W. Seward Shanahan, Justices. William R. Fagan, Clerk.
Court-house, No. 236 Duffield street.
Telephone, 6166-J Main.
Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.

Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8.45 a. m. to 2 p. m. Telephones, 904 and 905 East New York.
Borough of Queens.

First District.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. John F. Cassidy, Clerk.
Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.
Second District.
John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Fridays for jury trials only.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District.
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Huhn, Clerk, 1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for jury trials only), at 9 a. m.
Fourth District.
Court-house, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica. James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.
Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Crimmins, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.
Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 9 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications are being received for the position of
DRIVER, DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
at the office of the Labor Bureau, on the ground floor of the Criminal Courts Building, corner of White and Centre sts., from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Wages, \$800 a year; 25 cents an hour extra for Sunday.
Hours of work, 8. No grooming of horses.
Protection of civil service; pension fund when disabled, after 20 years service, or after age of sixty years.
Applicants must be citizens of the United States and must present their naturalization papers at the time of filing applications.
FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
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BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS

DEPARTMENT OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, NEW YORK CITY, 26TH ST. AND 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance, 415 E. 26th st.), until 3 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911,
FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING THE LAUNDRY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT IN THE NEW LAUNDRY BUILDING OF THE NEW BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, SITUATED AT TWENTY-SIXTH TO TWENTY-NINTH STS., 1ST AVE. TO EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.
The time allowed for doing and completing all the work included under this contract will be not more than one hundred and twenty (120) consecutive calendar days from date of mailing notice that the Comptroller has attached his signature to the contract.
The surety required will be Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000).
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.
Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk, 400 E. 29th st., Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN W. BRENNAN, President, Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.
Dated November 20, 1911. n22,35
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock, noon, on
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911,
CONTRACT NO. 1310—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING RUBBER BUFFERS.
The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 10 calendar days.
The amount of security required is \$1,800.
The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a unit price for furnishing the buffers as called for and a total or aggregate price for furnishing and delivering all of the material called for. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose aggregate price is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.
In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures the price in writing will be considered as the bid.
Delivery will be required to be made at the

time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department. CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks. Dated November 28, 1911. n29,d12

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1911,

CONTRACT NO. 1308—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS MACHINE TOOLS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 30 calendar days.

The amount of security required is as follows: Class 1—Motor driven screw cutting engine lathe, the sum of \$350.

Class 2—Motor driven column crank shaper, the sum of \$350.

Class 3—Motor driven 3½-inch spindle, horizontal boring and drilling machine, the sum of \$1,200.

Class 4—Motor driven 4-inch pipe threading and cutting machine, the sum of \$250.

Class 5—Motor driven bolt cutting machine, the sum of \$250.

Class 6—Motor driven 36-inch by 36-inch metal working planer, the sum of \$1,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price for furnishing the machine, complete as called for in the class upon which a bid is submitted. Each class is a separate and distinct contract in itself, and awards, if made, will be made in each class to the bidder whose price is lowest in the class and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department. CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks. Dated November 24, 1911. n25,d8

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Richmond. CONTRACT NO. 1290—FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING THE PRESENT WOODEN TROLLEY PLATFORM AND BUILDING A NEW PLATFORM IN STEEL AND CONCRETE AND FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ELECTROLIERS, RAILINGS AND ELECTRIC CABLES AT THE ST. GEORGE FERRY TERMINAL, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 240 calendar days. The amount of security required is \$75,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, an aggregate or total price for furnishing all of the labor and material and doing all of the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price is the lowest for doing all of the work called for and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and the one given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department. CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks. Dated November 23, 1911. n24,d7

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ESTABLISHING AND EQUIPPING AN EXTENSION OF THE FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before thirty (30) days.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th street, Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n29,d12

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ESTABLISHING AND EQUIPPING AN EXTENSION OF THE UNDERGROUND FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

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 Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th street, Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n29,d12

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1911,

Borough of The Bronx. No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR AN ENGINE AND A HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BAILEY AVE. AND ALBANY ROAD, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the erection and completion of the building is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The surety required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The contract will be awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Borough of Richmond. No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR AN ENGINE COMPANY ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SARAH ANN AND HANNAH STS., TOMPKINSVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed for the erection and completion of the building is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The surety required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The contract will be awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Borough of Brooklyn. No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR AN ENGINE COMPANY ON EASTFELY SIDE OF 7TH AVE., 75 FEET SOUTH OF 50TH ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the erection and completion of the building is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The surety required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The contract will be awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR AN ENGINE COMPANY AT 528 KNICKERBOCKER AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the erection and completion of the building is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The surety required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The contract will be 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 Hoppin & Koen, architects, 244 5th ave., or at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n27,d11

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE FOR COMPANIES IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

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

2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE FOR COMPANIES IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th st., Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n23,d5

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911,

Borough of The Bronx. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE CO. NO. 61, 1518 WILLIAMSBURGH ROAD (WESTCHESTER); AND ENGINE CO. NO. 70, 169 SCOFIELD STREET (CITY ISLAND).

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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 Fire Department, 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n22,d5

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST 67TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911,

Borough of Manhattan. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING A COMPLETE ELECTRIC LIGHT SYSTEM IN THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE CO. NO. 33, 42 AND 44 GREAT JONES STREET; AND IN THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE CO. NO. 55, 363 BROOME STREET.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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 Fire Department, 157 and 159 E. 67th st., Manhattan. JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. n22,d5

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL IN PARKS AND ON PARKWAYS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be ninety-one days.

The amount of the security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AT PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be 182 days.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH BEEF AND FISH AT THE MENAGERIE, PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be 182 days.

The amount of the security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Manhattan. FOR CONSTRUCTING A PIPE-SEWER AND APPURTENANCES FROM THE TERRACE BRIDGE TO THE OUTLET SEWER FROM THE LAKE, ALL IN CENTRAL PARK.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the work will be fifty consecutive working days.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Plans may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, New York City. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATE WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOPSOIL OR GARDEN MOULD AT SUNSET PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be eighty (80) days.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOPSOIL OR GARDEN MOULD AT FORT GREENE PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be eighty-five (85) days.

The amount of the security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. n24,d7

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1911,

1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH SECOND-HAND GRANITE ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NORTH HENRY ST., FROM GREENPOINT AVE. TO GREENE ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

3,195 square yards second-hand granite pavement with sand joints, 1½ inch maintenance.

210 linear feet of headers furnished and set. The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100).

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 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 at office of Bureau of Highways, Room 12, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn. ALFRED E. STEERS, President. Dated November 27, 1911. d1,13

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN NOstrand AVE., BETWEEN CARROLL AND CROWN STS.; AND IN CROWN ST., BETWEEN NOstrand AND ROGERS AVES.; AND AN OUTLET SEWER IN CROWN ST., BETWEEN NOstrand AND NEW YORK AVES.

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

80 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.40.....

1,750 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70.....

2,250 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....

16 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....

Two (2) 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, \$135.....

17,000 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, \$18.....

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

1,200 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50.....	\$1,800 00
1,620 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.75.....	1,215 00
12 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	600 00
5 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$135.....	675 00
13,000 feet, Board Measure, of foundation and side planking, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, \$25.....	325 00
49 cubic yards of concrete cradle, laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$6.....	294 00

Total..... \$4,909 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 Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN NEW YORK AVE., BETWEEN MONTGOMERY ST. AND MALBONE ST. AND SEWER BASINS ON NEW YORK AVE. AT THE NORTHEAST CORNERS OF CROWN ST. AT THE NORTHEAST CORNERS OF MONTGOMERY ST. AT THE NORTHEAST CORNERS OF MONTGOMERY ST. AT THE NORTHEAST CORNERS OF SULLIVAN ST. AND AT THE NORTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF MALBONE ST.

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

390 linear feet of 30-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$4.....	\$1,560 00
570 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....	456 00
3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45.....	135 00
10 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, \$135.....	1,350 00
2,000 feet, Board Measure, of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, \$25.....	50 00

Total..... \$3,551 00
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN EAST EIGHTH ST. BETWEEN JOHNSON ST. AND CATON PLACE, AND AN OUTLET SEWER IN JOHNSON ST. BETWEEN EAST SEVENTH AND EAST EIGHTH STS.

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

395 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.....	\$790 00
570 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60.....	912 00
560 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70.....	392 00
10 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45.....	450 00
4 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, \$125.....	500 00

Total..... \$3,044 00
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN LAWRENCE AVE., FROM GRAVESEND AVE. TO 3D ST.

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

28 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.80.....	\$50 40
525 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60.....	840 00
570 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80.....	456 00
5 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	250 00

Total..... \$1,596 40
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract, will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN JOHNSON ST. BETWEEN EAST 8TH ST. AND CONEY ISLAND AVE.

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

229 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.40.....	\$320 60
200 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.65.....	130 00
2 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$45.....	90 00
1 (one) sewer basin complete, of	

either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$125..... 125 00
1 (one) sewer basin reconnected complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per reconnection..... 30 00

Total..... \$695 60

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

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF AVENUE H AND EAST 12TH ST.

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

One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hood, and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$220.....	\$220 00
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The time required for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be ten (10) working days.

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

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is 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 this contract, shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, the Borough of Brooklyn, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated November 22, 1911. n23,d6

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BENSON AVE., FROM 20TH AVE. TO 21ST AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

280 cubic yards earth excavation.	
140 cubic yards earth filling, not to be bid for.	

1,250 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.

3,260 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BENSON AVE., FROM 20TH AVE. TO 21ST AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

3,060 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.	
425 cubic yards concrete.	

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

The amount of security required will be Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LINCOLN PLACE, FROM A POINT 660 FEET EAST OF CLASSON AVE. TO FRANKLIN AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

975 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.	
136 cubic yards concrete.	

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PARK PLACE, FROM ROCHESTER AVE. TO SARATOGA AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

10,830 square yards of asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.	
1,500 cubic yards concrete.	

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be forty (40) working days.

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

5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF UNION ST. FROM NOSTRAND AVE. TO NEW YORK AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,750 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.	
385 cubic yards concrete.	

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

The amount of security required will be Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,600).

6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 13TH AVE., FROM 66TH ST. TO 73D ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

6,985 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area, 5 years maintenance.	
465 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area, no maintenance.	

985 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area. 65 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-three Hundred Dollars (\$4,300).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules

herein contained or hereto annexed, per cubic yard, square yard, linear foot 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 at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 12, Municipal Building.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated November 17, 1911. n23,d6

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, HALL OF RECORDS, SEPTEMBER 22, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS REQUIRED

by the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 455 of the Laws of 1911, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond," comprising The City of New York, will be open for public inspection, examination and correction, as follows:

The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real Property will be open from the first day of October, not a Sunday or legal holiday, until the sixteenth day of November, 1911; and The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Personal Estate will be open from the first day in October, not a Sunday or legal holiday, until the first day of December, 1911.

During the time that the books are open for public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Hall of Records, 31 Chambers street.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, Tremont avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Court House square, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.

Applications for the reduction of real estate assessments must be made in writing and should be upon blanks furnished by the Department.

Applications for the correction of the personal assessment of corporations must be filed at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the Borough where such person resides, and in case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

LAWSON PURDY, President; CHAS. J. MCCORMACK, JOHN J. HALLERAN, CHAS. T. WHITE, DANIEL S. McELROY, EDWARD KAUFMANN, JUDSON G. WALL, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments. s23,d1

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF SECTIONAL REMOVABLE ENCLOSURES FOR THE VERANDA AND BALCONY OF THE "FEMALE BLIND PAVILION" AT THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The surety required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated November 28, 1911. n29,d12

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE, BITUMINOUS AND GAS COAL.

The quantities are as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	
1,850 tons egg coal.	
6,000 tons buckwheat coal.	
600 tons pea coal.	
800 tons stove coal.	
7,000 tons bituminous coal.	
400 tons gas coal.	

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

6,000 tons pea coal.	
700 tons stove coal.	

Borough of Richmond.

800 tons egg coal.	
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The time for the performance of the contract is during the months of January, February, March and April, 1912. The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per gross ton,

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.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, November 28, 1911. n29,d12

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING CERTAIN ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE CENTRAL OFFICE, LOCATED ON THE DOCK AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

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 Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated November 23, 1911. n24,d7

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BRICK SHOP BUILDING AT THE NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated November 21, 1911. n22,d5

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEAT, MILK, FISH, POULTRY, BUTTER, EGGS, YEAST, FLOUR, ICE AND VEGETABLES.

The time for the performance of the contract is from January 1, 1912, to June 30, 1912, both dates inclusive.

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

The bidder will state the price per pound, quart or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated November 18, 1911. n20,d1

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before December 12, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

2178. Bay 8th st., between Battery and Croysey ayes.
2180. Bowne st., between Van Brunt and Richard sts.
2181. Carroll st., between Albany ave. and Troy ave.
2183. E. 35th st., between Avenues J and L.
2184. 83d st., between 24th and Stillwell ayes.
2185. 89th st., between 3d and 5th ayes.
2186. Eldert lane, from Atlantic avenue to Liberty ave.
2190. 46th st., from 10th ave. to Fort Hamilton ave.
2191. 52d st., from 13th ave. to 16th ave.
2192. 61st st., between 6th and 7th ayes.
2193. Lott ave., from E. 98th st. to Junius st.; Amboy st. to Bristol st. and Watkins st. to Junius st.
2194. Martense st., between Nostrand and New York ayes.
2197. 97th st., between 4th and Fort Hamilton ayes.
2201. Sheffield ave., between Riverdale ave. and New Lots road.
2202. Starr st., between Irving and Wyckoff ayes.
2205. Winthrop st., between Nostrand and New York ayes.

Borough of Queens.

2206. Crescent st., between Webster ave. and Broadway.
2207. Crescent st., between Jamaica and Newtown ayes.
2208. Ditmars ave., between Steinway ave. and Shore road.
2209. 5th ave., between Jackson and Pierce ayes.
2210. 14th ave., between Newtown road and Grand ave.
2212. Lawrence st., between Walcott ave. and Winthrop ave.
2213. Paynter ave., between Vernon ave. and Sunswick st.
2215. 10th st., between Vernon and Van Alst ayes.
2216. 13th ave., between Jamaica and Grand ayes.

Borough of Richmond.

2217. Lafayette ave., between Hatfield ave. and Hatfield place.
JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.
THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, November 28, 1911. n28,d9

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2129. Paving W. 132d st., from Broadway to 12th ave.
2130. Paving W. 162d st., from Broadway to Fort Washington ave.
2132. Paving W. 164th st., from Broadway to Fort Washington ave.
The area of assessment in the above mentioned lists extends to within half the block at the intersecting streets.

Borough of The Bronx.

2029. Sewer in Brown place, between E. 132d st. and Southern boulevard.
Affecting Block Number 2277.
2054. Sewer in E. 180th st., between Anthony ave. and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.
Affecting Block Number 3156.
2073. Paving, curbing Avenue St. John, from Prospect ave. to Southern boulevard.
2074. Paving, curbing, etc., Kelly st., from Westchester ave. northerly to Intervale ave.
The area of assessment in the above mentioned lists extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting streets.
2076. Receiving basins at the southwest and southeast corners of E. 184th st. and Ryer ave.
Affecting Block Numbers 3151 and 3159.
2083. Receiving basin at the southwest corner of Jackson ave. and E. 160th st.
Affecting Block Numbers 2630, 2637 and 2647.
2095. Receiving basin at the northeast corner of Gouverneur place and Park ave. east.
Affecting Block Number 2388.

Borough of Brooklyn.

1915. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 8th ave., between 40th and 49th sts.
1935. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Sterling place, between Eastern parkway extension and Howard ave.
1950. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 13th ave., between 66th and 75th sts.
1979. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 77th st., between 1st and 2d ayes.
1990. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 53d st., between New Utrecht and 18th ayes.
1991. Regulating, grading to a width of 25 feet on each side of the centre line, curbing and flagging 99th st., from 12th to 13th ave.
1993. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Malta st., from New Lots road (avenue) to Hegenan ave.
2024. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 23d st., from Canarsie Lane to Avenue D.
2027. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Sterling place, between Eastern Parkway extension and East New York ave.
2060. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 43d st., between 10th ave. and West st.
2067. Paving Sutter ave., between Berriman st. and Montauk ave.
2085. Paving E. 26th st., between Clarendon road and Avenue D.
2086. Paving E. 28th st., from Foster ave. to Flatbush ave.
2087. Paving E. 31st st., between Church and Snyder ayes.
2091. Paving 67th st., from 2d ave. to 3d ave.
2112. Paving 76th st., from 2d ave. to 3d ave.
The area of assessment on the above lists extends to within half the block at the intersecting streets.
2037. Sewer in 58th st., between New Utrecht and 14th ayes.
Affecting Block Numbers 5698 and 5705.
2043. Basin at the north corner of Stanhope st. and Cypress ave.
Affecting Block Numbers 25 and 3262; bounded by Cypress ave., Stanhope st., Stockholm st. and Covert ave.
2045. Basins on Atlantic ave. at the northeast corner of Chestnut st.; at the northwest corner of Euclid ave. and the southwest corner of Elderts Lane.
Affecting Block Numbers 4143 and 4175.

Borough of Queens.

2043. Basin at the north corner of Stanhope st. and Cypress ave.
Affecting Block Number 25 in the Second Ward.
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separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.
Blank forms, blue prints, and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of 55th st. and 6th ave., Borough of Manhattan.
ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; ALVAH H. DOTY, M.D., RHINELANDER WALDO, Board of Health.
Dated November 28, 1911. n28,d11
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**Notice to Taxpayers.**

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, 57 CHAMBERS ST. (STEWART BUILDING), MANHATTAN.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS whose taxes for the year 1911 have not been paid before the 1st day of December of the said year, that unless the same shall be paid to the Receiver of Taxes at his office in the Borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, 57 Chambers st.;
Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, corner 3d and Tremont ayes.;
Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8, Municipal Building;
Borough of Queens, Court square, Long Island City;
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George;
—he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the day on which the said taxes became due and payable, viz., October 2, as provided in section 914 of the Charter as amended by chapter 447, Laws of 1908.
December 1, 1911.
FRED. H. E. EBSTEIN, Receiver of Taxes. d1,12

Notices of Sale.**NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF THE BRONX TAX SALE.**

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1911,
at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Coroner's Court Room, Bronx Building, 531 Tremont ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York.
DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Dated November 27, 1911. n28,d11

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911,
at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Arrears office, third floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.
DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Dated November 21, 1911. n22,d12

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

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

Borough of The Bronx.
Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Pleasant avenue, from Gun Hill Road to East 219th street, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1911,

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

Parcel 10—Fence on the west side of Pleasant avenue, 150 feet south of East 213th street. Upset price, \$2.
Parcel 12—Fence on the west side of Pleasant avenue, 50 feet south of East 213th street. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 14—Fence and part of steps north of the northwest corner of Pleasant avenue and East 213th street. Upset price, \$10.
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Parcel 30—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 29. Upset price, \$2.
Parcel 31—Fence on the southwest corner of Pleasant avenue and East 216th street. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 33—Fence on the northwest corner of Pleasant avenue and East 216th street. Upset price, \$10.
Parcel 34—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 33. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 35—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 34. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 36—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 35. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 37—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 36. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 38—Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 37. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 39—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 38. Upset price, \$6.
Parcel 40—Part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 39. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 41—Part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 40. Upset price, \$8.
Parcel 42—Part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 41. Upset price, \$8.
Parcel 43—Part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 42. Upset price, \$8.
Parcel 44—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 43. Upset price, \$10.
Parcel 45—Part of steps of three houses north of and adjoining Parcel 44. Upset price, \$24.
Parcel 48—Fence on the northeast corner of Pleasant avenue and Gun Hill road. Upset price, \$1.
Parcel 49. Fence on the east side of Pleasant avenue, north of and adjoining Parcel 48. Upset price, \$3.
Parcel 50—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 49. Upset price, \$3.
Parcel 51—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 50. Upset price, \$1.
Parcel 52—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 51. Upset price, \$1.
Parcel 53—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 52. Upset price, \$2.
Parcel 54—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 53. Upset price, \$2.
Parcel 55—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 54. Upset price, \$1.
Parcel 57—Fence on the southeast corner of Pleasant avenue and East 213th street. Upset price, \$3.
Parcel 60—Fence on the east side of Pleasant avenue, 100 feet north of East 213th street. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 61—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 60. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 62—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 61. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 63—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 62. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 64—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 63. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 65—Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 64. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 66—Wall and fence north of and adjoining Parcel 65. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 67—Wall north of and adjoining Parcel 66. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 68—Wall north of and adjoining Parcel 67. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 69—Wall and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel 68. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 70—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 69. Upset price, \$10.
Parcel 71—Fence north of and adjoining Parcel 70. Upset price, \$4.
Parcel 72—Wall and fence north of and adjoining Parcel 71. Upset price, \$5.
Parcel 73—Wall and fence north

garding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 28, 1911. dl,18

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

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

Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Burke street (Morris street), from White Plains road to Bronx boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—Part of two and one-half story frame house on the southwest corner of Burke street and Barker avenue. Cut 1.3 feet on front and rear. Upset price, \$25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 16th day of December, 1911, 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 December 16, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars 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, November 25, 1911. n29,d16

CORPORATION SALE BY SEALED BIDS OF THE LEASE OF CERTAIN REAL ESTATE AND APPURTENANCES THERETO.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the Comptroller of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1911,

at 11 a. m., in Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, the lease for a period of five years commencing January 1, 1912, of the premises belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, situated on the northwesterly corner of Delancey and Attorney sts., plot 25 feet by 100 feet, with the improvements thereon, known as 178 Delancey st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

The Comptroller will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said parcel of land and the improvements thereon, for the said period, at the minimum or upset price of \$3,100 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Each bid must be accompanied by cash or certified check for twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental offered; 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 rent paid, with two sufficient sureties 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 the lessee shall make all necessary repairs at his own cost and expense and comply with the rules and regulations of all City departments.

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.

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, November 23, 1911. n28,d15

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

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

Borough of Manhattan.

Being the old Eighteenth Precinct Station House and the adjoining building, which are situated on the plot of ground approximately 50 feet by 90 feet on the southerly side of West 20th st., distant 405.2 feet westerly from the southwest corner of 7th ave. and West 20th st., and known as 230 and 232 West 20th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1911,

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

Parcel No. 1—Four story and basement brick building, 230 West 20th st. Old Eighteenth Precinct Station House.

Parcel No. 2—Three story and basement brick building, 232 West 20th st., and four story brick rear building.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 December 14, 1911," and must be delivered or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 22, 1911. n27,d14

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

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

Borough of Manhattan.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Bennett avenue, from West 181st street to the westerly side of Broadway, opposite Nagle avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1911,

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

Parcel No. 1—Part of one and one-half story frame house on the northwest corner of Bennett avenue and Broadway. Cut 7.2 feet on front by 8.3 feet on rear by 28.5 feet. Upset price, \$20.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 13th day of December, 1911, 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 December 13, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars 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, November 22, 1911. n25,d13

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

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

Borough of The Bronx.

Being certain buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Bronx boulevard, from the northerly line of Gun Hill road to Burke avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 22, 1911, the sale, by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911,

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

Parcel 40—Part of two story frame house on the west side of Bronx boulevard, about 240 feet north of Burke avenue. Cut 5.6 feet on north side by 5.5 feet on south side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 42—Part of two and one-half story frame house on the west side of Bronx boulevard, about 80 feet north of Parcel 40. Cut 4.3 feet on north side by 5.6 feet on south side by 18.2 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 56—Part of two and one-half story frame house and part of one story frame stable on the west side of Bronx boulevard, about 225 feet south of Julianna street. Cut house 7.4 feet on north side by 7.3 feet on south side by 22.2 feet. Cut stable 26 feet on north and south sides by 12.3 feet. Upset price, \$150.

Parcel 62—Part of two story frame building on the northwest corner of Bronx boulevard and Julianna street. Cut 27.2 feet on north side by 26.8 feet on south side by 23.5 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel 65—Part of two story frame house on the east side of Bronx boulevard, about 75 feet north of Burke avenue. Cut 11.8 feet on south side by 11.5 feet on north side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 66—Part of two story frame house on the east side of Bronx boulevard, north of and adjoining Parcel 65. Cut 11.5 feet on south side by 11.2 feet on north side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 67—Part of two story frame house on the east side of Bronx boulevard, north of and adjoining Parcel 66. Cut 11.2 feet on south side by 11.1 feet on north side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 68—Part of two story frame house on the east side of Bronx boulevard, north of and adjoining Parcel 67. Cut 11.1 feet on south side by 11 feet on north side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel 70—Part of one and one-half story frame house on the east side of Bronx boulevard, about 200 feet north of Parcel 68. Cut 11.2 feet on south side by 11 feet on north side by 23.8 feet. Also well house. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel 80—Part of two story frame house on the northeast corner of Bronx boulevard and Julianna street. Cut 9.3 feet on front by 4 feet on rear extension by 40.3 feet. Upset price, \$125.

Parcel 81—Part of two story frame house, with extensions and outhouse, within the lines of Bronx boulevard, near the Bronx River. Cut 8.4 feet on southwest side by corner of rear steps. Upset price, \$100.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 12th day of December, 1911, 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 December 12, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 22, 1911. n24,d12

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

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing on the plot of ground, 80 feet by 100 feet, on the easterly side of Pennsylvania ave., distant 200 feet southerly from the southeast corner of Pennsylvania ave. and Liberty ave. in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held October 25, 1911, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1911,

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

Parcel No. 1—One story frame church building, 173 Pennsylvania ave.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 5th day of December, 1911, 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 December 5, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars 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, November 21, 1911. n23,d5

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named: **Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.**

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

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

Construction.

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

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

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

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.

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

Dated January 3, 1910.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Notices to Property Owners.

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

SECOND WARD.

BAY STREET—CONSTRUCTING CURBS AND GUTTERS, from Wave street to Elizabeth street. Area of assessment: North side of Wave street, between Bay street and the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, and east side of Bay street about 20 feet north of Wave street.

—the above entitled assessment was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on November 24, 1911, and entered November 24, 1911, in the Record of Titles and Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1912, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 24, 1911. n28,d9

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN: TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12. LIVONIA AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Barrett street and Hopkinson avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Livonia avenue, from Barrett street to Hopkinson avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

POWELL STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Dumont and Livonia avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Powell street, from Dumont to Livonia avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11. PUTNAM AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Knickerbocker avenue to the Queens County Line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Putnam avenue, from Knickerbocker avenue to the Queens County line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

PUTNAM AVENUE—PAVING, between Knickerbocker avenue and the Queens County Line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Putnam avenue, from Knickerbocker avenue to the Queens County line and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 16, 20 AND 23. OCEAN AVENUE—PAVING, from a point about 180 feet more or less north of Avenue F to Avenue H, and from Avenue I to Kings Highway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ocean avenue, from Avenue F to Avenue H and from Avenue I to Kings Highway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

OCEAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, FLAGGING AND PARKING, from a point about 180 feet north of Avenue G to Avenue H and from Avenue I to Kings Highway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ocean avenue, from 180 feet north of Avenue G to Avenue H, and from Avenue I to Kings Highway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on November 24, 1911, and entered November 24, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 24, 1911. n28,d9

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. SEABURY PLACE—SEWER, between Charlotte st. and the Boston road. Area of assessment affects Blocks 2966, 2967 and 2977.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12. WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES, DRAINS, WALLS, ETC., AND ERECTING FENCES, from Sedgwick ave. to Cannon place. Area of assessment: Both sides of West 238th st., from Sedgwick ave. to Cannon place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12. JEROME AVENUE—OPENING, between Van Cortlandt Park and that part of Jerome ave. extending from Woodlawn road to Moshulu ave. Confirmed April 3, 1905, and January 18, 1911; entered November 22, 1911. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Knox place with a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Gun Hill road; running thence northerly along said easterly line of Knox place and along a line parallel to and distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome ave. to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East 233d st.; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome ave. and Mount Vernon ave.; thence southerly along said middle line of the block between Jerome ave. and Mount Vernon ave. to its intersection with a line drawn from a point on westerly side of Mount Vernon ave. equally distant from Jerome ave. and East 233d st. and at a right angle to the said westerly side of Mount Vernon ave.; thence easterly along the said line drawn at a right angle to the westerly side of Mount Vernon ave. and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Mount Vernon ave.; thence southerly along the last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly side of Jerome ave.; thence southerly along the last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn from a point on the westerly side of Woodlawn road, equally distant from Jerome ave. and East 213th st. and at a right angle to the said westerly line of Woodlawn road; thence westerly along said line drawn at a right angle to the westerly side of Woodlawn road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Woodlawn road; thence southerly along the last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side of Gun Hill road; thence westerly along the last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of 177th st. and 3d ave., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 22, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11. HIMROD STREET—SEWER, from St. Nicholas ave. to the Borough Line. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 3272 and 4282.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18. MARINE AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from 92d st. to Fort Hamilton ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Marine ave., from 92d st. to Fort Hamilton ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 21, 1911, and entered

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

SECOND WARD. HIMROD STREET—SEWER, from St. Nicholas ave. to the Borough Line. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 5, 12, 13, 19, 20, 21, 24 to 34, inclusive, 40 to 65, inclusive, and 72, Newtown.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7. WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, 125 feet east of Broadway. Area of assessment: North side of 108th st., 125 feet east of Broadway, known as Lot 7, Block 1830.

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

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public

notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

SECOND WARD. CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWER, in WATER STREET, south side, from Bay street to Front street. Area of assessment: South side of Water st., from Bay st. to Front st.

—the above entitled assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 21, 1911, and entered November 21, 1911, in the Record of Titles and Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8. ARDEN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND RECURBING, from Broadway to Nagle ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Arden ave., from Broadway to Nagle ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EMERSON STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURBING, from Broadway to Seaman ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Emerson st. (West 207th st.), from Broadway to Seaman ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EMERSON STREET—PAVING, CURBING, RECURBING, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, from 10th ave. to Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Emerson st. (West 207th st.), from 10th ave. to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets. —that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 21, 1911, and entered November 21, 1911, in the Record of Title of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before January 20, 1912, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, November 21, 1911. n25,d7

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, 148 EAST 20TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911.

1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,250 GROSS TONS WHITE ASH PEA COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1911.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with. Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, 148 East 20th st.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner. Dated November 28, 1911. n29,d12

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

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, 21 Park Row, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911.

FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND DELIVERY OF SUPPLIES OF PRINTED FORMS, BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY AND GLASSWARE, FROM THE DISTRIBUTING OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD TO THE COURTS, COUNTY OFFICES, DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, FROM JANUARY 1, 1912, TO DECEMBER 31, 1912.

The amount of security shall be twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be accepted only from individuals or firms known to be engaged in and well equipped for the business of forwarding.

The bidder must state the price per month. The bids will be tested by the price per month and the award made to the bidder whose bid is the lowest for acceptable service.

Delivery will be required to be made from the office of the Distributing Division of the City Record with such force and in such manner and order, and at such times and seasons as may be required and directed by the Supervisor of the City Record.

For particulars as to the quantity, nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, to be had at the office of the Supervisor and on file in the office of the Comptroller.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of City Record, 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 Supervisor of the City Record, where further information can be obtained.

WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor; ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; Board of City Record.

New York, November 27, 1911. n28,d12

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, 21 Park Row, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND PLANT AND DOING ALL THE WORK NECESSARY AND PROPER TO PRINT, FURNISH, FOLD, BIND AND DISTRIBUTE THE "CITY RECORD" AND FOR FURNISHING REPRINTS FROM SAID "CITY RECORD" FOR AND DURING THE YEAR 1912.

The amount of security shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest bidder for the whole work and all materials required for the complete performance of the contract.

Samples are on exhibition at the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York. Bidders will write out the total amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board of City Record reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if it deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board, 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 Supervisor of the City Record, where any further information can be obtained.

WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor; ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; Board of City Record.

The City of New York, November 20, 1911. n21,d6

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, Room 807, Park Row Building, 13 to 21 Park Row, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1911.

FOR SUPPLYING PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, PAMPHLETS, PRINTED BLANKS AND STATIONERY, INCLUDING LETTER AND WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES, WITH PRINTED HEADINGS OR INDORSEMENTS, ETC., FOR THE USE OF THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK DURING THE YEAR 1912.

The delivery shall be fully and entirely performed within 180 calendar days after the execution of the contract. The amount of security shall be twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder must state the price for each item and the total price of each schedule. The bids will be tested and the award will be made to the bidder whose bid is the lowest for each schedule. Bidders will write out the total amount of their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Delivery will be required to be made at the Distributing Division of the City Record, 96 and 98 Reade st., from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Supervisor of the City Record.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of City Record, 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 City Record, where further information can be obtained.

WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor; ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; Board of City Record.

New York, November 14, 1911. n14,d13

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

PART OF LEXINGTON AVENUE ROUTE. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ACTING BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION for the First District (hereinafter called "the Commission") invites proposals to construct Section 9 of the Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

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

Section No. 9—Begins at a point about 50 feet north of the center line of East 67th street and extends thence under Lexington Avenue to a point about 70 feet south of the center line of East 79th street; with a station at East 68th and East 69th streets and a station at East 77th street.

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

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

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

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

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

A fuller description of the work to be done is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated in the printed form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Printed copies of the form of contract, bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application at the office of the Commission, 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. The contract drawings may be inspected at the same office, and copies thereof may be purchased by prospective bidders by payment of five dollars (\$5). The printed form of contract and the contract drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

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

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION AT 154 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL THE 5TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1911, AT TWELVE (12) O'CLOCK NOON, AT WHICH TIME, OR AT A LATER DATE TO BE FIXED BY THE COMMISSION, THE PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Commission.

A statement, based upon the estimate of the Engineer, of the quantities of the various classes of the work and of the nature and extent as near as practicable of the work required is to be found in the schedules forming a part of the form of Contractor's Proposal. The quantities given in such schedules are approximate only, being given as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same, except as provided in the specifications and form of contract.

All proposals must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Route No. 5, Section No. 9," and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a separate certified check drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company having its principal office in The City of New York, satisfactory to the Commission and payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000). Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

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

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

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

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

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

At the time of the delivery of the contract, the Contractor will be required to furnish security to the City by giving a bond for fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). At the option of the successful bidder cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond. If securities are deposited in place of a bond under this contract, they must be of the character of securities in which Savings Banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Commission.

The Contractor's bond must be in the form annexed to the form of contract. In addition and as further security, fifteen (15%) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted until the amounts so deducted and retained shall equal the sum of two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000). There-

after there shall be so deducted and retained for such purpose ten (10%) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or execute and deliver the required bond or to make the required deposit, such bidder will, at the option of the Commission, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract. In the latter case, the Commission will give notice thereof to such defaulting bidder, and the Commission may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Commission, it will be to the best interest of the City to contract with, or may by new advertisement invite further proposals. The defaulting bidder shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other Contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder.

If the Commission shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and that the contract is consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Commission, to execute and deliver the contract and to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, or to make the required deposit, then the Invitation to Contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damage by it sustained by reason of such failure, and in such case the bidder shall, by the terms of the proposal, absolutely assign to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Commission will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit is complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, November 10, 1911.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. n14,d5

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING THE ELEVATORS IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

The bidder shall state in his bid the type of electric elevator upon which his bid is based; and he shall also state the car speed which he guarantees, which speed must be between the limits specified.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of eight calendar months from the date of said certification.

In case the contractor shall fail to complete the work within the time aforesaid, he shall pay to The City of New York the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for each and every calendar day the time consumed in said performance and completion may exceed the time allowed.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE, Commissioner.
Dated November 27, 1911. n29,d21
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GALVANIZED WIRE ROPE TO THE QUEENSBORO BRIDGE.

The time for the delivery of the materials and for the performance of the contract will be 60 calendar days after the receipt by the contractor of a written order to deliver the materials from the Commissioner of Bridges.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE, Commissioner.
Dated November 22, 1911. n24,d7
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesdays, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

HENRY J. WALSH, Deputy Chamberlain, Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the above office of the Department of Education, until 3.30 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1911.

Borough of Brooklyn.
FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL ON MARCY AVENUE BETWEEN MADISON STREET AND PUTNAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$500; Item 2, \$100; Item 3, \$600; Item 4, \$2,500.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 Avenue and 59th street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated November 28, 1911. n28,d11

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 1,200 GROSS TONS OF SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL, MORE OR LESS, FOR USE IN THE PARENTAL SCHOOL IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the coal and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before April 30, 1912.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, by which the bids will be tested.

Contract will be awarded 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.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, corner of Park Ave. and 59th st. PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated November 24, 1911. n24,d7

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at the above office, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1911.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, STORING AND TRIMMING COAL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the coal and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) calendar days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred (\$800) Dollars.

All Boroughs.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS: CHEMICALS, CLEANSING COMPOUNDS, CORDAGE, OAKUM AND ROPE, LEATHER AND SADDLERY, MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION, METALS AND ALLOYS, MISCELLANEOUS OIL, GREASES, ETC.; PACKING, PIPES, VALVES AND PIPE FITTINGS, RUBBER GOODS, TEXTILES, FABRICS AND NATURAL FIBRES, TOOLS AND IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security required is twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder in a lump or aggregate sum for all sections on No. 1, and to the lowest formal bidder on each item on No. 2.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.
November 28, 1911. n28,d13

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION of old materials, etc., Borough of Brooklyn, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

Commencing at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at the North Side Ridgewood Pumping Station, Atlantic Ave. and Logan St., Brooklyn, N. Y., the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, by William H. Smith, Auctioneer, the old material designated below.

All the material will be sold at the North Side Ridgewood Pumping Station, as above stated, but the same may be seen on any day prior to the sale at the respective places designated, viz.:

Gowanus Pipe Yard, Butler and Nevins Streets—No. 1, scrap iron, approximate weight, 50 tons; No. 2, four (4) old wagons: One-seated

canopy top surrey, two-seated canopy top surrey, shed wagon, No. 11, light buggy, No. 18.
East New York Repair Yard, 137 Jamaica Avenue—No. 3, scrap iron, approximate weight, 100 tons; No. 4, scrap brass, approximate weight, 1,500 pounds; No. 5, old rubber, approximate weight, 100 pounds.

Eastern District Repair Yard, 335 Berry Street—No. 6, scrap iron, approximate weight, 12 tons.

Coney Island Repair Yard, Avenue V and East 14th Street—No. 7, scrap iron, approximate weight, 6 tons.

Ridgewood, North Side, Atlantic Avenue and Logan Street—No. 8, eight (8) horizontal tubular boilers with cast iron boiler fronts, grate bars, steam piping, valves, smoke flues, etc. The brick setting becomes the property of the bidder. All brick, old mortar, dirt and debris must be removed down to the ash pit level and be carted away from the City's premises, and the building left shovel clean, approximate weight, 159,600 pounds.

Ridgewood Machine Shop, Atlantic Avenue and Logan Street—No. 9, brass borings, approximate weight, 4,200 pounds; brass solids, approximate weight, 3,000 pounds.

Ridgewood, South Side, Atlantic Avenue and Logan Street—No. 10, old boiler tubes, approximate weight, 24,000 pounds; No. 11, old castings, iron pipe, grate bars, etc., approximate weight, 20,000 pounds; No. 12, one old filter, approximate weight, 6,000 pounds; No. 13, one old heater, approximate weight, 4,000 pounds; No. 14, one old filter, approximate weight, 3,000 pounds.

Wantage Pumping Station, Wantagh, L. I.—No. 15, old boiler tubes, approximate weight, 8,000 pounds; No. 16, old boiler plate, approximate weight, 200 pounds.

Massapequa Pumping Station, Massapequa, L. I.—No. 17, scrap iron, approximate weight, 500 pounds.

Merrick Pumping Station, Merrick, L. I.—No. 18, wrought iron, approximate weight, 500 pounds; No. 19, cast iron, approximate weight, 2,500 pounds.

New Lots Pumping Station, New Lots, L. I.—No. 20, one old locomotive boiler, approximate weight, 5,000 pounds; No. 21, one old upright boiler, approximate weight, 5,000 pounds; No. 22, pipe scrap and grate bars, approximate weight, 2,000 pounds.

Woodhaven Pumping Station, Woodhaven, L. I.—No. 23, old tubes and scrap pipe, approximate weight, 2,000 pounds.

Jameco Pumping Station, Jameco, L. I.—No. 24, 1 beam (4), 10 feet by 15 inches, approximate weight, 2,800 pounds; No. 25, old plate, 60 square feet by 1/2, approximate weight, 1,080 pounds; No. 26, old grates and small scrap, approximate weight, 1,000 pounds.

Springfield Pumping Station, Springfield, L. I.—No. 27, old boiler tubes (70), approximate weight, 4,200 pounds.

Watts Pond Pumping Station, Watts Pond, L. I.—No. 28, old boiler tubes (50), approximate weight, 2,000 pounds.

Forest Stream Pumping Station, Forest Stream, L. I.—No. 29, old boiler shell and front castings, approximate weight, 4,000 pounds.

Aqueduct Pumping Station, Aqueduct, L. I.—No. 30, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Shetucket Pumping Station, Shetucket, L. I.—No. 31, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Oconee Pumping Station, Oconee, L. I.—No. 32, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

St. Albans Pumping Station, St. Albans, L. I.—No. 33, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Rosedale Pumping Station, Rosedale, L. I.—No. 34, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Hook Creek Pumping Station, Hook Creek, L. I.—No. 35, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Clear Stream Pumping Station, Clear Stream, L. I.—No. 36, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Lynbrook Pumping Station, Lynbrook, L. I.—No. 37, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

Smith's Pond Pumping Station, Smith's Pond, L. I.—No. 38, old scrap pipe and fittings, approximate weight, 800 pounds.

TERMS OF SALE.
The sale of the materials will be based on delivery on the ground, but the purchaser or purchasers shall agree to have the materials weighed, at his or their own expense, at the nearest public scale to the point where the material is stored, and in the presence of a representative of the Department designated by the Commissioner.

Successful bidders shall make cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale. The materials will be sold to the highest bidder at a price per pound or per ton, at the estimated weights, more or less, as above designated; except on Lot No. 2, which will be sold for a lump sum. No bid will be considered or accepted for less than the entire quantity in each lot or item number.

The purchaser or purchasers shall remove all the material within ten days after the sale; otherwise he or they will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership of the material, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City. The purchaser or purchasers shall remove the material under the supervision of an employee of the Department designated by the Commissioner, and will not be allowed to select material at will for removal.

The right to reject all bids is reserved.
HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.
Dated November 22, 1911. n28,d6

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1911,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR PAINTING HYDRANTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared, and award made to the lowest formal bidder in a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.
Dated November 25, 1911. n25,d8

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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

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

Dated New York City, July 26, 1911.
WILLIAM D. DICKEY, CAMBRIDGE LIVINGSTON, DAVID ROBINSON, Commissioners.

LAMONT McLAUGHLIN, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF CITY OF NEW YORK.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 269 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 29, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Acting Chief Engineer of Highways, recommending the repair of sidewalk at the north-west corner of 143rd street and Broadway has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said recommendation will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.
JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 29, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Yorkville District for Local Improvements, requesting the paving of 77th street, between Avenue A and the new street adjoining John Jay Park, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Yorkville District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough office, City Hall, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.
JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Public Improvement Matters.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close a portion of North William street, between Park row and Frankfort street, lay out the lines and grades of a new street connecting North William street with William street, between Duane street and Frankfort street, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 closing a portion of North William street, between Park row and Frankfort street, laying out the lines and grades of a new street connecting North William street with William street and changing the lines and grades of William street, between Duane street and Frankfort street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated November 14, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 discontinue Avenue F, from Ocean parkway to 18th 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 December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 discontinuing Avenue F, from Ocean parkway to 18th avenue, 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 August 11, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 Netherland avenue, from Kappock street to West 227th street, and change the grade of West 227th street, from Arlington avenue to Netherland avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of Netherland avenue, from Kappock street to West 227th street, and changing the grade of West 227th street, from Arlington avenue to Netherland avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated October 27, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 discontinue Protectory avenue, from McGraw avenue to Purdy street; lay out the lines and grades of St. Raymond avenue, from Olmstead avenue to Hoguet avenue, and lay out the lines and grades of Hoguet avenue, from Unionport road to McGraw avenue, and the grades of Hoguet avenue, between Unionport road and Archer avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 discontinuing Protectory avenue, from McGraw avenue to Purdy street; laying out the lines and grades of St. Raymond avenue, from Olmstead avenue to Hoguet avenue, and laying out the lines and grades of Hoguet avenue, from Unionport road to McGraw avenue, and the grades of Hoguet avenue, between Unionport road and Archer avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated October 30, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 39 of the Final Maps, 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 December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 39 of the Final Maps, bounded approximately by Tiemann avenue, Gunther street, Riverside avenue, Edson street, Morris avenue, Co-man street, Hewitt avenue, Roosevelt avenue, Prime street, Hewitt avenue, Lurting street, Wateredge avenue, Meadow street, Blossom avenue, Wateredge avenue, Fowler street, and its prolongation, Hewitt avenue, Varick street, Morris avenue, Unity street, Riverside avenue, Provost street, Peartree avenue and Nicholls street, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 23, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 46 of the Final Maps, and change the grades of the street system bounded by Lane avenue, Williamsbridge road and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 46 of the Final Maps, and changing the grades of the street system bounded by Lane avenue, Williamsbridge road and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 46 of the Final Maps, and changing the grades of the street system bounded by Lane avenue, Williamsbridge road and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 46 of the Final Maps, and change the grades of the street system bounded by Lane avenue, Williamsbridge road and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 46 of the Final Maps, and changing the grades of the street system bounded by Lane avenue, Williamsbridge road and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 40 of the Final Maps, 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 December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 40 of the Final Maps, bounded approximately by Jackson avenue, Holland avenue, Flushing River, Tallman avenue, Willbanks place, Wilshire street, Wynant street, Jackson avenue, Prince street, State street, Farrington street, Jackson avenue, Main street, Redwood street, Lawrence street, Sanford avenue, Delong street, Redwood street, Wateredge avenue, Roosevelt avenue and Hewitt avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 23, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 39 of the Final Maps, 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 December 14, 1911, 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 November 16, 1911, 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 laying out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 39 of the Final Maps, bounded approximately by Tiemann avenue, Gunther street, Riverside avenue, Edson street, Morris avenue, Co-man street, Hewitt avenue, Roosevelt avenue, Prime street, Hewitt avenue, Lurting street, Wateredge avenue, Meadow street, Blossom avenue, Wateredge avenue, Fowler street, and its prolongation, Hewitt avenue, Varick street, Morris avenue, Unity street, Riverside avenue, Provost street, Peartree avenue and Nicholls street, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 23, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, 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 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. d1,12

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 lay out the lines and grades of the street system within the area designated as Section 39 of the Final Maps, Borough of

Resolved, That this Board will give an informal hearing in the matter at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon;

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 prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of amending the proceeding instituted by said Board April 10, 1908, for acquiring title to Ralph avenue, from Eastern parkway to East 98th street; Union street, from East New York avenue to East 98th street; Tapscott street, from East New York avenue to East 98th street; Howard avenue, from East New York avenue to East 98th street, and Grafton street, from Sutter avenue to East 98th street, Borough of Brooklyn, so as to relate to Grafton street, from Sutter avenue to East 98th street; Ralph avenue, from Eastern parkway to East 98th street; Union street, from East New York avenue to East 98th street; Tapscott street, from East New York avenue to East 98th street, and Howard avenue, from East New York avenue to East 98th street;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, 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 southwesterly line of East 98th street where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Ralph avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ralph avenue, and running thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Ralph avenue to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed between the centre lines of East 98th street and Ralph avenue, as these streets are laid out south of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along a said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Union street and President street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Union street and President street to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph avenue and Buffalo avenue, as these streets are laid out north of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Ralph avenue and Buffalo avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Eastern parkway; thence eastwardly along a line parallel with Eastern parkway to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue, as the said streets are laid out north of Eastern parkway; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of East New York avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with East New York avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to East New York avenue, passing through a point on the southerly line of Pitkin avenue midway between Grafton street and Barrett street; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to East New York avenue to the southerly line of Pitkin avenue; thence southwardly along a line midway between Grafton street and Barrett street to the northerly line of East 98th street; thence southwardly at right angles to East 98th street to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East 98th street; thence northwardly along a line parallel with East 98th street and always distant 100 feet therefrom to the intersection with a line at right angles to East 98th street, passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to East 98th street to the point or place of beginning.

Bounded on the northeast by a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of East 98th street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East 98th street; on the southeast by a line midway between Clarkson avenue and Lenox road; on the southwest by a line midway between East 96th street and Rockaway parkway, and on the northwest by a line midway between Winthrop street and Clarkson avenue.

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 the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the Corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Belmont avenue, from Pennsylvania avenue to Wyona street, and from Elderts lane to the old City line, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

1. Bounded on the north by a line midway between Pitkin avenue and Belmont avenue; on the east by a line midway between Wyona street and Bradford street; on the south by a line midway between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue, and on the west by a line midway between Sheffield avenue and Pennsylvania avenue.

2. Bounded on the north by a line midway between Pitkin avenue and Belmont avenue, as these streets are laid out east of Drew avenue and by the prolongations of the said line; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the former City line; on the south by a line midway between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue, as these streets are laid out between Grant avenue and Elderts lane, and by the prolongation of the said line, and on the west by a line midway between Grant avenue and Elderts lane.

Resolved, That this Board consider the pro-

posed 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 the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the Corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of West 172d street, from Aqueduct avenue to Plimpton avenue, and from Shakespeare avenue to Jesup avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Roscobel avenue, distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of West 172d street, and running thence northwardly along the easterly line of Roscobel avenue and of Aqueduct avenue to the intersection with a line distant 200 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of West 172d street, as this street is laid out where it adjoins Plimpton avenue on the west, the said distance being measured at right angles to West 172d street; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West 172d street, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Plimpton avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Plimpton avenue; thence northwardly along the said line, parallel with Plimpton avenue, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of West 172d street, as this street is laid out where it adjoins Nelson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to West 172d street; thence eastwardly along the said line, parallel with West 172d street, and along the prolongation of the southerly line of Featherbed lane and the northerly line of West 172d street, as these streets are laid out between Shakespeare avenue and Jesup avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jesup avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jesup avenue; thence southwardly along the easterly line of Jesup avenue, to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of West 172d street and the northerly line of West 172d street, as these streets are laid out between Plimpton avenue and Nelson avenue; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Roscobel avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Roscobel avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 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 prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Baker avenue, from Garfield street to Matthews avenue, at a point about 149 feet east of the easterly line of Barnes avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Mead street and Baker avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Garfield street, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Mead street and Baker avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the westerly line of Unionport road; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of White Plains road, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of Baker avenue and the southerly line of Van Nest avenue, as these streets are laid out between Cruger avenue and Holland avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Baker avenue, as this street is laid out where it adjoins Barnes avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Baker avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Baker avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the westerly line of Matthews avenue; thence eastwardly at right angles to Matthews avenue a distance of 160 feet; thence generally southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Matthews avenue and the prolongations thereof, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Baker avenue, as this street is laid out at Barnes avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Baker avenue; thence generally westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Baker avenue and the prolongations thereof

to the intersection with a line parallel with Garfield street, as this street is laid out at Van Nest avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Garfield street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 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 prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the Board adjourned until December 14, 1911, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Maurice avenue, from Toledo street to Junction avenue, and to Horton street, from Broadway to Junction avenue, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, December 14, 1911, at 10.30 a. m.

The following is the proposed area of assessment in the proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue, distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Junction avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Junction avenue, and running thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Junction avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Horton street and Ivy street; thence westwardly along a line always midway between Horton street and Ivy street, 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 centre lines of Justice street and Chicago street as these streets are laid out between Horton street and Ivy street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Ivy street as this street is laid out immediately adjoining Justice street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ivy street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Ivy street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Justice street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Justice street; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Justice street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Horton street as this street is laid out immediately adjoining Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Horton street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Horton street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Broadway to the intersection with a line at right angles to Broadway and passing through a point on its westerly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Maurice avenue and Horton street as these streets are laid out westerly from the first angle point west of Chicago street; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to Broadway to the intersection with its westerly side; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Maurice avenue and Horton street as these streets are laid out at Chicago street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Maurice avenue and Horton street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Toledo street; thence northwardly and parallel with Toledo street to the intersection with a line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406; Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 16, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of enlarging the area of assessment in the proceeding instituted by said Board November 8, 1907, for acquiring title to 4th avenue, from Monroe avenue to Tompkins avenue, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed enlarged area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of 4th avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to 4th avenue, where it is intersected by a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Jersey avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jersey avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with 4th avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Westervelt avenue as laid out adjoining 4th avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westervelt avenue; thence northwardly along a line at right angles to 4th avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line always distant 280 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of 4th avenue as this street is laid out easterly from Westervelt avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of 4th avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with 4th avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tompkins avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Tompkins avenue; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Tompkins avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line always distant 325 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of 4th avenue as this street is laid out easterly from Westervelt avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of 4th avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with 4th avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Westervelt avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Westervelt avenue; thence northwardly along a line always distant 200 feet westerly from and parallel with Wes-

tervelt avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of 4th avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to 4th avenue; thence westwardly along a line always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of 4th avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line parallel with Jersey avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Jersey avenue to the point or place of beginning.

(The lines of the streets herein referred to and which have not been laid out upon the City map are intended to be those in use and as commonly recognized.)

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed enlarged 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 the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406; Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 23, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of East 17th street, from Avenue L to a point about 480 feet north of Avenue N; East 18th street, from Avenue L to a point about 465 feet north of Avenue P; and East 19th street, from the south line of Avenue M to a point about 360 feet north of Avenue P, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the easterly right-of-way line of the Long Island Railroad where it is intersected by a line midway between Avenue J and Avenue K, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Avenue J and Avenue K to the intersection with a line midway between East 18th st. and East 19th st.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 18th st. and East 19th st. to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue K and Avenue L; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Avenue K and Avenue L to the intersection with a line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Kings Highway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kings Highway; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Kings Highway to the intersection with a line midway between East 17th st. and East 18th st.; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 17th st. and East 18th st. to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue O and Avenue P; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Avenue O and Avenue P to the intersection with the easterly right-of-way line of the Long Island Railroad; thence northwardly along the said right-of-way line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the Corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406; Telephone 2280 Worth. d1,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on November 23, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Sybilla street, from Metropolitan avenue to Viola place; Theresa place, from Metropolitan avenue to Sybilla street; Ursula place, from Metropolitan avenue to Union turnpike; and Viola place, from Metropolitan avenue to Ursula place, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Union turnpike where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Ursula place as this street is laid out where it adjoins Union turnpike, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ursula place and running thence northwardly and northwardly along a line always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly and westerly lines of Ursula place, and the prolongations thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Sybilla street; thence westwardly and northwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly and westerly from and parallel with the southerly and westerly line of Sybilla street and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Metropolitan avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Metropolitan avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Metropolitan avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Wanda place and Viola place; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Wanda place and Viola place, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Wanda place and passing through a point on its westerly side midway

between Sybilla street and Ursula place; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to Wanda place to a point distant 100 feet easterly from its easterly side; thence southwardly and parallel with Wanda place to the intersection with the northerly line of Union turnpike; thence southwardly at right angles to Union turnpike a distance of 225 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Union turnpike to the intersection with a line at right angles to Union turnpike and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Union turnpike to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 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 prior to the 14th day of December, 1911.

Dated December 1, 1911.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway,
Room 1406; Telephone, 2280 Worth. dl,12

Franchise Matters. PUBLIC NOTICE.

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 Riverside Light & Power Company has under date of May 16, 1911, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate conduits with the necessary branches and extensions therefrom for the purpose of supplying electricity for light and power within a district bounded by West 129th street, 12th avenue, West 134th street and the easterly line of the marginal street, wharf or place as adopted by the Commissioner of Docks February 27, 1907, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 3, 1907, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws this Board adopted a resolution on June 8, 1911, fixing the date for the public hearing thereon as July 6, 1911, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the New York "Herald" and the New York "Press," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to the Riverside Light & Power Company and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Riverside Light & Power Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

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

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made this day of 1911, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Riverside Light & Power Company, a corporation formed under and pursuant to the laws of the State of New York (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseseth:

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

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter contained, the right and privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate suitable wires or other electrical conduits in conduits, for the purpose of supplying electrical current for light, heat and power, said conduits to be laid, constructed, maintained and operated only within that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West 129th street with the easterly line of the marginal street, wharf or place, as adopted by the Commissioner of Docks February 27, 1907, approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 3, 1907, and laid down on the maps of the Department of Docks and Ferries; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of the said marginal street, wharf or place to its intersection with the centre line of West 134th street; thence easterly along the centre line of West 134th street to its intersection with the centre line of 12th avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of 12th avenue to its intersection with the northerly line of West 131st street; thence easterly along the northerly line of West 131st street to a point 125 feet east of the easterly line of 12th avenue; thence southerly from the said point on the northerly line of West 131st street, 125 feet east of the easterly side of 12th avenue to the centre line of West 131st street, the same distance from 12th avenue; thence westerly from the said point in the centre of West 131st street, 125 feet east of the easterly line of 12th avenue to the centre line of 12th avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of 12th avenue to its intersection with the centre line of West 129th street; thence westerly along the centre line of West 129th street to the easterly line of the marginal street, wharf or place, at the point or place of beginning. Said boundaries and district being more particularly shown by a red line on the map or plan attached to this contract, dated May 16, 1911, and signed by Joseph Conron, President of the Company, and made a part hereof.

It is, however, understood and agreed that the Company shall have no right to carry on the business of furnishing electricity for light, heat or power in the blocks abutting on West 131st street east of 12th avenue, but that any wires or conductors laid by it in said street shall only be for the purpose of connecting the plant which it proposes to construct in the block on the north side of said street with the territory above described west of the centre line of 12th avenue, for the purpose of supplying consumers therein.

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

First—The said right to lay, construct, maintain and operate said conductors and appurtenances shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor and until March 7, 1926, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of ten (10) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal, it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time, not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but the annual sum to be paid by the Company to the City under such renewal shall not be less than the sum required to be paid during the last year of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding ten (10) years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound, upon request of the other, to enter into a written agreement with such other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, but no annual sum thus fixed shall in any event be less than the sum required to be paid by the Company to the City during the last year of the original term of this contract, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders, selected in the following manner:

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

Second—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money.

1. The sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) for the privilege hereby granted within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor.

2. During the period between the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor and March 7, 1916, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than one hundred dollars (\$100) and which shall be equal to two (2) per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100).

3. During the succeeding five years of this original contract an annual sum which shall in no case be less than one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175) and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175).

4. During the last five years of this original contract, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company if such percentage shall exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250).

All annual sums as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on February 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to December 31 next preceding. Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, then such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid on or before February 1 of each year for the year ending December 31 next preceding.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Third—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract (whether original or renewal) notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company providing for payments for similar rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted (whether original or renewal), or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all conditions of this contract, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fourth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual, firm or other corporation a similar right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions, in the same streets and avenues, or within the district hereinbefore described.

Fifth—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company or by the operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more

of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Sixth—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the conductors and appurtenances, including conduits, if any, of the Company, constructed or maintained pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at the termination of this contract, as above, the Board shall so order by resolution, the Company shall, upon thirty (30) days' notice from the Board remove any and all of its conductors and appurtenances, including conduits, if any, constructed or maintained pursuant to this contract and the said streets and avenues shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Seventh—The Company shall construct and operate its electric system subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City, and shall bear the expense of all inspection by such authorities, and of the inspection of all work of construction.

Within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, the Company shall apply to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for leave to place its wires or conductors underground, in or across the streets, where they are now laid or where it is proposed to locate them, and shall also demand of the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company space in its conduits or subway crossing Manhattan street, West 131st street and West 132d street at these points, in which to place the existing wires or conductors, or if no such conduits or subways have been built by the Subway Company which will accommodate these wires or conductors, then that the said Subway Company be required to build the same across the said streets where the said wires or conductors are now laid or where it is proposed to locate them.

If there be no conduits or subways of the Subway Company for the accommodation of the existing wires or conductors of the Company crossing the streets at these points, it shall have the right to maintain said wires or conductors as at present maintained and operated until such new conduits or subways are placed at its disposal by the Subway Company for use and occupation, whereupon the Company agrees and binds itself to discontinue the use of its present electric conduits in the public streets and to place its said wires or conductors in such conduits or subways of the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company.

All other or additional wires or conductors of the Company shall be placed in conduits or subways to be leased from the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company, or from the City, should it succeed to the rights of such company, provided, however, that should the said Consolidated Company win six (6) months after notice and demand neglect or refuse to construct such conduits or subways as are necessary and to place the same at the disposal and use of the Company, the Company, with the further consent of the Board, may construct such conduits or subways as are necessary for use by its own wires or conductors. Any such subways or conduits constructed by the Company shall be transferred to the Consolidated Telegraph and Electrical Subway Company, or the City, on payment to the Company of the reasonable cost thereof, and the Company agrees and binds itself to so transfer any such conduits or subways upon payment therefor by the Subway Company or the City.

Eighth—The electric plant, conduits, wires, conductors, connections and all appurtenances thereto, shall be constructed, maintained and operated in the latest approved manner, and with the most modern and improved appliances.

Ninth—The Company shall, upon being directed to do so by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, extend its wires and conductors and furnish light, heat or power to any public building or street lamp within the territory herein described.

Tenth—The Company shall file with the Board on the first day of February in each year a map or plan upon which shall be plainly indicated the number of wires which are in use by the Company on December 31 of the preceding year, the streets in which the same are located, and also those which were put in use during the preceding year.

Eleventh—It is a condition of this contract that the Company shall bear the entire expense of all work undertaken by reason of this grant, by the Company.

Twelfth—The rates to be charged shall never be in excess of those authorized by the laws hereafter enumerated, and it is agreed that the same may be altered or changed by the Board as hereinafter provided.

For electricity furnished to the City, the Company shall not charge higher rates than those authorized by chapter 733 of the Laws of 1905, as amended by chapter 390 of the Laws of 1906, and chapter 479 of the Laws of 1910.

For electricity furnished to other consumers, the Company shall not charge higher rates than those authorized by chapter 732 of the Laws of 1905, as amended by chapter 616 of the Laws of 1906.

The Company also agrees that if in the future any new or improved style of street lighting is available for use, it will furnish the same at such reasonable prices as may be fixed by the Board, subject to the provisions of this contract.

Thirteenth—During the term of this contract, or any renewal thereof, the Board shall have the power to regulate and fix the maximum and minimum rates to be charged by the Company throughout the territory in which it is hereby granted the right to operate, provided such rates shall be reasonable and fair.

The maximum rates herein fixed for electricity furnished by the Company shall continue until March 7, 1916, at which time and at the end of each period of five years thereafter during the term of the contract or any renewal thereof, the Board shall have the power to readjust such rates, provided the same shall not exceed those fixed by law or be unreasonable or unfair to the Company.

Fourteenth—The Company shall upon request from any individual, company or corporation, occupying premises in the territory covered by this contract, not in arrears to it for services already rendered, and who has not agreed with any previous occupier of the premises occupied by such individual, company or corporation, to assume the payment of any moneys due by such previous occupier to the Company, extend its conductors to the premises of such individual, company or corporation and supply current for light, heat or power or any or all of such purposes; provided that it shall not be required to so extend its conductors where the ground in which the same are to be laid shall be frozen, during the period in which the said frozen condition shall continue.

The Company shall not require or receive any deposit or advance payment in excess of what is reasonably necessary to insure payment of current bills, and on such amounts so paid the Company shall pay interest at the statutory rate. Any consumer or person who desires to be connected with the conductors of the Company can apply to the Board to compel the Company in

compliance with the provisions of this contract, to connect with and furnish electricity to such consumer or person, and all orders of the Board made on the request of any such consumer or person shall be complied with by the Company.

The provisions of section 62 of the Transportation Corporations Law fixing a penalty for failure of any electric company to extend its service to an applicant, and of this subdivision of the contract requiring the payment of interest on deposits made by consumers, may in the event of the refusal of the Company to comply with any order of the Board, on complaint made in regard thereto, be deducted from the security fund to be deposited with the Comptroller, as hereinafter provided, and the Comptroller is authorized to deduct the amount from the said fund and pay the same to the claimant, on being directed to do so by the Board.

Fifteenth—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the system authorized by this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company.

Sixteenth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report not later than February 1 of each year, for the year ending December 31 next preceding, and at any other time, upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued, for cash, for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt as by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate of interest per annum on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during year.
11. The total amount expended for same.
12. The names of the directors elected at the last meeting of the stockholders of the Company held for that purpose.
13. Cost of underground conductors and appurtenances, including conduits if any, to the year preceding and moneys expended on same during year.
14. Present value of said conduits and appurtenances, based on cost and depreciation.
15. Miles of conductors.
16. Amount of electricity in kilowatts furnished to consumers other than City, number and kind of lamps, motors and heaters supplied with same and amount received therefor.
17. Amount of electricity furnished to the City, in kilowatts, number and kind of lamps, motors and heaters supplied with same and amount received therefor.
18. Total receipts from sales of electricity.
19. Operating expenses, interest and other charges.
20. Net earnings and surplus from such sales.
21. Cost of furnishing electricity per kilowatt.
22. Balance sheet for year.
23. Amounts paid by Company for damages to persons or property on account of construction and operation.

—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Seventeenth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account and shall, on or before February 1 in each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company for the year ending December 31 next preceding. Such report shall contain a statement of the gross receipts from all business done by the Company in the territory in which it is authorized to operate by this contract, together with such other information and in such form and detail as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Eighteenth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions of this contract, the same may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel on notice of ten days to the Company, or at the option of the Board, by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that all property constructed and in use by virtue of this grant shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity.

If for a period of two consecutive weeks the electric system of the Company shall not be operated, the Board may declare the right and franchise granted by this contract terminated without further proceedings at law or in equity, if it shall appear in the judgment of said Board that the same was not operated through the fault of the Company. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall have given notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Nineteenth—If the said Company shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the full term of its occupancy of such streets, or fail to comply with any provision of this contract, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, the Board, if it so elects, instead of commencing proceedings to terminate this contract may give written notice to the said Company, specifying any default on the part of said Company, and requiring said Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time, and upon the failure of the Company to remedy said default within a reasonable time, said Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as fixed and liquidated damages, or the said City, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time and after notice by the Board, as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the said Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, and in default of such payment, the same shall be a proper charge against and may be deducted from the security fund to be deposited with the Comptroller as hereinafter provided.

Twentieth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), either in money or securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charge for the franchise granted; and in case of such default in the annual payment, the City shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice in writing to the said Company. In case of the failure of the Company to comply with the terms of this contract relating to the filing of annual

statements, or its neglect or refusal to comply with any demand or direction of the Board or other municipal officials, made pursuant to the terms of this contract, or under the authority of any laws or ordinances now or hereafter in force, in such case and in any of these events, the Company, except as herein otherwise provided, shall pay to the City a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) for each violation.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows:

The Board, on its own motion or on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, said Board shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalties, and without legal procedure direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him.

In case of any drafts made upon the security fund, the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of five hundred dollars (\$500), and in default thereof this contract shall be canceled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City, in the same manner as elsewhere provided herein. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

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

Twenty-second—If at any time the powers of the Board or of intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other Board, authority, officer or officers, then, and in such case, such other Board, authority, officer or officers shall have the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Twenty-third—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets, avenues and highways of the territory in which the Company is authorized to operate by this contract.

Twenty-fourth—The words "streets and avenues," or "streets or avenues," when and where used, shall be deemed to mean and include any and all streets, avenues, roads, highways, boulevards, parkways, parks and public places.

Section 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the Laws of the State of New York.

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

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

By....., Mayor.

(CORPORATE SEAL)
Attest:..... City Clerk.
RIVERSIDE LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY,
By....., President.

(CORPORATE SEAL)
Attest:..... Secretary.
(Here add acknowledgments.)

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

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Riverside Light & Power Company, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Thursday, December 21, 1911, in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, December 21, 1911, in two daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor therefor and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the Riverside Light & Power Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Riverside Light & Power Company, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, December 21, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

The New York "Press" and the "Sun" designated.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, November 9, 1911. n27,421

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 New York Magnaphone and Music Company has under date of June 29, 1911, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege or franchise to lay, construct, maintain and operate electric wires for the necessary branches under and along the streets, avenues and public places of The City of New York for the purpose of distributing music and matters of general interest and amusement electrically by means of a magnaphone; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on July 6, 1911, fixing the date for a public hearing thereon as September

21, 1911, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Evening Mail" and the "Globe," newspapers designated by the Mayor and in the CITY RECORD for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to The New York Magnaphone and Music Company and the adequacy of the amount of compensation to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The New York Magnaphone and Music Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

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

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made this..... day of..... 1911 by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and The New York Magnaphone and Music Company (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseseth:

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

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right or privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate suitable wires or other electrical conductors in the conduits under the streets and avenues within the territory comprised in the Borough of Manhattan and that part of the Borough of The Bronx west of the Bronx River; such wires to connect only the premises of subscribers with the central stations of the Company and to be used for the purpose of maintaining a system whereby music and information in relation to matters of general interest may be distributed electrically from the central stations of the Company to two or more subscribers simultaneously and for no other purpose whatsoever.

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

First—The rights and privileges herein granted shall not be construed to in any way give the Company the right or privilege to engage in a business permitting communication between subscribers and this contract is entered into on the mutual and express understanding and agreement by and between the parties hereto that the Company will not in any way engage in a business which will permit communication between its subscribers or claim the right so to do under this contract and the right and privilege herein and hereby granted and conferred; it being understood that this is not a grant to do a telephone business within the general accepted meaning of the term.

Second—The said right to lay, construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors in conduits for the purpose aforesaid shall be held and enjoyed by the Company for the term of twenty-five (25) years from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor, without any privilege of renewal thereof.

Third—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money:

(a) The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in cash within three (3) months after the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the privilege hereby granted.

(b) During the first term of five (5) years an annual sum which shall in no case be less than two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts if such percentage shall exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

During the second term of five (5) years an annual sum which shall in no case be less than three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500), and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500).

During the third term of five (5) years an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than four thousand dollars (\$4,000), and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

During the fourth term of five (5) years an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500), and which shall be equal to four (4) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500).

During the remaining term of five (5) years an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts if such percentage shall exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be the gross receipts of the Company from all sources within the Borough of Manhattan and the portion of the Borough of The Bronx lying westerly of the Bronx River.

The annual charges shall commence from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

All annual charges as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on November 1 of each year and shall be for the amount due to September 30 next preceding. Provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and September 30 following shall bear to the whole of one year.

Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, then such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid on or before November 1 in each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to The City by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of The City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company providing for payment for similar rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual

for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially the conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fifth—The right and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Sixth—Upon the termination of this original contract, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the wires, electrical conductors and other property of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at the termination of this contract, as above provided, such system shall not be operated, or if the same shall not be operated for a period of any six (6) months after any consecutive twelve (12) months after the commencement of operation, the Board may declare the right and franchise and this contract terminated without further proceedings in law or in equity.

Seventh—Said wires, electrical conductors and other property shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City.

No construction shall be commenced by the Company until written permits therefor have been obtained from the proper City officials. In any permits so issued such officials may also impose such conditions, as a condition of the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures, in the streets and avenues, over which such officials have jurisdiction, and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

Eighth—All wires or other electrical conductors of the Company laid pursuant to this contract shall be placed in ducts, conduits or subways (referred to in this paragraph as subways). Such subways shall be leased from the company or companies having control thereof under the provisions of law, or from the City should it succeed to the rights of such company or companies. If the City shall construct or acquire subways for electrical conductors in the Borough of Manhattan or the portion of the Borough of The Bronx west of the Bronx River, the Company hereby agrees to lay its wires and electrical conductors in such subways, and the City agrees to lease to the Company during the term of this contract such space as may be required for the business herein authorized.

Ninth—The Company shall, upon request from any individual or corporation occupying or owning premises in the territory in which the Company is operating, not in arrears to it for service already rendered, extend its wires to such premises and furnish its service to such individual or corporation, provided that such premises are not more than one-half (1/2) mile from any other premises in which the Company has its apparatus installed at the time such request is made.

Tenth—The Company shall file with the Board on the first day of November in each year a map or plan upon which shall be plainly indicated the number of wires which shall be used by the Company on the 30th day of September next preceding, and the streets and avenues in which the same are located, and also those which were put in during the preceding year.

Eleventh—The Company shall commence the operation of its system of distribution of music and matters of general interest, as herein authorized, within six (6) months from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor, and shall have in operation the apparatus for the delivery of such service at one thousand (1,000) points upon subscriber's premises within five (5) years from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

Twelfth—The Board may, by resolution, direct the Company to install its apparatus and necessary appurtenances thereto in any or all of the free wards of Bellevue and Allice Hospitals, and in the assembly hall of any or all of the public schools within the portion of the City for which a franchise is hereby granted. Upon notice by the Board to the Company that any such resolution has been adopted the Company shall install such apparatus and the necessary appurtenances thereto, free of charge, and shall furnish service, as directed, at one-half the regular rates charged by the Company for similar service, provided that the Company shall not be required to extend its wires for the purpose of connecting with such hospitals or schools a distance greater in any case than one-half (1/2) mile.

Thirteenth—It is agreed that the Board shall have absolute power to regulate all charges or rates for services rendered by the Company to subscribers pursuant to this contract, provided that such rates shall be reasonable and fair, but the Company shall not at any time within the term of this contract charge more than twenty dollars (\$20) per month for an unlimited music service.

Fourteenth—The Company shall not require nor receive from its subscribers any deposit or advance payment in excess of the cost to it of apparatus leased or furnished to the subscriber on his premises, and of what is reasonably necessary to insure payment of current bills, and on such amounts so paid the Company shall pay interest at the statutory rate whenever such money is held for more than one month. Unpaid bills shall never be charged against property unless due from the owner thereof, and no person not himself in arrears shall be denied service because any previous occupant of the same premises is in arrears to the Company for service.

Fifteenth—The wires of the Company shall be employed for no other purpose than those explicitly set forth herein, and the Company binds itself not to lay, use, lease or operate wires for illegal purposes.

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

Seventeenth—It is a condition of this con-

tract that the Company shall bear the entire expense of all work undertaken by reason of this grant.

Eighteenth—If the Company shall fail to give efficient public service at reasonable rates or at the rates herein fixed, or at the rates which may be hereafter fixed by the Board, or fail to maintain its structures and equipment as herein provided in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided for.

Nineteenth—If, for a period of any three (3) consecutive months after the commencement of the operation of the system proposed by the Company, as herein provided, such system shall not be operated, or if the same shall not be operated for a period of any six (6) months after any consecutive twelve (12) months after the commencement of operation, the Board may declare the right and franchise and this contract terminated without further proceedings in law or in equity.

Twentieth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report not later than November 1 of each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding, and at any other time, upon request of the Board which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued, for cash, for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year.
11. The total amount expended for same.
12. The names of the directors elected at the last meeting of the corporation held for such purpose.
13. Location, value and amount paid for real estate owned by the Company as by last report.
14. Location, value and amount paid for real estate now owned by the Company.
15. Number of subscribers served by the Company.
16. Total receipts of Company for each class of business.
17. Amounts paid by the Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation.
18. Total expenses for operation, including salaries.

—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Twenty-first—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross receipts from all sources within the limits of the City, and shall, on or before November 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company for the year ending September 30 next preceding, in such form as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of such gross receipts from the operation of the system hereby authorized from all subscribers served by the Company, together with such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Twenty-second—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), either in money or security, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the rendering of efficient public service at the rates herein fixed or at the rates which may be hereafter fixed by the Board as herein provided, and in default of the payment of such annual charges, the City shall collect the same with interest from said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company. In case of failure by the Company to comply with the terms of this contract relating to the filing of annual statements, the furnishing of service to applicants as herein provided, or its neglect or refusal to comply with any demand or direction of the Board or other Municipal officers, made pursuant to the terms of this contract or under the authority of any laws or ordinances now or hereafter in force in such cases and in any of these events, the Company shall, except as herein otherwise provided, pay to the City a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) for each violation, which sum or sums may be deducted from said fund.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows:

The Board, on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President, or other officer, to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, said Board shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to the Board to be just, and without legal procedure direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), and in default thereof this contract shall be canceled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

Twenty-third—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board acting under the powers herein reserved, the franchise or consent herein granted may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the wires and electrical conductors constructed and

in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

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

Twenty-fifth—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers, shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Section 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the Laws of the State of New York.

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

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

By....., Mayor.

(CORPORATE SEAL)

Attest....., City Clerk.

THE NEW YORK MAGNAPHONE AND MUSIC COMPANY.

By....., President.

(SEAL)

Attest:....., Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

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

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the New York Magnaphone and Music Company and the said form of 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 for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Thursday, December 7, 1911, in the City Record and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, December 7, 1911, in two daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor thereof and published in The City of New York at the expense of the New York Magnaphone and Music Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the New York Magnaphone and Music Company and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, December 7, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard. (The "Sun" and New York "Press" designated.) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary. Dated New York, October 26, 1911. n13,d7

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1911.

Borough of Richmond.
1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SUBSTANTIAL AND SAFE FENCES IN FRONT OF VACANT LOTS WHEREVER THE SAME ARE NOT NOW BUILT OR ARE OUT OF REPAIR ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF INNIS STREET, BETWEEN MORNINGSTAR ROAD AND JOHN STREET, AND OTHER STREETS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,750 linear feet of board fence, built.
35 strap angle braces, in place, complete, as described in specifications.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer. The plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

The City of New York, November 22, 1911. n29,d12

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION under the direction of Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911,

at 11 a. m., at the stable of the Bureau of Highways, 181st st. and Webster ave.

Lot No. 1. Seizure No. 2287—1 Geo. Sterk & Co. grand piano; 229 iron frame folding chairs, wooden backs, plush covers; 45 chair seats attached; 32 chair backs detached.

Lot No. 2—150 window sashes with glass; 3 show windows; 30 paneled doors; 3 kitchen ranges; 1 furnace; 2 boxed bath-tubs; 1 set of stone wash-tubs; 1 set of enameled wash-tubs; 1 marble wash basin for bath room; 2 kitchen sinks; 1 lot of galvanized iron water pipes; 1 lot of gas pipe and fixtures; 1 lot of iron fire-place backs.

Lot No. 3—1 pile 4-inch by 12-inch, various lengths, yellow pine, consisting of 150 pieces; 1 pile 1 1/2-inch by 5 1/2-inch, various lengths, yellow pine, 100 pieces.

Lot No. 4—18 lanterns; 90 square point shovels; 1 blacksmith vise; 26 scythes (blades); 9 rakes; 260 pounds rubber hose, 3/4-inch, about 625 feet; 1 oil can; 31 round point shovels; 1 sand rammer; 16 scythe handles; 159 picks; 2 pair rubber boots; 5 snow shovels; 1 paving hammer; 6 sickles; 14 hoes; 71 grubs.

Lot No. 5—1 lot second-hand picket fencing and gates, window and door frames, including 3 pair stairs; 1 lot second-hand window shutters and blinds, consisting of 50; 1 large pile of second-hand boards and material from demolished houses, consisting of 100 beams; 200 joists and 1 sectional tool house; also boards from newspaper stand.

Lot No. 6. Seizure No. 2296—1 lot of glazier's stock and fixtures, consisting of 20 cases of broken glass; 3 boxes of sample frame corners; 1 desk; 1 ash can; 1 counter; 1 coal pile.

Lot No. 7—1 load of granite paving blocks.

Lot No. 8. Seizure No. 2278—1 pile of about 1,000 bricks.

Lot No. 9—1 pile of slate, 1,000 pieces.

Lot No. 10—1 pile scrap iron.

Lot No. 11—1 carriage, shifting top.

Lot No. 12—1 pile of lead pipe, about 100 pounds.

Lot No. 13—1 lot of oil and tar barrels, about 80.

TERMS OF SALE.

All property shall be sold "as is." Cash payment or bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and removal of the materials within 48 hours from the date of sale. If the purchaser or purchasers do not comply with the above conditions or removal they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased, which will be thereafter sold for the benefit of the City. The City will not be liable for any loss or damage to property sold between the time of sale and time of removal. And the President of the Borough of The Bronx reserves the right, on the day of the sale, to withdraw from the sale any of the articles and materials, or to reject all bids. n27,d6

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. GEORGE'S CREST, between East Two Hundred and Sixth street and Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and 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 7th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 1, 1911.

DOMINIC L. O'REILLY, BERNARD HARTMAN, Commissioners of Estimate; DOMINIC L. O'REILLY, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. d1,d6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Amsterdam avenue to Jumel place, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

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 widening of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Jumel place, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 111.2 feet north of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, as this street is laid out east of Amsterdam avenue; thence easterly and at right angles to the line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 200.00 feet to the westerly line of Jumel place; thence northerly along the line of Jumel place, distance 75.00 feet; thence westerly and parallel to the last course but one, distance 200.00 feet, to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along the line of Amsterdam avenue, distance 75.00 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

This land is located in Section 8, Block No. 2112 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of June, 1911, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue distant 75 feet southerly from its intersection with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and running thence westwardly and parallel with West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Amsterdam avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Amsterdam avenue to a point distant 75 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence eastwardly and parallel with West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to the intersection with the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue distant 175 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence eastwardly and parallel with West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and its prolongation as laid out adjoining Jumel place, to a point distant 90 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jumel place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jumel place; thence southwardly and parallel with Jumel place to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 125 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, as this street is laid out between Amsterdam avenue and Jumel place, the said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Amsterdam avenue and Jumel place; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Amsterdam avenue and Jumel place to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, as this street is laid out between Amsterdam avenue and Jumel place, the said distance being measured at right angles to West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to the intersection with the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence westwardly in a straight line to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 27, 1911. ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront of The City of New York, on the North River, between West Fifteenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the North River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 25, 1911. JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MATTHEWS AVENUE, from Burke avenue to the Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1911.

JNO. J. LENEHAN, WALTER E. BROWN, DOMINIC O'REILLY, Commissioners of Estimate; JNO. J. LENEHAN, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of RIVERSIDE DRIVE on its easterly side, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

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 widening of Riverside drive on its easterly side, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point distant 675 feet from the northwesterly corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Broadway; thence northerly and at right angles to West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 74.30 feet; thence southerly in a curved line radius 211.00 feet, distance 35.35 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the last course but one, distance 49.68 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly along the said northerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance, 25.00 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

This land to be found in Section 8, Block No. 2134 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of May, 1911, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; on the south by a line midway between West One Hundred and Fifty-third street and West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; and on the west by the easterly line of Riverside drive.

Dated New York, November 27, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of HOE AVENUE, from Aldus street to Whitlock avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

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 opening and extending of Hoe avenue, from Aldus street to Whitlock avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, distant 38.08 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the northwestern line of Whitlock avenue.

1. Thence westerly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street for 60.16 feet.

2. Thence northerly deflecting 85 degrees 50 seconds 00 minutes to the right for 270.88 feet.

3. Thence easterly deflecting 89 degrees 24 minutes 03 seconds to the right for 60.0 feet.

4. Thence southerly for 275.87 feet to the point of beginning.

Hoe avenue is shown on Section 11 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, on June 13, 1894; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 15, 1894, as Map No. 355, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 15, 1894.

Land to be taken for Hoe avenue is located in Blocks 2742 and 2746 of Section 9 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of December, 1910, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Aldus street, midway between Southern boulevard and Hoe avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the southerly line of Aldus street to the intersection with a line midway between Hoe avenue and Faile street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hoe avenue and Faile street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Whitlock avenue; thence southwardly along the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to the said line of Whitlock avenue and passing through a point on the said prolongation of its southeasterly line where it is intersected by a line parallel with Hoe avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Whitlock avenue to the prolongation of its said southeasterly side; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Hoe avenue to the point or place of beginning, excepting, however, all land at right angles to the street lines adjoining the parcels already ceded.

Dated New York, November 27, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, from White Plains road (avenue) to Oakley street (avenue), formerly Ash avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

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 opening and extending of East 217 street, from White Plains road (avenue) to Oakley street (avenue), formerly Ash avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of White Plains road distant 1,318.58 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East 222d street.

1. Thence southerly along the eastern line of White Plains road for 59.0 feet.
2. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees 00 minutes 12 seconds to the left for 1,625.19 feet.
3. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds to the right for 100.10 feet.
4. Thence easterly deflecting 2 degrees 33 minutes 37 seconds to the left for 1,491.52 feet.
5. Thence northeasterly deflecting 56 degrees 1 minute 17 seconds to the left for 72.36 feet.
6. Thence westerly deflecting 123 degrees 58 minutes 43 seconds to the left for 1,531.93 feet.
7. Thence westerly deflecting 39 degrees 9 minutes 52 seconds to the left for 100.15 feet.
8. Thence westerly for 1,625.18 feet to the point of beginning.

East 217th street, from White Plains road to Oakley street, is shown on Sections 30, 32 and 33 of the Final Maps of the Borough of The Bronx, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, under authority of Chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 and amendatory acts which maps were filed as follows:

Section 30—Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on January 9, 1911; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on January 4, 1911, as Map No. 1479, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on January 5, 1911, in pigeon hole 150.

Section 32—Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on January 9, 1911; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on January 4, 1911, as Map No. 1477, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on January 4, 1911, in pigeon hole 150.

Section 33—Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on June 21, 1911; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on June 17, 1911, as Map No. 1532, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on June 19, 1911, in pigeon hole 165.

Land taken for East 217th street is located east of Bronx River.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22d day of May, 1908, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line always midway between East 217th street and East 218th street, and by the prolongation of said line; on the southeast by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Oakley street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Oakley street, on the south by a line always midway between East 216th street and East 217th street, and by the prolongations of the said line; and on the west by a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of White Plains road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of White Plains road.

Dated New York, November 27, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n27,d8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of WEST TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, between Tenth avenue and Emerson street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 20th day of December, 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 21st day of December, 1911, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 11th day of March, 1910, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between West Two Hundred and Seventh street and West Two Hundred and Eighth street, where it is intersected by a line midway between Ninth avenue and Tenth avenue, and running thence southerly along the said line midway between Ninth avenue and Tenth avenue to the intersection with a line midway between West Two Hundred and Sixth street and West Two Hundred and Seventh street; thence westerly along the said line midway between West Two Hundred and Sixth street and West Two Hundred and Seventh street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southeasterly line of Emerson street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Emerson street; thence northwesterly and parallel with Emerson street to the intersection with a line midway between Sherman avenue and Vermilyea avenue; thence northeasterly along the said line midway between Sherman avenue and Vermilyea avenue to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Emerson street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Emerson street; thence southeasterly and parallel with Emerson street to the intersection with a line paral-

lel with West Two Hundred and Seventh street and passing through the point of beginning; thence easterly along the said line parallel with West Two Hundred and Seventh street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 20th day of December, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 23, 1911.

CHARLES L. HOFFMAN, Chairman; T. O. MCGILL, HENRY BRADY, Commissioners of Estimate; CHARLES L. HOFFMAN, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n27,d14

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PARKER STREET (avenue), from Protector Avenue to Wellington Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1911, 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 December, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1911, 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 December, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of January, 1909, 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 northerly line of Wellington Avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Zerega Avenue and Parker Street, as these streets are laid out northwesterly from Westchester Avenue, and running thence southerly at right angles to Wellington Avenue, a distance of 160 feet, thence westerly and parallel with Wellington Avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to its northerly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Parker Street and Glover Street; thence northwesterly along the said line at right angles to Wellington Avenue to its northerly side; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Parker Street and Glover Street, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between St. Raymond Avenue and Parker Street as these streets are laid out between Purdy Street and Castle Hill Avenue; thence westerly along the said line midway between St. Raymond Avenue and Parker Street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Purdy Street; thence northwesterly and parallel, respectively with Purdy Street and Protector Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 250 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Parker Street, as laid out between Protector Avenue and Castle Hill Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Parker Street; thence easterly along the said line parallel with Parker Street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Zerega Avenue and Parker Street, as these streets are laid out northwesterly from Westchester Avenue; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between Zerega Avenue and Parker Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 18th day of December, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of February, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 22, 1911.

ERNEST HALL, Chairman; DAN'L W. PATTERSON, CHAS. C. MARRIN, Commissioners of Estimate; ERNEST HALL, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n25,d13

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening and extending of GUN HILL ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster Avenue to Elliott Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 8th day of December, 1911, 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, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 9th day of December, 1911, at 10 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 16th day of November, 1906, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the west by a line 100 feet west of the westerly side of Webster Avenue and parallel therewith; on the north by a line 100 feet north of the northerly side of East 213th street and parallel therewith, and the said line extended from a point 100 feet west of the westerly side of Webster Avenue to a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of White Plains road; on the east by a line 100 feet east of the easterly side of White Plains road and parallel therewith; on the south by a line 100 feet south of the southerly side of East 210th street and parallel therewith, and the said line extended from a point 100 feet east of the easterly side of White Plains road to a point 100 feet west of the westerly side of Webster Avenue.

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, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 9th day of December, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 20, 1911.

JOHN J. MACKIN, TIMOTHY E. COHALAN, Commissioners of Estimate; TIMOTHY E. COHALAN, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n24,d6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of TREMONT AVENUE (or East 177th Street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Aqueduct Avenue to Sedgwick Avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

In re petition of Elizabeth D. Camp for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by her in connection with the premises described in said petition being Lot No. 1, Block 2879, in Section 11, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of East 177th street, between Aqueduct Avenue and Andrews Avenue in front of and adjoining said premises.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of December, 1911, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of

that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 24, 1911.

FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, JOHN F. MAHER, RODERICK J. KENNEDY, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n24,d6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly line of Hamilton place, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, known as Parcel Damage No. 2, including the easements of light, air and access over Damage Parcel No. 3, or having any interest therein as directed by the order of the Special Term granted herein and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the first day of July 1910, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at its office, situated at the southwest corner of 59th street and Park Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Thursday, November 23, 1911, file their objections, in writing, with us at our office, Room 401, 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 6th day of December, 1911, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, November 22, 1911.

CHARLES L. HOFFMAN, BENNO LEWINSON, GEORGE WILLIAM CLUNE, Commissioners. JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. n23,d5

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of JEFFERSON STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Liberty Avenue to Tysen Avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of December, 1911, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 1, 1911.

SIDNEY F. RAWSON, JOHN CROAK, JAMES MCBRIEN, Commissioners of Estimate; SIDNEY F. RAWSON, Commissioner of Assessment. JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. d1,6

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SHEFFIELD AVENUE, from Livonia Avenue to New Lots Avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of December, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. 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, 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22d day of December, 1911, 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 4th day of June, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Georgia Avenue and Sheffield Avenue, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Livonia

avenue, and running thence eastwardly and parallel with Livonia avenue, to a line midway between Sheffield avenue and Pennsylvania avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Sheffield avenue and Pennsylvania avenue to the northerly line of New Lots avenue; thence southwardly at right angles to New Lots avenue a distance of 170 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with New Lots avenue to a line at right angles to New Lots avenue, and passing through a point on its northerly side midway between Georgia avenue and Sheffield avenue; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to New Lots avenue to its northerly side; thence northwardly along a line midway between Sheffield avenue and Georgia avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 24 day of January, 1912.

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 24th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 1, 1911.

GEORGE A. STEVES, WALTER F. CLAYTON, Chairman; JOHN H. ELLIOTT, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE A. STEVES, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. d1,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of a NEW DIAGONAL STREET, from Jackson avenue, opposite the approach to the Blackwells Island Bridge, to the northwesterly boundary of the Sunnyside Yard, and from the southeasterly boundary of the Sunnyside Yard to Thomson avenue, and of VAN DAM STREET, from the new diagonal street to Greenpoint avenue, and of GREENPOINT AVENUE, from Revere avenue to Newtown Creek, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 26th day of December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22d day of December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 10th day of April, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southwesterly line of East 98th street where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Ralph avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ralph avenue, and running thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Ralph avenue to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed between the centre lines of East 98th street and Ralph avenue as these streets are laid out south of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Union street and President street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Union street and President street to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph avenue and Buffalo avenue as these streets are laid out north of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Ralph avenue and Buffalo avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Eastern parkway; thence eastwardly along a line parallel with Eastern parkway to the intersection with a line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue, as the said streets are laid out north of Eastern parkway; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Ralph avenue and Howard avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of East New York avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East New York avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with East New York avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to the intersection with a line at right angles to East New York avenue, passing through a point on the southerly line of Pitkin avenue midway between Grafton street and Barrett street; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to East New York avenue to the southerly line of Pitkin avenue; thence southwardly along a line midway between Grafton street and Barrett street to the northerly line of East 98th street; thence southwardly at right angles to East 98th street to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East

98th street; thence northwardly along a line parallel with East 98th street and always distant 100 feet therefrom to the intersection with a line at right angles to East 98th street passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to East 98th 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, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 24 day of January, 1912.

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 24th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 1, 1911.

ARNON L. SQUIERS, Chairman; M. V. DORNEY, EDWARD LYONS, Commissioners of Estimate; ARNON L. SQUIERS, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. d1,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of a NEW DIAGONAL STREET, from Jackson avenue, opposite the approach to the Blackwells Island Bridge, to the northwesterly boundary of the Sunnyside Yard, and from the southeasterly boundary of the Sunnyside Yard to Thomson avenue, and of VAN DAM STREET, from the new diagonal street to Greenpoint avenue, and of GREENPOINT AVENUE, from Revere avenue to Newtown Creek, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 26th day of December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 27th day of December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 6th day of November, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeasterly bulkhead line of Newtown Creek with the centre line of Dutch Kills Creek, and running thence eastwardly and northwardly along the centre line of Dutch Kills Creek to its intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Dutch Kills place and Queens place, as laid out south of the Sunnyside Yard; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Dutch Kills place and Queens place to the prolongation thereof to its intersection with the prolongation of a line 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Harris avenue, as laid out immediately west of the Crescent, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Harris avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Harris avenue and the prolongation thereof to its intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between the Crescent and William street, as these streets are laid out north of Harris avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between the Crescent and William street to its intersection with a line midway between Paynter avenue and Wilbur avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Paynter avenue and Wilbur avenue to its intersection with a line midway between Radde street and Academy street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Radde street and Academy street to its intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of South Washington place, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of South Washington place; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with South Washington place to its intersection with the northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Honeywell street to its intersection with a line distant 850 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Skillman avenue, as laid out between the new diagonal street and Honeywell street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Skillman avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Skillman avenue, as laid out between the new diagonal street and Honeywell street, to its intersection with a line easterly from and parallel with Honeywell street, and passing

through a point on the northerly line of Skillman avenue where the said line of Skillman avenue is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Hulst street and Van Pelt street; thence southerly and parallel with Honeywell street to its intersection with Skillman avenue; thence southwardly along a line midway between Hulst street and Van Pelt street, and along the prolongation thereof to the northerly bulkhead line of Newtown Creek; thence northwardly along the northeasterly bulkhead line of Newtown Creek to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 26th day of December, 1911.

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 for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of February, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1911.

JOHN ANDERSON LEACH, Chairman; GEO. V. TODD, CLIFFORD M. TAPPEN, Commissioners of Estimate; CLIFFORD M. TAPPEN, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. d1,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE, from Coney Island avenue to the former Town line of New Utrecht and Flatbush, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of December, 1911, at 3 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 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22d day of December, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 2d day of July, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street where it is intersected by a line midway between Seventeenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, as these streets are laid out southwesterly from Forty-seventh street, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Seventeenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line, to a point distant 300 feet northerly from the northerly line of Eighteenth avenue, as laid out easterly of Forty-seventh street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Eighteenth avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Eighteenth avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Westminster road and Argyle road; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Westminster road and Argyle road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Webster avenue and Newkirk avenue as these streets are laid out east of Ocean parkway; thence westwardly along a line always midway between Webster avenue and Newkirk avenue, and along the prolongations of said line, to a line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Forty-seventh street and Forty-eighth 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 2d day of January, 1912.

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 24th day of January, 1912, 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 Section 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 1, 1911.

THOMAS H. TROY, HARRIS G. EAMES, SOLON BARBANELL, Commissioners of Estimate; THOMAS H. TROY, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. d1,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SHARON STREET, between Olive street and Morgan avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of December, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. 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, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22d day of December, 1911, 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 7th day of May, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Morgan avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Sharon street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sharon street, and running thence eastwardly at right angles to Morgan avenue a distance of 160 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Morgan avenue to a line at right angles to Morgan avenue and passing through a point on its westerly side midway between Sharon street and Metropolitan avenue; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Morgan avenue to its westerly side; thence westwardly and parallel with Sharon street and the prolongation thereof to the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Olive street as laid out north of Orient avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Orient avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Olive street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a line at right angles to Olive street and passing through a point on its easterly side where it is intersected by a line parallel with Sharon street and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to Olive street to its easterly side; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Sharon 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, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 2d day of January, 1912.

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 24th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 1, 1911.

HAROLD N. WHITEHOUSE, Chairman; WILLIAM H. SWARTWOUT, EDWARD BARUCH, Commissioners of Estimate; HAROLD N. WHITEHOUSE, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. d1,18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RIDGE STREET, from the Boulevard to Academy street, 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 Department, dated the 21st day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of November, 1911, William E. Stewart, George Pople and Jacob Sulzbach were appointed commissioners of estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order William E. Stewart was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William E. Stewart, George Pople and Jacob Sulzbach will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County

Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceedings, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, November 29, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n29,d11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NAGY STREET, between Metropolitan Avenue and Grand Street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of November, 1911, Morris L. Strauss, William Rasquin, Jr., and Luke Otten, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Morris L. Strauss was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Morris L. Strauss, William Rasquin, Jr., and Luke Otten will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, November 29, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n29,d11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SHERMAN STREET, from 14th street to Grand Avenue; and of MARION STREET, from 14th street to Ridge Street, 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 Department, dated the 21st day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of November, 1911, John N. Booth, George H. Alexander and Harry R. Gelwicks were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order John N. Booth was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John N. Booth, George H. Alexander and Harry R. Gelwicks will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, November 29, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n29,d11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NOTT AVENUE, from Van Dam Street to Calvary Cemetery; and of ANABLE AVENUE, from Van Dam Street to Calvary Cemetery, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of November, 1911, John B. Merrill, Robert B. Lawrence and Frank E. Losee were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John B. Merrill was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John B. Merrill, Robert B. Lawrence and Frank E. Losee will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, November 29, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n29,d11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FISKE AVENUE, from Woodside Avenue to Grand Street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 23d day of November, 1911, Patrick J. Mara, J. H. Quinlan and Clinton T. Roe were appointed Commissioners of Estimate

in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Patrick J. Mara was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, Patrick J. Mara, J. H. Quinlan and Clinton T. Roe will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of ex parte motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York on the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other persons having any interest in the said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners in the above-entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, November 29, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n29,d11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DITMARS AVENUE, from 43d street to Astoria Avenue, and FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Ditmars Avenue to the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 12th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York in fee, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Ditmars Avenue, from 43d street to Astoria Avenue; and 43d street, from Ditmars Avenue to the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Ditmars Avenue with the westerly line of 43d street;

Running thence northeasterly for 105.26 feet along the northeasterly line of 43d street to the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue;

Thence northeasterly deflecting to the left 90 degrees 40 minutes 20 seconds for 662.12 feet along the northeasterly line of 43d street to the United States bulkhead line of Flushing Bay;

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 70.0 feet along the said United States bulkhead line of Flushing Bay to the southeasterly line of 43d street;

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 651.87 feet along the southeasterly line of 43d street to the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue;

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the left 98 degrees 19 minutes 37 seconds for 1,858.12 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue;

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 707.67 feet for 180.84 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination thereof;

Thence southeasterly for 1,196.37 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, the said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 700 feet 27.5 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 572.162 feet for 145.89 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly for 313.10 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly deflecting to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 560.283 feet for 77.35 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly for 768.43 feet along the northeasterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence southeasterly and easterly deflecting to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 620 feet for 384.35 feet along the northeasterly and northerly line of Astoria Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the southeasterly termination of same.

Thence easterly for 51.66 feet along the northerly line of Astoria Avenue to the northeasterly line of 54th street, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the easterly termination of same.

Thence southwesterly deflecting to the right 119 degrees 12 minutes 2 seconds for 32.20 feet along the northwesterly line of 54th street to the northerly line of old Flushing Avenue.

Thence westerly deflecting to the right 58 degrees 45 minutes 45 seconds for 118.14 feet along the northerly line of old Flushing Avenue.

Thence westerly deflecting to the right 2 degrees 20 minutes 50 seconds for 245.19 feet along the northerly line of old Flushing Avenue to the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the right 35 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds for 880.23 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 660.283 feet for 91.16 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly for 313.10 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 672.162 feet for 171.39 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 600 feet for 235.86 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly for 1,196.37 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said

course being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 607.677 feet for 155.29 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly for 1,867.38 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, said curve being tangent to the last mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Thence northwesterly deflecting to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is 768.83 feet for 78.08 feet along the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue to the westerly line of 43d street to the point or place of beginning, said curve being tangent to last-mentioned course at the northwesterly termination of same.

Ditmars Avenue and 43d street are shown upon the following sections of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens:

Section No. 24, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 26, 1911; filed at County Clerk's office, Jamaica, April 6, 1911; filed at Borough President's office April 7, 1911; filed in Corporation Counsel's office April 7, 1911. Portions of Nos. 21 and 22 adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 15, 1910; filed at County Clerk's office, Jamaica, March 2, 1911; filed at Borough President's office February 27, 1911; filed in Corporation Counsel's office February 27, 1911.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 6th day of April, 1911, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay distant 360 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the said line with the northwesterly line of 43d street, and running thence southeasterly along the said bulkhead line to the intersection with a line midway between 54th street and 55th street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Berrian Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between 54th street and 55th street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of 54th street, as this street is laid out south of Astoria Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to 54th street; thence southwardly and parallel with 54th street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Astoria Avenue and the northerly line of Jackson Avenue, as these streets are laid out between 54th street and 55th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between 49th street and 50th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 49th street and 50th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Astoria Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Astoria Avenue; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Astoria Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between 47th street and 48th street, as these streets are laid out between Jackson Avenue and Hayes Avenue; thence northwardly along the said prolongation of a line midway between 47th street and 48th street to the intersection with a line midway between Bay 3d street and Bay 4th street, as these streets are in use and commonly recognized; thence northwardly along a line always midway between Bay 3d street and Bay 4th street, and the prolongations thereof, to the intersection with a line distant 1,000 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Ditmars Avenue, as this street is laid out northwesterly from and adjoining Schurz Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ditmars Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Ditmars Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line parallel with 43d street, as this street is laid out northeast of Ditmars Avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with 43d street to the point or place of beginning.

New York, November 28, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan. n28,d9

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending ELEVENTH AVENUE, from Kouwenhoven Lane to Fifty-ninth street; and TWELFTH AVENUE, from Sixty-fifth street to Seventy-third street, and from West Street to Sixtieth street, excluding the land in Twelfth Avenue, from West Street to Sixtieth street occupied by the tracks of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad, and of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 6th day of December, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated New York, November 28, 1911.
CHARLES F. SHAUGHNESSY, GEORGE J. S. DOWLING, Commissioners of Estimate; CHARLES F. SHAUGHNESSY, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. n28,d4

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THIRTEENTH AVENUE, from Thirtieth street to Seventy-third street, excluding the land occupied by the Prospect Park and South Brooklyn Railroad Company, the Sea Beach Railroad Company, the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad and the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad Company, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 11th day of December, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, November 28, 1911.

JAS. B. SHELDON, GEORGE F. MADDOCK, JOSEPH J. EARLY, Commissioners of Estimate; JAS. B. SHELDON, Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. n28,d9

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BLECKER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough Line to Forest Avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered herein on the 10th day of May, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street, as shown upon Sections 15 and 16 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and approved by the Mayor on the 4th day of June, 1909.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1911, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of December, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Opening in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 18th day of December, 1911.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the line dividing the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line or side of Blecker street, measured on a line drawn at right angles with said northwesterly line or side of Blecker street, running thence north easterly and easterly and at all times parallel with the northwesterly and northerly line or side of Blecker street and 100 feet distant therefrom to a point on the westerly side of Forest Avenue 100 feet north from the intersection of the westerly side of Forest Avenue with the northerly side of Blecker street, thence still easterly in prolongation of the last mentioned line 166.05 feet, thence southerly and at all times parallel with the easterly side of Forest Avenue and 100 feet distant therefrom 260.05 feet, thence westerly in prolongation of a line drawn parallel with and 100 feet distant from the southerly side of Blecker street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Blecker street, measured at right angles therewith, and thence southwesterly and at all times parallel with the southeasterly side of Blecker street and 100 feet distant therefrom to the line dividing the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and thence northwesterly along said last mentioned line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 20, 1911.

LEONARD RUOFF, JR., FRANK E. LOSEE, Commissioners.
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. n25,d13

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of RICHARD AVENUE, extending from Myrtle Avenue to Hughes Street, formerly Hancock Street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 25th day of January, 1911, so as to relate to Richard Avenue, from Myrtle Avenue to Otto Street, as shown upon Sections 29 and 34 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and the 2d day of July, 1909.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1911, 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 December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him

at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 18th day of December, 1911, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of November, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Otto street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Otto street; on the east by a line midway between Richard avenue and Meade street and by the prolongations of the said line; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Myrtle avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Myrtle avenue, and on the west by a line midway between Richard avenue and McKinley avenue and by the prolongations of the said line.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 18th day of December, 1911.

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 for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 21, 1911.

DENNIS J. HARTE, Chairman; STEPHEN McMAHON, FRANK L. BACON, Commissioners of Estimate; DENNIS J. HARTE, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. n25,d13

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BROADWAY (although not yet named by proper authority), from its present terminus, south of Elizabeth street, southwardly in a straight line to Mesereau avenue, joining said avenue at an angle of about 85 degrees, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of December, 1911, at 10 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 21, 1911.

J. HARRY TIERNAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n21,d2

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of TARGEE STREET, from Broad street to the junction of Fingerboard road and Richmond road, in the Second and Fourth Wards, Borough of Richmond, 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 affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of December, 1911, 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 December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of December, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 14th day of December, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 2d day of July, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 500 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Targee street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Targee street, where it is intersected by a line at right angles to the line of Targee street and passing through a point on the prolongation of the easterly line of Targee street distant 500 feet southerly from its intersection with the northwesterly line of Fingerboard road as in use and commonly recognized, and running thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Targee street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Richmond road as in use and commonly recognized, the said distance being measured at right angles to Richmond road; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Richmond road as in use and commonly recognized to a point distant 500 feet northerly from the northerly line of Broad street as in use and commonly recognized, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broad street; thence eastwardly and parallel with Broad street as in use and commonly recognized to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 500 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Targee street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Targee street; thence southwardly and always distant 500 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Targee street, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line at right angles to the line of Targee street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Targee 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, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 11th day of December, 1911.

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, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 16, 1911.

FRANK H. CURRY, Chairman; HORATIO J. SHARRETT, FRANK C. MEBANE, Commissioners of Estimate; FRANK C. MEBANE, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. n21,d8

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WOOLSEY AVENUE, from Barclay street to Steinway 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 Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 17th day of November, 1911, J. H. Quinlan, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said J. H. Quinlan, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of TITUS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the First Ward, of the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 17th day of November, 1911, Robert B. Lawrence, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Robert B. Lawrence, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of

CYPRESS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough Line to Cooper street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of November, 1911, Eugene V. Daly, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Eugene V. Daly, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of HANCOCK STREET, from Vernon avenue, near 12th street, northwardly to Vernon avenue, north of Sanford street, and the PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by the easterly line of Vernon avenue, the northwesterly line of Hancock street and the northeasterly line of Nott 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 Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of November, 1911, Charles A. Brodek, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said Charles A. Brodek, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of COLUMBIA PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grand street to Brown place, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of November, 1911, George Pople, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said George Pople, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of November, 1911, John Silvestro, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John Silvestro, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of VAN DEVENTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Old Bowers Bay road to 2d 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 Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 17th day of November, 1911, James J. Conway, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said James J. Conway, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THE PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by Van Alst avenue, 9th street and Jackson 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 Department, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 17th day of November, 1911, William H. Robinson, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of John J. Trapp, deceased.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said William H. Robinson, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of *ex parte* motions of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel or any other person having any interest in said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated November 20, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. n20,d1

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CASTLETON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Columbia street to Jewett avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 17th day of May, 1910, making the lines conform with those of Castleton avenue, between Jewett avenue and Columbia street, as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 11th day of March, 1910, so as to make the lines and grades conform with those of Castleton avenue, between Columbia street and Jewett avenue, as shown on a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough of Richmond and dated June 10, 1910, and adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 1, 1910.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of December, 1911, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of December, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of December, 1911.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel with and 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Burgher avenue and a line parallel with and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Henderson avenue, running thence westerly along the line 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Henderson avenue and along its prolongation to the intersection with the line parallel with and 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Taylor street; running thence southerly along said line distant 100 feet from the westerly line of Taylor street to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Cedar

avenue; running thence westerly along the line 100 feet northerly of Cedar avenue and along its prolongation to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Jewett avenue; running thence northerly along the said line 100 feet from the easterly side of Jewett avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line parallel with and 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of New street; running thence westerly along said line to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Jewett avenue; thence still southerly along the line 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Jewett avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Catherine street; running thence southeasterly along the line 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Catherine street to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Jewett avenue; thence northeasterly along the line 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Jewett avenue to the intersection with a line midway between proposed Castleton avenue and Post avenue; running thence easterly along the dividing line between Castleton and Post avenues to the intersection of the line midway between Castleton avenue and Cary avenue; thence still easterly along the line midway between Castleton avenue and Cary avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with and 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Burgher avenue; thence northerly along the line 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Burgher avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 15, 1911.
WILLIAM J. KENNEY, Chairman; JAMES E. MULLIGAN, EDWARD P. DOYLE, Commissioners.
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. n20,d7

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EMMA STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Flushing avenue to William street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, duly made and entered herein on the 16th day of May, 1910, so as to conform to the lines of said street, as shown upon Sections 13 and 16 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and approved by the Mayor on the 4th day of June, 1909.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of December, 1911, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of December, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 11th day of December, 1911.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of the southwesterly side of Emma street and distant from the northwesterly side of Flushing avenue 100 feet; thence running in a southeasterly direction along the last mentioned prolongation of the southwesterly side of Emma street to the said northwesterly side of Flushing avenue; thence running in a southwesterly direction along the said northwesterly side of Flushing avenue to a point where the centre line of the block between the southwesterly side of Emma street and the northwesterly side of Sophie street, if prolonged would intersect the said northwesterly side of Flushing avenue; thence running in a southeasterly direction along the centre line prolonged, as aforesaid, and along the said last mentioned centre line to where the same, if prolonged further, would intersect the southeasterly side of Nurge street; thence running in a southerly direction to a point on the northerly side of Metropolitan avenue at the centre line of the block bounded by the southeasterly side of Nurge street and the southwesterly side of Emma street; thence running in an easterly direction along said northerly side of Metropolitan avenue to where the said northerly side of Metropolitan avenue intersects the southeasterly side of William street; thence running in a northeasterly direction along the said southeasterly side of William street to a point midway between the northwesterly side of Emma street and the southwesterly side of Martin street; thence running in a northwesterly direction along the last mentioned centre line to where the same intersects the southeasterly side of Flushing avenue; thence running in a southwesterly direction along the said southeasterly side of Flushing avenue to the northwesterly side of Emma street; thence running in a northwesterly direction along the said northwesterly side of Emma street to a point on a prolongation of the said northwesterly side of Flushing avenue 100 feet; thence running in a southwesterly direction on a straight line to the point or place of beginning as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, our final report herein will be presented

for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 10, 1911.
EDWARD A. MAHER, Jr., Chairman;
DAVID SPRINGSTEIN, Commissioners.
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. n17,d5

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of TWELFTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this 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 we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 2d day of December, 1911, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of December, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 5th day of December, 1911.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Jackson avenue with the centre line of the blocks between 12th avenue and 13th avenue and running thence northerly along said centre line to its intersection with the southerly line of Flushing avenue; thence westerly along said southerly line of Flushing avenue to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between 12th avenue and 11th avenue; thence southerly along said last mentioned centre line to its intersection with the northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence easterly along said northerly line of Jackson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 6, 1911.
B. FRANK WOOD, Chairman; THEODORE F. ARCHER, CLINTON T. ROE, Commissioners.
JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. n14,d1

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by the City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, in the Twenty-Sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the Hearing of Motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, on the 2d day of December, 1911, at the opening of court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York, to certain lands and premises with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the easterly side of Pennsylvania avenue, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for school purposes, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Pennsylvania avenue, distant 280 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Liberty avenue with the easterly side of Pennsylvania avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with Liberty avenue 110 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Pennsylvania avenue 51 feet 3 inches; thence westerly and again parallel with Liberty avenue 110 feet to the easterly side of Pennsylvania avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Pennsylvania avenue 51 feet 3 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, November 16, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, Hall of Records, Centre and Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. n20,d1

SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Hill View Reservoir—Section No. 1.

Amended Report.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the Acts amendatory thereof in the City of Yonkers, Westchester County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the amended report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, dated October 11, 1911, filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester at White Plains, New York, October 20, 1911, including Parcels 1 and 3, 4, 8, 14, 17, 29, 38, 40 and 54, will be presented to the Supreme Court for confirmation, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House in White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the 15th day of December, 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all of the awards contained in said report.

Dated November 16, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, Corner of Chambers and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. n24,d15

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Hill View Reservoir—Section No. 2.

Tenth Separate Report.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the Acts amendatory thereof, in the City of Yonkers, Westchester County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Tenth Separate Report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, dated November 2, 1911, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., November 6, 1911, including parcels Numbers 57, 76, 79, 96, 111 and 116 will be presented to the Supreme Court for confirmation at a Special Term thereof to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District at the Court House in White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on the 1st day of December, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated November 8, 1911.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, Corner of Chambers and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. n10,d1

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Depart-

ment of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioner of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department, and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a Department, chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel can be obtained upon application 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.