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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing June 25, 1917.

Tuesday, June 26, 1917—10.30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1541—Flatbush Gas Company—Samuel Maires et al., Complainants—"Rates for electricity in Brooklyn"—Commissioners Hayward and Hervey.

Wednesday, June 27, 1917—2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2207—Gas corporations in the Borough of The Bronx—"Power, purity, pressure and quality of gas"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2208—The Long Island Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Tunnel and Terminal Railroad Company—"Application for approval of agreement as to trackage rights and use of Pennsylvania station to July 1, 1918"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2149—Union Railway Company in the City of New York et al.—"General service conditions"—Whole Commission.

Thursday, June 28, 1917—10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2211—Third Avenue Railway Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2212—New York Railways Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2214—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2217—New York and North Shore Traction Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 11.30 a. m.—Room 2562—R. T. 7225—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Section 1, Route No. 18—Bids for supply of special work. Order No. 15, for use in construction of 180th Street yard—White Plains Road Line"—Whole Commission.

Friday, June 29, 1917—10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2211—Third Avenue Railway Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2212—New York Railways Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2214—Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company et al.—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission. 10.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m., 2 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2217—New York and North Shore Traction Company—"Application relative to changes and advances in rates of fare"—Whole Commission.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Tuesday at 10.30 a. m.

Regular Meeting of the Commission held on Wednesday at 11 a. m.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, June 14, 1917.

Present at Roll Call—Albert E. Hadlock, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Milo R. Mithie, Chamberlain; Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen; Francis P. Kenney, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

His Honor, the Mayor, arrived later. See note.

The Minutes of the meetings held May 31 and June 7, 1917, were approved as printed.

Dock Department—Proposed Amendment of All Leases or Renewals Thereof, of Franchises to Operate Ferries in Connection with an Interstate Railroad.

The Committee to which was referred at meeting held January 25, 1917, the request of the Commissioner of Docks for authority to amend all leases or renewals thereof, of franchise to operate ferries in connection with an interstate railroad, by striking out the provisions therein contained which have to do with the rates of ferryage to be charged on such ferries, presented a report recommending that the Commissioner of Docks be authorized to amend all such existing leases or renewals thereof, by striking therefrom the clause relative to ferry rates at present incorporated in such leases, such amendment to be made, however, only after each lessee has filed in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries its written consent thereto.

On motion, action thereon was laid over until the next meeting.

Dock Department—Approval of Assignment by the New England Navigation Company to the New England Steamship Company of Certain Leases.

The following was received from the Commissioner of Docks:

Pier A, North River, May 19, 1917.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Dear Sir—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company controls various Sound steamboat lines, including the New England Steamship Company, the Hartford & New York Transportation Company, and the New England Navigation Company, the latter, however, being only a holding company.

On January 9, 1915, as required by the United States Statute, a petition was submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission by the railroad company to permit the continuance of the operation of the steamboats owned and controlled by the railroad company. A hearing was subsequently held, but no action has as yet been taken with regard to the matter.

On April 5, 1915, in order that the leases should be in the name of the respective operating companies and for the purpose of dissolving the New England Navigation Company, the holding company, and also to adjust matters so that if necessary the requirements of the Federal Authorities might be complied with, an application was submitted to this Department by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company for consent to make various transfers and assignments of the leases of wharf property owned by the City.

The negotiations which have been carried on since that time have now been completed, and as a result I propose to consent to the various assignments requested provided it meets with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

I am pleased to report that the negotiations have also resulted in the surrender of the lease of the pier foot of 44th Street and a release has been filed in this Department by the Hartford & New York Transportation Company, which has succeeded by merger to all of the property, rights, franchises, etc., of the United States Transportation Company of its right to exercise an option of renewal of the lease of the pier at the foot of West 44th Street and the adjoining bulkhead, which release has been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel.

The lease of the West 44th Street pier extended from March 1, 1908, to March 1, 1918, with privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years expiring March 1, 1928. By the release of this pier the City can carry out the comprehensive improvement contemplated for this section, and will permit its extension inshore, its widening and reshedding, to form part of the plan for the international service in connection with the new 46th Street pier.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 15, 1914, and the Board of Aldermen on June 9, 1914, authorized the modification of the original contract for the West 46th Street improvement so as to extend the cofferdam to the northerly side of the proposed new pier at the foot of 44th Street, and to excavate all material including rock. This work has now been completed, and the rock excavated to a depth of forty-four feet.

The assignors have filed a statement in this Department to the effect that no profit comes to them by reason of these assignments, but that the sum of money by way of rental or otherwise required by the terms of the lease is all that the assignee is to be required to pay as a condition of taking such assignments.

The proposed assignees have filed in this Department a statement that each of them is in occupation of the pier or piers, the leases of which are to be transferred to them and that such occupation is necessary to the continued transaction of their business.

I, therefore, beg to recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund consent to the following transfers and assignments for the reasons above set forth:

By the New England Navigation Company to the New England Steamship Company:

Pier 40, North River, and the half bulkheads adjoining each side.

Pier 28, East River, and the adjoining bulkhead.

Southerly half of the bulkhead between Piers New 28 and 29, East River.

By the New England Navigation Company to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company:

Pier New 31, East River.

Respectfully yours,

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

In connection therewith the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 5, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On May 19th the Commissioner of Docks recommended that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund consent to the transfer and assignment of the following wharf property:

By the New England Navigation Company to the New England Steamship Company:

Pier 40, North River, and the half bulkheads adjoining each side.

Pier 28, East River, and the adjoining bulkhead.

Southerly half of the bulkhead between Piers New 28 and 29, East River.

By the New England Navigation Company to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company:

Pier New 31, East River.

The purport of this recommendation is to permit the New England Navigation Company, which is only a holding company controlled by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, which also controls the New England Steamship Company, to comply with the requirements of the Federal Authorities by placing the leases in the name of the respective operating companies.

The Commissioner of Docks states that negotiations to this end carried on since April 5, 1915, are now completed, and he proposes to consent to the several assignments, provided such action meets with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The Commissioner advises that as a result of the negotiations, the Hartford and New York Transportation Company, which has succeeded by merger to all of the property, rights, franchises, etc., of the United States Transportation Company, has surrendered its lease of the pier foot of 44th Street, and filed a release in the Department of Docks and Ferries of its right to exercise an option of renewal of the lease of the pier at foot of West 44th Street and adjoining bulkhead, which release has been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel.

The lease of the West 44th Street pier extended from March 1, 1908 to March 1, 1918, with privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years expiring March 1, 1928. The release by the lessee of its right of renewal of the West 44th Street pier lease permits the City to carry out its contemplated improvements for this section.

The Commissioner of Docks further advises that the work authorized under the modification of the original contract for the West 46th Street improvement, which involved the excavation of all material to the northerly side of the proposed new pier at the foot of West 44th Street, has been completed, the rock being excavated to a depth of forty-four feet.

As the assignors have filed a statement to the effect that no profit comes to them by reason of these assignments, but that the sum of money by way of rental or otherwise required by the terms of the lease is all the assignee is required to pay as a condition of taking such assignments, and the proposed assignees have filed a statement that each of them is in occupation of the pier or piers the leases of which are to be transferred to them and such occupation is necessary to the continued transaction of their business, I see no objection to the proposed transfers and assignments and recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of the transfer and assignment by the New England Navigation Company to the New England Steamship Company of the following leases:

Pier 40, North River, and the half bulkheads adjoining each side, dated March 7, 1913.

Pier 28, East River, and the adjoining bulkhead, dated June 20, 1906.

Southerly half of the bulkhead between Piers New 28 and 29, East River, dated November 6, 1907.

By the New England Navigation Company to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company of:

Pier New 31, East River, dated January 31, 1911.

Provided that no other consideration of any kind or nature, directly or indirectly, shall be paid or allowed, or agreed to be paid or allowed, other than the agreement on the part of the assignee or sub-lessee to assume all the obligations of said lessees.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Lease for, of Premises Known as the Imperial Hotel, Northeast Corner of James Street and Cornaga Avenue, Far Rockaway, Borough of Queens.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 12, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Armory Board, in a communication to your Board under date of May 17, 1917, states that at a meeting of the Armory Board held May 16, 1917, a resolution was adopted requesting the execution of a lease of the premises known as Imperial Hall, on the northeast corner of James Street and Cornaga Avenue, Far Rockaway, Queens, for use of the 24th Company, Ninth Coast Defense Command, at an annual rental of \$3,000.

The 24th Company is composed of 109 men and three officers, and was mustered in on May 4 last, and is already in occupation of these premises.

The premises to be leased consist of a two-story, frame, hotel building, about 110 feet by 125 feet and irregular, on the northeast corner of James Street and Cornaga Avenue, and the appraised value is \$40,000.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the execution of a lease of the entire premises known as the Imperial Hotel, on the northeast corner of James Street and Cornaga Avenue, Far Rockaway, Borough of Queens, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$3,000, payable quarterly, the lessor to pay taxes, make outside repairs, including repairs to the roof, repaint exterior of building and put the steam heating apparatus in first class working condition; the lessee to furnish heat, light, water and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, but not to make any structural changes in the building without the consent of the owners. Lessor, Sag Harbor Savings Bank, care Andrew McTigue Co., Inc., 2005 Mott Avenue, Far Rockaway, N. Y. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from the Sag Harbor Savings Bank, of the entire premises known as the Imperial Hotel, on the northeast corner of James Street and Cornaga Avenue, Far Rockaway, Borough of Queens, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), payable quarterly; the lessors to pay taxes, make outside repairs, including repairs to the roof, repaint exterior of building and put the steam apparatus in first class working condition; the lessee to furnish heat, light, water and janitor service and make such inside repairs as it may deem necessary, but not to make any structural changes in the building without the consent of the owners; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Hiring by, of a Portion of Grand Central Palace, Lexington Avenue and 46th Street, Manhattan, on May 26, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending that the Comptroller be authorized to pay the rental of premises in the Grand Central Palace, Lexington Avenue and 46th Street, Manhattan, occupied by the Municipal Civil Service Commission on May 26, 1917.

Laid over.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Hiring by, of Lexington Opera House, 145-155 East 58th Street, Manhattan, on May 28, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending that the Comptroller be authorized to pay the rental of the Lexington Opera House, 145-155 East 58th Street, Manhattan, occupied by the Municipal Civil Service Commission on May 28, 1917.

Laid over.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Hiring by, of the Lexington Opera House, 145-155 East 58th Street, Manhattan, on June 14, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented a report recommending that the Comptroller be authorized to pay the rental of the Lexington Opera House, 145-155 East 58th Street, Manhattan, occupied by the Municipal Civil Service Commission on June 14, 1917.

Laid over.

Children's Court—Proposed Assignment to, of Room 203 in the Borough Hall, Borough of Richmond.

Withdrawn from the calendar by the Deputy Comptroller.

Sale at Public Auction of the Lease of Old Public School 144 at Hester and Allen Streets, Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 6, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The City is the owner of certain premises in the Borough of Manhattan, on the southerly side of Hester Street, about 50 feet 2 inches easterly from Allen Street, formerly part of old Public School 144.

I am in receipt of an offer to lease the above premises at \$2,100 per annum, for a period of ten years from October 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of ten years at 10 per cent. increase in rental, which, in my opinion, is a fair and reasonable rental value therefor.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the sale at public auction, or by sealed bids, of the lease of all that certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected thereon, in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Hester Street, distant 50 feet 2 inches easterly from the easterly side of Allen Street; running thence southerly parallel with Allen Street 75 feet 0 inches; running thence easterly parallel with Hester Street 37 feet 0 inches; running thence northerly parallel with Allen Street 75 feet 0 inches; to the southerly side of Hester Street; running thence

westerly along the southerly side of Hester Street 37 feet 8 inches to the point or place of beginning.

—at a minimum or upset rental of \$2,100 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, for a period of ten years from October 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of ten years at an increase of 10 per cent. in rental and upon the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

No person shall be received as lessee who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the City, as provided by law.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, and will contain, in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows:

First—A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Second—A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

Third—A clause providing that during the term of the lease, or any renewal thereof, the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, at his own cost and expense, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York.

Fourth—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease, or any renewal thereof, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

Fifth—A clause providing that the rent thereof shall not commence until October 1, 1917, but that the lessee may take possession of the premises immediately upon execution of the lease, and shall be liable for any damages which may occur in and to the premises to be demised from the date thereof.

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

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and order a sale at public auction or by sealed bids of the lease of all that certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected thereon, in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Hester Street, distant 50 feet 2 inches easterly from the easterly side of Allen Street; running thence southerly parallel with Allen Street 75 feet 0 inches; running thence easterly parallel with Hester Street 37 feet 0 inches; running thence northerly parallel with Allen Street 75 feet 0 inches to the southerly side of Hester Street; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Hester Street 37 feet 8 inches to the point or place of beginning;

—for a period of ten years from Oct. 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of ten years at an increase of ten per cent. in rental.

—the minimum or upset rental at which said lease shall be sold be and is hereby appraised and fixed at twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum, and the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps for conducting such sale upon the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale. The amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

No person shall be received as lessee who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the City, as provided by law.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, and will contain, in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows:

First—A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Second—A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

Third—A clause providing that during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, at his own cost and expense, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York.

Fourth—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease, or any renewal thereof, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

Fifth—A clause providing that the rent thereof shall not commence until Oct. 1, 1917, but that the lessee may take possession of the premises immediately upon execution of the lease, and shall be liable for any damages which may occur in and to the premises to be demised from the date thereof.

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

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Redemption of \$2,140,000 and Cancellation of \$160,000 of Corporate Stock Maturing October 1, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On October 1, 1917, there will become due two million three hundred thousand dollars (\$2,300,000) of corporate stock of The City of New York, of which two million one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$2,140,000) of said stock are held by the Public and other Sinking Funds, and payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York; the balance, one hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000), held by the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, is to be cancelled, and I recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, the following described bonds issued by The City of New York become due October 1, 1917, and are payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, viz:

Titles.	Total Amount.	Amount	Amount
		Held by Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.	Held by the Public and Other Sinking Funds.
3% Corporate Stock. For the New Aqueduct, authorized by sec. 34, chap. 490, Laws of 1883, and secs. 169 and 170 of chap. 378, Laws of 1897, payable October 1, 1917	\$300,000 00	\$150,000 00	\$150,000 00
3½% Corporate Stock. For the New Aqueduct, authorized by chap. 490, Laws of 1883, and secs. 169 and 170 of chap. 378, Laws of 1897, payable October 1, 1917	2,000,000 00	10,000 00	1,990,000 00
	\$2,300,000 00	\$160,000 00	\$2,140,000 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to pay from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York upon the maturity of said stock, the sum of two million one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$2,140,000) for the re-

demption of that portion of said stock held by the public and other Sinking Funds, and to cancel that portion of said stock amounting to one hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$160,000) held by the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York. The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Redemption of \$27,000 of Bonds of the Former City of Brooklyn Maturing October 4, 1917.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On October 4, 1917, there will become due twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000) of bonds of the former City of Brooklyn, and payable from the Sinking Fund of The City of Brooklyn, and I recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution. EDMUND O. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, the following described bonds issued by the former City of Brooklyn, become due October 4, 1917, and are payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, viz.:

Titles.	Amount Held by the Public.
3½ Per Cent. Consolidated Stock, Improvement of Wallabout Market, City of Brooklyn, authorized by chapter 101, Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 545, Laws of 1897, and chapter 583, Laws of 1888, amended by chapter 648, Laws of 1895, payable October 4, 1917.....	\$20,000 00
3½ Per Cent. Gold Memorial Bonds of The City of Brooklyn, authorized by chapter 533, Laws of 1897, and chapter 583, Laws of 1888, amended by chapter 648, Laws of 1895, payable October 4, 1917.....	7,000 00
	<hr/> \$27,000 00

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to pay from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn upon the maturity of said bonds, the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000) for their redemption.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Sale and Removal of Encroachments Lying Within the Lines of Hancock Street, from Cypress Ave. to Myrtle Ave., Queens.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the President of the Borough of Queens for the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Hancock Street, from Cypress Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, to permit the improvement of the street.

These encroachments consist of buildings and other improvements, some of which are only partly taken in this proceeding, and their estimated removal value apportioned by damage parcels is as follows: Damage Parcel No. 51, \$25; No. 52, \$15; making a total of \$40, which amount should be realized by their sale.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by sections 205 and 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing and ordering that the said encroachments be offered for sale at the upset or minimum prices named above, and also authorizing and ordering the President of the Borough of Queens to demolish and remove these encroachments if they are not sold at the said upset prices, as encumbrances upon a public street, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens has requested the removal of the encroachments lying within the lines of Hancock Street, from Cypress Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, in the Borough of Queens; and

Whereas, If these improvements are offered for sale at upset prices, some of them would probably realize a fair return in proportion to the awards given, it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the following upset or minimum prices: Damage Parcel No. 51, \$25; No. 52, \$15, making a total of \$40, of all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., lying within the lines of Hancock Street, from Cypress Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held October 4, 1910, and January 8, 1916, and the President of the Borough of Queens is hereby authorized and ordered to demolish and remove all those encroachments that do not realize the said upset prices, as encumbrances upon a public highway, in the manner provided by section 205 of the Revised Charter, as amended by chapter 393 of the Laws of 1909.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of One Horse Turned Over by Department of Correction.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 5, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Correction on May 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health, in a communication dated May 29, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution, authorizing the assignment, is, therefore, recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property, turned over by the Department of Correction, as no longer required:

One (1) bay horse, No. 129.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Canvas Field Bag Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 5, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Board of Water Supply on May 15, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated May 28, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution, authorizing the assignment, is, therefore, recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property, turned over by the Board of Water Supply, as no longer required:

One (1) canvas field bag.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Assignment to, of a Large Quantity of Drugs Turned Over by the Health Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 5, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Health on April 4, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated March 26, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Department of Health as no longer required:

Drugs Stored in the Willard Parker Hospital Drug Room.

Acetphenetidin and quinine, 100 in bottle, 12 bottles; agurin, 30 ounces; ammonium, chloride, 2 pounds; ammonium carbonate, 8 pounds; ammonium, mercury, 1 ounce; ammonium, sulphas, 2 pounds; asafostida pills, 100 each, 5 bottles; alkaline and anti-septic tablets, 500 each, 8 bottles; aloes tincture, 1 ounce; anisi oil, 8 ounces; aspidium oil, 1 ounce; belladonna leaves, fluid extract, 16 bottles; belladonna root, fluid extract, 23 bottles; betanaphthol, one-quarter pound; Biggs' Tonic Pills, 100 each, 6 bottles; bismuth subnitrate, 3 pounds; bismuth, subnitrate, capsules, 400 capsules; caffeine citrate, one-quarter pound; caffeine and sod. benzoate, 1 pound; calcium hypophosphites, 2 pounds; calcium lactate, 8 boxes; camphor menobromate, 2 ounces; ceric oxalate, 1 pound; citric acid crystals, 18 pounds; chloral hydrate crystals, one-quarter pound; cinchona compound tincture, 4 ounces; Columbia Inct., 1 pint; coriander oil, 3 ounces; creosote carbonate capsules, 2,000 capsules; Dovers powder and ac. benzoate capsules, 4 bottles; digitalis infusion, 8 ounces; ergot, fluid extract, 2 bottles; fluid extract, Cammiabia Indica, 1 pound; formin, 14 ounces; gentian compound tincture, 1 pint; guaiacol, cart., 16 ounces; gum myrrh, 3 pounds; heroin, sol. gr. 1-60, 1 pint; hexamethylenamine, 3 pounds; iodine metallic, 2 ounces; iodine sublined, 2 pounds; lead acetate, 14 pounds; mercury salicylate, 1 ounce; mortars, 20 ounces; orphol capsules, 157 each, 2 bottles; orphol powder, 1 pound; pancreatin, one-quarter pound; pestles, 6 pounds; phenylsalicylate, one-quarter pound; pyramidon, 2 ounces; potassium bicarbonate, 2 pounds; potassium bicarbonate tablets, 1,000 tablets; potassium citrate, 1 pound; potassium chlorate, 4 pounds; potassium dichromate, 1 pound; potassium hydroxide, 20 pounds; potassium iodide, 4 pounds; potassium nitrate, 4 pounds; potassium acetate, 3 pounds; quinine hydrobromide, one-quarter pound; quinine hydrochloride, 5-ounce tins, 14 pounds; quinine sulphate, 5-ounce tins, 14 pounds; salol, 3 ounces; spartene sulph., 1 ounce; special headache tablets, 6,200; stronthen bromide, 1 pound; sodium hydroxide, 5 pounds; sodium monobasic, 5 pounds; sodium salicylate, 9 pounds; sodium sulprocarbonate, 4 pounds; sodium phenolsulphate, 1 pound; terpine hydrate, 10 pounds; vanilla, Squibbs, 5 ounces; wood charcoal, 1 pound; yellow oxide merc., 1 ounce; zinc sulphate, 15 pounds.

Drugs and Sundries Stored in Departmental Storehouse.

1-inch bandages, gauze, 28,444 rolls; 2-inch bandages, gauze, 10,180 rolls; boric acid, 1 pound cartons, 2,322 cartons; cotton, 1 pound packages, 400 packages; colloidion, 1 ounce, 3,924 bottles; catheters (assorted sizes), 372; graduates, 32-ounce, 4; graduates, 16-ounce, 78; graduates, 8-ounce, 5; gauze, 5-yard packages, 500 packages; gauze, 20-yard packages, 31 packages; gauze, 100-yard bolts, 60 bolts; gauze, 300-yard bolts, 100 bolts; iodine, 1 ounce, 500 bottles; mamala, 5-pound cans, 4 cans; nipples, rubber, 1,500 nipples; ointment, white precipitate, 1-pound jars, 1,037 jars; ointment, sulphur, 1-pound jars, 415 jars; petrolatum, 1-pound tins, 420 tins; petrolatum, 5-pound tins, 46 tins; petrolatum, 4-ounce tubes, 650 tubes; sugar, milk, 1-pound cartons, 127 cartons; vaseline, one-half pound tins, 37 tins; empty 6-ounce bottles, 1 case of 4 gross; fountain syringes, 2 quarts, 23 syringes; rubber gloves, 114 pair; adhesive plaster, 5-yard 1-inch, 300 packages; bismuth, 10-grain (500), 34 bottles; bismuth, 5-grain (500), 50 bottles; salol, 2-grain (100), 183 bottles; salol, 2-grain (500), 86 bottles.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of Two Battalion Chief's Wagons and Wheels Turned Over by the Fire Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 5, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Fire Department on May 22, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated May 28, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution, authorizing the assignment, is, therefore, recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property, turned over by the Fire Department, as no longer required:

Two (2) Battalion Chief's wagons, four (4) extra wheels.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Lot of Carpet Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 31, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, on May 11, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated May 29, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

One (1) lot of carpet.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Assignment to, of Two Roll Top Desks Turned Over by the Board of Water Supply.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 31, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Board of Water Supply, on April 27, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated May 11, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Public Charities the following property turned over by the Board of Water Supply as no longer required:

One (1) 52-inch roll top typewriter desk; one (1) 60-inch roll top desk.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of a Quantity of Brackets, Etc., Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 2, 1917.
To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:
Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on November 29, 1916, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.
The Department of Health in a communication, dated May 29, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.
Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

Quantity and Unit.	Description of Material or Supplies.	Quantity and Unit.	Description of Material or Supplies.
192	Brackets, corner.	50	Couplings, iron, R. & L., 1¼.
30	Butts, steel, 4½.	40	Couplings, iron, R. & L., 1½.
14	Butts, steel, 3 inches.	25	Couplings, iron, R. & L., 2.
36	Hinges, strap, 8.	50	Nipples, galv., ¾, close.
6	Brackets, shelf, 6x8.	50	Nipples, galv., ¾x2.
6	Brackets, shelf, 8x10.	50	Nipples, galv., ½, close.
12	Pulleys, screw, 2 inches.	50	Nipples, galv., ½x2½.
13	Pulleys, screw, 2½ inches.	50	Nipples, galv., ¾, close.
25	Hooks and staples, 3½ inches.	50	Nipples, galv., ¾x1½.
72	Cloth, emery, No. 0.	50	Nipples, galv., 1, close.
72	Cloth, emery, No. ½.	50	Nipples, galv., 1x2.
6	Chisels, rd. nose, ½.	50	Nipples, galv., 1¼, close.
6	Chisels, flat.	50	Nipples, galv., 1¼x2.
1	Elock, single, 8 feet.	50	Nipples, galv., 1½, close.
1	Elock, double, 8 feet.	50	Nipples, galv., 1½x2.
10	Wire, brass.	50	Nipples, galv., 2 inches, close.
1	Valves, angle, 1 inch.	50	Nipples, galv., 2x2½.
6	Valves, angle, 1¼ inches.	10	Nipples, galv., ¾x2¼.
1	Valves, cross, 1¼ inches.	10	Nipples, galv., ½x3.
50	Elbows, iron, ¾.	12	Crosses, iron, ¾.
50	Elbows, iron, ½.	12	Crosses, iron, ½.
50	Elbows, iron, ¾.	12	Unions, galv., ½.
50	Elbows, galv., 1 inch.	6	Plugs, iron, ½.
50	Elbows, galv., 1½.	12	Caps, iron, ¾.
50	Elbows, galv., 2 inches.	12	Caps, iron, ½.
50	Elbows, drop, ¾.	24	Float Ball.
50	Tees, iron, ¾.	1	Gauge, water, 8 inches, No. 100.
50	Tees, iron, ½.	36	Handles, valve.
50	Tees, galv., ¾.	3	Valves, horiz. neck, 1¼.
50	Tees, galv., 1.	3	Valves, horiz. neck, 1½.
50	Tees, galv., 1¼.	3	Valves, vertical neck, 1¼.
50	Tees, galv., 1½.	3	Valves, vertical neck, 1½.
50	Tees, galv., 2.	3	Valves, swing neck, 1¼.
50	Couplings, galv., ½.	3	Valves, swing neck, 1½.
50	Couplings, galv., ¾.	6	Valve, gate, 1½.
25	Couplings, galv., 1.	12	Valve, pump, 3 inches.
25	Couplings, galv., 1¼.	24	Unions, flange, 1.
50	Couplings, galv., 1½.	24	Unions, flange, 1¼.
50	Couplings, galv., 2.	24	Unions, flange, 1½.
30	Couplings, iron, R. & L., ¾.	12	Glasses, gauge, ¾x60.
50	Couplings, iron, R. & L., ½.	1	Washers, GG., 9-16x13-16x¼.
50	Couplings, iron, R. & L., ¾.	24 yds.	Chain, brass, No. 14.
50	Couplings, iron, R. & L., 1.	24 yds.	Chain, brass, No. 16.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Park Department, Manhattan—Assignment to, of Thirty Benches, Etc., Turned Over by the Dock Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 29, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:
Gentlemen—The Department of Docks and Ferries on May 21, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in a communication dated May 24, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond the following property turned over by the Department of Docks and Ferries as no longer required:

Thirty (30) benches 6 feet long; one hundred and nineteen (119) benches 9 feet long.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of One Brown Horse Turned Over by Department of Correction.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 29, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Correction on May 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health in a communication dated May 10, 1917, requested the

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—

BUREAU OF ACCOUNTANCY.

Statement of Rentals Received from the Hamburg-American Line for Lease of Pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, and from Pier 65, West 25th Street, North River, and from Subleases of Such Piers, viz., Panama Railroad Company, sublessee of Pier 65, West 25th Street, and Luckenbach Steamship Company, Sublessee of Pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, Together with the Amount of Refunds Payable to the

assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Correction, as no longer required:

One (1) brown horse, No. 46.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund of \$20,803.20 to the Hamburg-American Line and \$4,333.33 to the Luckenbach Steamship Company, Being the Excess and Overpayment of Rentals for Pier 65, North River, and for Pier Foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Hamburg-American Line was the lessee of Pier No. 65, near foot of West 25th Street, North River, under a formal lease dated September 19, 1912, and which was to terminate in 1921, at an annual rental of \$33,314.50. The Company was also the lessee of the pier at foot of 33d Street, South Brooklyn, under a lease dated March 18, 1913, terminating in 1923, at a rental of \$75,000 per annum.

The Commissioner of Docks placed before the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting on March 29, 1917, the result of certain negotiations with the Hamburg-American Line, the Panama Railroad Company, and the Luckenbach Steamship Company, whereby he was authorized by formal resolution of the Commission dopted on said March 29, 1917, to consent to the subletting by the Hamburg-American Line of Pier 65, near the foot of West 25th Street, North River, Manhattan, to the Panama Railroad Company, from March 1, 1917, at a rental of \$66,000 per annum, or \$32,685.50 per annum in excess of the annual rental payable to the City by the Hamburg-American Line under its lease of September 19, 1912.

The resolution also authorized the Commissioner of Docks to consent to the Hamburg-American Line subletting the pier at foot of 33d Street, South Brooklyn, to the Luckenbach Steamship Company from April 30, 1917, at a rental of \$120,000 per annum, or \$45,000 per annum in excess of the rental under the lease of March 18, 1913, by the City to the Hamburg-American Line.

In authorizing the subletting of these piers the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the resolution of March 29, 1917, formally decided that such was conditioned upon the City receiving one-half of the rental to be paid by the sublessees in excess of the rentals due to the City under the original leases with the Hamburg-American line.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held on May 10, 1917, a resolution was formally adopted, approving the action of the Commissioner of Docks in arranging with the Hamburg-American Line for surrender of the pier properties at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, and West 25th Street, Manhattan, whereby, during the continuance of such agreement, the Hamburg-American Line shall be relieved of the obligation to pay rent and all other obligations to the City of New York contained in the leases of said piers to said Company dated March 18, 1913, and September 19, 1912, respectively.

Since the adoption of the resolution by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 29, 1917, whereby the Commissioner of Docks was authorized to consent to the subletting of these piers by the Hamburg-American Line, there has been \$10,000 paid by the Luckenbach Steamship Company for rent of pier at 33d Street, South Brooklyn, for one month from April 14, 1917, and \$11,000 paid by the Panama Railroad Company for rent of Pier No. 65, North River, for the months of March and April, 1917. The Hamburg-American Line also made payments to the City in accordance with the terms of its leases for these piers of \$20,803.20, all of which is more particularly set forth in the statement herewith submitted from the Chief Accountant, Department of Finance, which forms a part of this report.

According to said statement, which is certified to by the Chief Accountant, Department of Finance, it appears that the total excess payments due and refundable to the Hamburg-American Line of rentals paid to the City for Pier No. 65, North River, from March 1, 1917, to April 30, 1917, are \$8,276.21, and for pier at 33d Street, South Brooklyn, the excess payments of rentals which are due and refundable to the Hamburg-American Line aggregate \$14,418.66, making a total amount of \$22,694.87 of dock rentals refundable to said Company under the agreement authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 29, 1917, with respect to the division of excess rentals, and in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Commission on May 10, 1917, whereby the Hamburg-American Line was relieved of all obligations to pay rent to the City for either one of said piers after April 30, 1917, on which date the Company had surrendered these pier properties to the City.

The Hamburg-American Line, however, was owing rent for the month of April for pier at 135th Street and North River, amounting to \$1,891.67, which is deductible from the amount of excess payments refundable by the City to the Company. There is consequently a net amount of refund due and payable to the Hamburg-American Line of \$20,803.20.

The sum of \$4,333.33 is refundable to the Luckenbach Steamship Company, being the proportional part of the \$10,000 rental paid by said Luckenbach Steamship Company to the City for the pier at 33d Street, South Brooklyn, for the month from April 14, 1917, to May 13, 1917, but which occupancy was terminated by the Dock Commissioner requiring the surrender of said sublease by the Luckenbach Steamship Company on April 30, 1917. There is, therefore, \$4,333.33 refundable to the Luckenbach Company for the period from May 1 to May 13, 1917, from the \$10,000 paid by it to the City as one month's rental.

The statement of the Chief Accountant of the Department of Finance, showing a total amount refundable to the Hamburg-American Line of \$20,803.20 and of \$4,333.33 to the Luckenbach Steamship Company, is in accordance with the communication from the Commissioner of Docks to the Comptroller under date of May 23, 1917, from all of which it would appear that these amounts are properly refundable to the Companies named in the respective amounts stated.

I therefore submit the following resolution authorizing the necessary warrants to be drawn in liquidation of the refunds due and payable to the Hamburg-American Line and to the Luckenbach Steamship Company. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Grantee.	Annual Rental.	(a) Date of Payment and (b) Period Covered.		Amount Paid.	Refunds Due	
					Hamburg-American Line.	Luckenbach Steamship Company.
Pier 65, West 25th Street, North River.						
Hamburg-American Line	\$33,314 50	{ bFeb. 1, 1917-Apr. 30, 1917 } 				

Grantee.	Annual Rental.	(a) Date of Payment and (b) Period Covered.	Amount Paid.	Refunds Due	
				Hamburg- American Line.	Luckenbach Steamship Company.
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<i>Hamburg-American Line</i>	<i>Pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn.</i> \$75,000 00	<i>a</i> Mar. 18, 1917 <i>b</i> Mar. 18, 1917-June 17, 1917 }	\$18,750 00		
Sublet to Luckenbach Steamship Company under agreement between City of New York and the Hamburg-American Line, dating from April 14, 1917.					
Refund due Hamburg-American Line, being proportional amount of rental paid in advance from April 14, 1917, to June 17, 1917, inclusive (65 days)				\$13,356 16	
<i>Luckenbach Steamship Company, Sub-lessee</i>	120,000 00	<i>a</i> May 16, 1917 <i>b</i> Apr. 14, 1917-May 13, 1917 }	10,000 00		
<i>Excess payment</i> made by Luckenbach Steamship Company over amount of original lease, of which one-half is for City and one-half refundable to Hamburg-American Line, per agreement. Such sublease was, however, terminated by the Dock Department, April 30, 1917. Elapsed time under lease, 17 days.					
Rental accrued for 17 days	\$5,666 67				
Rental due under original lease with Hamburg-American Line	3,541 67				
<i>Excess payment</i>	\$2,125 00				
Refund of one-half of such excess to Hamburg-American Line				1,062 50	
<i>Total refund due Hamburg-American Line, account pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn</i>				\$14,418 66	
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<i>Refund due to Luckenbach Steamship Company</i> , being the difference between the total amount paid as rental for the period from April 14, 1917, to May 13, 1917, viz.					
And the elapsed time between April 14, 1917, the date of beginning of such lease, and April 30, 1917, the date of its termination (17 days)	\$10,000 00				
	5,666 67				
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<i>Excess payment by Luckenbach Steamship Company to be refunded</i>					\$4,333 33
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<i>Total excess payments due to Hamburg-American Line</i>			\$22,694 87		
Less one (1) month's rent (April) of pier at 135th Street and North River due to City from the Hamburg-American Line			1,891 67		
<i>Net refund payable to Hamburg-American Line</i>				\$20,803 20	
<i>Net refund payable to Luckenbach Steamship Company</i>					\$4,333 33

I hereby certify that the foregoing statement correctly sets forth and reflects the payments made to the City by the Hamburg-American Line for Pier 65, near foot of West 25th Street, North River, and for pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn; also the payments made to the City by the Panama Railroad Company as sub-lessee of Pier 65, North River, and the payments made to the City by the Luckenbach Steamship Company as sub-lessee of the pier at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn. The statement also correctly sets forth the amounts of excess payments which are due and refundable by the City to the Hamburg-American Line and the amount of a proportional part of a rental payment which is refundable by the City to the Luckenbach Steamship Company.

DUNCAN MACINNES, Chief Accountant.

June 8, 1917.

Whereas, By a formal resolution adopted on March 29, 1917, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized the Commissioner of Docks to consent to the sub-letting by the Hamburg-American Line of Pier No. 65, near the foot of West 25th Street, North River, Borough of Manhattan, to the Panama Railroad Company from March 1, 1917, at a rental at the rate of sixty-six thousand dollars (\$66,000) per annum, and to sub-let the pier at the foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, to the Luckenbach Steamship Company from April 13, 1917, at a rental at the rate of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000) per annum; and

Whereas, The rental under the original leases made with the Hamburg-American Line for Pier No. 65, at 25th Street, North River, was at the rate of thirty-three thousand three hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents (\$33,314.50) per annum, and the rental for the pier at foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, was at the rate of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) per annum; and

Whereas, The sub-letting of such piers by the Hamburg-American Line, as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and by the Commissioner of Docks was conditioned upon the City receiving one-half of the rental to be paid by the sub-lessees in excess of the rentals due to the City under the original leases with the Hamburg-American Line; and

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on May 10, 1917, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of the action of the Commissioner of Docks in arranging with the Hamburg-American Line for a surrender of the pier properties at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, and West 25th Street, Manhattan, under the following terms and conditions:

"(1) That the City of New York is to have full possession and control of said premises until the termination of this agreement, notwithstanding the terms and conditions contained in said lease of March 18, 1913, or in said lease dated September 19, 1912, or in the agreement of March 30, 1917, above referred to.

"(2) That the City of New York shall have power to issue such permit or permits from time to time as the Commissioner of Docks shall deem necessary and desirable and to collect and retain for its own use the rental or rentals fixed in said permit or permits.

"(3) That during the continuance of this agreement the Hamburg-American Company shall be relieved of the obligation to pay rent and all other obligations to the City of New York contained in the said leases of March 18, 1913, and of September 19, 1912.

"(4) That upon due notice to the Commissioner of Docks of thirty days and given not less than six months after the signing of a treaty of peace between the United States and Germany, or the resumption of your service, the said Hamburg-American Company shall have the right to re-enter into possession of either or both of said premises for the remainder of the term of the leases covering the same, and subject to all of the terms and conditions contained therein.

"(5) The signing of this agreement to automatically cancel the permit of the Hamburg-American Line for use of the pier at West 135th Street and relieve the said company from payment of further rental therefor."

—and

Whereas, There has been deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1, the rentals received from the Hamburg-American Line as lessees, and from the Panama Railroad Company and the Luckenbach Steamship Company, as sub-lessees, as shown by the statement attached hereto, prepared by direction of and certified to by the Chief Accountant of the Department of Finance; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Docks has requested that, in accordance with the agreement authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on March 29, 1917, hereofore referred to, and in view of the termination of the leases of the Hamburg-American Line and the surrender by said Company and its sub-lessee, the Luckenbach Steamship Company, of the pier properties at 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, and foot of West 25th Street, Manhattan, that there be refunded to the Hamburg-American Line the excess rental payments for Pier No. 65, North River, and for pier foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, aggregating twenty thousand eight hundred and three dollars and twenty cents (\$20,803.20), and that there also be refunded to the Luckenbach Steamship Company the overpayment of rental for pier at foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, aggregating four thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$4,333.33); that is, the rental from May 1, 1917, to May 13, 1917; and

Whereas, Such excess payments and overpayments are certified by the Chief Accountant, Department of Finance, as being due and payable by the City to the above named companies; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve the request of the Commissioner of Docks that there be refunded to the Hamburg-American Line the sum of twenty thousand eight hundred and three dollars and twenty cents

(\$20,803.20), and to the Luckenbach Steamship Company the sum of four thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$4,333.33), being the excess and overpayments of rentals for Pier No. 65, North River, and for pier foot of 33rd Street, South Brooklyn, as certified by the Chief Accountant, Department of Finance; and be it further

Resolved, That warrants be drawn chargeable against a special account which has been established within Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1, entitled,

"Suspense Account—Dock and Slip Rents—Adjustment of Rentals of Pier 65, N. R., and Pier at Ft. 33rd St., Brooklyn, leased to the Hamburg-American Line and temporarily sub-let to the Panama R. R. Co., and the Luckenbach S. S. Co., respectively,"

—and that such warrants be drawn in favor of the Hamburg-American Line in the sum of twenty thousand eight hundred and three dollars and twenty cents (\$20,803.20), and in favor of the Luckenbach Steamship Company in the sum of four thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents (\$4,333.33), being the amount of such refunds respectively payable to said companies.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund of Croton Water Rents Overpaid in Error.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Applications have been made, as per statement herewith, for refund of Croton Water Rents paid in error.

The applications are severally approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity or the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and the amount so paid, \$128.88 has been deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the account "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for amount to be refunded. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

John Larkin, \$14; Moss, Marcus & Wels, \$11; Lawyers' Title & Trust Co., \$17.30; Henry Z. Kressler, \$11; William C. Strange, \$11.20; Emma M. Aims, \$1; Louis Schramm, \$12.60; the Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, \$8; Frederick Pfomm, \$1; Receiver of Taxes, \$6.20; Matthew P. Doyle, \$2; Joseph Flaucher, \$9.50; Gustav Basch, \$15; Theresia Manko, \$5.25; Charles Freeman, \$3.83; total, \$128.88.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain in the sum of \$128.88 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for refunding of erroneous and overpayments of Croton Water Rents, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund of \$100 to Willis Vernon Cole, Being Amount of Fine Paid and Refunded by Order of Court.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the People of the State of New York against Willis Vernon Cole, the defendant appealed to the Court of Appeals of the State of New York from a judgment of conviction in the Supreme Court, County of New York, Trial Term, Part I, on April 1, 1912, wherein the defendant was adjudged guilty of practicing medicine without lawful authorization and registration, and a fine of \$100 was imposed.

Said fine was paid and subsequently deposited with the Chamberlain of The City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The Court of Appeals duly reversed the said conviction by its order bearing date of October 3, 1916, ordering and adjudging that the judgment of conviction of the defendant be reversed and a new trial ordered. The remittitur of the Court of Appeals was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of November, 1916.

At a Special Term, Part II, held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1917, it was ordered that the order of this Court dated May 7, 1917, be amended to read as follows: " * * * Upon order of the Court of Appeals for the State of New York bearing date October 3, 1916, which order reversed the judgment of conviction of the defendant Willis Vernon Cole, it is ordered that the Comptroller of the State of New York refund to Willis Vernon Cole the sum of \$100."

Section 153, chapter 661, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 398, Laws of 1895, section 153, " * * * When any prosecution under this acticle is made on the complaint of any incorporated medical society of the State, or any county medical society of such county entitled to representation in a State society, the fines when collected shall be paid to the society making the complaint. * * *

In accordance with above, the amount of fine was paid to the Medical Society of the County of New York in August, 1912.

On May 31, 1917, the Comptroller transmitted to the Medical Society of the County of New York a copy of the order of the Court and requested that said society return to this department the amount of fine (\$100) imposed on Willis Vernon Cole on April 1, 1912, in order that said amount could be deposited with the Chamberlain of The City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.

The amount of fine (\$100) was returned, as requested, by the Society to this department on June 7, 1917, and subsequently deposited with the City Chamberlain.

Pursuant to aforesaid mentioned court order, I attach hereto a resolution to carry into effect its provisions. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of Willis Vernon Cole in the sum of \$100, refunding him that amount paid as a fine in the Supreme Court, County of New York, Trial Term, Part I, pursuant to an order of a Special Term, Part II, Supreme Court, held in and for the County of New York, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund of Jury Fees Paid in Cases Settled Before Trial.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On various dates, the attorneys mentioned in the schedule attached, paid as jury fees to the Clerks of the several District Municipal Courts of The City of New York the sums stated in said schedule.

Pursuant to section 118 of the Municipal Court Code and in accordance with the directions of the Bureau of Law and Adjustment of the Department of Finance, approved by the Deputy Comptroller, these sums are to be returned to the payors, the actions having been settled or discontinued and not brought to trial.

Said amounts were deposited with the Chamberlain of The City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, and the refunds will be made from that fund through an account known and designated as Code T 52, Jury Fees Refunding Account.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the said account for the amount to be paid. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Harry A. Goidel, \$3; Meyer London, \$3; total \$6.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the City Chamberlain in the sum of \$6 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of Jury Fees Refunding Account for refunding of jury fees, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Transfer of 51 Cents from the Sinking Fund, City of Brooklyn, to the Chamberlain to Correct an Erroneous Deposit.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—During the month of April, 1917, the Collector of Assessments and Arrears erroneously deposited collections affecting the account known as:

Sinking Fund, City of Brooklyn, Accounts Receivable, Interest on Prospect Park Improvements, Brooklyn \$0 51

This item should have been reported for distribution and deposited as follows:

General Account—Accounts Receivable, AG 4, Interest on Opening, Laying Out and Improving Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn..... \$0 51

In order that this erroneous deposit may be corrected, I attach hereto a resolution for your adoption. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund, City of Brooklyn (Accounts Receivable, Interest on Prospect Park Improvements, Brooklyn), be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain of the City of New York in the sum of \$0.51, to be deposited by him to the credit of the following account:

General Account, Accounts Receivable, AG 4, Interest on Opening, Laying Out and Improving Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn..... \$0 51

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Fines Payable to the Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 8, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A fine for violation of the law in regard to cruelty to children in accordance with section 491 of the Penal Law, has been imposed and collected in the Court of Special Sessions of The City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, during the month of April 1, 1917.

Said fine was deposited with the Chamberlain of The City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Pursuant to law the amount of the aforesaid fine is payable to the Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, said Society having instituted or conducted the prosecution in the following case: Samuel Rabinowitz, \$25.

A resolution authorizing payment to the Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children is hereto attached. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the Bronx County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for the sum of \$25, being amount paid as a fine in the Court of Special Sessions of the City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, during the month of April, 1917, and payable to the said society.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Appraisals to Be Made by the Department of Taxes and Assessments of All City Owned Real Estate, Except Parks, Playgrounds and Piers.

The following resolution was offered for adoption:

Whereas, In recent negotiations for the exchange or sale of city owned properties under the control or jurisdiction of the Sinking Fund Commission the official valuations by the Department of Taxes and Assessments for such properties have been greatly at variance with the actual valuations of such properties as reported by experts engaged by the City for the appraisal of such properties, in some instances the official valuations placed upon the records of the Department of Taxes and Assessments being greatly in excess of the reported actual valuations of such properties.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund request the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to have an appraisal made of City owned improved and unimproved real estate except parks, playgrounds and piers, that will be representative of actual existing values of such properties for listing in the tax records of the City.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

The above resolution was first offered at the last meeting of the Board by the President of the Board of Aldermen, and action thereon laid over, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments requested to give an expression of opinion in regard to the resolution.

The following was received from the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments:

June 8, 1917.

JOHN KORB, JR., Esq., Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, New York, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I have received your letter of the 7th, enclosing copy of a resolution introduced at the meeting of the Sinking Fund held today. The resolution requests the Tax Department to have an appraisal made of City owned property, exclusive

of parks, playgrounds and piers. I appreciate very much the courtesy of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in referring the matter to me.

For many years past, we have published, pursuant to section 15 of the Tax Law, a detailed list of exempt properties, including all property owned by the City of New York. This publication was made in a supplement to the CITY RECORD for 1916 on June 7th. The supplement was 13094. The publication was made for 1917 on May 25th. The supplement was numbered 13387. In this publication the land value of each parcel of real estate is shown separately in one column and the value of the property with the improvements is shown in a second column. These appraisals are made in the regular course of their work by the Deputy Tax Commissioners, in each of the districts to which they are severally assigned. For many years the methods of the Department have been such that it is reasonably certain that in every case the land owned by the City is appraised at the same value per front foot as immediately adjacent land that is not exempt from taxation. Every effort is made to assess all land, taxable and exempt, at the sum for which it would sell under ordinary circumstances.

In sections of the City where land is declining in value, it is almost inevitable that the assessments are somewhat too high because the assessed values are based on the evidence of the period preceding, about August 1st. While the assessment is made as of October 1st. The publication of the value of exempt properties is made the following May or June. Conversely, where the values are rising, the assessed values may be somewhat low at the time the record is published.

If a comparison should be made between the assessed value of the various parcels acquired by the City in recent years with the prices paid by the City, it will appear that frequently the price paid by the City exceeds the assessed value. This is the case because the City can rarely acquire property at the sum for which it would sell under ordinary circumstances.

I send herewith the supplement of the CITY RECORD containing the detailed list of the exempt properties for 1917. Very truly yours,

LAWSON PURDY, President.

Which was ordered filed.

Armory Board—Amendment to Resolution Approving Estimates of Cost for the Completion of the 8th Coast Defense Command Armory.

(Not on the calendar—brought up by unanimous consent.)

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 14, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On May 24, 1917, your Commission adopted a resolution approving the specifications and estimates of costs for the completion of the new Eighth Coast Defense Command Armory, Jerome Avenue and Kingsbridge Road, Borough of The Bronx.

On June 12, 1917, bids were opened on the following items:

Item.	Estimate of Cost Approved.	Low Bid.	Increase.
1B Wood Desks	\$10,002 00	\$9,985 00
1C Standard Furniture	18,432 00	18,485 00	\$53 00
4. Kitchen Equipment	7,250 00	8,400 00	1,150 00
8. Lighting Fixtures	15,000 00	10,795 00

The Eighth Coast Defense Command has been ordered into the new armory on June 14, 1917.

It is highly probable that the entire command may be mobilized in the new armory for at least two weeks in the near future. This action will necessitate the housing and feeding of approximately 1,400 men.

Kitchen Equipment.

At present there are no facilities for cooking or serving of meals in the new armory.

The lowest bid received for Item No. 4, Kitchen Equipment, exceeded the estimate of cost by the sum of \$1,150. This was due to the increased cost of the steel articles in the item.

The low bid is considered reasonable, in view of the increased cost of materials.

Standard Furniture.

The low bid received for Item No. 1C, Standard Furniture, was \$18,485, and the estimate of cost approved was \$18,432.

This equipment is necessary, and the increased estimate of cost should be approved.

Sufficient funds are available in the proper account.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the increased estimates of cost. Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director, Bureau of Contract Supervision.

Approved: ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby amend its resolution adopted on May 24, 1917, which approves estimates of cost for the completion of the Eighth Coast Defense Command Armory so as to increase the estimate of cost for item No. 1-C, standard furniture, to eighteen thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$18,485), and for item No. 4, kitchen equipment, to eight thousand four hundred dollars (\$8,400), the cost to be charged to the corporate stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—2-B, Armory Fund, Eighth Coast Artillery District, Erection of Completed Armory, Including Architects' Fees."

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Board of Education—Temporary Assignment to, of Premises at 57 Centre Street, Manhattan.

(Not on calendar; brought up by unanimous consent.)

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 14, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Associate City Superintendent of the Department of Education, in a communication to your Board under date of June 8, 1917, requests the assignment of the third and fourth floors of the building owned by the City at 57 Centre Street, Manhattan, from June 16th to September 10th, inclusive, of this year, in lieu of those now occupied by them at 49 Lafayette Street, which are to be occupied by the Military Census Bureau.

The third and fourth floors of 57 Centre Street are under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, which Department has agreed to this temporary assignment.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution assigning the third and fourth floors of the building owned by the City at 57 Centre Street, Manhattan, from June 16th to September 10th, inclusive, of this year, to the Department of Education. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Board of Education the third and fourth floors of the building owned by the City at No. 57 Centre Street, Borough of Manhattan, for the period from June 16th to September 10th, 1917, inclusive.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Note—At this point his Honor the Mayor arrived, and the following matters on the calendar held pending his arrival were then considered:

Dock Department—Proposed Lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company of Certain Land Under Wafer South of Dyckman Street, Harlem River.

The Committee to which this matter was referred presented a form of lease and bond for the consideration of the Board.

Mr. Cyrus C. Miller, attorney for the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company, stated that the form of lease and bond as presented no longer constituted a commercial proposition, and he requested that the matter be referred back to the Committee in order that he may take the matter up with the Committee before action is taken by the Board.

On motion, the matter was referred back to the Committee.

Exchange of Real Estate—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing an Exchange of Nine Parcels of Land Owned by the City for Certain Property on Inwood Hill, Manhattan, Known as the Riggs Tract.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On April 19, 1917, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a conveyance to George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn of the following premises owned by The City of New York, located in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and known as: Fulton Market, 19-21 Leonard Street, 103 Park Row, 20 Eldridge Street, 180 Clinton Street, 105-107 Eldridge Street, 180-184 Wooster Street, 66 Third Avenue, and 185 Lafayette Street; in consideration of a conveyance to the City from George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn of certain property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, known as the Riggs tract, which is to be included as part of Inwood Park, subject to a mortgage for a period of one year in the sum of \$30,500, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

This resolution was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 18, 1917.

Since then a search has developed that the City is unable to give good and marketable title to premises No. 103 Park Row.

Inasmuch as there is no property owned by the City now available to substitute in place of 103 Park Row, the owners of the Riggs tract are willing to accept the other parcels mentioned in the resolution, provided the mortgage to which the Riggs tract is to be taken subject is increased to an amount which will be the average of the value placed on 103 Park Row by three appraisers appointed by the City. These appraisals are as follows:

103 Park Row.

Appraiser.	Amount.
Joseph P. Day.....	\$40,000 00
Henry Brady	38,500 00
Wm. H. Archibald.....	41,000 00

The average of these three appraisals is \$39,833.33, which would make the sum total of the mortgage \$70,333.33.

This will make the appraisals of the properties to be used in the exchange as follows:

Appraiser.	Property to Be Acquired.	Property Owned by City.
Joseph P. Day.....	\$612,000 00	\$504,500 00
Henry Brady	582,500 00	538,500 00
W. H. Archibald.....	588,500 00	529,000 00
Average.....	\$594,333 33	\$524,000 00

I therefore respectfully recommend the adoption of the attached resolution amending the resolution adopted on April 19, 1917, above mentioned. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held April 19, 1917, authorizing an exchange of nine parcels of land owned by the City for lands known as the Riggs property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Whereas, At a meeting held December 7, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted the following:

"Whereas, Messrs. Miller & Bretzfelder, attorneys for Mr. F. B. Riggs, have offered to exchange the property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, known as the Riggs' tract, which is to be included as part of Inwood Park, for real estate now owned by the City of New York of equal value: Therefore be it

"Resolved, That to determine the value of the land of the City of New York and the value of the lands of private owners to be exchanged therefor the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Joseph P. Day, Henry Brady and W. H. Archibald, three discreet and disinterested appraisers residing in the Borough of Manhattan, to appraise the value of the lands known as the Riggs' property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, more particularly shown on the map attached hereto, and the value of certain parcels to be hereafter determined by the Comptroller, owned by the City of New York, to be used in exchange therefor, it being distinctly understood that the City will be reimbursed for whatever expense it is put to for the cost of such appraisal."

--and

Whereas, The appraisers above mentioned did appraise the following parcels of land owned by the City of New York and located in the Borough of Manhattan: Fulton Market, 19-21 Leonard Street, 20 Eldridge Street, 180 Clinton Street, 105-107 Eldridge Street, 180-184 Wooster Street, 66 Third Avenue and 185 Lafayette Street; and

Whereas, The appraisers appointed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have submitted the following appraisals:

Joseph P. Day—	
Property owned by the City	\$504,500 00
Property in private ownership.....	612,000 00
Henry Brady—	
Property owned by the City	538,500 00
Property in private ownership.....	582,500 00
W. H. Archibald—	
Property owned by the City	529,000 00
Property in private ownership.....	588,500 00

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the lands hereinafter described owned by the City of New York are not required for departmental or public purposes, and that the lands of private owners hereinafter described, are needed for public purposes; and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, subject, however, to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby authorize a conveyance to George P. Sanborn, No. 38 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn, and Frederick H. Sanborn, of No. 64 Macon Street, Borough of Brooklyn, of the following premises located in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, known as

Fulton Market.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain block, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Beekman Street with the easterly side of Front Street; running thence easterly along the said southerly side of Beekman Street 160 feet 4 inches to its intersection with the westerly side of South Street; thence southerly along said westerly side of South Street 203 feet 4 inches to its intersection with the northerly side of Fulton Street; thence westerly along said northerly side of Fulton Street 170 feet to its intersection with the easterly side of Front Street; thence northerly along said easterly side of Front Street 202 feet 6 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Nos. 19-21 Leonard St.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being on the northerly side of Leonard Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, being known and designated by the lot numbers 127 and 128 on a certain map entitled "A map of part of the estate late Irelands, showing the arrangement agreed to between the present proprietors and the corporation of Trinity Church, with regard to streets and etc., and etc." made by Benjamin Taylor May, 1796, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on January 2, 1828, as map No. 92.

Said premises being now known by the street numbers 19 and 21 Leonard Street.

Being the same premises which were conveyed to the Mayor, Aldermen and

Commonalty of the City of New York by George Cox and Josephine, his wife, by deed dated March 31, 1868, and recorded April 1, 1868, in Liber 1045 cp. 331.

No. 20 Eldridge Street.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Parcel I—

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, on the north-easterly side of Eldridge Street, and designated as No. 20 Eldridge Street afore-said; bounded westerly in front by Eldridge Street; northerly by ground now or late of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York; on the east by ground now or late of Peter W. Livingston, and on the south by house and lot No. 18, as the same premises are occupied and enclosed, being 12 feet 6 inches wide, front and rear, by 87 feet 6 inches in depth.

Being the same premises which were conveyed by William A. Hunter and Catherine Hunter, his wife, to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by a deed dated April 26, 1858, and recorded May 5, 1858, in Liber 760, Cp. 9.

Parcel II—

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and being known and designated on a map of the farm of the late James Delancey, as the north-easterly one-half part or moiety of lot No. 674 on said map and bounded northwesterly in front by Third Street; northeasterly by lot No. 675, on the said farm; southeasterly by the other part of the said farm and now or late belonging to Peter W. Livingston and Eliza, his wife, and southwesterly by the southwesterly moiety or half part of the said lot No. 674, and containing in breadth in front and rear 12 feet 6 inches and in length on each side, 87 feet 6 inches.

No. 180 Clinton St.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, on the easterly side of Clinton Street, between Division Street and Grand Street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly in front by Clinton Street; easterly in the rear by lands now or late of Hayes Pennett, deceased; northerly by land formerly of Jacob Sharpe; southerly by land formerly of William Hall, deceased; containing in breadth, front and rear, 25 feet and in depth on each side 100 feet, more or less.

Said premises being known as and by the street number 180 Clinton Street.

Being the same premises which were conveyed by John B. Webb and Catherine Webb, his wife, to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by deed dated October 3, 1859, and recorded October 4, 1859, in Liber 797, Cp. 62.

Nos. 105-107 Eldridge Street.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, formerly in the 10th Ward of the City of New York, formerly known and designated by the street number 87, now number 105, Eldridge Street, and also known and designated in a certain deed of settlement and partition made between Hester Gouverneur, executrix, and Samuel Gouverneur, Peter Kemple and Thomas Knox, executors, of Nicholas Gouverneur, deceased, and the heirs and devisees of Nicholas Gouverneur, and upon the map accompanying the same by the Letter "B" and the Number 22, fronting on Eldridge Street, and bounded easterly in front by Eldridge Street, containing in width in front and rear each 25 feet and in length on each side 100 feet; and also

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, formerly in the 10th Ward of the City of New York, formerly known and designated by the street number 89, now number 107 Eldridge Street, and also known and designated in a certain deed of settlement and partition made between Hester Gouverneur, executrix, and Samuel Gouverneur, Peter Kemple and Thomas Knox, executors, of Nicholas Gouverneur, deceased, and the heirs and devisees of Nicholas Gouverneur, and upon the map accompanying the same by the Letter "B" and the number 23, fronting on Eldridge Street, and bounded easterly in front by Eldridge Street, containing in width in front and rear each 25 feet and in length on each side 100 feet.

Nos. 180-184 Wooster Street.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, being known and designated as lots Nos. 58, 59 and 60, upon a certain map entitled "Map or chart of the lands of Anthony L. Bleecker, deceased, made by Stephen Ludlum, City Surveyor, dated September 30, 1814, and bounded westerly in front by Wooster Street, northerly by lot 61 on said map, easterly in the rear by lots 43, 42 and 41 on said map, and southerly by lot 57 on said map, containing 75 feet in front and rear by 100 feet in depth on each side (be the same more or less).

Being the same premises which were conveyed by the Public School Society in the City of New York to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by deed dated July 29, 1853, and recorded July 30, 1853, in Liber 644, cp. 315.

No. 65 Third Avenue.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly side of 11th Street and the westerly side of Third Avenue, and running thence northerly along Third Avenue 77 feet 5 inches; thence westerly parallel with 11th Street 100 feet; thence southerly parallel with Third Avenue 77 feet 5 inches to 11th Street, and thence easterly along 11th Street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Being the same premises which were conveyed by Thomas Goadby and wife to James B. Nicholson, Isaac Bell, James Bowen and Owen N. Brennan, as commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, by deed dated July 1, 1868, and recorded July 10th, 1868, in Liber 1059, cp. 651.

No. 185 Lafayette Street.

--more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the easterly side of Lafayette, formerly Elm, Street, between Grand and Broome Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, formerly known by the street number 173 Elm Street, now known as number 185 Lafayette Street, being part of the lot known as No. 705 on the Map of Bayards East Farm, being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Elm Street, now Lafayette Street, as it existed before widening, distant 116 feet 6 inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Broome Street with the said easterly side of Elm Street; running thence easterly along the rears of lots numbers 708, 709 and 710 on said map of Bayards East Farm 65 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and nearly parallel with Elm Street 20 feet 6 inches; thence westerly and parallel with said rears of said lots before mentioned 65 feet 4 inches to said easterly side of Elm Street; thence northerly along said easterly side of Elm Street 20 feet 6 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting from the above described premises so much thereof as was taken by the City of New York for the widening of Elm, now Lafayette, Street.

Said premises being now known by the street number, 185 Lafayette Street, and being a part of the same premises which were conveyed to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York by Edwin Nichols and Deborah Ann, his wife, by deed dated April 20, 1854, and recorded May 10, 1854, in Liber 657, cp. 595.

--in consideration of a conveyance to the City of New York from George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn, subject to a mortgage or mortgages for a period of one year, aggregating the sum of \$70,333.33, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and the privilege of discharging this mortgage at any time upon thirty (30) days' notice in writing by the City of New York, of the

lands known as the Riggs property on Inwood Hill, Borough of Manhattan, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All that certain tract of land on the northerly end of Inwood Hill at Spuyten Duyvil, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the mean high water line of the Hudson River, distant six feet northerly of the centre line of 218th street, as shown on Randel's Map, and adjoining lands formerly of James McCreery:

Running thence easterly, or nearly so, on a line parallel to the centre line of said 218th street and distant six feet northerly therefrom, five hundred and ten and 65-100 feet (510.65 feet) to the centre line of Fourteenth avenue, as shown on Randel's Map:

Thence in a general southerly direction along the centre line of said avenue, four hundred and ninety-three and 83-100 feet (493.83 feet) to a point distant thirty-one and 10-100 feet (31.10) north of the centre line of West 216th street as shown on Randel's Map:

Thence easterly, or nearly so, on a line parallel to the centre line of said 216th street and distant thirty-one and 10-100 (31.10 feet) feet northerly therefrom, six hundred and eighty-three and 14-100 feet (683.14 feet):

Thence north, thirty-two degrees fifteen minutes east, twenty-one and 6-100 feet (21.06 feet):

Thence easterly, or nearly so, along the northerly line of lot No. 119, of the Cyckman Homestead Property, as shown on Map filed in the New York County Register's Office, as No. 725, ninety-four and 49-100 feet (94.49 feet) to the westerly side of Prescott avenue, as laid out and monumented:

Thence northerly along the westerly side of said Prescott avenue, forty-seven and 8-100 feet (47.08):

Thence easterly, at right angles to the preceding course, forty-five feet (45 feet) or thereabouts to the mean high water line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek;

Thence northerly, westerly and southwesterly, following the said high water line, of said creek and of said Hudson River, and of the Harlem Ship Canal, to the point or place of beginning:

Said several distances and dimensions being more or less.

Containing about twenty and 65-100 acres, be the same more or less.

Together with the appurtenances and all riparian rights, lands under water, per rights and rights of wharfage appurtenant to said described lands or owned by the parties of the first part hereto.

Being the premises shown on a Map or Survey of "Property of Francis B. Riggs, at the northerly end of Inwood Hill," made by Albert E. Wheeler and dated January, 1913:

And being the same premises conveyed to Elisha Riggs, late of the City of New York, deceased, by Leonard W. Jerome and wife, by deed dated March 25, 1866, and recorded November 18, 1870, in the Office of the Register of the City of New York, in Liber 1158 of Conveyances, page 342:

And also the premises conveyed to Francis B. Riggs by Andrew J. Connick and wife by deed dated November 14, 1901, and recorded in the said Register's Office, November 15, 1901, in Block Series (Conveyances), Section 8, Liber 17, page 124, and indexed under Lot Nos. 2252 and 2255 on the Land Map of the County of New York.

Subject, however, to the rights of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and to a mortgage or mortgages aggregating \$70,333.33, now a lien on said premises.

—and be it further

Resolved, That when these resolutions and actions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare the necessary legal instruments on the part of the City of New York to effect such exchange, and upon said instruments having been prepared and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to execute, the City Clerk to attest and the Comptroller to deliver to George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn deeds of the properties owned by the City of New York, upon receiving at the same time the deed of the property owned by George P. Sanborn and Frederick H. Sanborn under the terms and conditions above mentioned.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Petition of Theobald Engelhardt for a Release of the City's Interest in Certain Property at the Foot of Bayside Place, Queens.

The following petition was received:

In the Matter of the Application of Theobald Engelhardt to Determine Upon the Lines and Remove Cloud Upon Title at the Foot of Bayside Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and State of New York, and Shown on the Diagram Annexed Hereto.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

The amended petition of Theobald Engelhardt respectfully shows and alleges:

First—That your petitioner is now the owner in fee of all the premises herein-after described.

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Bayside Place, distant 125.45 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the high water line of Jamaica Bay and the said westerly side of Bayside Place; thence northerly at right angles with Bayside Place 100 feet; thence parallel or nearly so with Bayside Place 87.04 feet on Jamaica Bay; thence still northerly on a line bearing N. 0 degree 19 minutes West, 393 feet, more or less, to the low water mark of Jamaica Bay; thence northerly along the low water mark of Jamaica Bay to lands of Eldert; thence southerly along said Eldert's land S. 0 degree 19 minutes East, 462 feet to the high water mark of Jamaica Bay, and thence southwesterly along the westerly side of Bayside Place 125.45 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Second—That on or about the 23rd day of August, 1901, the State of New York issued letters patent to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt releasing unto them all the right, title and interest of the State of New York in and to the lands under water, between high and low water mark, included in the premises above described.

And also, conveying to the said Wagner and Engelhardt lands under water in Jamaica Bay beyond and outshore of said low water mark to approximately the present bulkhead line, and between the easterly and westerly prolonged lines of the uplands of the said Wagner and Engelhardt. That at the time of the granting of said letters patent the title to the lands between high and low water mark was in dispute, and was not determined until the decision of the Appellate Division of the Second Department in 1909, in favor of the upland owners, which decision and determination is reported in 140 App. Div. report at page 160, Rockaway Park Imp. Co., vs. City of New York.

Third—That a dispute has arisen as to how far the present owners of the lands under water between the low water mark and the bulkhead line were entitled to enjoy the same under the letters patent by reason of the failure to fully complete the filling in and docking as provided in said letters patent.

And, that all such questions may be adjusted and settled and the rights of the City and private individuals may be finally determined, your petitioner desires to cede to the City all his right, title and interest to any lands under water lying outshore of the present established bulkhead line, in return for a release by the City of any claim to lands within said bulkhead line.

That on or about the 3rd day of November, 1913, Joseph Wagner conveyed his right, title and interest in the said premises to Louis F. Engelhardt by deed recorded in the office of the Clerk of Queens County, in Liber 1911 of Conveyances, page 370, on the 10th day of November, 1913.

That on or about the 2nd day of July, 1916, Louise F. Engelhardt died intestate, leaving her surviving, her husband, your petitioner, and children, Charles P. Engelhardt, Louise R. Engelhardt, Emily K. Kahle, Emma W. Engelhardt, Clara F. Engelhardt, Theobald H. Engelhardt, Augusta C. Engelhardt and Mabel F. Engelhardt, who conveyed the said premises to your petitioner by deed dated the 25th day of July, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Queens County in Liber 2100 of Conveyances, page 480, on the 25th day of October, 1916.

That by the annexed survey made by F. W. Conklin, C. E., on the 9th day of October, 1916, and made a part of this petition, the low water line and the bulkhead line established by the United States Government in front of the property of your petitioner is shown.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays for the removal of the cloud upon title to the premises lying within the said bulkhead line above described and for the settlement

and establishment of all boundary lines with respect thereto, over which a dispute might at any time arise.

That The City of New York execute and deliver to your petitioner a release or such other instruments as it may be advised, of such interest as The City of New York may have or at any time had, in the land lying within the bulkhead line on the premises above mentioned, for the purpose of removing the cloud upon the title, if any, upon such terms as shall be fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

That your petitioner and The City of New York execute and deliver such mutual releases, conveyances or other instruments as they may be advised for the purpose of establishing the boundary line as aforesaid.

That all of said releases, conveyances or other instruments given in pursuance hereof and all things done hereunder be given and done in accordance with the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York under title 4, section 205 of the Charter of The City of New York, as amended, and for such other and further relief as in their judgment shall seem just and proper.

That upon the execution and delivery of the aforesaid releases, conveyances or other instruments, your petitioner will execute and deliver to The City of New York such instruments, conveyances or consent for fixing the limits of the grant heretofore recited herein given by the State of New York to Theobald Engelhardt and Joseph Wagner.

Dated, New York, January 22, 1917.

THEOBALD ENGELHARDT, Petitioner.

State of New York, City of New York, County of New York, ss.:

Theobald Engelhardt being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that he has read the same and knows the contents thereof and that the same is true of his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

THEOBALD ENGELHARDT.

Sworn to before me this 22d day of January, 1917. MARY WALLACE, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York, Residing in Bronx County. Certificate Filed in New York County No. 14, Registers' Nos., New York, 18008, Bronx, 8000, Kings, 8004. Commission Expires Jan. 25, 1918.

In the Matter of the Application of Theobald Engelhardt to Determine Upon the Lines and Remove Cloud Upon Title at the Foot of Bayside Avenue in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and State of New York, and Shown on the Diagram Annexed Hereto.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

The petition of Theobald Engelhardt respectfully shows and alleges:

First—That your petitioner is now the owner in fee of all the premises herein-after described.

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Bayside Place, distant one hundred and twenty-five and forty-five one-hundredths feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the high water line in Jamaica Bay and the said westerly side of Bayside Place; and thence westerly at right angles with Bayside Place one hundred feet; thence northerly parallel or nearly so with Bayside Place eighty-seven and four one-hundredths feet to Jamaica Bay; thence easterly along the high water mark of Jamaica Bay one hundred and nine feet and eight inches; running thence southerly along Bayside Place one hundred and twenty-five and forty-five one hundredths feet, to the point or place of beginning, as shown on the map hereto annexed.

Second—That your petitioner is the owner of the land under water to the mean low water line, pursuant to the decision of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, decided in the case of Rockaway Park Improvement Co. vs. City of New York, 140 App. Div., 160.

Third—That heretofore and on or about the 23rd day of August, 1901, the State of New York issued letters patent to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt, granting unto them the land under water between high and low water mark, described as follows, to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land under the waters of Jamaica Bay in front of and adjacent to upland of the parties of the second part herein, in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Queens, County of Queens, in the City of New York, described as follows:

Beginning at a point at high water line on the northerly line of the land of said Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt, grantees herein, at the northwesterly corner thereof, and running thence north 0 degrees 19 seconds west 550 feet; thence north 89 degrees 41 seconds east 109 feet 8 inches; thence south 0 degrees 19 seconds east 550 feet to the westerly side of Bayside Avenue, now Bayside Place, and thence south 89 degrees 41 seconds west 109 feet 8 inches along land of said Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt to the point or place of beginning; containing 1.386-100 of an acre.

That these letters patent are issued for the following purposes:

Filling in land under water herein granted and erecting thereon a dock or docks of a substantial character. This grant was recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens in Liber 1907, page 458, of Conveyances on the 21st day of October, 1913.

That, by reason of the fact that the improvements proposed in the said grant were never entirely completed, your petitioner is informed there is a question as to whether the said grant has been forfeited or not, and, in order to effect a settlement of said question, and for the purpose of establishing a boundary line, your petitioner offers to cede his right thereunder beyond the established bulkhead line to The City of New York. That on or about the 3rd day of November, 1913, Joseph Wagner conveyed his right, title and interest in the said premises to Louise F. Engelhardt by deed recorded in the office of the Clerk of Queens County in Liber 1911 of Conveyances, page 370, on the 10th day of November, 1913.

That on or about the 2nd day of July, 1916, Louise F. Engelhardt died intestate, leaving her surviving her husband, your petitioner, and children, Charles P. Engelhardt, Louise R. Engelhardt, Emily K. Kahle, Emma W. Engelhardt, Clara F. Engelhardt, Theobald H. Engelhardt, Augusta C. Engelhardt and Mahel F. Engelhardt, who conveyed the said premises to your petitioner by deed dated the 25th day of July, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Queens County in Liber — of Conveyances, page — on the — day of October, 1916.

That, by the annexed survey, made by F. W. Conklin, C.E., on the 9th day of October, 1916, and made a part of this petition, the low water line and the bulkhead line established by the United States Government in front of the property of your petitioner is shown.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays for the removal of the cloud upon title to the premises lying within the said bulkhead line, above described, and for the settlement and establishment of all boundary lines with respect thereto, over which a dispute might at any time arise.

That The City of New York execute and deliver to your petitioner a release or such other instruments as it may be advised, of such interest as The City of New York may have or at any time had in the land lying within the bulkhead line on the premises second above mentioned, for the purpose of removing the cloud upon the title, if any, upon such terms as shall be fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

That your petitioner and The City of New York execute and deliver such mutual releases, conveyances or other instruments as they may advise for the purpose of establishing the boundary line as aforesaid.

That all of said releases, conveyances or other instruments given in pursuance hereof and all things done hereunder be given and done in accordance with the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under title 4, section 205, of the Charter of The City of New York, as amended, and for such other and further relief as in their judgment shall seem just and proper.

That upon the execution and delivery of the aforesaid releases, conveyances or other instruments, your petitioner will execute and deliver to The City of New York such instruments, conveyances or consent for the cancellation of the grant heretofore recited herein, given by the State of New York to Theobald Engelhardt and Joseph Wagner.

That no other application has been made by your petitioner or is now pending for the relief prayed for in this petition.

Dated, New York, October 24, 1916.

THEOBALD ENGELHARDT, Petitioner.

State of New York, City of New York, County of Kings, ss.:

Theobald Engelhardt, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that he has read the same and knows the contents thereof and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the mat-

ters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

THEOBALD ENGELHARDT.

Sworn to before me this 25th day of October, 1916. HENRY C. WUESTEFELD, Commissioner of Deeds of The City of New York, residing in Queens County; certificate No. 461; Kings Co. Reg. No. 8037, Kings Co. Cl. No. 46A, N. Y. Co. Reg. No. 18059; N. Y. Co. Cl. No. 152; term expires May 16, 1918.

In connection therewith the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report with opinion of the Corporation Counsel and offered the following resolution

May 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a petition to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from Theobald Engelhardt, in which he states that he is the owner of certain property at the foot of Bayside Place, in the Borough of Queens, more particularly shown on a diagram attached thereto, and requesting a release from the City of whatever interest it may have in the land lying within the bulkhead line of the premises mentioned in said petition. This petition was amended by an amended petition dated January 22, 1917.

I transmitted the original and the amended petitions to the Corporation Counsel, and requested him to inform me as to the City's interest in the premises in question. In a communication under date of April 21, 1917, the Corporation Counsel states that any claim of ownership which the City might assert to any of the lands under water, described in said amended petition, could only be based upon the same state of facts as those established on the trial of the action brought by the Rockaway Park Improvement Company against the City of New York, in which it was adjudged that under the patents to Jamaica issued by Governor Nicholls in 1666 and Governor Dongan in 1686, the lands granted did not extend below mean low water mark in Jamaica Bay north of Rockaway Neck, and that the lands outside of said line of mean low water remained in the State of New York; that on August 23, 1901, the State of New York conveyed all its interests by letters patent to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt, as described in said amended petition, extending from high water mark to a point in Jamaica Bay outside of the pier and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911, which outer line is shown on a survey made by F. W. Conklin, dated October 9, 1916, and attached to said petition. The Corporation Counsel further states that any claim of title the City might make to any of the lands under water covered by the letters patent from the State constitutes a mere cloud upon the title of a private owner.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to Theobald Engelhardt of the interest of the City in and to the following described premises:

All that certain piece or parcel of land under the waters of Jamaica Bay in front of and adjacent to upland of the parties of the second part herein, in the 5th Ward of the Borough of Queens, County of Queens, in the City and State of New York, described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Bayside Place with the high water line of Jamaica Bay; running thence northerly (degree 19 seconds west to the U. S. pier and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War May 1, 1911; thence westerly along said pier and bulkhead line to its intersection with the westerly line of the premises described in the letters patent from the State of New York, dated August 23, 1901, to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt; thence southerly along said westerly line of said premises in said letters patent described to the high water line of Jamaica Bay; thence easterly along said high water line to the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of \$101, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release not to be delivered, however, until said Theobald Engelhardt has released to the City of New York all his interest in so much of the premises described in the letters patent from the State of New York to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt as lies offshore of the bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, April 21, 1917.

In re Petition from Theobald Engelhardt.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

Sir—I am in receipt of a communication under date of November 21, 1916, signed by Deputy and Acting Comptroller Albert E. Hadlock, reading as follows:

"I am in receipt of a petition to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from Theobald Engelhardt, in which he states that he is the owner of certain premises at the foot of Bayside Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly shown on a diagram attached thereto, and requesting a release from the City of whatever interest it may have in the land lying within the bulkhead line of the premises mentioned in said petition.

"I transmit herewith the petition above mentioned, and request you to inform me as to the City's interest in the premises in question."

I have also received a further communication from Deputy and Acting Comptroller Hadlock, dated March 19, 1917, transmitting an amended petition of Mr. Engelhardt relative to said matter.

Any claim of ownership which the City might assert to any of the lands under water, described in said amended petition, could only be based upon the same state of facts as those established on the trial of the action brought by The Rockaway Park Improvement Company against the City of New York (140 App. Div. 160) in which it was adjudged that under the patents to Jamaica issued by Governor Nicholls in 1666 and Governor Dongan in 1686, the lands granted did not extend below mean water mark in Jamaica Bay, north of Rockaway Neck, and that the lands outside of said line of mean low water remained in the sovereign and in its successor, the State of New York.

On or about August 23, 1901, the State of New York, by valid letters patent, conveyed all its right, title and interest in and to the lands under water described in said amended petition, extending from high water mark to a point in Jamaica Bay outside of the pier and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911, and which outer line is shown on the survey made by F. W. Conklin, dated October 9, 1916, and attached to said petition.

I am satisfied that any claim of title that the City might make to any of the lands under water covered by the letters patent from the State constitutes a mere cloud upon the title of a private owner.

I therefore certify that any claim of title made by or title claimed by the City constitutes a mere cloud upon the title of the private owner of, in and to the following premises:

All that certain piece or parcel of land under the waters of Jamaica Bay in front of and adjacent to upland of the parties of the second part herein, in the 5th Ward of the Borough of Queens, County of Queens, in the City of New York, described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Bayside Place with the high water line of Jamaica Bay; running thence northerly 0 degrees 19 seconds west to the U. S. pier and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War May 1, 1911; thence westerly along said pier and bulkhead line to its intersection with the westerly line of the premises described in the letters patent from the State of New York, dated August 23, 1901, to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt; thence southerly along said westerly line of said premises in said letters patent described to the high water line of Jamaica Bay; thence easterly along said high water line to the point or place of beginning.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are vested with power, by section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, to release such interests of the City in real estate as the Corporation Counsel shall certify in writing to be mere clouds upon the title of private owners, in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as in their judgment shall seem proper.

The petitioners offer to convey to the City so much of the lands under water, covered by the letters patent, as is located beyond the established bulkhead line, thereby enabling the City to furnish free access to the United States Government to do any dredging which may be necessary in connection with the main channels in Jamaica Bay.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may therefore require, as a condition for such release, a conveyance to the City by the petitioners of so much of the premises described in the letters patent as lies outside of the pierhead and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911.

I return original and amended petitions forwarded to this office.

Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Whereas, Theobald Engelhardt, in a petition addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, requests a release of the City's interest in certain property at the foot of Bayside Place, in the Borough of Queens, and more particularly hereinafter described; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel in a communication dated April 21, 1917, has advised that any claim of title the City might make to any lands under water covered by the letters patent from the State, constitutes a mere cloud upon the title of a private owner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to Theobald Engelhardt, of the interest of The City of New York in and to the following described premises:

All that certain piece or parcel of land under the waters of Jamaica Bay in front of and adjacent to upland of the parties of the second part herein, in the 5th Ward of the Borough of Queens, County of Queens, in the City and State of New York, described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Bayside Place with the high water line of Jamaica Bay; running thence northerly 0 degrees 19 seconds west to the U. S. Pier and bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War May 1, 1911; thence westerly along said pier and bulkhead line to its intersection with the westerly line of the premises described in the letters patent from the State of New York, dated August 23, 1901, to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt; thence southerly along said westerly line of said premises in said letters patent described to the high water line of Jamaica Bay; thence easterly along said high water line to the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of one hundred and one dollars (\$101), plus an additional charge of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers.

The release not to be delivered, however, until said Theobald Engelhardt has released to The City of New York all his interest in so much of the premises described in the letters patent from the State of New York to Joseph Wagner and Theobald Engelhardt as lies offshore of the bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Petition of Wm. W. Howe and Others for a Release of the City's Interest in Certain Property on Broadway, Near Sherman Street, Borough of Queens.

The following petition was received:

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Municipal Building, New York City:

Gentlemen—Petition of William W. Howe, on behalf of himself and Sarah A. Morrison, Robert Moore Field Luyster, Mary Margaret C. Luyster and Samuel B. Field, recite that they are the owners of a piece or parcel of land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Broadway, distant about 72 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway with the westerly line of Sherman Street (formerly named Primrose Alley); running thence northerly, parallel or nearly so with Sherman Street about 200 feet; thence in a westerly direction about 286 feet to a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 153 feet north of the intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boulevard, 153 feet to the point of intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Broadway about 223 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Which land lies along the lines of the Old Ridge Road as shown on diagram attached.

That said petitioners claim to own the fee in said Ridge Road within the lines of said road. Said petitioners claim to own the land within the lines of said Ridge Road by reason of certain deeds to them or their predecessors in title, which deed is from Silvenus Morris to Robert Moore, dated January 19, 1810, and recorded in Liber L, page 116; Alexander H. Stevens, Frederic W. Stevens, executors of Byam K. Stevens, deceased, dated November 18, 1871, and recorded in Liber 361, page 430; William Durland to Isaac B. Strang, dated October 24, 1866, and recorded in Liber 246, page 216, and from said grantees by devise as recited in the last will and testament of Robert Field, deceased. That a possible question has arisen as to whether the City of New York as successors to the Town of Newtown might have some claim or interest of land within the lines of said Ridge Road by reason of the fact that said road was a public road and officially closed by the village board of trustees of the village of Astoria in 1854.

Wherefore your petitioner on behalf of himself and others interested respectfully request that your honorable Commission authorize the City of New York by its proper officers to execute a deed or deeds conveying all the right, title and interest of the City of New York as successors to either the Village of Astoria or the Town of Newtown in and to the land within the lines of said Old Ridge Road in front of the property hereinabove described and shown on the diagram which is hereunto annexed, for such sum or sums as the Commission may deem necessary.

March 28, 1917.

WM. W. HOWE, 233 South 5th Ave., Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

In connection therewith the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report with opinion of the Corporation Counsel and offered the following resolution:

May 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a petition to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund from William W. Howe, on behalf of himself, and Sarah A. Morrison, Robert Moore Field Luyster, Mary Margaret C. Luyster and Samuel B. Field, in which he states that they are the owners of certain property located on the northerly line of Broadway, near Sherman Street, Borough of Queens; that within the land owned by them is a portion of Old Ridge Road, the fee of which he claims they own, and that a possible question has arisen as to whether The City of New York, as successors to the Town of Newtown, might have some claim or interest therein, by reason of the fact that the said road was a public road and officially closed by the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Astoria in 1854, and he requests a release from the City of whatever interest it may have therein.

I requested the Corporation Counsel to inform me as to the City's interest in the premises for which a conveyance is sought. In a communication under date of April 28, 1917, the Corporation Counsel states that from the records it appears that the road known as Old Ridge Road ran through the premises mentioned in the petition, and that this road did not exist during the Dutch period of occupation; that Broadway was opened by the Village of Astoria in 1854, and at the same time Old Ridge Road was closed, and that he is of the opinion that the City's interest therein is merely nominal and a cloud on title, and he so certifies.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to William W. Howe, Sarah A. Morrison, Robert Moore Field Luyster, Mary Margaret C. Luyster and Samuel B. Field, of the interest of the City in and to that portion of Old Ridge Road, Borough of Queens, lying within the following described premises:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Broadway distant about 72 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway with the westerly line of Sherman Street (formerly named Primrose Alley); running thence northerly, parallel or nearly so with Sherman Street about 200 feet; thence in a westerly direction about 286 feet to a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 153 feet north of the intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boulevard 153 feet to the point of intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Broadway about 223 feet to the point or place of beginning.

—in consideration of the sum of \$101 plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, April 28, 1917.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

Sir—I am in receipt of a communication dated March 30, 1917, addressed to the Corporation Counsel by Deputy and Acting Comptroller Albert E. Hadlock, transmitting a petition from William W. Howell to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under date of March 28, 1917, requesting a release of the City's interest in a portion of Old Ridge Road, Borough of Queens, more particularly described in said petition.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller asks that you be advised as to the City's interest in the premises for which a conveyance is sought.

The premises described in the petition are situated on the northerly side of Broadway, about 72 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway with the westerly line of Sherman Street in the Borough of Queens, formerly in the Village of Astoria, County of Queens.

From the old records, it appears that a road known as Old Ridge Road ran through these premises. This road did not exist during the Dutch period of occupation.

Broadway was opened by the Village of Astoria in the year 1854, and at the same time Old Ridge Road was closed. There is on file with Messrs. Clark & Frost, attorneys, an affidavit of Robert M. Field, verified March 30, 1917, stating that he is over eighty years old, and that in 1846 he resided in the Village of Astoria about one mile from the property in question. That at that time Ridge Road was a narrow country road; that these premises on the north side of Broadway had been fenced in, to his knowledge since about the year 1851, and that a double house was built on the premises some time in the early sixties.

It also appears from an affidavit verified by Frederic W. Stevens on March 30, 1917 (the original of which is on file with Messrs. Clark & Frost), that the affiant is seventy-seven years old, and that he lived in Long Island City from 1839 to 1864; that his father bought a portion of the property in question about the year 1850; that about November, 1871, he and his brother, Alexander H. Stevens, as executor of their father's will, sold a portion of the premises affected to Charles W. Strang; that the property was described as bounded by the northerly side of Broadway instead of the northerly side of Ridge Road, because subsequent to the purchase of the property by deponent's father Old Ridge Road was closed; that Broadway was laid out by deponent's father and William B. Bolls and Henry Riker and took the place of Old Ridge Road; that deponent's father moved his fence in front of the premises out to the line of Broadway, and that said fence was in existence about the year 1851 down to the time the deponent conveyed said property, and that on information and belief the fence continued in existence down to the present time.

The atlas made by Comstock, Beers and Klein, in the year 1872, does not show Old Ridge Road at this point. It shows houses or buildings on the property at that time and no atlas made since that time shows Ridge Road at this point.

An inspection of the premises shows the same to be fenced in. The physical conditions at the present time fail to show that Old Ridge Road ever existed.

In view of the foregoing facts, I am of the opinion that the City's interest therein is merely nominal and a cloud on title, and I so certify.

I herewith return all the papers transmitted by the Deputy and Acting Comptroller. Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Whereas, William W. Howe, on behalf of himself and others, requests a release of the City's interest in certain property located on the northerly line of Broadway, near Sherman Street, Borough of Queens, being a portion of Old Ridge Road and more particularly hereinafter described; and

Whereas, the Corporation Counsel, in a communication dated April 28, 1917, has certified that the City's interest therein is merely nominal and a cloud on the title.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the land described as follows is not needed for any public use:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Broadway distant about 72 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway with the westerly line of Sherman Street (formerly named Primrose Alley); running thence northerly parallel or nearly so with Sherman Street about 200 feet; thence in a westerly direction about 286 feet to a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant 153 feet north of the intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along the easterly line of the Boulevard 153 feet to the point of intersection of the easterly line of the Boulevard with the northerly line of Broadway; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Broadway about 223 feet to the point or place of beginning;

—and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of Section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to William W. Howe, Sarah A. Morrison, Robert Moore Field Luyster, Mary Margarte C. Luyster and Samuel B. Field of the interest of The City of New York in and to that portion of Old Ridge Road in the Borough of Queens, lying within the premises hereinabove in this resolution bounded and described, in consideration of the sum of One hundred and one dollars (\$101), plus an additional charge of Twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers.

The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantees waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantees are the owners of the land fronting on the section of the street or avenue to be conveyed.

assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantees have paid whatever taxes and The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 10, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—The Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements and water charges, affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as Block 2509, Lot 1.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote, cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation, under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and become liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about September 20, 1912; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now is and has always been partially exempt from local taxation, under said provisions of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a parish house for religious purposes and rectory.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that Lot 1 has been partially exempt from local taxation for the years 1913 to 1917 to the extent of \$6,000, by reason of its use as a parish house; it also enjoys a parsonage exemption to the extent of \$2,000, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$8,500.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Opening East 161st Street" (confirmed May 18, 1915; entered July 12, 1915): Assessment No. 13327, Block 2509, Lot 1..... \$1 42
"Regulating West 165th Street" (entered January 20, 1914): Assessment No. 1, Block 2509, Lot 1..... 316 89

As hereinbefore appears the property, the total value of which is \$8,500, is entitled to exemption from taxation, under article I, section 4, subdivision 7 of the Tax Law, only to the extent of \$6,000, the part thereof which is used and occupied as a parsonage, and which is valued at \$2,500, not being entitled to exemption under said provision.

Although the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have no power under section 221A of the Charter to cancel the foregoing assessments so far as the same affect the part of the property used as a parsonage, because such part is not entitled to exemption from local taxation under said provision of the Tax Law, which requirement is a condition precedent to the granting of relief under said section of the Charter, nevertheless they have the power to cancel the proportionate part of such assessments affecting that part of the property used for church purposes and entitled to exemption from taxation under said provision of the Tax Law, such proportionate part to be determined by the relative valuations of the parish house and parsonage placed thereon by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The valuation of the part occupied as a parish house, \$6,000, is approximately 70½ per cent. of the total valuation (\$8,500), and that part used as a parsonage is 29½ per cent.

The petitioner has included in its application taxes and water charges as follows:

1912—Second half \$91 50
1913—First half 27 15
1913—Second half 27 15
1914—First half 26 55
1914—Second half 26 55
1915—First half 29 10
1915—Second half 29 10
1913—Water 77
1914—Water 18 40

This property was acquired on September 20, 1912, which was subsequent to the fixing of the taxable status for said year; therefore said charges for the year 1912 cannot be cancelled.

As to the taxes and water charges for the years 1913 to 1915—they represent the amount due upon that portion of the premises used and occupied as a parsonage. The Comptroller would not be justified therefore in certifying his approval of the cancellation of these items and they must therefore be denied.

I recommend therefore that said assessments be cancelled to the extent of 70½ per cent. thereof upon the payment of the nominal sum of \$10.

As to the remainder, viz., 29½ per cent., I refuse to certify my approval of the cancellation thereof, and recommend that in addition to said sum of \$10, provided to be paid as aforesaid, the petitioner be required to pay the balance of such assessments, with accrued interest on such balance, together with the taxes and water rents, before such cancellation is carried out.

The records of this Department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$318.31. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, No. 1060 Woodcrest Avenue.

The Rev. John H. Dudde, Pastor of the petitioning corporation, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ending December 31, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$2,297.92 and the expenditures for all objects \$2,490.57, leaving a deficit of \$192.65.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted, to the extent hereinbefore set forth, during the time when said assessments above mentioned accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I therefore certify my approval of the application of the Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend that the liens above set forth, as the ones which may properly be cancelled, be cancelled to the extent of 70½ per cent. upon the payment of \$10 and the balance of such assessments, taxes and water charges, with accrued interest on such balance, provided that payment be made within sixty days from date of the resolution authorizing such payment, and provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by unanimous vote hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Charter to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed upon property owned by the Evangelical Church of the Holy Comforter, Bronx, to the extent of 70½ per cent. thereof, upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), and the balance of such assessments, together with the taxes and water rates for the years 1912, 1913, 1914 and 1915 on Lot 1, Block 2509, Borough of The Bronx, with accrued interest on such balance provided that payment be made within sixty days from date, and provide that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Opening East 161st Street" (confirmed May 18, 1915; entered July 12, 1915): Assessment No. 13327, Block 2509, Lot 1..... \$1 42
"Regulating West 165th Street" (entered January 20, 1914): Assessment No. 1, Block 2509, Lot 1..... 316 89

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Church of St. Angela Merici—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 10, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—The Church of St. Angela Merici has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements and water charges, affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as Block 2445, Lots 28, 36 and 47.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the assessments from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired Lot 36 about the year 1899, and Lots 28 and 47 about June 30, 1915; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said

provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a place of religious worship and as a parochial school exclusively.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that Lot 36 has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1907, and since, and that Lots 28 and 47 have been exempt from local taxation for the year 1916, and since, and the assessed valuation of Lot 36 for the year 1917 is \$46,000, and the assessed valuation of Lot 28 for the year 1917 is \$33,000, and Lot 47 for the year 1917 is \$13,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Acquiring title to East 161st Street, from Elton Avenue to Mott Avenue" (confirmed May 18, 1915; entered July 12, 1915):
Assessment No. 12478, Block 2445, Lot 36..... \$100 81
Supplemental and Additional Assessment—"Acquiring title to East 161st Street" (confirmed March 13, 1916; entered April 29, 1916):
Assessment No. 765, Block 2445, Lot 28..... 35 41
Assessment No. 766, Block 2445, Lot 36..... 32 70
Assessment No. 768, Block 2445, Lot 47..... 6 53

The petitioner requests the cancellation of the assessments on Lots 28 and 47, for acquiring title to East 161st Street, aggregating \$136.63, which assessments were confirmed on May 18, 1915, and entered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears on July 12, 1915.

The property affected by said assessments was acquired on June 30, 1915, and as these assessments accrued upon the day of confirmation, to wit, May 18, 1915, I must, therefore, refuse to certify to the cancellation thereof, because the petitioner was not the actual owner thereof when said assessments accrued, as required by section 221 of the Greater New York Charter.

The records of this Department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner, and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$175.45. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on the north side of East 162nd Street, between Morris and Grant Avenues, and upon the southeast corner of 163rd Street and Grant Avenue.

The Rev. Michael J. Mulhern, Rector, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended December 31, 1915, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$22,154.38, and the expenditures for all objects, \$21,077.96; leaving a balance of \$76.42.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would therefore certify by approval of the application of Church of St. Angela Merici, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens amounting to \$175.45, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Charter to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Church of St. Angela Merici, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Acquiring title to East 161st Street, from Elton Avenue to Mott Avenue" (confirmed May 18, 1915; entered July 12, 1915):
Assessment No. 12478, Block 2445, Lot 36..... \$100 81
Supplemental and Additional Assessment—"Acquiring title to East 161st Street" (confirmed March 13, 1916; entered April 29, 1916):
Assessment No. 765, Block 2445, Lot 28..... 35 41
Assessment No. 766, Block 2445, Lot 36..... 32 70
Assessment No. 768, Block 2445, Lot 47..... 6 53
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Apostleship of Prayer—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments and Water Charges.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 10, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Apostleship of Prayer has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements and water charges, affecting premises in the Borough of Manhattan, designated on the official tax map as Section 18, Block 2179, Lot 90, including that part of said lot formerly known as Lots 90 and 95, and Lot 90 of 198.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation, under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same in the years 1906 and 1907; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said dates and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used for the following purposes: There are three buildings erected on the premises (which are approximately 210 by 280 feet, with a frontage on three streets), one of such buildings being occupied as the main offices of the corporation and as a dwelling place for certain priests connected therewith, who are in charge of the editing and circulation of two religious publications known as the Messenger of the Sacred Heart and Leaflets of the Sacred Heart, and the building also contains two private chapels for religious worship. Another building is used as an office building, in which circular letters are prepared and sent out and premiums packed and shipped, and the remaining building is used, as a storehouse for pictures and religious books.

There are approximately forty lay employees of the corporation working on the premises. It appears, however, that the actual printing and distribution of the publications referred to are not done on the property.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1911 and since, with the exception of lot 90 of 198, which is merged in lot 90 and was exempt for 1913. The taxes for the years 1909 and 1910 were remitted by the Department of Taxes and Assessments. The taxes for the year 1908 were cancelled by Comptroller's order. The taxes for the year 1907 against old lot 90 were cancelled pursuant to an order of court, and the taxes against lot 90 for the year 1906 were cancelled by Comptroller's order. The valuation for the year 1915 was \$170,000.

The Tax Department had only exempted a portion of this property in the year 1909 for the reason that the other portion was not being used in connection with the business of the corporation and certiorari proceedings were instituted for the expropriation of the property.

At Special Term a judgment favorable to the petitioners was granted, which

was affirmed by the Appellate Division, without opinion, in 126 A. D. 951 and again by the Court of Appeals, without opinion, in 194 N. Y. 588.

It was agreed by both the parties that they would abide by the Court's decision in this application as to the other parcels, which included that portion which was known as lot 90 of 198.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements and water charges were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the department, namely:

Assessments.

"Haven Ave. Opening, from W. 177th St. to W. 181st St." (conf. Aug. 30, 1909; ent. Nov. 5, 1909): No. 21, section 8, block 2179, lot 90.... \$1 61
"Riverside Drive and Parkway Opening, from 135th St. to Boulevard Lafayette" (conf. April 27, 1910; ent. June 14, 1910): No. 17365, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 1 00
"Riverside Drive Widening, easterly side, from 158th to 165th Sts." (conf. June 19, 1911; ent. Aug. 4, 1911):
No. 783, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 139 27
No. 784, section 8, block 2179, lot 95 (new lot 90)..... 129 80
"Northern Avenue Opening, 760 feet north of 181st St. and Ft. Washington Ave." (conf. Mar. 18, 1912; ent. May 7, 1912):
No. 78, section 8, block 2179, lot 95 (new lot 90)..... 189 71
No. 79, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 99 53
No. 81, section 8, block 2179, lot 90 of 198 (new lot 90)..... 13 92
"Acquiring title to New Avenue (Pinehurst), between Fort Washington and Haven Avenue, etc." (conf. July 7, 1910, etc., Dec. 4, 1912):
No. 24, section 8, block 2179, lot 90 of 198 (new lot 90)..... 1,237 30
No. 26, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 1 00

Water Charges.

1907, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... \$11 00
1909, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 39 10
1910, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 39 10
1911, section 8, block 2179, lot 95..... 20 70
1911, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 39 10
1912, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 39 87
1913, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 59 80
1914, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 59 80
1915, section 8, block 2179, lot 90..... 62 10

The records of this department show that in the proceeding for "Opening and Extending a New Avenue, between Fort Washington Avenue and Haven Avenue, etc.," an award, amounting to \$19,152.43, including principal and interest, for Damage Parcels Nos. 5 and 6, was paid to the above named petitioner on November 22, 1910.

Said records show further that the award in question affected old lot 95, included in the present application, and also lot 100, not included herein.

It appears further from said records that the assessment for benefit in the same proceeding in which the foregoing award was made, against lot 95, the principal of which assessment was \$15,546 and interest thereon amounting to \$548.59, was paid on June 16, 1913. There was a total taking of lot 100 in said proceeding, and consequently no assessment for benefit. A nominal assessment of \$1 was levied against old lot 90, which still remains open and unpaid.

The records show no lease to the City of New York of any part of the property hereinbefore described.

Although the petitioner has made application for the cancellation of charges against lot 90 and 95 only, it appears that for the tax of 1913 said lots were merged, together with another lot known as 90 of 198, the whole being now known as lot 90.

Among the charges returned against new lot 90 as open and unpaid are certain charges against that part formerly known as lot 90 of 198, viz., taxes for the year 1912 and certain assessments which became liens in the year 1912, including the assessment for benefit in the same proceeding in which the award hereinbefore referred to was made.

The records of this department show that on an application to the Comptroller for the cancellation of the 1908 and 1909 taxes against said lot, the same was denied under date of January 12, 1911, upon the advice of the Corporation Counsel, on the ground that the property was vacant during the years in question and not entitled to exemption. The status of the lot was the same in the year 1912, when the aforesaid open charges became liens.

These assessments were as follows:

Northern Avenue openings, lot 90 of 198..... \$13 92
Acquiring title to a new avenue between Fort Washington and Haven Avenues, etc. 1,237 30

Although this property was not exempt at the time the assessments became a lien thereon, it was nevertheless used by the petitioners, and the Comptroller would be justified on the authority of the Apostleship of Prayer vs. Tax Commissioners, 126 A. D. 951, confirmed 194 N. Y. 588, in certifying his approval of the cancellation thereof. It appears, however, that an award upon lot 188 and 198 was made to James Gordon Bennett in the proceeding to acquire title to a new avenue, amounting to \$11,564.12; that the petitioners herein objected to the payment of this award, alleging that they were the owners of the property. These objections were subsequently withdrawn by agreement dated December 23, 1910, upon the payment by James Gordon Bennett of the sum of \$853.21 of the award hereinbefore set forth.

The question of boundaries was finally adjusted by an agreement dated July 19, 1911, which was recorded in the office of the Register of New York County on November 17, 1911, the consideration expressed therein being the sum of one dollar.

By reason of the receipt by the petitioners of the sum of \$853.21, being a portion of the award in the proceeding upon which the assessment of \$1,237.30 was based, the Comptroller does certify to the cancellation of the assessment in excess of the sum of \$853.21, namely \$384.09.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$2,183.71. The property affected by these assessments and water charges is located in the Borough of Manhattan on the northerly side of West 181st Street, from Fort Washington Avenue to Pinehurst Avenue.

The President, Rev. John H. O'Rourke, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$174,966.80, and the expenditures for all objects, \$174,966.80, leaving no balance or deficit.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question (old lots 90 and 95 and 90 of 198) and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said assessments and water charges, above mentioned, accrued and became liens thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Apostleship of Prayer, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend that the liens above set forth, as the ones that may properly be cancelled, be cancelled upon the payment of \$853.21, and the further sum of \$10, as required by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; said payment to be made within 60 days from the date hereof; provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of eight hundred and sixty-three dollars and twenty-one cents (\$863.21), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments and water charges levied and assessed against property owned by the Apostleship of Prayer, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Haven Ave. opening from W. 177th St. to W. 181st St." (confirmed August 30, 1909; entered November 5, 1909): No. 21, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90 \$1 61
"Riverside Drive and Parkway opening, from 135th St. Boulevard Lafayette" (confirmed April 27, 1910; entered June 14, 1910): No. 17365, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90..... 1 00

"Riverside Drive widening, easterly side from 158th to 165th St." (confirmed June 19, 1911; entered August 4, 1911):

No 783, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	139 27
No 784, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 95 (new Lot 90).....	129 80
"Northern Avenue opening, 760 feet north of 181st St. and Ft. Washington Ave." (confirmed March 18, 1912; entered May 7, 1912):	
No 78, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 95 (new Lot 90).....	189 71
No 79, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	99 53
No 81, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90 of 198 (new Lot 90).....	13 92

"Acquiring title to New Avenue (Pinehurst), between Fort Washington and Haven Avenue, etc." (confirmed July 7, 1910; ent. December 4, 1912):

No 24, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90 of 198 (new Lot 90).....	1,237 30
No 26, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	1 00

<i>Water Charges.</i>	
1907, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	\$11 00
1909, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	39 10
1910, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	39 10
1911, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 95.....	20 70
Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	39 10
1912, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	39 87
1913, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	59 80
1914, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	59 80
1915, Section 8, Block 2179, Lot 90.....	62 10

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The German Evangelical Protestant Peoples Church—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.

Gentlemen—The German Evangelical Protestant Peoples Church has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements and water charges, affecting premises in the Borough of Queens, designated on the official tax map as Ward 2, Block 2492, Lot 12.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become a lien against any real estate owned by a corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the Tax Law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about August 20, 1906; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now is and has always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the Tax Law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used exclusively for religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that Lot 12 has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1909, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$10,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the department, namely:

Assessments.

"Grove Street Sewer and Appurtenances" (confirmed and entered May 2, 1915); Assessment No. 77, Block 2492, Lot 12, Ward 2.....	\$75 75
"Scott Avenue, Acquiring Title from Flushing Avenue to St. Nicholas Avenue" (confirmed December 18, 1913; entered August 5, 1915); Assessment No. 2861, Block 2492, Lot 12, Ward 2.....	4 85

The records of this Department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner, and no lease to The City of New York, affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$80.60. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Queens, on corner of Grove Street and Onderdonk Avenue.

The Rev. J. H. Walenta, pastor of said church, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year 1915, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$2,750.37 and the expenditures for all objects \$2,675.73, leaving a balance of \$74.64.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the German Evangelical Protestant Peoples' Church, pursuant to the provisions of such sections of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the German Evangelical Protestant People's Church, in the Borough of Queens, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Grove Street Sewer and Appurtenances" (confirmed and entered May 2, 1915); Assessment No. 77, Block 2492, Lot 12, Ward 2.....	\$75 75
"Scott Avenue, Acquiring Title from Flushing Avenue to St. Nicholas Avenue" (confirmed December 18, 1913; entered August 5, 1915); Assessment No. 2861, Block 2492, Lot 12, Ward 2.....	4 85

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The East Side House—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The East Side House has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Manhattan, designated on the official tax map as Section 5, Block 1487, Lot 30.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote, cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law, were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by a corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during

the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about April 15, 1901; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a kindergarten and community house for the moral and mental improvement of men and women.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1901, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$80,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Exterior Street, Paving and Curbing, from 67th to 79th Streets" (confirmed and entered April 4, 1916); No. 207, section 5, block 1487, lot 30..... \$1,162 00

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$1,162. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Manhattan, on southwest corner of 76th Street and Exterior Street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The petitioner, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended December 31, 1915, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$42,844.71 and the expenditures for all objects \$48,303.83, leaving a deficit of \$5,459.12.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of The East Side House, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the East Side House, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessment.

"Exterior Street, Paving and Curbing, from 67th to 79th Streets" (confirmed and entered April 4, 1916); No. 207, Section 5, Block 1487, Lot 30 \$1,162 00

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

New York City Baptist Mission Society—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—New York City Baptist Mission Society has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as Block 3173, Lot 36.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote, cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about February 4, 1905, and occupied by the Creston Avenue Baptist Church; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now is and has always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used exclusively for religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1906, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917, is \$50,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Regulating, Grading, etc., Fordham Road" (confirmed and entered Aug. 10, 1915); No. 409, block 3173, lot 36	\$5 00
"Acquiring title to Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Ave., etc." (confirmed Feb. 11, entered Mar. 13, 1916); No. 1191, block 3173, lot 36	231 61
"Relief sewer and appurtenances in Webster Ave., from Wendover Ave. (Claremont Parkway) to a point 200 feet north of Tremont Ave." (confirmed June 6, entered June 8, 1916); No. 3028, block 3173, lot 36.....	35 20

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$271.81. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on south side of E. 188th Street, 40 feet west of Creston Avenue.

The Treasurer of the Creston Avenue Baptist Church, Mr. Henry E. Thorn, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for a thirteen months' period ending November 1, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$3,604.54 and the expenditures for all objects, \$4,293.08, leaving a deficit of \$688.54.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the New York City Baptist Mission Society, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the New York City Baptist Mission Society, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time

of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Regulating, Grading, etc., Fordham Road" (confirmed and entered August 10, 1915); No. 409, Block 3173, Lot 36..... \$5 00
 "Acquiring Title to Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Avenue, etc." (confirmed February 11, entered March 31, 1916); No. 1191, Block 3173, Lot 36..... 231 61
 "Relief Sewer and Appurtenances in Webster Avenue, from Wendover Avenue (Claremont Parkway), to a point 200 feet north of Tremont Avenue" (confirmed June 6, entered June 8, 1916); No. 3028, Block 3173, Lot 36..... 35 20
 The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Church of St. Anthony—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

May 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—Church of St. Anthony has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as section 10, block 2679, lot 27.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the Tax Law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about November 27, 1903; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since that date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the Tax Law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used exclusively for religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1904 and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$82,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Regulating etc., Unnamed Street" (confirmed and entered June 6, 1916); No. 131, Block 2679, Lot 27..... \$50 18

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessment is \$50.18. The property affected by the assessment is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on southwest corner of 166th Street and Prospect Avenue.

The Rector and Treasurer, Rev. Joseph F. Rummel, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$22,779.97 and the expenditures for all objects \$18,919.07, leaving a balance of \$3,860.90.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Church of St. Anthony, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Church of St. Anthony, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessment.

"Regulating etc., Unnamed Street" (confirmed and entered June 6, 1916); No. 131, Block 2679, Lot 27..... \$50 18

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Bedford Park Congregational Church—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments and Water Charges.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—Bedford Park Congregational Church has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements and water charges, affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as section 12, block 3299, lots 1 and 4.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired lot 1, January 28, 1891, and lot 4, July 30, 1902, that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as follows: Lot 1, for church purposes, and lot 4 for Sunday School and church purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation as follows: Lot 1 in 1892 and since and lot 4 in 1903 and since; and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$18,500 for lot 1 and \$11,500 for lot 4.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements and water charges were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Receiving basins on Moshulu Parkway South" (cont. and ent. Feb. 21, 1905):
 No. 21, Block 3299, Lot 1..... \$35 83
 No. 22, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 28 06

Water Charges.

1912 Block 3299, Lot 4..... \$9 20
 1913, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80
 1914, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80
 1915, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described. The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments and water charges is \$114.49. The property affected by these assessments and water charges is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on southeast corner of Bainbridge Ave. and East 201st St.

The Treasurer and Trustee, Mr. Alfred H. Buck, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the last fiscal year, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$6,959.61, and the expenditures for all objects \$6,904.96, leaving a balance of \$54.65.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Bedford Park Congregational Church, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon payment of the sum of Ten dollars (\$10.00), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments and water rates levied and assessed against property owned by Bedford Park Congregational Church, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Receiving basins on Moshulu Parkway South" (conf. & ent. Feb. 21, 1905):
 No. 21, Block 3299, Lot 1..... \$35 83
 No. 22, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 28 06

Water Charges.

1912, Block 3299, Lot 4..... \$9 20
 1913, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80
 1914, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80
 1915, Block 3299, Lot 4..... 13 80

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

St. Margaret's Church, Riverdale—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York: Gentlemen—St. Margaret's Church, Riverdale, has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as Section 13, Block 3423, Lot 547.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about May, 1874, and April, 1893; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date, and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provisions of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used for religious and educational purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1892, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$44,500.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Sewers and appurtenances in Liebig Avenue" (confirmed and entered September 8, 1914): No. 45, Block 3423, Lot 547..... \$1,635 50

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner, but there appears, however, a lease of record made by the Sinking Fund Commission (page 797, Minutes, 1915) with the petitioner for the premises of Lavelle Hall, on 260th Street, 150 feet east of Riverdale Avenue, for the period from September 1, 1915, to July 1, 1918, at an annual rental of \$1,560 per annum, said premises to be used by the Department of Education.

Under the terms of said lease the City is to pay the taxes and water rents.

This assessment accrued and became a lien on this property prior to the making of this lease, and I, therefore, am of the opinion that the petitioner is justly entitled to the cancellation thereof and I so certify my approval thereof.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$1,635.50. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, on southeast corner of 260th Street and Riverdale Avenue.

The Rector, Rev. Michael J. Murray, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended January 1, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$6,698.82, and the expenditures for all objects, \$6,698.82, leaving no balance.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens above mentioned accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of St. Margaret's Church, Riverdale, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens above set forth be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of Section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by St. Margaret's Church, Riverdale, The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation

furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessment.

"Sewers and appurtenances in Liebig Avenue" (confirmed and entered September 8, 1914): No. 45, Block 3423, Lot 547..... \$1,635 50
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Reformed Protestant (Dutch) Church of Gravesend—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—Reformed Protestant (Dutch) Church of Gravesend has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements, affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as section 21, block 7127, lot 26; block 7128, lot 18, and block 7129, lot 67.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about February 28, 1893, that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used exclusively for church purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation as follows: Lot 26 in 1894 and since and lots 18 and 67 exempt in 1899 and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is: \$36,000 for lot 26, block 7127; \$14,000 for lot 18, block 7128, and \$500 for lot 67, block 7129.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessments.

"Tunk Sewer in Avenue V" (conf. and ent. Sept. 30, 1916):
No. 7897, Section 21, Block 7127, Lot 26..... \$200 00
No. 7902, Section 21, Block 7128, Lot 18..... 813 00
No. 7921, Section 21, Block 7129, Lot 67..... 36 24

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$1,049.24. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the easterly side of Second Street, between Avenues U and V and East First Street and corner of Avenue V and East First Street.

The President of the corporation, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended October 30, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$7,210.54 and the expenditures for all objects \$6,698.67, leaving a balance of \$511.87.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Reformed Protestant (Dutch) Church of Gravesend, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That upon payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by Reformed Protestant (Dutch) Church of Gravesend, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

Assessments.

"Trunk Sewer in Avenue V" (confirmed and entered September 30, 1916):
No. 7897, Section 21, Block 7127, Lot 26..... \$200 00
No. 7902, Section 21, Block 7128, Lot 18..... 813 00
No. 7921, Section 21, Block 7129, Lot 67..... 36 24
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Grace P. E. Church of Brooklyn—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Grace P. E. Church of Brooklyn, has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as section 9, block 2752, lot 35.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation, under article 1, section 4, subdivision 7, of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about May 19, 1853; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used continuously for religious purposes.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1855, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$17,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Sewers, Maspeth Avenue, from Newtown Creek to Conselyea Street, etc." (ent. Dec. 9, 1916). Diary No. 5305, Section 9, Block 2752, Lot 35 \$97 50

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$97.50. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, on Conselyea Street between Leonard and Lorimer Streets.

The Treasurer, Mr. Winthrop Stearns, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended December 1, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$2,565.82 and the expenditures for all objects \$2,481.19, leaving a balance of \$84.63.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Grace P. E. Church, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract for sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon the payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessments levied and assessed against property owned by the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Grace P. E. Church of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Assessment.

"Sewers, Maspeth Avenue, from Newtown Creek to Conselyea Street, etc." (ent. Dec. 9, 1916). Diary No. 5305, Section 9, Block 2752, Lot 35 \$97 50
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Faith Mission Association—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Faith Mission Association has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as Section 10, Block 2866, Lot 65.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote, cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law, were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about June 17, 1891; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date, and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as Sunday school and missionary purposes.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1891, and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$5,500.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Sewers, Maspeth Avenue, from Newtown Creek to Conselyea Street, etc." (ent. Dec. 9, 1916): Section 10, Block 2866, Lot 65..... \$150 00

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessment is \$150. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, northerly side of Withers Street, 160 feet east of Humboldt Street.

The Board of Trustees, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended December 31, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$1,211.38, and the expenditures for all objects, \$1,048.24; leaving a balance of \$163.14.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore certify my approval of the application of the Faith Mission Association, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected, and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon the payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessment levied and assessed against property owned by The Faith Mission Association, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Assessment.

"Sewers, Maspeth Avenue, from Newtown Creek to Conselyea Street, etc." (ent. Dec. 9, 1916). Section 10, Block 2866, Lot 65..... \$150 00
The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Bensonhurst—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Bensonhurst has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements, affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as section 21, block 6855, lot 1.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents, and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the

tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption, during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about July 30, 1891, and September 27, 1892, that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a church and parochial school.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1894, and since and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$82,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Trunk Sewer in Avenue V, etc." (conf. and ent. Sept. 30, 1916). No. 2697, Section 21, Block 6855, Lot 1..... \$170 00

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$170. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, northeast corner of 85th Street and 23rd Avenue.

The Rector, Rev. Henry A. Murray, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended December 31, 1915, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$14,271.75 and the expenditures for all objects \$13,813.67, leaving a balance of \$458.08.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Bensonhurst, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon the payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessment levied and assessed against property owned by St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Bensonhurst, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Assessment.

"Trunk sewer in Avenue V, etc." (conf. and ent. Sept. 30, 1916). No. 2697, Section 21, Block 6855, Lot 1..... \$170 00

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Riverdale Library Association—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Assessments.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Riverdale Library Association has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain assessments for public improvements affecting premises in the Borough of The Bronx, designated on the official tax map as section 13, block 3421, lot 1477.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annul all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter become, a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation, entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation, under article 1, section 4, subdivision 7, of the tax law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or Croton Water rents, from which it seeks relief, accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about July, 1905; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation, under said provision of the tax law, during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used and occupied continuously as a library.

It appears from an examination of the Assessment Rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1911 and since and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$8,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following assessments for local improvements were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the Department, namely:

Assessment.

"Sewers and appurtenances in Moshulu Avenue." (Conf. and ent. Feb. 10, 1911). No. 81, Lot 1477, Block 3421..... \$78 50

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above assessments is \$78.50. The property affected by these assessments is located in the Borough of The Bronx, at northwest corner of 253rd St., Von Humboldt and Moshulu Avenues.

The Financial Secretary, Anna A. Carte, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year ended September 30, 1916, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$2,151.02, and the expenditures for all objects, \$2,149.76, leaving a balance of \$1.26.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of The Riverdale Library Association, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment, said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon the payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following assessment levied and assessed against property owned by the Riverdale Library Association, Borough of The Bronx, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Assessment.

"Sewers and appurtenances in Moshulu Avenue." (conf. and ent. Feb. 10, 1911). No. 81, Lot 1477, Block 3421..... \$78 50

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Roman Catholic Church of the Most Holy Trinity—Petition of, for the Cancellation of Certain Water Charges.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

June 9, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—Roman Catholic Church of the Most Holy Trinity has presented to you a petition for the cancellation of certain water charges affecting premises in the Borough of Brooklyn, designated on the official tax map as Section 10, Block 3061, Lot 10.

This application is made pursuant to the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York upon the written certificate of the Comptroller of said City approving the same, may, in their discretion, and upon such terms as they may deem proper, by a unanimous vote cancel and annual all taxes, assessments and Croton water rents and sales to said City of any and all of the same, which at the time said section became a law were, or might hereafter, become a lien against any real estate owned by any corporation entitled to exemption of such real estate owned by it from local taxation under article one, section four, subdivision seven of the Tax Law, which was the actual owner of such real estate and entitled to such exemption during the time when the taxes, assessments or water rents from which it seeks relief accrued and became liens thereupon.

It appears from the petition submitted, which is duly verified, that the petitioner is a corporation incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, and is the owner in fee simple of the above described premises, having acquired the same on or about the year 1865; that it has owned the above described premises continuously since said date and is still the owner thereof, and that the same now are and have always been exempt from local taxation under said provision of the Tax Law during the periods when the liens hereinafter set forth accrued. Said premises are used as a church and school.

It appears from an examination of the assessment rolls that said property has been exempt from local taxation for the year 1895 and since, and the assessed valuation for the year 1917 is \$300,000.

It further appears from the records of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears that the following water charges were levied against said property and are now open and unpaid on the records of the department, namely:

Water Charges.

Section 10, Block 3061, Lot 10. 1903, \$97.75; 1904, \$100.05; 1905, \$97.75.

The records of this department show no awards paid or payable to the petitioner and no lease to The City of New York affecting the property hereinbefore described.

The total amount involved as principal in the above water charges is \$295.55. The property affected by these water charges is located in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the south side of Montrose Avenue, 100 feet east of Manhattan Avenue.

The Pastor, Rev. Fred M. Schneider, in response to a request, has submitted a financial statement for the year 1915, showing the total receipts from all sources to be \$17,305.85 and the expenditures for all objects \$17,181.29, leaving a balance of \$124.56.

It appearing, therefore, that the petitioner was the actual owner of the real estate in question and entitled to have the same exempted from taxation during the time when said liens, above mentioned, accrued and became a lien thereupon, I am of the opinion that the petitioner has presented a proper case for relief to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 221A of the Greater New York Charter, and I would, therefore, certify my approval of the application of the Roman Catholic Church of the Most Holy Trinity, pursuant to the provisions of such section of the Charter, and recommend the liens, above set forth, be cancelled upon the payment of \$10, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof, by affidavit, that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, upon the payment of the sum of ten dollars (\$10), the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, hereby authorize and direct the Comptroller, pursuant to the provisions of section 221-A of the Charter, to cancel the following water charges levied and assessed against property owned by the Roman Catholic Church of the Most Holy Trinity, Borough of Brooklyn, provided that at the time of such payment said corporation furnish proof by affidavit that it is the actual owner of the property affected and that the same is not under contract of sale:

Water Charges.

Section 10, Block 3061, Lot 10. 1903, \$97.75; 1904, \$100.05; 1905, \$97.75.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 10.30 o'Clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 20, 1917.

Present—Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen; Edmund D. Fisher, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Edward F. Barrett, Deputy and Acting Chamberlain; Francis P. Kenney, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

Fixing of the Rate of Interest to Be Paid on Corporate Stock and Serial Bonds to Be Hereafter Issued to the Public.

The Deputy and acting Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, this Commission hereby fixes and prescribes four and one-half per cent. per annum as the rate of interest to be paid on Corporate Stock and Serial Bonds of The City of New York, which may be hereafter issued to the public, including

\$47,500,000—Payable on July 1, 1967.

7,500,000—Payable July 1, 1918 to 1932.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1917.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Commissioner of Accounts.				
88945	6-20-17	Alexander J. Brezin		\$267 93

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Armory Board.					87970	5-23-17	6-18-17	Eimer & Amend	12 97
89333		6-20-17	C. D. Rhinehart	\$3 15	88018	5-14-17	6-18-17	Armstrong Cork & Insulation Co.	29 00
82261	4-18-17	6- 4-17	Nicholas J. Schery	83 00	87980	5-16-17	6-18-17	Clarkson & Ford Co.	56 00
Board of Coroners.					88019	4-28-17	6-18-17	Franklin & Walsh	10 75
88872		6-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$14 57	87992	4- 9-17. 4-12-17	6-18-17	Harvard Apparatus Co.	5 80
52423	3-24-17	5-29-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	15 00	87983	5-14-17	6-18-17	Peter Henderson & Co., Inc.	20 00
Surrogate's Court, Queens County.					87982	5-26-17	6-18-17	Edison Lamp Works of the General Electric Co.	47 52
89098		6-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$60 71	87972	5- 9-17	6-18-17	The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	51 75
County Court, Kings County.					87960	5-15-17	6-18-17	The Elsworth Press, Inc.	14 00
86264		6-13-17	Dudley J. Fagan	\$50 00	Board of City Record.				
Department of Plant and Structures.					85234	46668	6-12-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	\$282 36
85945	6- 1-17	6-12-17	James McLaughlin Co.	\$220 00	85233	46668	6-12-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	351 42
85952	5-31-17	6-12-17	The Terry & Trench Co., Inc.	225 00	85231	46688	6-12-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	3,452 90
85954	6- 1-17	6-12-17	Harlem Stables Co., Inc.	120 00	85232	46668	6-12-17	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	1,993 82
85958		6-12-17	J. W. Gasteiger & Son	659 73	85235	46670	6-12-17	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	298 22
85957	5-25-17	6-12-17	Pennsylvania Cement Co.	2,050 00	85236	46670	6-12-17	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	273 64
88156	3-16-17. 5-24-17	6-19-17	Martin Evans Co.	74 90	85556	46658	6-12-17	New York Telephone Co.	102 04
85951	6- 6-17	6-12-17	James J. McAvoy	500 00	Department of Correction.				
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.					88424	5- 4-17	6-19-17	E. B. Latham & Co.	\$1 44
87120	3- 3-17	6-15-17	S. F. Hayward & Co.	\$6 75	88418	6- 7-17	6-19-17	The Frank Richard & Gardner Co.	3 00
87115	4-24-17	6-15-17	Herman Kornahrens, Inc.	8 25	88420	6- 6-17	6-19-17	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	3 10
87112	5- 2-17. 5- 7-17	6-15-17	Bruce & Cook	14 93	88421	5-19-17	6-19-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	15 00
87109	5- 7-17	6-15-17	Julius Fowl	4 00	88422	5-22-17. 6- 8-17	6-19-17	Department of Correction	5 35
87053	4-17-17	6-15-17	Closter Shading Co.	25 48	88417	6- 5-17	6-19-17	Standard Auto Supply Co.	4 80
87100	4-11-17. 4-13-17	6-15-17	Merck & Co.	4 96	88415	5- 5-17	6-19-17	Hull, Grippen & Co.	12 50
89092		6-20-17	Mary E. Wadley, Asst. Supt. of Nurses	34 40	88416	1-31-17	6-19-17	Gimbel Brothers	1 15
89088		6-20-17	J. T. W. Brass	12 60	87234	5-31-17	6-15-17	The Fleischmann Co.	22 80
89091		6-20-17	M. S. Gregory	5 20	8035		6-20-17	Harry F. Nimphius	2 00
89090		6-20-17	Mark L. Fleming	4 70	84956	47318	6-11-17	Richman & Samuels	575 82
89089		6-20-17	A. E. Aikman	11 65	88414	5-29-17	6-19-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	11 06
89087		6-20-17	George A. White, Chief Clerk and Auditor	3 73	86193	5-28-17	6-13-17	The Mohican Co.	4 50
89086		6-20-17	Jessie A. Stowers, Supervising Nurse	16 80	88423	6- 9-17	6-10-17	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	16 60
89085		6-20-17	C. D. O'Neil, Asst. Supt.	61 15	88428	5-14-17	6-19-17	Robert A. Keasbey Co.	14 15
84127	3-31-17	6- 8-17	I. Saron	30 00	88427	5-16-17	6-19-17	Chas. H. Heinsohn	19 83
87114	4- 9-17. 4-30-17	6-15-17	Hull, Grippen & Co.	24 37	88279	5-21-17	6-19-17	Wagner & Borrin's Garage	\$52 50
87111	4-27-17	6-15-17	Behrer & Co.	23 22	88278		6-19-17	New York Telephone Co.	15 50
87065	4-20-17	6-15-17	The Auto Supply Co.	33 07	88910		6-20-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$47 27
87113	5- 2-17	6-15-17	Greenhut Co.	7 25	7975		6-20-17	Hall's Photo Studio	\$18 00
84318	4-30-17. 4-25-17	6- 8-17	John Simmons Co.	85 36	85850		6-12-17	New York Telephone Co.	177 83
87063	5-14-17	6-15-17	Hoffman-Corr Mfg. Co.	29 34	83006	5-18-17	6- 6-17	James Graham	\$6 50
87110	5- 2-17	6-15-17	Peter Henderson & Co.	17 50	81192		5-31-17	Peter P. McLoughlin	\$178 50
87058	3-22-17. 3-24-17	6-15-17	The H. B. Claffin Corp.	65 76	87534	6-31-16	6-16-17	B. F. Keinard	10 00
87059	3-22-17. 3-24-17	6-15-17	B. Rothblatt & Son	16 50	85573		6-12-17	Benj. H. Tyrrel	226 98
87106	4-25-17	6-15-17	Wm. H. Enhaus & Son	4 67	61806		4-18-17	Gerald Van Casteel	58 33
87104	4-14-17	6-15-17	Crandall Packing Co.	8 84	88991		6-20-17	Frank Tourist Co.	43 31
87050	4-27-17	6-15-17	Greenhut Co.	77 37	89189		6-20-17	Philp Guise, Asst. Engineer	109 16
87105	5-12-17	6-15-17	Darmstadt, Scott & Courtney	32 00	82948	5- 4-17	6- 6-17	Hoffman-Corr Mfg. Co.	196 23
87103	5- 1-17	6-15-17	A. L. Miller	5 76	85586	5- 9-17	6-12-17	L. C. Harry Co.	150 00
87101	4-23-17. 5- 9-17	6-15-17	H. Kohnstamm & Co.	30 00	85587	5-26-17	6-12-17	Brooklyn Fire Brick Works	143 36
87102	5- 9-17	6-15-17	Mallinckrodt Chemical Works	6 67	85585	5-25-17	6-12-17	Paige & Jones Chemical Co.	392 40
87099	4-30-17	6-15-17	Cushman's Sons, Inc.	12 96	85584	5-24-17	6-12-17	Whitaker-Glessner Co.	904 24
84134	3-31-17	6- 8-17	Borden's Farm Products Division	11 12	80076	5-21-17	5-28-17	Lithoprint Co., Inc.	46 96
82363	5- 8-17	6- 5-17	Frank E. Haynes & Son	950 00	89253		6-20-17	New York Telephone Company	12 15
87062	3-24-17	6-15-17	The Fairbanks Co.	89 52	85577		6-12-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company	10,238 18
84125	4-27-17. 5- 4-17	6- 8-17	Wm. Langbein & Bros.	52 30	85578		6-12-17	Louis J. Sieling	1,935 00
80569	4-30-17	5-29-17	Borden's Farm Products Division	13 86	85579		6-12-17	Wacker & Flannigan	1,173 69
87055	4-27-17	6-30-17	New York French Range Co.	60 00	85581		6-12-17	Moran Towing & Transportation Co.	405 45
87057	4-11-17	6-15-17	Gimbel Brothers	44 60	85576		6-12-17	P. Sanford Ross, Inc.	6,610 50
84324	4-30-17	6-15-17	I. Saron	30 00	85580		6-12-17	P. H. Nannery	552 83
87718	4-12-17	6-15-17	E. B. Meyrowitz	14 60	85899	44423	6-12-17	Brooklyn Daily Eagle	143 02
87117	5- 4-17. 5- 7-17	6-15-17	Wm. Langbein & Bros.	88 40	88135	3-29-17	6-19-17	M. Kalmus	12 00
87119	4-16-17	6-15-17	Crane & Downing, Inc.	1 92	88138	3-29-17	6-19-17	M. Kalmus	9 70
84131	4-30-17	6- 8-17	Eugene O. R. McArdle	29 20	88099	4-17-17	6-19-17	H. Pfund	19 00
Municipal Court of the City of New York.					88105	5- 4-17	6-19-17	Anton Orgelfinger	9 00
89424		6-21-17	Clifford C. Reeve	\$4 50	88103	4-25-17	6-19-17	Henry Pearl & Sons Co.	8 50
89425		6-21-17	Patrick J. J. Dinan	7 25	88102	3-10-17	6-19-17	Hyman Rubin	9 00
89423		6-21-17	Francis A. Ratigan	3 10	88100	3-19-17	6-19-17	H. Fortenbach	7 00
89422		6-21-17	John H. Nuhn	21 60	88090	4-17-17	6-19-17	W. B. A. Jurgens	20 50
89416		6-21-17	Isidor Greenbaum	5 00	88086	3-28-17	6-19-17	The Jersey City Galvanizing Co.	21 55
89419		6-21-17	Patrick H. Bird	5 00	88085	3-30-17	6-19-17	E. B. Latham & Co.	1 00
89418		6-21-17	Stephen Collins	3 00	88084	4- 6-17	6-19-17	Keuffel & Esser Co.	3 95
89421		6-21-17	Charles M. Byrne	5 00	84774		6-11-17	J. B. Lippincott Co.	1 06
89420		6-21-17	John P. Burns	10 00	88072	1-31-17	6-19-17	The Kny-Scheerer Corporation	1 60
89417		6-21-17	John W. Carpenter	5 00	88121	3- 5-17	6-19-17	Belford Brothers	6 60
Surrogates' Court, New York County.					88115	3-21-17	6-19-17	I. Brenner	16 43
89819		6-21-17	New York Telephone Co.	\$29 54	88174	4- 3-17	6-19-17	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	42 00
County Clerk, Queens County.					88172	4-17-17	6-19-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	19 00
88286	5-31-17	6-19-17	Brooklyn Union Towel Supply Co.	\$3 25	88171	3- 4-17	6-19-17	New York Calcium Light Co.	2 75
County Clerk, Kings County.					88173	4-14-17	6-19-17	Hull, Grippen & Co.	1 51
88215	5- 8-17	6-19-17	Van Brunt Tandy	\$1 00	87584	2-17-17. 4- 9-17	6-18-17	Bloomington Bros.	36 24
88213	6- 2-17	6-19-17	Eagle Spring Water Co.	8 10	88862	5- 8-17	6-20-17	Elsie Gardner	1 50
88214	6- 4-17	6-19-17	The Crescent Towel Supply Co.	3 25	87587	4- 2-17	6-18-17	Tower Mfg. and Nov. Co.	50
County Clerk, Bronx County.					87580A	3-27-17	6-17-17	Thos. Cummings	17 75
84637	6- 1-17	6- 9-17	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	\$7 95	87578	3-19-17	6-18-17	A. Pearson's Sons	20 50
Hunter College.					87589	4-30-17	6-18-17	The General Manifold and Printing Company	22 00
85799	3-26-17	6-12-17	Peckham, Little & Co.	\$105 00	87591	5- 4-17	6-18-17	M. J. Tobin	11 80
85817	3-27-17. 3-28-17	6-12-17	John A. O'Dowd	124 74	87565	3-23-17	6-18-17	Library Bureau	4 80
85300	3- 1-17	6-12-17	Herman Auskulat	123 03	88175	4-30-17	6-19-17	John Wiley & Sons, Inc.	1 13
85813	2-23-17. 4-27-17	6-12-17	Meyer Camera & Instrument Co., Inc.	178 30	87583		6-18-17	Montgomery & Co., Inc.	1 40
85314	3-15-17. 4- 3-17	6-12-17	Milton, Bradley Company	550 54	87586	4- 5-17	6-18-17	Louis Dejonge & Co.	

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85318		41635	6-12-17 The Macmillan Company.....	186 81	89670		6-21-17 St. Agnes' Hospital for Crippled and		
85261	1-30-17		6-12-17 Westchester Avenue Bank, Assignee of				6-21-17 Atypical Children	3,024 56	
			J. L. Fries	135 00	89671		6-21-17 The Children's Home at Mineola, N. Y.	187 50	
85329		44752	6-12-17 Heywood Bros. & Wakefield Co.....	399 69	89672		6-21-17 The Society of the Lying-In Hospital		
85328		45162	6-12-17 Underwood Typewriter Co.....	140 00			of The City of New York.....	2,067 75	
85940		44570	6-12-17 M. J. Tobin	239 50	89673		6-21-17 The Mount Sinai Hospital of The City		
85285	4-12-17		6-12-17 H. B. Claffin Corp.....	115 25			of New York	4,870 60	
85284	4-10-17		6-12-17 Willcox & Gibbs Sewing Machine Co..	225 00	89680		6-21-17 The Harlem Eye and Ear Hospital,		
88164	1-17-17		6-19-17 E. Friedman, Assignee of Henry M.				Formerly the Harlem Eye, Ear and		
			Silkiss	20 75			Throat Infirmary	250 00	
88071	4-11-17		6-19-17 Geo. T. Montgomery	5 75	89674		6-21-17 The Sloane Hospital for Women.....	1,322 05	
88717	5-10-17		6-20-17 Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	9 50	89678		6-21-17 St. Christopher's Home	110 50	
88106	4-26-17		6-19-17 Robert C. Emmons.....	39 00	80585		6-23-17 Charles Beinert or George W. Stake,		
88111	4-12-17		6-19-17 Robert C. Emmons.....	47 00			Attorney	1,134 94	
88192	4-4-17		6-19-17 The Royal Co. of N. Y., Assignee of		89653		6-21-17 George G. Hallock	12 00	
			American Ornamental Iron Works....	17 00	89647		6-21-17 Arthur H. Ehler	1 00	
87575	2-13-17		6-18-17 E. Friedman, Assignee of Henry M.		89636		6-21-17 A. Fishko	5 50	
			Silkiss	47 00	89637		6-21-17 Aug. Scavalone	4 50	
84790		47028	6-11-17 Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	437 50	89683		6-21-17 Max Marcus	12 00	
87538	4-18-17	5-2-17	6-18-17 M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	71 45	89646		6-21-17 W. Levy	4 50	
88089	4-20-17		6-19-17 C. H. F. Jurgens.....	27 20	89645		6-21-17 William Levy	4 50	
88764	4-16-16		6-20-17 James I. Kelly	11 00	89644		6-21-17 R. W. Miller	4 50	
88739	3-22-17		6-20-17 John Mulstein Co.	6 00	89643		6-21-17 Chas. H. Hewey	5 50	
88762	3-26-17		6-20-17 Edward Harley	22 00	89642		6-21-17 W. T. McEnaney	11 00	
88765	3-23-17		6-20-17 Garbutt & Co.	18 00	89641		6-21-17 J. Lehman	4 50	
88819	3-7-17		6-20-17 W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	4 60	89640		6-21-17 Christopher Nally	38 15	
88092	3-17-17		6-19-17 Julius Haas & Sons, Inc.....	79 00	89639		6-21-17 Christopher Nally	45 95	
88841	5-7-17		6-20-17 H. C. Hallenbeck	75 00	89648		6-21-17 J. W. Limbarger	5 50	
88776	12-29-16		6-20-17 Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co..	3 00	89636		6-21-17 A. Fishko	5 50	
88751	12-11-16		6-20-17 Jacob A. Margolis, Assignee of L. E.		89648		6-21-17 J. W. Linbarger	5 50	
			Atherton	12 40	88685		6-20-17 Long Island Railroad Company.....	12,500 00	
87590	4-25-17		6-18-17 Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	12 40	89617		6-21-17 Mary Ann McKenzie	700 00	
88846	5-15-17		6-20-17 Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	9 00	89618		6-21-17 Frank Gass or the Collector of Assess-		
88839	4-9-17		6-20-17 F. C. Stechert Co.	2 95			ments	25 00	
88716	5-1-17		6-20-17 Atlas Stationery Company	3 75	89619		6-21-17 Jennie Konti	324 66	
87535	3-15-17		6-20-17 Thos. A. Corwin	18 61	90746		6-25-17 Amos G. Russell or J. Arthur Hilton,		
88766	4-13-17		6-18-17 Garbutt & Co.	17 40			Attorney	386 42	
87372	3-15-17		6-16-17 D. Stein	74 07	90377		6-22-17 New York Skin and Cancer Hospital..	506 25	
87566	3-21-17		6-18-17 J. Friedman	37 58	90376		6-22-17 Leake and Watts Orphan House.....	1,122 11	
88713	4-30-17		6-20-17 Remington Typewriter Co.....	3 60	90375		6-22-17 The Brooklyn Eye and Ear Hospital..	225 75	
88706	4-16-17		6-20-17 Hinds, Noble & Eldredge	19 20	90374		6-22-17 The Ozanam Home for Friendless		
88842	5-9-17	5-12-17	6-20-17 Paul Baron	33 00			Women	307 70	
88838			6-20-17 Peerless Manifold Book Co.....	2 88	90373		6-22-17 St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of		
88196			6-19-17 The Royal Co. of New York, assignee				New York	3,529 14	
			of Louis Messer	9 50	90372		6-22-17 Richmond County Society for the Pre-		
88108	4-24-17		6-19-17 Herman Huchital	52 50			vention of Cruelty to Children.....	333 33	
88123	4-4-17		6-19-17 P. A. McCauley	8 37	90371		6-22-17 New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	180 68	
88194	3-15-17		6-19-17 W. H. Temple	96 00	90370		6-22-17 Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	273 75	
87577	3-15-17		6-18-17 Ph. Simberg	20 00	90369		6-22-17 Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	424 75	
88126	3-22-17		6-19-17 L. P. Gfroerer Co.	9 84	90368		6-22-17 Home for Hebrew Infants of The		
89496			6-21-17 Thomas F. O'Neill	14 25			City of New York.....	4,261 38	
88696			6-20-17 Anthony Wahle	6 50			The Mayoralty.		
85232	4-6-17		6-12-17 J. L. Fries	230 00	88221	4-2-17, 5-14-17	6-19-17 The World	\$77 00	
85231	1-8-17	1-23-17	6-12-17 F. C. Huyck & Sons	703 15			National Guard and Naval Militia.		
88844	4-30-17	5-15-17	6-20-17 Krengel Mfg. Co.	15 70	85360		6-12-17 Lorin Van Demark.....	\$219 90	
88845	5-5-17	5-8-17	6-20-17 Atlas Stationery Co.	5 30	85352		6-12-17 W. L. Krom	1,552 61	
88847	5-4-17		6-20-17 Hygeia Distilled Water Co.....	6 00	85359		6-12-17 H. G. Gregory	116 26	
88849	5-9-17		6-20-17 Goldsmith Bros.	2 40	85362	5-31-17	6-12-17 A. J. Dimmick	100 00	
88848	5-14-17		6-20-17 Eugene Dietzgen Co.	21 56	85350	5-5-17, 5-11-17	6-12-17 L. P. Russell & Son.....	376 39	
88851	2-12-17		6-20-17 Continental Motors Co.	7 15	85373	5-31-17, 6-1-17	6-12-17 Frank Vicevich	711 98	
88201	4-14-17		6-19-17 A. W. Brauer	19 50	85353	3-31-17, 4-5-17	6-12-17 Griot & Fischer	2,393 51	
87547	2-26-17		6-18-17 L. J. Wing Mfg. Co.....	50 00	85361	5-30-17	6-12-17 A. D. Winne	105 63	
88852	4-18-17		6-20-17 John Scally	2 00	85376	5-2-17	6-12-17 Mrs. James Burns	186 00	
88775	3-27-17		6-20-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.	1 08	89282	4-28-17, 5-7-17	6-20-17 Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	36 46	
87538		46571	6-18-17 Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	80 00	89272	6-16-17	6-20-17 William Kaiser	28 00	
87539	3-3-17	46759	6-18-17 James A. Miller	10 00	89262	5-29-17	6-20-17 M. H. Remsen	10 40	
88151	3-1-17		6-19-17 W. R. Ostrander & Co., assignee of				Bronx Parkway Commission.		
			Morris Levi & Co.	42 00	82784	4-5-17, 5-5-17	6-6-17 O'Connell Contracting Co.....	\$345 25	
88676	4-14-17		6-20-17 American Book Co.	91 95	88377	5-1-17	6-19-17 M. B. Thompson	6 15	
			Fire Department.		88376	4-12-17	6-19-17 Eugene H. Tower	12 60	
88926			6-20-17 R. H. Laimbeer, Jr.	\$25 00	88378	5-29-16	6-19-17 Morrison Trucking Co., Inc.....	67 11	
89429			6-21-17 Wm. F. Doyle, Veterinarian	25 00	88380	4-30-17	6-19-17 Greene, Tweed & Co.....	5 35	
			Department of Health.				Department of Parks.		
85418			6-12-17 The Western Union Telegraph Co., Inc.	\$369 60	88185	4-21-17	6-19-17 Lock Joint Pipe Co.....	\$80 00	
86646	5-25-17		6-14-17 Vacuum Oil Co.	39 96	85083	1-29-17	6-11-17 W. & J. Sloane.....	596 96	
83252	5-24-17		6-7-17 Adolph Zorn	15 45	80355	2-9-17	5-28-17 Peter J. Constant	108 14	
			Board of Inebriety.		88188	5-19-17, 6-1-17	6-19-17 J. S. Woodhouse Co.....	11 70	
89627			6-21-17 Chas. Samson, Executive Secretary ...	\$9 30	67240	2-15-17	6-19-17 Schieffelin & Co.....	34 31	
88407	6-6-17		6-19-17 The Survey	13 07	88189	6-7-17	6-19-17 Eggleston Brothers & Co.....	99 77	
88411	5-14-17	5-17-17	6-19-17 Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	37 05			Police Department.		
88402	5-31-17		6-19-17 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	2 17	85859		6-12-17 Wm. D. Moore & Sons, Inc.....	\$1,800 00	
86929	6-13-17		6-21-17 William Wood & Co.....	90	88257	5-24-17	6-19-17 C. G. Braxmar Co.....	1 25	
88401	5-8-17		6-19-17 The Cutaway Harrow Co.....	61 28	88261	5-18-17	6-19-17 Castleton Motor Car Company.....	26 57	
88403	6-1-17		6-19-17 The Lehigh & Hudson River Railway		88268	5-31-17	6-19-17 W. M. Fleischman	28 00	
			Co.	21 05	88269	6-1-17	6-19-17 Philip C. Finn	50 00	
			Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.		88245	6-5-17	6-19-17 The Tabulating Machine Co.....	1 38	
88836			6-20-17 Thorndyke C. McKennee, Commissioner	\$50 00	88243	5-28-17	6-19-17 Louis De Jonge & Co.....	12 00	
			Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County.				President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
88299	6-1-17		6-19-17 The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.....	\$4 80	88345	5-31-17	6-19-17 Excelsior Stables, Inc.	\$30 00	
89772			6-21-17 New York Telephone Co.....	12 56	88336	1-29-17	6-19-17 American Radiator Company	20 06	
			Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.		83553	5-4-17, 5-10-17	6-7-17 W. J. Fitzgerald	62 39	
85821	5-31-17		6-12-17 M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	\$189 50	85731	4-25-17	6-12-17 The Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co....	6 09	
			Department of Licenses.		85732	5-24-17	6-12-17 Harlem Contracting Company.....	132 92	
89615			6-21-17 New York Telephone Co.....	\$99 94	85679	5-4-17, 5-5-17	6-12-17 The Barrett Company.....	183 04	
89614			6-21-17 New York Telephone Co.....	16 16	88998		6-20-17 Thomas F. Walsh, Finance Clerk.....	205 95	
			Law Department.		85711	5-21-17	6-12-17 James Molloy	300 00	
87819			6-18-17 John T. Allan	\$25 00	85690	4-18-17	6-12-17 Joseph Elias & Co.....	127 00	
88563			6-19-17 Clarence B. Smith	50 00	85717	3-1-17, 4-25-17	6-12-17 Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	636 27	
88560			6-19-17 John T. Allan	75 00	85673	5-7-17	6-12-17 The Cupples Cordage Company, Inc..	202 77	
82229			6-4-17 Queensboro Reporting Co.	188 70	85648	4-18-17, 5-10-17	6-12-17 A. B. Dick Company.....	118 80	
86551			6-14-17 Queensboro Reporting Co.	88 90	85653	5-15-17	6-12-17 Massasoit Mfg. Co.	153 75	
			Miscellaneous.		85666	4-18-17, 4-30-17	6-12-17 The R. & L. Bearings Co.....	210 90	
90367			6-22-17 Association for Befriending Children		85667	4-27-17	6-12-17 United States Rubber Company.....	200 40	
			and Young Girls, House of the Holy		85688	4-16-17, 4-28-17	6-12-17 The East River Mill & Lumber Co....	123 83	
			Family	\$900 75	85704	5-24-17	6-12-17 Harlem Contracting Company	123 73	
89621			6-21-17 Anna Marx	36 00	85644	12-31-16	6-12-17 Sanborn Map Company	115 00	
89620			6-21-17 George L. Ingraham and Estate of		85684	4-30-17	6-12-17 G. B. Raymond & Co.....	129 50	
			Arthur Ingraham	675 00	85686	5-11-17	6-12-17 Dickerson, Van Dusen & Co.....	148 69	
88682			6-20-17 Harry A. Goidel	3 00	85727	5-9-17	6-12-17 Uvalde Contracting Co.	111 37	
89675			6-21-17 Five Points House of Industry.....	3,185 07	83970		6-8-17 The Asphalt Construction Co.....	2,014 78	
89679			6-21-17 Hospital for Deformities and Joint		83971		6-8-17 Harby, Ahrons & Melius, Inc.....	2,805 07	
			Diseases	554 33	88341	5-24-17	6-19-17 Harlem Contracting Co.	17 64	
89676			6-21-17 Jewish Maternity Hospital.....	1,064 75	88335		6-19-17 Harlem Contracting Co.	5 61	
89665			6-21-17 Lebanon Hospital Association.....	1,693 63	88339	5-21-17	6-19-17 Uvalde Contracting Co.	5 60	
89666			6-21-17 Misericordia Hospital	991 65	88344	5-9-17	6-19-17 W. J. Fitzgerald	8 10	
89667			6-21-17 New York Foundling Hospital.....	32,394 33	88343	5-5-17	6-19-17 Republic Construction Co.	15 48	
			6-21-17 Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum So-		85730	5-24-17	6-12-17 Uvalde Contracting Co.	9 00	
			cietty, St. Joseph's Female Orphan Asy-		83552	5-5-17	6-7-17 Republic Construction Co.	19 42	
			lulum	5,495 75			President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
89668			6-21-17 St. Anthony's Hospital.....	7,331 60	87866	6-8-17	6-18-17 E. F. Keating Company.....	10 15	
89669									

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84279	45835	6- 8-17	Nathan W. Marcus, Assignee of Tony Lapadula	3,923 28	85489	5-14-17	6-12-17	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	367 95
87865	6- 8-17	6-18-17	John Yule	25 00	82768	6-15-17	6- 6-17	The Manhattan Supply Co.	45 00
85841	45836	6-12-17	Tony Lapadula	1,518 95	87165	5- 7-17	6-15-17	Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd.	1 17
85842	45639	6-12-17	New York and New Jersey Construction Co., Inc.	10,728 04	87178	5-18-17	6-15-17	Alberene Stone Co.	47 50
President of the Borough of Brooklyn.					87177	5-18-17	6-15-17	A. F. Brombacher & Co.	70
88512	5-25-17	6-19-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	13 08	87176	5-18-17	6-15-17	The Croker National Fire Prevention Engineering Co.	9 25
88510	5-22-17	6-19-17	Wm. C. Robinson & Son Co.	16 00	87170	5-15-17	6-15-17	The Perfection Spring Device Co.	12 00
88511	5-22-17	6-19-17	C. W. Keenan	64 50	87168	5- 9-17	6-15-17	Albert T. Zorn	75 00
88513	4-20-17	6-19-17	Go Motor Speeder Company	16 00	87163	5-14-17	6-15-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	2 25
88502	6- 1-17	6-19-17	Midwood Garage	2 85	86920	4-30-17	6-15-17	Hoffman Taxicab Co., Inc.	62 40
88505	6- 1-17	6-19-17	H. E. Spicer Co.	11 50	85483	4-21-15	6-12-17	William H. Atkinson Co.	176 50
88504	6- 5-17	6-19-17	Wilson Stamp Co.	4 10	85182	4-17-17	6-11-17	The Carbondale Machine Co.	890 00
88508	5-28-17	6-19-17	H. & B. Auto Sales Co.	9 72	86922	5-28-17	6-15-17	Index Visible	52 50
87200	46904	6-15-17	Knickerbocker Ice Company	52 23	87161	5-19-17	6-15-17	Thornier Mfg. Co., Inc.	7 20
87277	5-31-17	6-15-17	Baron & Beling	13 80	87164	5-19-17	6-15-17	Greenhut Co.	23 50
8034	6-20-16	6-20-17	R. E. Waters	2 03	87172	4-17-17	6-15-17	Empire Sales Co.	16 88
96841	46953	7-10-16	A. Pearson's Sons	323 03	87175	5-14-17	6-15-17	The Phonograph Corp. of Manhattan	15 00
83700	47271	6-17-17	McKenna & Gallagher	1,908 18	87183	5-19-17	6-15-17	Physicians' & Hospital Equipment Co.	23 33
80273	47271	5-28-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	1,927 80	87188	5-17-17	6-15-17	Jaburg-Miller Co., Inc.	9 90
85982	4-20-17	6-12-17	Warren Brothers Company	450 68	87184	5-24-17	6-15-17	The J. W. Pratt Co.	15 50
85959	6- 1-17	6-12-17	Midwood Garage	106 69	87182	5-11-17	6-15-17	Quaker City Rubber Co.	4 13
85978	5-16-17	6-12-17	Henry Henjes	175 00	85476	3- 9-17	6-12-17	The East River Mill and Lumber Co.	987 37
85976	5-11-17	5-16-17	Bacon Coal Company	451 50	85484	4-23-17	6-12-17	The American Laundry Machinery Co.	141 65
85985	5-25-17	6-12-17	Brooklyn Builders' Supply Co., Assignee of Albert E. Castle	304 16	Commissioner of Records, New York County.				
87276	5-16-17	6-15-17	Arthur H. McGrath	3 03	86989	6-15-17	6-15-17	Direct-Line Telephone Co.	6 00
86802	46982	6-15-17	Knickerbocker Ice Company	75 43	85596	5-17-17	6-12-17	Register, New York County.	
88518	6- 5-17	6-19-17	E. T. Joyce	22 90	87623	5-31-17	6-12-17	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.	\$152 35
87311	4-19-17	6-15-17	The Hastings Pavement Co.	18 00	87627	5-23-17	6-18-17	Sheriff, Richmond County.	
President of the Borough of Queens.					87626	6- 1-17	6-18-17	Borden's Farm Products Division	\$8 90
84504	4-20-17	4-25-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	14 40	87622	6-24-17	6-18-17	W. B. Schutte	10 07
84505	4-20-17	6- 9-17	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Co.	14 40	87624	6- 1-17	6-18-17	The Monon Supply Co., Inc.	9 00
86489	5-28-17	6-14-17	John R. Carpenter Company	29 88	87625	6- 1-17	6-18-17	Holtermann Bros.	54 78
80970	45561	5-29-17	Edward W. Fitzpatrick	4,184 33	88305	5-31-17	6-18-17	Kunath Bros.	29 91
85865	46235	6-12-17	Chas. A. Myers Cont. Co.	9,713 93	88304	5-31-17	6-18-17	Taylor's Garage & Auto Repairs	50 01
85837	9-29-16	6-12-17	Remington Typewriter Company	103 89	88308	5-31-17	Sheriff, Bronx County.		
88444	5-10-17	6-19-17	L. Curth & Sons	8 35	88310	5-30-17	6-19-17	Fred M. Schildwachter	\$12 82
84477	5-25-17	6- 9-17	Vesta Storage Battery Co.	29 25	88311	5- 1-17	6-19-17	Clover Farms, Inc.	6 20
77230	5- 9-17	5-21-17	E. B. Brinker Hardware Co., Inc.	27 03	88312	6- 1-17	6-19-17	Nickel Towel Supply	2 75
82910	5- 4-17	6- 6-17	W. A. Duncan	30 00	88313	6- 1-17	6-19-17	Woodstock Garage	13 74
86471	5-29-17	6-14-17	Jurgen, Rathjen Co.	77 50	88313	6- 1-17	6-19-17	G. Robitsek & Bro., Inc.	24 75
88470	3-17-17	6-19-17	Elmhurst Bridge Garage	6 75	86274	3-14-17	6-19-17	Adams-Flanigan Co.	18 65
88469	6- 1-17	6-19-17	Richmond Hill Garage & Machine Co., Inc.	5 73	86277	5-31-17	6-19-17	Bensonia Auto Supplies	7 95
88467	5-31-17	6-19-17	Crescent Garage	8 70	89003	5-31-17	Department of Street Cleaning.		
88466	4-28-17	6-19-17	P. Roemer & Bro.	17 65	85085	5-16-17	6-13-17	John J. McGuire	\$34 00
88472	5-31-17	6-19-17	Stranger Auto Garage Co., Inc.	20 00	85306	3-20-17	6-13-17	Fred W. Beatty	22 63
88475	11-30-16	6-19-17	Jamaica Auto Garage	5 80	86709	5-31-17	6-20-17	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee	200 47
88477	12-19-16	6-19-17	Maxwell Motor Sales Corporation	7 60	86710	5-31-17	6-11-17	Arthur Mountain & Co.	46 45
85864	47418	6-12-17	Edward W. Fitzpatrick	16 04	85306	3-20-17	6-13-17	Dederick Heating Contracting Co.	60 77
85864	47418	6-12-17	Title Guarantee and Trust Company, Queens, Assignee of Edward W. Fitzpatrick	4,124 80	Department of Taxes and Assessments.				
President of the Borough of Richmond.					87425	6- 1-17	6-14-17	Walter Curtis	\$9 10
85622	5-14-17	6-12-17	W. B. McVicker Company	\$57 00	87433	5-31-17	6-14-17	New York Bottling Co., Inc.	5 40
88439	6- 1-17	6-19-17	I. C. Blake	3 80	87432	6- 2-17	Tenement House Department.		
85625	5- 7-17	6-12-17	Sanborn Map Company	100 00	7755	6-16-17	6-16-17	Theo. Moss & Co.	\$6 54
Public Service Commission.					7756	5-31-17	6-16-17	Burns Bros. Ice Corp.	3 24
85861	5- 9-17	6-12-17	Frederick Loeser & Co., Inc.	\$153 75	88950	6- 6-17	6-16-17	Eagle Spring Water Co.	16 80
88899	6-20-17	6-20-17	J. P. H. De Windt, Chief of Transit Bureau	384 50	90057	6- 8-17	Board of Water Supply.		
88900	6-20-17	6-20-17	Travis H. Whitney	25 65	85934	4-20-17	6-12-17	York & Sawyer	\$250 00
85883	45638	6-12-17	Patrick McGovern & Co.	30,000 00	85933	5- 7-17	6-13-17	Arthur H. Blanchard	175 00
85874	38945	6-12-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	100 00	85926	5-14-17	6-20-17	Electro-Light Engraving Company	89 75
85875	40383	6-12-17	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company	1,000 00	85924	5- 4-17	6-22-17	Stephen L. Selden, as Register of the Elmore and Hamilton Contracting Co.	13,700 00
85866	40885	6-12-17	Rapid Transit Subway Const. Co.	3,000 00	85930	5-31-17	6-12-17	R. Young Bros. Feed Co.	115 35
85871	40317	6-12-17	Flinn-O'Rourke Company, Inc., Assignee of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., and O'Rourke Engineering Construction Co.	194,304 19	85923	4-20-17	6-12-17	Winston & Company	150 00
85877	40608	6-12-17	Flinn-O'Rourke Co., Inc.	61,513 51	84762	6- 4-17	6-12-17	G. S. Green Co., Inc.	109 17
85870	42974	6-12-17	Oscar Daniels Company	30,287 33	86939	6- 4-17	6-12-17	Everett & Treadwell Co.	358 99
85872	46071	6-12-17	Kauffman & Garcey	3,701 89	88982	2-19-17	6-12-17	The Freytag Printing Co.	230 00
85869	46261	6-12-17	The Snare & Triest Co.	10,095 30	85932	2-19-17	6-12-17	F. W. Devoe and C. T. Reynolds Co.	126 62
85879	46715	6-12-17	Thomas Dwyer	7,987 50	87675	6- 1-17	6-11-17	Sprague & Henwood, Inc.	2,498 34
85882	45813	6-12-17	The T. H. Reynolds Cont. Co., Inc.	25,711 96	87690	5-31-17	6-15-17	Oriental Rubber & Supply Co., Inc.	35 52
85876	44459	6-12-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd.	97,717 41	87494	6- 7-17	6-20-17	H. C. Buncke, as Auditor	715 18
85880	40315	6-12-17	Cranford Company	62,529 63	87693	5-31-17	6-12-17	Donnelly & Ricci	995 00
85885	45725	6-12-17	Thomas J. Buckley Construction Co.	9,211 68	85546	6- 1-17	6-18-17	Samuel Olin	\$4 79
85867	45638	6-12-17	Patrick McGovern & Co.	276,967 80	87671	6- 1-17	6-13-17	Autocar Sales Company	46 52
85881	40316	6-12-17	United States Realty & Improvement Co.	1,327 50	87673	5- 9-17	6-18-17	Baker, Murray & Imbrie, Inc.	9 67
85878	46195	6-12-17	The Degnon Contracting Co.	21,479 50	87674	5-25-17	6-16-17	Wilson & Co.	15 00
85873	44764	6-12-17	The Empire Construction Co.	14,938 77	87218	5- 1-17	6-18-17	Madison Auto Co.	12 00
85868	45678	6-12-17	The Degnon Contracting Co.	10,504 73	87677	6- 4-17	6-12-17	President of the Borough of Richmond	126 28
85884	45677	6-12-17	Booth & Flinn, Ltd.	18,659 20	87701	5-31-17	6-18-17	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	6 00
Department of Public Charities.					87678	5-31-17	6-18-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	48 00
86887	3-23-17	6-15-17	The Murray Iron Works Co.	\$24 40	85537	9-19-16	6-18-17	Carbic Manufacturing Co.	60 00
87167	5- 4-17	6-15-17	Bosch Magneto Company, New York	3 20	87499	5-29-17	6-15-17	F. F. Fuhrmann	4 20
87186	5-22-17	6-15-17	H. M. Mills Sponge Co., Inc.	22 50	85131	12-31-16	6-18-17	E. B. Latham & Company	6 72
8276	47164	6- 8-17	Armour & Company	3,119 69	85132	5-14-17	6-18-17	Geo. Rahmann & Co.	27 25
63405	46877	4-23-17	Greenhut Company, Inc.	333 50	87228	5- 8-17	6-18-17	Connelly Iron Sponge & Governor Co.	7 00
82765	47425	6- 9-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	199 37	87681	5- 7-17	6-12-17	Frank J. Lennon Company	87 15
8400	47318	6- 8-17	Richman & Samuels	1,151 94	87230	4- 7-17	6-16-17	Thomson Meter Co.	8 90
85468	5- 2-17	6-12-17	Arthur C. Jackson & Sons	314 00	87695	5-17-17	6-11-17	The East River Gas Co. of L. I. City	388 80
85467	4-19-17	6-12-17	E. T. Joyce	140 50	87227	5-19-17	6-11-17	New York & Ousens Gas Company	135 60
85520	5-17-17	6-12-17	Model Incubator Co.	175 00	87219	5-14-17	6-18-17	Walter H. Ambrose	27 95
85498	5- 7-17	6-12-17	Stumpp & Walter Co.	110 00	87216	5-23-17	6-15-17	Knickerbocker Supply Company	23 83
85503	4-16-17	6-12-17	Greenhut Company	596 40	87670	6- 6-17	6-18-17	Holophane Glass Co., Inc.	28 49
8552	4-25-17	6-12-17	R. W. Geldart	220 61	87689	5- 3-17	6-15-17	Stanley & Patterson	64 58

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1917.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Commissioners of Accounts.							
90747	6- 1-17	Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.	\$12 00	90737	47301	Morris & Co.	984 18
90748	5- 6-17	Tabulating Machine Co.	66 00	90738	47298	Armour & Co.	63 35
90749	5-31-17	A. A. Benedict.	9 00	90739	47318	Richman & Samuels.	621 63
90750	5-25-17	New York Law Journal.	7 00	90740	47316	Saml. E. Hunter.	358 12
90751	5-25-17	Star Iron Works.	1 50	90741	47303	Shults Bread Co.	699 12
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.							
90736	47302	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	\$6,833 09	90742	47106	Westchester Fish Co.	242 02
				90743	47309	Mutual McDermott Dairy Corp.	7,830 31
				90744	47315	L. Crocco & Sons.	220 35
				90745	47425	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	49 80

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	Board of Child Welfare.							
90696	Harry L. Hopkins.....	\$46 00	90691	Ottile Orphan Asylum So- ciety of New York.....	1 00	90767	Katrine P. Blackington et al.	488,000 00
	College of The City of New York.		90692	The New York Public Li- brary, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations.....	1 00	90768	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Milo R. Maltbie, as Chamberlain....	12,000 00
90873	S. E. Mezes.....	\$128 00		Wm. C. Bergen.....	893 43	90769	Dry Dock Savings Inst.....	100,000 00
90879	Saml. A. Baldwin.....	182 50	90687	Wm. C. Bergen.....	3,937 50	90770	Callaway, Fish & Co.....	30,000 00
90880	45655 Pattison & Bowns.....	1,608 50	90688	Wm. C. Bergen.....	125 00	90771	The Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn.....	20,000 00
90881	46885 E. Leitz, Inc.....	5 20	90689	Metropolitan Associates of New York.....	550 00	90772	The Philadelphia Saving Fund Society.....	25,000 00
90882	46888 Saverno Products Co, Inc..	428 15	90690	David Hirschfield.....	280 00	90773	The Troy Savings Bank....	25,000 00
90883	46887 Palo Co.....	194 05	90707	Jos. Marling.....	33 50	90774	Dollar Savings Bank.....	11,000 00
90884	46887 Palo Co.....	74 00	90708	Emory R. Buckner et al....	400 00	90775	Union Dime Savings Inst..	3,000 00
90885	47293 Bernard Knopp.....	7,942 50	90710	W. J. Dargeon, Inc.....	50 00	90776	Middletown Savings Bank..	1,000 00
90885	47293 Bernard Knopp.....	1,237 50	90711	Stephen Merritt Burial Cre- mation Co.....	50 00	90777	The Jamaica Savings Bank..	1,000 00
	Department of Correction.		90712	John F. McCall.....	52 50	90778	Excelsior Savings Bank....	1,000 00
90883	47198 Gillette Rubber Co.....	\$2,499 90	90713	De Marrias & Eldridge....	50 00		The Mayoralty.	
90887	Harry A. Anderson.....	4 15	90714	Jas. J. Fitzgerald et al....	500 00	90756	John E. Smith.....	46 42
90895	47308 Armour & Co.....	32 95	90715	Lamar Hardy.....	500 00	90757	Joseph Hartigan.....	94 85
90895	46580 John Bellmann.....	601 76	90724	Nathan J. Levy et al.....	6,990 83	90758	5-31-17 New York Telephone Co..	5 00
90897	47198 Gillette Rubber Co.....	425 10	90725	Hugh Kenney.....	1,136 15	90759	5-31-17 New York Telephone Co..	8 60
90898	47286 New York Telephone Co...	777 77	90726	Domenica Fenimore.....	2,216 71	90752	6- 1-17 The Peerless Towel Sup. Co.	4 40
	District Attorney, Queens County.		90727	Cono Finamore.....	621 80	90753	5-18-17 Library Bureau.....	4 88
90697	Jas. H. Nix.....	\$28 11	90728	Helen A. Gorley et al.....	1,308 17	90754	6-15-17 S. W. Reese & Co.....	5 35
90698	Jas. H. Smith, Jr.....	32 86	90729	Henry May et al.....	4,035 15	90755	6- 7-17 Stanton M. Childs.....	13 75
	Department of Docks and Ferries.		90730	Alice M. Corner.....	3,580 01		Public Administrator, Bronx County.	
90845	Dept. of Docks & Ferries..	\$31 50	90731	Eugene J. Dailledonze et al.	30,800 57	90693	6-18-17 The Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.....	6 00
90831	46937 New York Telephone Co...	95 46	90716	John H. Kemper et al.....	1,077 62	90694	5-16-17 E. H. Walsh.....	7 92
90832	46418 New York Telephone Co...	5 61	90717	John H. Kemper et al.....	968 97	90695	5-31-17 Nickel Towel Supply Co...	75
90833	6- 4-17 Montrose & Clarke Co....	4 50	90718	Columbia Wire Co.....	154 69		Board of Parole.	
90834	6-11-17 Burns Bros. Ice Corp.....	4 28	90719	Patrick L. Lynch.....	2,935 63	90846	5-29-17 A. & W., Auburn Prison...	\$240 00
90835	4- 4-17 Globe Ticket Co.....	339 30	90720	Peter Wagner.....	1,135 33	90847	6- 9-17 Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co..	18 00
90836	6- 5-17 Lignum Chemical Works...	30 00	90721	Andrew Derby.....	7,167 45		Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.	
90837	4- 2-17 Readsboro Chair Co.....	570 00	90722	Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn.....	5,579 07	90900	John E. Weier.....	\$74 42
90838	6-11-17 Cleveland Osborn Mfg. Co.	3 25	90723	Michale Libretta.....	834 63	90901	John E. Weier.....	150 00
90839	4-17-17 John Simmons Co.....	49 68	90732	Paola De Fiori.....	1,746 51	90889	45199 H. J. Mullen Cont. Co., Inc.	6,383 50
90840	5-28-17 Whitaker, Glessner Co.....	49 50	90733	Bklyn. Hygeia Ice Co.....	464 67	90890	46832 Marshall Cont. Co., Inc...	2,057 70
90841	5-28-17 Atlas Tack Co.....	12 15	90734	Antonio Di Fiore.....	92 78	90891	47058 Angelo Paino.....	2,499 00
90842	6- 7-17 General Electric Co.....	6 86	90735	Annie E. Cross.....	92 78	90892	46659 Jas. H. Johnson.....	2,000 73
90843	6-11-17 American Dist. Tel. Co...	15 40	90736	Robert B. Lawrence.....	235 00		President of the Borough of The Bronx.	
90844	6-14-17 General Electric Co.....	3 20	90737	Harry I. Huber.....	350 00	90861	42917 The Asphalt Const. Co.....	\$6,763 73
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.		90738	Harry R. Gelwicks.....	225 00	90848	6-11-17 The Auto Supply Co.....	12 00
90859	Chas. Baumgarten.....	\$72 71	90739	Amos G. Russell.....	386 42	90849	6-13-17 Eugene Dietzgen Co.....	39 66
90672	The Waldorf Astoria.....	7,098 73	90740	Mary E. Campbell et al....	896 88	90850	6- 5-17 A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	11 88
90673	Geo. T. Wilson.....	207 50	90741	Wm. C. Bergen.....	1,031 25	90851	6- 8-17 Chesebro, Whitman Co., Inc.	14 00
90925	6-15-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.....	5 44	90742	C. Henry Offerman et al., as Attorney for C. Henry Of- ferman et al.....	426 75	90852	6- 7-17 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.....	3 50
90926	6-15-17 Lithoprint Co.....	9 56	90677	Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank.....	3,027 00	90853	6-12-17 Dimock & Fink Co.....	3 85
90913	5-28-17 Peter J. Krayner & Son.....	60 00	90678	Ettrick Realty Co.....	2,880 00	90854	6- 6-17 The Kelly Springfield Motor Truck Co., Inc.....	18 79
90914	5-14-17 George J. McFadden.....	182 50	90679	Wm. C. Bergen.....	412 50	90855	6-15-17 United & Globe Rubber Mfg. Co.....	36
90915	5-21-17 The Tabulating Machine Co.	69 00	90680	Wm. C. Bergen.....	479 44	90856	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	16 70
90916	5-21-17 The Tabulating Machine Co.	69 00	90681	Wm. C. Bergen.....	506 25	90857	6- 8-17 Limbacher Paint & Color Works, Inc.....	400 00
90917	5-21-17 Shaw-Walker Co. of N. Y.....	7 45	90682	Wm. C. Bergen.....	1,312 50	90858	6-20-17 A. Rudolph.....	8 90
90918	5-21-17 Ruth Baker.....	28 00	90683	Wm. C. Bergen.....	311 25	90859	5-22-17 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.....	15 45
90919	6-15-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.....	7 93	90684	Wm. C. Bergen.....	1,125 00	90860	6-11-17 Berkshire Products Co., Inc.	4 45
90920	6-15-17 M. B. Brown P. & B. Co...	16 75	90685	Wm. C. Bergen.....	195 00		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	
90921	6-15-17 Burns Bros. Ice Corp.....	2 25	90686	Nancy Coryell.....	36 00	90874	46444 Brooklyn Alcatraz Asp. Co.	\$925 92
90922	6-15-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.....	5 14	90687	Jas. McGuire.....	22 50	90875	46034 Castle Bros., Inc.....	2,154 06
90923	6-15-17 Keuffel & Esser Co.....	4 82	90688	Clara Lindquist.....	16 07	90836	46036 Cranford Co.....	833 42
90924	6-15-17 Eimer & Amend.....	3 48	90689	H. M. Wallach.....	9 35	90877	46724 B. Picone & Son.....	4,745 01
90925	6-15-17 Merck & Co.....	8 40	90690	Dom Trionfo.....	2 10		Board of Water Supply.	
90926	4-16-17 Merck & Co.....	5 51	90691	Ida Steele.....	42 00	90893	Village of Elmsford, West- chester County.....	\$259 86
90927	4-20-17 Manhattan Elec. Sup. Co...	8 25	90692	Leonard O'Connor.....	18 55	90894	School District No. 12, Town of Marbletown.....	47 90
90928	5-21-17 T. J. Brennan.....	7 00	90693	R. Gioen, Jr.....	56 25		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
90929	5-21-17 The Linde Air Products Co.	13 70	90694	Barrett Pincus.....	3 00	90706	47194 New York Telephone Co...	\$2,934 41
90930	5-21-17 Merck & Co.....	12 00	90695	City Pay Account.....	2 40	90821	5-21-17 Carbic Mfg. Co.....	63 50
90931	5-24-17 Eimer & Amend.....	3 10	90696	Gregor A. Bayer.....	247 50	90822	5- 1-17 John H. Hunter.....	2 50
90932	6- 8-17 Merck & Co.....	3 10	90697	J. F. McKeon.....	120 85	90823	4-17-17 A. I. Namm & Son.....	3 60
90933	3-23-17 Ingersoll, Rand Co.....	18 00	90698	Thos. F. McCaul.....	58 10	90824	3-17-17 E. F. Keating Co.....	11 21
90934	5- 7-17 Timius Olsen Testing Ma- chine Co.....	15 00	90699	Thos. McKeon.....	1 40	90825	12-18-16 Wallace & Tiernan Co.....	928 60
90935	6- 8-17 Palo Company.....	1 10	90700	Frank Brodsky.....	262 85	90826	6- 4-17 William Farrell & Son.....	43 75
90936	5- 3-17 J. F. Dour.....	100 55	90701	Nassau Beekman Investing Co., Assignee of Daniel Lon- don.....	49 00	90827	6- 1-17 Underwood Typewriter Co.	4 00
	Department of Finance.		90702	Municipal Liens Co.....	1,142 80	90828	6- 1-17 The Beck Duplicator Co...	2 50
90927	Valentine F. Keller.....	\$288 27	90703	Reuben Mirsky et al.....	81 00	90829	6- 1-17 N. Y. & N. J. Lubricant Co.	31 25
	Department of Health.		90704	Christian Schneider.....	225 00	90830	6- 4-17 G. W. Bromley & Co.....	30 00
90822	47164 Armour & Co.....	\$714 03	90705	The Loretta Corp.....	75 00	90831	5-14-17 Sterling Tire Corp.....	449 34
90823	47645 Conron Bros. Co.....	331 57	90706	Isaac Levy.....	75 00	90832	4-27-17 Hoffman, Corr Mfg. Co.....	353 04
90824	47645 Conron Bros. Co.....	318 36	90707	George L. Ingraham.....	675 00	90833	2- 1-17 Knickerbocker Supply Co...	182 90
90825	47316 Saml. E. Hunter.....	200 60	90708	John Murphy.....	6,610 90	90834	3-15-17 Knickerbocker Supply Co...	83 08
90826	46904 Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	22 62	90709	Yonkers Savings Bank.....	1,000 00	90835	4-27-17 Patton Paint Co.....	9 00
90827	46904 Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	181 51	90710	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Milo R. Maltbie, as Chamberlain....	6,000 00	90836	5-21-17 National Lead Co.....	82 75
90828	47539 P. Lawless' Sons.....	164 33	90711	Chas. L. Atkinson.....	3,000 00	90837	5- 1-17 The Universal Car Co.....	4 21
90829	47252 A. Silz, Inc.....	775 62	90712	Bowery Savings Bank.....	60,000 00	90838	6- 1-17 Art Metals Constr. Co.....	3 08
90830	45916 F. S. Banks & Co.....	237 00	90713	T. Howard Brush.....	3,000 00	90839	5- 1-17 T. C. Moore & Co.....	1 35
90831	47309 Mutual, McDermott Dairy Co.....	27 60	90714	Rochester Savings Bank....	4,000 00	90840	4-27-17 Michael Fogarty.....	56 00
90832	47309 Mutual, McDermott Dairy Co.....	131 03	90715	Williamsburg Savings Bank	20,000 00	90841	5- 1-17 Thomas H. Tyrrell.....	27 30
90833	47303 Shults Bread Co.....	558 77				90842	5- 1-17 Westchester Lighting Co...	3 30
	Miscellaneous.					90843	6- 1-17 S. D. Woodruff & Sons....	15 00
90699	John T. Mayers.....	\$66 65						
90700	Rudolph Dillman.....	75 00						
90701	Cecil Hero.....	7 50						
90702	Irene Doller.....	10 00						
90703	Lewis L. Clarke as Treas. of the Mayor Committee of National Defense.....	4,743 34						
90704	Royal Co. of New York, As- signee of Victory Cont. Co.	623 37						
90705	Matthew Huck.....	4 00						

Police Department.

Report for Week Ended June 16, 1917.

JUNE 11.

The following named was appointed a Special Patrolman in the Police Department of the City of New York, with compensation at the rate of \$3.10 a day: William J. Donnelly, No. 7 Boulevard, Rockaway, N. Y.

The following advancements to grades were ordered, effective as indicated: Patrolmen: To \$1,450 grade, June 17, 1917, Andrew Gallagher, 2; Frank Wolter, 21; Thomas A. McKeever, 29; Peter I. Reilly, 38; John T. Zipp, 39; David H. Kennedy, 149; William Andress, 153; John I. Ryan, 162; Anthony Meyer, 163; James I. Smith, 168; Victor F. Vacke, 275; William F. Reith, C. O.; Henry F. Waitword, B. B. H.; Robert E. Morris, 5th district; Robert J. Bolson, 13; Michael C. Leonard, 26; Anton A. Straussner, 38; Michael F. Farrell, 43; Charles O.

Uebelacher, 42; Alfred S. Barnard, 150; John A. Shittig, 159; Valentine Back, 165; Wm. F. McCormack, 170; Wm. H. Leary, 283; Wm. A. Magnussen, Traffic A; Raymond T. Reid, Traffic B; George E. Monahan, Traffic C. To \$1,450 grade, June 18, 1917, John J. McMonigle, 6; James I. Williamson, 22; Henry L. Grimm, 23; William J. Clark, 38; James F. Dunn, 43; Louis Bauman, 66; George S. Cook, 153; John A. Wilson, 276; Henry Barth, D. B.; August Suhr, Traffic C; George Werner, 17; Frederick P. Baer, 23; Benjamin J. Koberlein, 36; Frederick Martins, 39; Sidney W. Stalter, 43; Julius Wiedenhoft, 150; John W. I. Fink, 172; George F. Mahoney, 278; Edward V. Fitzgerald, D. B.; Martin J. Corley, Boiler Squad. To \$1,450 grade, Timothy M. Ryan, 14, June 20, 1917. To \$1,350 grade, June 24, 1917: Philip T. O'Leary, 5; John A. Fleck, 13; Frank W. Robb, 17; Jacob P. Berendt, 22; Lieb Kaner, 28; George W. Pape, 31; Edward H. Hommel, 35; Charles Rose, 38; Otto J. Westphal, 39; Thomas Hack-

ett, 66; James H. Guerin, 148; William J. King, 151; Henry J. Whitelaw, 166; Arthur Jocher, C. O.; Jacob Sapsin, 13; Thomas P. McGuire, 15; Edward C. Blanken, 21; John F. Benner, 25; Wendelin Rinschler, 31; Jacob J. McKenna, 31; John M. Karl, 36; Christopher J. Mills, 38; George J. Ratzman, 65; John F. Braun, 145; Solomon Obraytys, 149; George Kluter, 154; Pasquale Marino, D. B. \$1,350 grade, Hugh Downie, 23, June 26, 1917. To \$1,250 grade, June 25, 1917: Otto Hettler, 6; Daniel Kernon, 10; Joseph Reit, 21; John L. Dawson, 21; Joseph H. McCormick, 25; Michael B. Fleming, 33; Lawrence J. Keely, 43; Michael Moran, 156; Nathan Peckins, 166; Thomas F. Ryan, Traffic C; William F. Kirwan, D. B.; Thomas W. Gray, 10th district; James A. Dooley, 6; Louis Siegel, 21; John Murray, 21; Joseph F. Canavan, 23; James F. Gannon, 25; John Faherty, 39; Gerd Normann, 144; George Richford, 168; Nicholas J. Berrv, 172; John Stone, Traffic C; James Greene,

Traffic B. To \$1,250 grade, Edward Riebe, 32, June 29, 1917.

The following members of the force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commission, fines were imposed as indicated: Lieutenant Owen E. Trearor, 277th precinct (attached to the 17th precinct when charges were preferred), March 10, (1) was not civil and courteous; (2) defiant to Captain, 3 days. Sergeants: John F. O'Grady, Shield No. 129, 156th precinct (attached to the 166th precinct when charges were preferred), March 6, improper language, 5 days. Thomas P. Cashman, Shield No. 69, 2d precinct, March 26, (1) failed to report for assignment; (2) made false entry in monitor book; (3) made erasure in record, 10 days. Patrolmen: William J. Ardiffe, Shield No. 161, 4th precinct, April 13, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. William H. Pfeiffer, Shield No. 4568, 13th precinct (attached to the 42d precinct when charges were preferred), April 1,

sitting in signal booth, asleep, 3 days. Thomas F. Fitzgerald, Shield No. 5034, 13th precinct, April 24, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Nicholas W. Webb, Shield No. 4479, 13th precinct, April 24, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. Joseph C. Riley, Shield No. 5582, 15th precinct, April 27, (1) absent from post; coming from liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. James E. C. Rodriquez, Shield No. 2680, 18th precinct, March 5, smoking, 1/2 day. William J. Wynn, Shield No. 7532, 21st precinct, April 28, (1) absent from emergency post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. Charles J. Pyle, Shield No. 3518, 22d precinct, Jan. 8 failed to report loss of Department property, 1 day. George W. Taylor, Shield No. 2532, 22d precinct, Jan. 8, failed to report loss of Department property, 1 day. John J. Cullen, Shield No. 370, 22d precinct, April 30, (1) absent from post; sitting in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 4 days. Charles F. Tighe, Shield No. 6237, 23rd precinct (attached to the 31st precinct when charges were preferred), March 15, improper patrol, 2 days. Frederick Guse, Shield No. 2665, 25th precinct, April 19, (1) absent from special post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. Robert J. Scanlon, Shield No. 5953, 26th precinct, 2 charges, April 19, (1) absent from post; in company with two citizens; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, second charges, April 19, used improper language to superior officer, 10 days on two charges. Alexis Kleinmeier, Shield No. 1927, 26th precinct, April 10, absent from reserve, 2 days. Walter J. Immich, Shield No. 9332, 28th precinct, April 16, smoking while on patrol, 1/2 day. Joseph V. Halev, Shield No. 8571, 31st precinct, April 27, (1) absent from post; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 1 day. James J. H. Cox, Shield No. 4443, 36th precinct (2 charges), first charge, Dec. 1st, 1916, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 6 days; second charge, April 4, (1) loitering and in conversation; (2) absent from post; (3) false statement; (4) no permission; (5) no entry, 8 days. Harry Hauser, Shield No. 5956, 37th precinct, March 30, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) absent from post; in premises; (3) absent from post; in premises; (4) carried bundle while on duty and in uniform; (5) no permission; (6) no entry, 8 days. Philip A. Archard, Shield No. 4783, 37th precinct (2 charges), first charge, April 18, (1) absent from special post; coming from building; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days; second charge, April 26, intoxicated, 30 days. George Josberger, Shield No. 7243, 39th precinct, April 16, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 2 days. George S. Evans, Shield No. 1223, 39th precinct, April 14, (1) improper patrol; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 2 days. Jacob Harnett, Shield No. 8382, 39th precinct (attached to the 16th precinct when charges were preferred), April 18, conversation, etc., while on emergency post, 1 day. Charles A. V. A. Bauer, Shield No. 452, 42d precinct, May 1, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days. Michael J. Gallagher, Shield No. 1504, 42d precinct, April 30, (1) absent from post and relieving point; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Michael F. Farrell, Shield No. 9014, 43d precinct, April 20, absent from reserve, 3 days. Daniel L. Jones, Shield No. 3154, 43d precinct, April 18, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. William D. Lander, Shield No. 6127, 43d precinct, April 27, (1) absent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. William Baumker, Shield No. 1561, 61st precinct (3 charges), first charge, April 9, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, second charge, April 10, (1) absent from post; in toilet of liquor saloon; (2) absent from post; coming from liquor saloon; (3) no permission; (4) no entry, third charge, April 11, (1) absent from special assignment; coming from liquor hotel; (2) no permission, 20 days on three charges. John P. Woods, Shield No. 9392, 61st precinct, April 21, (1) absent from special post; in conversation; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. Joseph A. McFall, Shield No. 4057, 63d precinct, April 19, (1) absent from special post; in liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days. Maurice Downing, Shield No. 1931, 63d precinct, April 22, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. William R. Becker, Shield No. 205, 65th precinct, May 3, (1) absent from post; at side door of liquor saloon with patrolman; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Thos. Stromberg, Shield No. 7249, 65th precinct (2 charges), first charge, May 1, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, second charge, May 3, loitering at side door of liquor saloon with a patrolman, 4 days on two

charges. James P. Gallagher, Shield No. 1888, 143d precinct, April 24, (1) absent from Police Booth; (2) absent from post; in premises; (3) no permission; (4) no entry, 2 days. Charles M. Taylor, Shield No. 7666, 143d precinct, March 16, absent from school crossing, 2 days. William H. Hartigan, Shield No. 2157, 145th precinct, April 17, absent from reserve, 1 hour and 45 minutes, 1/2 day. Otto Johnson, Shield No. 6073, 145th precinct, April 9, (1) absent from post; in liquor saloon, drinking; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 8 days. Francis Kiernan, Shield No. 2932, 150th precinct, May 2, (1) intoxicated; (2) intoxicated, 30 days. Harry N. Stevenson, Shield No. 6360, 152d precinct (2 charges), first charge, April 14, in liquor saloon; uniformed; second charge, April 13, absent from reserve, 1 1/2 hours, 5 days on two charges. Gustave A. Stackhouse, Shield No. 9379, 152d precinct, April 20, improper patrol, 2 days. Michael J. Seery, Shield No. 6658, 154th precinct, April 14 (1) absent from emergency post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Benedict Maguire, Shield No. 3041, 150th precinct, April 9, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 5 days. Frederick Wenz, Shield No. 7070, 157th precinct, April 12, improper patrol, 2 days. John J. Reilly, Shield No. 5492, 158th precinct, April 2, (1) absent from post; entering liquor saloon; (2) absent from post; entering liquor saloon; (3) no permission; (4) no entry, 15 days. James J. Hamilton, Shield No. 2358, 159th precinct (attached to the 22d precinct when charges were preferred), Feb. 13, improper patrol, 6 days. James J. Hamilton, Shield No. 2358, 159th precinct (attached to the 22d precinct when charges were preferred), (2 charges), first charge, April 14, failed to arrest intoxicated man, 15 days; second charge, April 14, (1) absent without leave, 6 hours; (2) absent without leave, 37 hours and 10 minutes, 10 days. John Kavanagh, Shield No. 1997, 159th precinct, April 9, (1) absent from special post; in liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 8 days. Robert M. Knox, Shield No. 8546, 160th precinct, April 21, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 1 day. William Wagner, Shield No. 4027, 160th precinct, April 21, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 3 days. Thomas Hart, Shield No. 5789, 161st precinct, April 16, (1) absent from special post; did not properly relieve and riding in auto; (2) no permission; (3) no entry; (4) no memo. book; (5) riding in auto, uniformed, 5 days. Louis F. Tagliani, Shield No. 2466, 161st precinct, Apr. 30, advised man to engage a certain lawyer, 5 days. John C. Hanson, Shield No. 9484, 161st precinct (attached to the 22d precinct when charges were preferred), April 14, (1) failed to arrest intoxicated man; (2) absent from special post, 15 days. John Dombrowski, Shield No. 4315, 162d precinct, April 16, absent from special post, 2 days. Edward A. Dougherty, Shield No. 3179, 163d precinct (2 charges), first charge, March 31, (1) loitering; (2) drank glass of whiskey, 10 days; second charge, April 2, improper patrol, 5 days. Eli Grote, Shield No. 624, 164th precinct, April 7, (1) improper patrol; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Patrick Shanley, Shield No. 7382, 164th precinct, April 3, (1) improper patrol; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Thomas F. Marron, Shield No. 5990, 166th precinct, February 1, (1) absent from post; (2) failed to promptly return to post when ordered to do so; (3) insolent and disrespectful to superior officer; (4) no entry; (5) no permission, 10 days. Charles W. Thon, Shield No. 2773, 169th precinct (attached to the 161st precinct when charges were preferred), (2 charges), first charge, April 21, (1) destroyed Department property; (2) failed to report said destruction; (3) failed to turn in memo. book; second charge, April 23, improper patrol, 5 days on two charges. James M. Nolan, Shield No. 7374, 169th precinct (attached to 1st precinct when charges were preferred), April 15, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 1 day. Francis W. Rogers, Shield No. 4886, 172d precinct, May 2, (1) intoxicated; (2) intoxicated, 30 days. William F. Keller, Shield No. 8119, 274th precinct (3 charges), first charge, April 11, failed to signal; second charge, April 11, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry; third charge, April 19, (1) absent from post; in hallway leading to liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days on the first two charges and 2 days on the third charge. John Bindulski, Shield No. 322, 276th precinct, April 16, left special post without proper relief, 2 days. Henry J. Murphy, Shield No. 1245, 276th precinct, April 7, absent from special post, 3 days. Michael J. Kelly, Shield No. 7630, 283d precinct, April 12, improper patrol, 2 days. William Seary, Shield No. 6338, 283d precinct, April 23, absent 1 hour and 15 minutes, 1/2 day. Joseph J. Ray, Shield No. 8101, 283d precinct, April 16, (1) ab-

sent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days. Edwin T. Sisk, Shield No. 2717, 285th precinct, April 13, (1) absent from post; in conversation in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 2 days. Albert F. Granzer, Shield No. 1300, 285th precinct, April 11, (1) absent from special post; coming from premises; (2) no entry; (3) no permission, 3 days. Thomas J. Brady, Shield No. 220, 5th Inspection District, September 27, 1916, failed to appear in Court to arraign prisoners, 2 days. James E. Sterrett, Shield No. 72, Detective Bureau, Jan. 11, (1) made arrest without cause; (2) made false statement; (3) failed to appear at Court to arraign prisoner, 15 days. George G. Ossman, Shield No. 913, Traffic Division, Subdivision A, March 30, (1) absent from traffic post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days. Edward J. Norton, Shield No. 3127, Traffic Division, Subdivision C, April 4, (1) absent from traffic post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days. Edward Laque, Shield No. 8123, Traffic Division, Subdivision D, (2 charges), first charge, April 27, absent from roll call, one-half hour; second charge, April 21, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry, 3 days on two (2) charges.

The following members of the force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, were reprimanded: Lieutenant James A. Buckley, 32d precinct, April 12, failed to notify Sergeant to report at Trial Room. Patrolmen: George F. Morano, Shield No. 9176, 2d precinct, April 27, improper patrol of special emergency post; sitting. Anton Schultz, Shield No. 5403, 4th precinct, April 14, conversation while on special post. James A. Hughes, Shield No. 8573, 16th precinct, April 18, in conversation while on emergency post. Philip Archard, Shield No. 4783, 37th precinct, April 26, failed to signal. George L. Stevens, Shield No. 6944, 62d precinct, April 11, loitering and in conversation. William Pound, Shield No. 536, 62d precinct, April 11, conversation while on special post. Dennis J. Donovan, Shield No. 591, 63d precinct, April 26, smoking while on special post. John W. Washburn, Shield No. 6675, 74th precinct, April 11, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Max Widmer, Shield No. 8733, 74th precinct, April 20, in liquor saloon, while off duty and in uniform. Rudolph Busch, Shield No. 9213, Traffic Division, Subdivision B, May 2, absent from post; in conversation.

The following members of the force, having passed their probationary period without being again convicted on a complaint, were reprimanded: Patrolmen: John J. Skelly, Shield No. 5879, 2d precinct, Jan. 23, absent from reserve roll call. Thomas E. Flanagan, Shield No. 2419, 2d precinct (2 charges), first charge, Oct. 11, 1916, improper patrol; second charge, Oct. 11, 1916, failed to signal. Dennis Egan, Shield No. 1935, 7th precinct, Jan. 2, absent without leave. John R. Conway, Shield No. 2220, 7th precinct, Dec. 9, 1916, while assigned to watch prisoners at hospital; allowed one to escape and commit suicide. Joseph F. Golden, Shield No. 8104, 14th precinct, Jan. 3, (1) absent from post, in liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Charles Witzman, Shield No. 7151, 15th precinct, Jan. 6, failed to answer flashlight. Bruno A. Ludwig, Shield No. 8024, 17th precinct, Oct. 5, 1916, absent from reserve. Michael Sherry, Shield No. 6168, 22d precinct, March 6, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Michael Neary, Shield No. 8108, 22d precinct, Feb. 17, failed to relieve patrolman at special post. Nicholas Majewski, Shield No. 2161, 28th precinct, Nov. 30, 1916, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Rudolph K. Herrmann, Shield No. 2068, 29th precinct, Jan. 18, failed to respond to flashlight signal. William J. Robinson, Shield No. 3979, 29th precinct, Feb. 2, (1) absent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Carl P. Trost, Shield No. 4509, 29th precinct, Jan. 11, (1) improper patrol; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Joseph V. Haley, Shield No. 8571, 31st precinct, Feb. 10, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Charles Seifriz, Shield No. 4853, 32d precinct (attached to the 7th precinct when charges were preferred), (2 charges), first charge, Dec. 12, 1916, (1) absent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry; second charge, Dec. 13, 1916, absent from reserve. Frederick W. Harmse, Shield No. 7777, 33d precinct (attached to the 274th precinct when charges were preferred), Sept. 8, 1915, improper patrol; loitering and smoking. Charles T. Gallagher, Shield No. 8003, 33d precinct (attached to the 28th precinct when charges were preferred), Nov. 30, 1916, (1) absent from posts; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Patrick D. O'Connell, Shield No. 3722, 37th precinct, (2 charges), first charge, Oct. 3, 1916, failed to signal; second charge, Oct. 3, 1916, improper patrol. Richard Gavigan, Shield No. 2299, 37th

precinct, Jan. 3, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. William C. Hettler, Shield No. 3147, 38th precinct, Jan. 13, (1) absent from flashlight post; sitting in a booth; (2) no entry; (3) no permission. Thomas E. Cummings, Shield No. 5158, 42d precinct, (2 charges), first charge, Jan. 19, improper patrol; second charge, Jan. 19, improper patrol. James A. Glynn, Shield No. 2160, 42d precinct, Feb. 4, improper patrol. Henry Lustbader, Shield No. 3706, 61st precinct, Jan. 25, (1) absent from assignment; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Robert C. MacBray, Shield No. 7193, 61st precinct, Jan. 22, (1) improper patrol; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Charles C. Strauch, Shield No. 2418, 62d precinct, Nov. 27, 1916, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) absent from post; in liquor store; (3) no permission; (4) no entry. Joseph P. Frey, Shield No. 3774, 63d precinct, Jan. 23, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Thomas F. Kelly, Shield No. 6479, 66th precinct, Dec. 14, 1916, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Henry P. Rado, Shield No. 1295, 66th precinct, Jan. 18, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Bernard McCormick, Shield No. 6235, 144th precinct, Feb. 5, absent from reserve; reported sick. James Shaughnessy, Shield No. 6123, 144th precinct, Feb. 10, (1) absent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Solomon Obrayts, Shield No. 5921, 149th precinct (attached to the 161st precinct when charges were preferred), Nov. 21, 1916, (1) absent from post; in barber shop being shaved; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. William McNamara, Shield No. 4666, 149th precinct, Jan. 1, (1) quit post; coming from premises on adjoining post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Bernard Mellon, Shield No. 5348, 149th precinct, Feb. 19, absent from roll call. Patrick P. McCarthy, Shield No. 2317, 152d precinct (2 charges), first charge, Dec. 2, 1916, failed to report promptly at end of tour; second charge, Dec. 2, 1916, absent from relieving point. Henry Thomas, Shield No. 5899, 154th precinct, Nov. 21, 1916, (1) absent from post; coming from yard; (2) no permission; (3) no entry; (4) failed to prevent or take action re violation of code ordinance; (5) failed to prevent or take action re violation of code ordinance. John Wolpert, Shield No. 3129, 154th precinct, Jan. 2, (1) absent from posts; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. John T. Reilly, Shield No. 8852, 163d precinct, July 27, 1916, absent without leave. Martin E. Zeidler, Shield No. 7538, 164th precinct, Oct. 23, 1916, (1) absent from post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Michael Kennedy, Shield No. 7643, 165th precinct, Feb. 4, (1) absent from post; reading in premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Patrick Joyce, Shield No. 5959, 165th precinct, Feb. 3, failed to be properly relieved. August P. Kunath, Shield No. 7864, 165th precinct, Feb. 3, failed to be properly relieved. John Wichmann, Shield No. 8430, 168th precinct (attached to the 33d precinct when charges were preferred), Dec. 22, 1916, improper patrol. Frederick Paone, Shield No. 6431, 169th precinct (attached to the 7th precinct when charges were preferred), Jan. 29, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission. John F. Maloney, Shield No. 3915, 172d precinct, Feb. 2, (1) absent from post; riding on train; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Laurence Hennessy, Shield No. 1434, 172d precinct, Dec. 8, 1916, (1) absent from post; in police booth; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. George J. Busweiler, Shield No. 258, 172d precinct, Jan. 29, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no entry; (3) no permission. Joseph Fastow, Shield No. 1248, 172d precinct, Dec. 16, 1916, (1) improper patrol; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Leo R. Churlis, Shield No. 1679, 172d precinct, Dec. 4, 1916, (1) absent from post; talking over public telephone in police signal booth; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Thomas P. Sullivan, Shield No. 8494, 174th precinct, Feb. 25, (1) absent from police booth; (2) no permission. James P. McGannon, Shield No. 9400, 274th precinct, Oct. 28, 1916, (1) left assignment; (2) failed to take proper police action; (3) failed to take proper police action; (4) struck man without cause. Peter Karnes, Shield No. 6971, 276th precinct, Dec. 17, 1916, absent from reserve. Hartford D. Keith, Shield No. 1156, 276th precinct, Dec. 16, 1916, (1) absent from post; coming from booth; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Frederick C. Ruckert, Shield No. 3030, 276th precinct, Feb. 10, (1) absent from post; in conversation; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. August J. Gillman, Shield No. 2261, 5th Inspection District (attached to the 7th precinct when charges were preferred), (2 charges), first charge, Jan. 10, (1) absent from post; coming from premises; (2) no permission; (3) no entry; second charge, Jan. 10, failed to signal. Opley

Wingfield, Shield No. 3487, Traffic Division, Subdivision C, Jan. 19, (1) absent from post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. John J. L. DeWitt, Shield No. 1218, Central Office (attached to the 167th precinct when charges were preferred), Oct. 5, 1916, (1) failed to report promptly at end of special duty; (2) in rear room of liquor saloon, uniformed.

The following members of the force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, charges were dismissed: Sergeant Robert J. Heaney, Shield No. 201, 7th precinct (attached to the 151st precinct when charges were preferred), April 25, absent from patrol; got off car and entered liquor saloon. Acting Detective Sergeant, First Grade, James J. Dalton, Shield No. 359, 1st Branch Detective Bureau, April 27, struck a man. Patrolmen: Philip S. Haber, Shield No. 1719, 10th precinct, April 13, failed to secure and promptly mark for identification evidence in a larceny case. John T. Backes, Shield No. 1658, 22d precinct, April 17, improper patrol. Henry J. Spiess, Shield No. 2387, 22d precinct, April 12, absent 1 hour and 25 minutes. John J. O'Connell, Shield No. 9272, 28th precinct, April 10, (1) absent from special post; in premises; (2) no permission; (3) made improper entry in memo book. John Schreiner, Shield No. 2380, 35th precinct, Sept. 11, 1916, failed to pay debt. Harry Hagstrand, Shield No. 3062, 37th precinct, April 18, (1) improper patrol; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Frederick W. Kaiser, Shield No. 3181, 61st precinct, April 15, failed to pay debt. William D. Thompson, Shield No. 6645, 63d precinct, April 25, (1) absent from special post; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. James S. Flood, Shield No. 243, 68th precinct, March 8, failed to take proper action re violation of park ordinance. Angelo Trezza, Shield No. 8309, 151st precinct, April 23, (1) absent from post; coming from hallway leading to liquor saloon; (2) no permission. Joseph T. Dwyer, Shield No. 539, 153d precinct, Dec. 16, 1916, made false official statement. James J. Hamilton, Shield No. 2358, 159th precinct (attached to the 22d precinct when charges were preferred), April 5, left special post before designated time to attend grand jury. William J. Hyland, Shield No. 417, 161st precinct (attached to the 28th precinct when charges were preferred), April 17, (1) absent from post; in liquor saloon; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. James F. Feeley, Shield No. 8753, 163d precinct (attached to the 3d Inspection District when charges were preferred), April 17, (1) failed to take proper action re larceny; (2) consorted with a suspicious character; (3) accepted money from a man. George B. Harris, Shield No. 7028, 170th precinct, Jan. 4, (1) absent from booth; (2) no permission; (3) no entry. Louis F. Tagliani, Shield No. 2466, 3d Inspection District, April 17, (1) failed to take proper action re larceny; (2) consorted with a suspicious character; (3) failed to make investigation re disorderly and gambling houses.

The following member of the force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, was dismissed from the police force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 12.25 p. m., June 9, 1917: Probationary Patrolman William A. Fleming, Shield No. 3445, Training School; charge, May 29, 1917, disobedience of orders and insubordination; (1) failed to do as directed; (2) refused to obey order and was insolent.

JUNE 12.

The following named persons were appointed Special Patrolmen in the Police Department of the City of New York, with compensation at the rate of \$3.10 per diem, to take effect June 13, 1917: John Keeley, Leighton Carlson, John Maurer, George Pritting, Victor G. Sottong, George Carlson, William Trick, Henry Moeller.

Granted—Application of Acting Detective Sergeant Jacob Feudner, Detective Bureau, for permission to accept reward of \$15, less the usual deduction for the Pension Fund, from the U. S. Government for the arrest of a deserter from U. S. Coast Guard Cutter "Seneca."

Runner License Granted—Chas. Kuck, 49 Whitehall st., from June 6, 1917, to June 5, 1918; fee, \$12.50; bond, \$300.

Mask Ball Permit Granted—P. H. Oveden, MacDougal Alley, Manhattan, June 12, \$10.

The following resignation was accepted, to take effect 12 p. m., June 11, 1917: Probationary Patrolman Robert E. Cronin, 26th precinct.

The employment of the following named Special Patrolmen in the Police Department, was discontinued: Oscar A. Prackelt, Shield No. 1830, 29th precinct (5th District), 12 p. m., May 30, 1917.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen in the employ of the Police Department were accepted: Everett L. Jockers, Shield No. 1746, 18th precinct (3d District), 12 p. m., June 4, 1917; Emil Mach, Shield No. 2502, 23rd precinct (3d District), 3 p. m., June 5, 1917; James

V. Albano, Shield No. 1834, 39th precinct (5th District), 4 p. m., May 29, 1917; Francis J. Meyerhoefer, Shield No. 1791, 39th precinct (5th District), 12 p. m., May 29, 1917; Frank J. McGovern, Shield No. 1857, 39th precinct (5th District), 4 p. m., May 31, 1917; Oscar H. Linton, Shield No. 939, 74th precinct (14th District), 12 p. m., June 2, 1917; Leo M. Goldberg, Shield No. 2237, and William A. Harmond, Shield No. 1805, 74th precinct (14th District), 12 p. m., June 1, 1917; William B. Lewis, Shield No. 1500, 146th precinct (16th District), 12 p. m., June 6, 1917; Alexander Bayer, Shield No. 884, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 4, 1917; Thomas A. Lane, Shield No. 875, and Edward Simpson, Shield No. 1983, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 5, 1917.

The following Special Patrolmen were dismissed from employment in the Police Department: Randolph B. Spinney, Shield No. 1807, 39th precinct (5th District), 4 p. m., May 26, 1917; Louis Weinberg, Shield No. 2004, and Aaron Goldenberg, Shield No. 2086, 22nd precinct (3rd District), 12 p. m., June 4, 1917. John Charwinsky, Shield No. 1412, Marine Division (2d District), 12 p. m., June 7, 1917; Chris. Mehrmann, Shield No. 740, and Frank J. Sabater, Shield No. 1673, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 8, 1917.

JUNE 13.

The following named persons were appointed Patrolmen, on probation, in the Police Department of the City of New York (pending future investigation by Municipal Civil Service Commission), their names appearing on eligible list dated June 5, 1917: Thomas Reidy, Daniel T. Moynihan, John Beck, Patrick Flynn, Joseph A. Nelson, John Sheil, Edward F. Smith, Thomas J. Daly, Frank H. Campbell, William F. Spengler, Philip McDonald, Henry V. McCaddin, Charles A. Trutken, Edward McDonnell, Walter F. Guinan, Ignatius A. Galvin, Joseph Svec, Jeremiah F. Smith, Myles A. Lynch, Theodore A. Gertisser, Thomas Walsh, James P. Long, Joseph Mahon, Joseph T. M. E. Mallon, John Raftery, Nelson McCoss, John A. Baumann, Jr., Clarence I. Smith, John Wallace, William H. Burns, Jr., Mark J. Byrne, William F. Knote, Michael Whelan, John S. Conway, Jr., Patrick Curley, John Leahy, Edward F. Burns, Thomas W. Campton, Thomas L. Harnett, Thomas J. Layden, Patrick Collins, Martin Maloney, Francis M. Campbell, Jr., Antonio Baccichetti, Charles T. Bruehl, Thomas J. Hannon, Julius Gnos, Thomas Aulbach, Edward F. Flynn, Denis J. Mahoney, James E. Donnelly, James Kennedy, Hugh F. Monaghan, Cornelius McElligott, Victor Lax, Thomas Mitchell, Henry Hegerich, Eugene W. Meramble, William J. Van Pelt, James M. O'Brien, James J. Doyle, Geo. S. Tiedeman, Thomas P. Halligan.

The following named persons were appointed Special Patrolmen in the Police Department of the City of New York, with compensation at the rate of \$3.10 a day, to take effect June 13, 1917: Francis J. Gillick, John T. O'Loughlin, Marvin D. Fraser, John J. Phelan, Charles S. Ferris.

Granted—The petitions of the following for a pension were granted and \$300 per annum awarded in each case: Eliza Murphy, widow of Thomas Murphy, pensioner; date of marriage, May 21, 1867. Elizabeth O'Connell, widow of Patrick B. O'Connell, pensioner; date of marriage, July 8, 1877. Annie McGovern, widow of James A. McGovern, pensioner; date of marriage, June 14, 1893. Mary A. Gannon, widow of Patrolman Timothy J. Gannon; date of marriage, April 24, 1898. *Granted*—Application of Special Patrolman Hugo Moeller, Shield No. 1068, Subdivision 5, Division of Bridge Defense, for permission to accept reward of \$10, less the usual deduction for the pension fund, from the Department of Correction for preventing the escape of a prisoner from the House of Refuge on Randall's Island.

The following members of the force were relieved and dismissed from the police force and service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and were awarded the following pension, to take effect 12 p. m., June 12, 1917: Patrolmen George C. Strong, Shield No. 3097, 37th precinct, on his own application, at \$725 per annum; appointed Dec. 29, 1886. Thomas H. Johnson, Shield No. 2073, 66th precinct, on his own application, at \$725 per annum; appointed May 25, 1892.

The following resignation was accepted: Patrolman Otto Schmuck, Shield No. 6945, 174th precinct, to take effect 12 p. m., June 12, 1917.

JUNE 14.

Thomas J. Frizzell, who resigned from the position of Patrolman, Feb. 8, 1910, was reinstated as a Patrolman of the seventh grade, under the provisions of section 1543c of the Charter.

Runner License Granted—Joseph Campione, 365 Warren st., Brooklyn, from June 2, 1917, to June 1, 1918; fee, \$12.50; bond, \$300.

The following members of the force

were relieved and dismissed from the police force and service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and were awarded the following pension, to take effect 12 p. m., June 13, 1917, on their own applications: Lieutenant John Ryan, 281st precinct, at \$1,125 per annum; appointed May 26, 1879. Patrolman William A. Ryan, Shield No. 2512, Marine Division, at \$725 per annum; appointed March 6, 1884.

The following member of the force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, was dismissed from the police force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 2.15 p. m., June 13, 1917: Patrolman James F. Brady, Shield No. 1513, 6th precinct; charge, May 8, 1917, conduct unbecoming an officer, insubordination and violation of the rules; (1) while off duty, in citizen's clothes, acted in a disorderly manner, necessitating his arrest; (2) used indecent language to a superior officer; (3) made false statement.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen in the employ of the Police Department, were accepted: Nathan Solomon, Shield No. 2431, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 1, 1917. William J. Lawler, Shield No. 2213, 18th precinct (3d district), 12 p. m., June 6, 1917; David B. Ronzone, Shield No. 2126, 74th precinct (14th district), 12 p. m., June 7, 1917; Patrick Dempsey, Shield No. 2140, 74th precinct (14th district), 6 p. m., June 8, 1917; James G. Heyer, Shield No. 1977, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 9, 1917; John B. Butler, Shield No. 2539, 22d precinct (3d district), under jurisdiction of Public Service Commission, 12 p. m., June 9, 1917.

The following Special Patrolmen were dismissed from employment in the Police Department: Joseph H. Niedfield, Shield No. 1721, 81st precinct (13th district), 1 p. m., June 9, 1917; Frank Downey, Shield No. 701, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 11, 1917.

The employment of Special Patrolman John K. Roth, Shield No. 2256, in the Police Department, was discontinued, to take effect 12 p. m., May 4th, 1917, instead of 12 p. m., May 3, 1917.

JUNE 15.

The following named Patrolmen were promoted to the rank of Sergeant of Police in the Police Department of the City of New York, their names appearing on eligible list dated June 9, 1917: Frank A. Meinrenken, Herman Schultz, William C. Hencken.

Granted—Application of Julia Long, widow of Patrolman Edwin J. Long, for continuance of allowance from the Police Relief Fund, \$240, granted payable in monthly installments of \$20, dating from July 1, 1917. Application of Patrolman Hugh McCann, 28th precinct, to be reimbursed in the sum of \$15 for winter uniform blouse, destroyed in the performance of duty.

Runner License Granted—James Stiles, 6 Front st., from June 7, 1916, to June 6, 1918; fee, \$12.50; bond, \$300. George Foster, 161 E. 96th st., from June 1, 1917, to June 5, 1918; fee, \$12.50; bond, \$300.

Accepted—Resignation of Jeremiah Haggerty, Laborer, effective June 14, 1917; resignation of Jasper J. Agres, Clerk, effective June 14, 1917.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen in the employ of the Police Department were accepted: Martin H. Heinson, Shield No. 1450, 278th precinct (12th district), 4 p. m., May 29, 1917; Anthony J. Margiotto, Shield No. 1377, Marine Division (2d district), 12 p. m., June 7, 1917; Thomas R. C. Fangemann, Shield No. 1973, 74th precinct (14th district), 12.01 a. m., June 9, 1917; Peter Hogstrom, Shield No. 1168, Division of Bridge Defense, 12 p. m., June 10, 1917; John Leahy, Shield No. 1595, 13th precinct (1st district), 12 p. m., June 11, 1917; Joseph Svec, Shield No. 1092, 33d precinct (4th district), 12 p. m., June 11, 1917; Harry Else, Shield No. 2539, 10th precinct (2d district), 12.01 a. m., June 14, 1917. 12 p. m., June 12, 1917: Thomas J. Daly, Shield No. 2546, 69th precinct, 14th district; Thomas Mitchell, Shield No. 2523, 6th precinct, 2d district; Edward F. Smith, Shield No. 1297, 6th precinct, 2d district; Charles T. Bruehl, Shield No. 1688, 10th precinct; 2d district; Jeremiah F. Smith, Shield No. 1655, 10th precinct, 2d district; James M. O'Brien, Shield No. 1278, 14th precinct, 2d district; William F. Knote, Shield No. 1462, Marine Division, 2d district; Michl. Whelan, Shield No. 1363, 14th precinct, 2d district; Patk. Collins, Shield No. 2345, 23d precinct, 3d district; Edward F. Flynn, Shield No. 1197, 22d precinct, 3d district; Edward F. Burns, Shield No. 1371, 29th precinct, 5th district; Nelson McCoss, Shield No. 1313, 31st precinct, 5th district; George L. Stahl, Shield No. 2426, 43d precinct, 5th district; Patrick Flynn, Shield No. 1353, 38th precinct, 6th district; U. F. Monaghan, Shield No. 1693, 42d precinct, 6th district; Walter F. Gullnan, Shield No. 2341, 42d precinct, 6th district; Thomas J. Hannan, Shield No. 1307, 66th precinct, 7th district; George

S. Tiedeman, Shield No. 1632, 144th precinct, 16th district; John Sheil, Shield No. 1209, 146th precinct, 16th district; Thomas Walsh, Shield No. 1473, 171st precinct, 15th district; Thomas Aulbach, Shield No. 2347, Division of Bridge Defense; John A. Baumann, Jr., Shield No. 2455, Division of Bridge Defense; Theodore A. Gertisser, Shield No. 2424, Division of Bridge Defense; Thomas P. Halligan, Shield No. 1128, Division of Bridge Defense; Martin Maloney, Shield No. 2292, Division of Bridge Defense; Clarence J. Smith, Shield No. 1755, Division of Bridge Defense; John Wallace, Shield No. 2414, Division of Bridge Defense. Under jurisdiction of Public Service Commission: Mark J. Byrne, Shield No. 2520, 31st precinct, 5th district; Patrick Curley, Shield No. 2588, 31st precinct, 5th district; James J. Doyle, Shield No. 2579, 31st precinct, 5th district; James Kennedy, Shield No. 2525, 31st precinct, 5th district; Thomas J. Layden, Shield No. 2511, 146th precinct, 16th district; James Mahon, Shield No. 2298, 33d precinct, 4th district; Joseph T. M. E. Mallon, Shield No. 2564, 31st precinct, 5th district; Henry V. McCaddin, Shield No. 2572, 21st precinct, 3d district; Philip McDonald, Shield No. 2577, 31st precinct, 5th district; Edward McDonnell, Shield No. 2504, 31st precinct, 5th district; Thomas Reidy, Shield No. 2581, 22d precinct, 3d district; Abraham Solomon, Shield No. 2517, 23d precinct, 3d district.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

Appointed—Archibald Pehn, Rockaway Boulevard, Woodhaven, L. I., Stationary Engineman at \$4.50 a day, for about 3 months, June 23.



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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, Clerk. President of the Board of Aldermen.

City Hall. Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt. Frank L. Dowling, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE. Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

ARMORY BOARD.

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

ART COMMISSION.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS. Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.

William C. Ormond, Chairman. St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS. 26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.

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

CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE. Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4227 Worth.

BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN. Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.

Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain.

BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.

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

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN. Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

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

David Ferguson, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Pier "A," North River. Telephone, 300 Rector.

R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

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

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.
General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.
Edward F. Boyle, President.
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.
Other Borough Offices.
The Bronx.
368 E. 143th st. Telephone, 356 Melrose.
Brooklyn.
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.
Queens.
64 Jackson ave., L. I. City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.
Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays to 12 noon.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Joseph Haag, Secretary.
Bureau of Records and Minutes.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Joseph Haag, Secretary.
Office of the Chief Engineer.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.
Bureau of Public Improvements.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.
Bureau of Franchises.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth.
Harry P. Nichols, Engineer.
Bureau of Contract Supervision.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Central Testing Laboratory, 125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin. Tilden Adamson, Director.
Bureau of Personal Service.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. George L. Tirrell, Director.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.
Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Edmund D. Fisher, Albert E. Hadlock, Shepard A. Morgan, Hubert L. Smith.
Receiver of Taxes.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 200 Worth.
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140 Tremont.
Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.
Queens—Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 3386 Hunters Point.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes.
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 47 Tremont.
Brooklyn—303 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340 Main.
Queens—Municipal Building, Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 1553 Hunters Point.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Daniel Mohnahan, Collector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Municipal Building, 11th floor. Telephone, 4100 Worth.
Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 7600 Main.
Robert A. Hanson, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.
Burial Permit and Contagious Disease offices always open.
Bronx, 3731 Third ave., Brooklyn, Flatbush ave., Willichbury and Fleet sts., Queens, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.
Haven Emerson, Commissioner.
Alfred E. Shibley, Secretary.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 2990 Spring.
Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 4 p. m.
Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.
Office of Corporation Counsel.
Main office, Municipal Building, 16th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.
Lamar Hardy, Corporation Counsel.
Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone, 2948 Main.
Bureau of Street Openings.
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone, 5916 Main.
Queens office, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.
Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.
Main office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.
George H. Bell, Commissioner.
Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Telephone, 1497 Main.
Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Division of Licensed Vehicles—517-519 W. 57th st. Telephone, 6387 Columbus.
Public Employment Bureau—Men's departments, 124 Leonard st. Women's departments, 53 Lafayette st. Telephone, 6100 Franklin.
Branch Offices: 157 E. 67th st., Manhattan; Telephone 2011 Plaza, 436 W. 27th st., Manhattan; Telephone 1937 Chelsea, 12 W. 11th st., Manhattan; Telephone 8065 Chelsea, 85 Java st., Brooklyn; Telephone, 3274 Greenpoint.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone, 1580 Worth.
Henry Moskowitz, President.
Robert W. Belcher, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1072 Worth. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.
Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.
Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2440 Tremont.
Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

Borough of Queens.
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.
John E. Weier, Commissioner.

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

PAROLE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 2254 Worth.
Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.
F. I. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.
Janet A. G. Hahn, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.
Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.
John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.
Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.
Bureau of Social Investigation, Pearl and Centre sts. Telephone, 4405 Worth.
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
120 Broadway, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m., every day, including holidays and Sundays, Telephone, 7500 Rector.
Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.
James H. Walker, Secretary.

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 184 Worth.
Rudolph P. Miller, Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.
Lawson Purdy, President.
C. Rockland Tyns, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.
John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.
Bronx office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.
John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.
Charles Strauss, President.
George Featherston, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors. Telephone: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.
Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d and Tremont aves. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.
Douglas Mathewson, President.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.
Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.
Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.
Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.
Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.
Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st. Telephone, 3960 Main.
Lewis H. Pounds, President.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4227 Worth.
Marcus M. Marks, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
President's office, 68 Hunters Point ave., L. I. City. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Maurice E. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Calvin D. Van Name, President.

CORONERS.
Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.
Bronx—Arthur and Tremont aves. Telephone, 1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.
Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.
Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.
Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

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

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Court House, Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.
9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.
Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.
Edward Swann, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.
Frederick O'Ryne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3406 Worth.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

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

REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.
9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.
John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.
New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.
Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

SUBROGATES.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John P. Cohalan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.
William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 4930 Main.
William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main.
John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.
Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.
381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main.
Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.
Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 6988 Main.
Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Telephone, 2830 Main.
Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.
50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.
Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.
Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.
John H. McCooley, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Civil Records—161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.
Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave.
James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.
Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.
Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.
Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.
John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 Third ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.
Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.
Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.
James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave.
George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 2608 Jamaica.
Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.
Thorndyke C. McKennee, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
362 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.
Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.
Samuel J. Mitchell, Under Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SUBROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October. Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.
Special Terms, without Jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.
Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.
Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Albert C. Fack, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUBOES.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.
Edward J. Miller, Commissioner.

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

SHERIFF.
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.
Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
City Hall Park. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term, Part I, opens at 9.45 a. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.
Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Frank J. Goodwin, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan and Bronx.
William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.
Municipal Term—Room 500, Municipal Building, Manhattan.
First District—Criminal Courts Building.
Second District—125 Sixth ave.
Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.
Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.
Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—171 E. 57th st.
Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.
Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.
Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.
Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Deputy Chief Clerk Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.
First District—318 Adams st.
Second District—Court and Butler sts.
Fifth District—361 Bedford ave.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.
Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt aves.

Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.
All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerk's offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Board of Justices—Secretary, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.
Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.
Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.
Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.
Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.
Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge rd. Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.
Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.
Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.
Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg.
Fourth District—14 Howard ave. Telephone, 4323 Bushwick.
Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.
Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.
Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.
First District, 115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.
Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.
Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 86 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.
Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, 4280 Main.
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
Part V, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur aves., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 6056 Tremont.
Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
Adolphus Ragan, Chief Clerk, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.
Bernard J. Fagan, Chief Probation Officer, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.
Parts I and II (Manhattan), 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy. Dennis A. Lambert Clerk.
Part III (Brooklyn), 102 Court st. Telephone, 8611 Main. Wm. C. McKee, Clerk.
Part IV (Bronx), 355 E. 137th st. Court held on Monday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose. Michael Murray, Clerk.
Part V (Queens), 19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk.
Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Wm. J. Browne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department.
Madison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m.

Orders called at 10.30 a. m. Telephone, 3840 Madison Square
Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 a. m. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.
503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 7452 Main.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
Joseph H. De Braga, Clerk.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.: Saturday, to 12 noon. Telephone, 6054 Franklin.

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

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

Queens County.
County Court House, L. I. City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September, in Part 1. Trial Term, Part 2, February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.
Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 noon from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at 1.30 p. m.

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

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

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

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

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Appeals.
The Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Municipal Building.

RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

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

RUDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

Board of City Records.
The Board of City Records meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn, for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, for the following property now in custody without claimants: Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Public Notices.

Whereas, public hearing was held in the city of Syracuse, Saturday, May 26, 1917, due notice of which hearing was published in papers designated by the Industrial Commission, on a proposed Rule 1 of the Industrial Code, permitting the employment of women in canneries not more than sixty-six hours a week; and

Whereas, the said proposed Rule 1 has been submitted to the Industrial Council for its consideration and advice, and the said Industrial Council has on the 13th day of June, 1917, advised the adoption by the Industrial Commission of said proposed Rule 1.

Be it resolved, That the following rule, to be known as Rule One of the Industrial Code, be and the same hereby is adopted:

Rule 1. Permitting the employment of women in canneries not more than sixty-six hours a week.

Pursuant to subdivision 3, section 78 of the Labor Law, and upon application to be made by the employer to the Industrial Commission, women eighteen years of age and upwards may be employed or permitted to work in canning or preserving perishable products in fruit and canning establishments between the twenty-fifth day of June and the fifth day of August, nineteen hundred and seventeen, in excess of ten hours in any one day and sixty hours in any one week but not in excess of twelve hours in any one day nor sixty-six hours in any one week nor six days in any one week, upon compliance with the following regulations:

1. At any process or part of the work which does not require continuous standing while at work, except that she shall not be so employed in the processes of labeling or packing cans.
2. Provided that every floor on which such woman is employed be drained free of liquids; but whenever any such floor cannot be kept entirely free from liquids, flat platforms shall also be furnished upon which such woman may rest her feet while at work.
3. Permits granting exemption under these rules and regulations shall be revocable by the

Industrial Commission for violation of any of the above regulations.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, William S. Coffey, Secretary of the State Industrial Commission of the State of New York, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original thereof, duly adopted by the State Industrial Commission on the 19th day of June, 1917, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State Industrial Commission this 21st day of June, 1917.

W. S. COFFEY, Secretary.

(Seal) j26

Resolved, That the variation from the provisions of Section 8-a of the Labor Law, heretofore granted the General Chemical Company of Buffalo, N. Y., under date of Feb. 1, 1916, be and the same hereby is amended in its concluding sentence to read as follows: "But not to work said employees more than eight (8) hours on any shift except," etc. It is

Further resolved, that the foregoing variation be and it hereby is amended further to include eighteen (18) men in the burner department to work seven (7) days per week but not more than eight (8) hours in any one day, except when changing shifts.

List of employees on each shift to be conspicuously posted, and the resolution of Feb. 1, 1916, as amended, to take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, ss.:

I, William S. Coffey, Secretary of the State Industrial Commission of the State of New York, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original thereof, duly adopted by the State Industrial Commission on the 20th day of June, 1917, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State Industrial Commission this 21st day of June, 1917.

W. S. COFFEY, Secretary.

(Seal) j26

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees or the Curator of the College of the City of New York, at Room No. 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1917.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR MASON WORK AND ROOFING AND NECESSARY REPAIRS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. FOR "ITEM A," THE MAIN BUILDING, AND FOR "ITEM B," TOWNSEND HARRIS HALL, AT THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 139TH ST. AND CONVENT AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The bidder is requested to submit a separate aggregate price for the whole work described and specified under each of the following mentioned items: Item A, Item B.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work is as follows:

Item A, ninety (90) consecutive working days.

Item B, ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The bond required for the faithful performance of each contract will be 30 per cent. of the amount of the bid for such contract.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of not less than 1½ per cent. of the bid.

Separate contracts will be awarded for each item.

A copy of the contracts and specifications, bid sheets and envelopes in which to enclose the bid may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Curator of the College, Room 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan.

GEORGE MCANENY, Chairman, Board of Trustees; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary, Board of Trustees; BERNARD M. BARUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, LEE KOHNS, CHARLES E. LYDECKER, WILLIAM F. MCCORME, MOSES I. STROCK, CHARLES H. TUTTLE, WILLIAM G. WILCOX, Board of Trustees.

R. V. DAVIS, Curator. j22,jy6

Dated, June 22, 1917.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, WIDENING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PEARL ST., FROM WHITEHALL ST. TO STATE ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—2 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2—1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3—1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4—1 new water manhole head and cover.

Item 5—60 linear feet new 6-inch granite curb.

Item 7—80 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8—10 linear feet old curb.

Item 9—800 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 11—200 square feet new bluestone flagging.

Item 12—10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13—10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15—170 cubic yards concrete.

Item 20—760 square yards wood block pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall be twelve (12) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. of the amount of security.

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

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MACDOUGALL ST. FROM WAVERLY PL. TO 8TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—2 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2—1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3—1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4—2 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5—210 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 7—60 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8—310 linear feet old curb.

Item 9—30 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12—30 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13—10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15—150 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17—720 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18—30 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twelve (12) consecutive working days.

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

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

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 39TH ST. FROM BROADWAY TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—1 new sewer manhole head and cover, complete.

Item 2—1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3—1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4—1 new water manhole head and cover, complete.

Item 5—240 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 8—250 linear feet old curbstone redressed.

Item 9—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12—10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13—10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15—160 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17—810 cubic yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18—20 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twelve (12) working days.

The amount of security required will be \$800, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. of the amount of security.

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

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 61ST ST. FROM 2D AVE. TO 3D AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—3 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2—1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3—1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4—1 new water manhole head and cover, complete.

Item 5—370 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 7—20 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8—870 linear feet old curb.

Item 9—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 10—20 linear feet platform flag cut to line.

Item 12—10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13—10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15—400 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17—2,030 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18—10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

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

The amount of security required will be \$2,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. of the amount of the security.

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

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 19TH ST. FROM PLEASANT AVE. TO 1ST AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—3 new sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 2—1 new sewer manhole cover.

Item 3—1 new sewer manhole ring.

Item 4—2 new water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 5—630 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curb.

Item 7—40 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curb.

Item 8—630 linear feet old curb.

Item 9—100 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 12—10 linear feet new granite header.

Item 13—10 linear feet temporary header.

Item 14—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 15—410 cubic yards concrete.

Item 17—2,050 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

Item 18—10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. of the amount of security.

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

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

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of High-

ways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated, June 25, 1917. j26,jy9

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LENOX AVE. AND 135TH ST. AND 17 OTHER POINTS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 1—18 receiving basins (Type "A" or "G"), complete.

Item 2—231 linear feet of 12-inch basin connection, complete.

Item 3—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "A"), excavated and removed.

Item 4—1 cubic yard of rock (Class "B"), excavated and removed.

Item 5—2 cubic yards of brick masonry.

Item 6—2 cubic yards of concrete (Class "A").

Item 7—3 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 8—15 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.

Item 9—1,700 square feet of concrete sidewalk pavement laid.

Item 10—125 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.

Item 11—25 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.

Item 12—63 square yards of restoration of permanent roadway pavement, all kinds.

Item 13—500 feet B. M. of timber and plank for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basins and appurtenances will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-three Hundred (\$2,300) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR THE ALTERATION TO RECEIVING BASINS, WITH INLETS, ON 35TH ST. FROM BROADWAY TO 9TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (C. P. M.—37-A.)

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of

The time allowed for constructing and completing the alteration to receiving basins and appurtenances will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

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

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article by

which the bid will be tested. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the drawings, form of specification and contract may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Sewers, Room 2103, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Dated, June 16, 1917.
J26.27 MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Sale of Tax Liens of the City of New York, for Unpaid Taxes, Water Rents and Assessments for Local Improvements upon Lands and Tenements Within That Part of the City of New York Now Known and Described as the Borough of Brooklyn, Affecting Property in Sections 14 to 25, Inclusive, as Shown on the Tax Map of Said City for Said Borough of Brooklyn, and Also for Unpaid Taxes on the Real Estate of Corporations and Taxes on the Special Franchises of Corporations Affecting Property of Certain Corporations and Individuals Within the Entire Borough of Brooklyn.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

Under the direction of Hon. William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of the City of New York, I, Daniel Moynahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears, hereby give public notice pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 17, Title 5, of the Greater New York Charter:

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, as said lands and tenements are shown within Sections fourteen to twenty-five, inclusive, upon the Tax Map of said City for said Borough, on which any taxes or any assessment for local improvements have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, or on which any water rent has been imposed and become a lien and has remained due and unpaid for four years since the same was due and payable, and also corporations and individuals as owners of certain lands or certain special franchises within the entire Borough of Brooklyn on which taxes on the real estate of corporations, or taxes on the special franchises of corporations have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, are required to pay the amount of said taxes, assessments and water rents, together with all unpaid taxes, water rents and assessments affecting such lands and tenements which became a lien and were due and payable prior to March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen (the taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements required to be paid, thus comprising all unpaid taxes and water rents affecting said properties contained in assessment rolls down to and including the assessment roll of the City of New York for the year nineteen hundred and fifteen and all assessments for local improvements affecting said properties confirmed and entered up to March fourth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, inclusive), with all penalties thereon remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate provided by law from the time the same became liens so as to be due and payable to the date of payment and the charges of this notice and advertisement to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Offerman Building, Nos. 503 and 505 Fulton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that if default be made in such payment the lien of the City of New York upon any of said lands and tenements for any tax, assessment or water rent which became a lien so as to be due and payable before March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, will be sold at Public Auction in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Offerman Building, Nos. 503 and 505 Fulton st., Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1917,

at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the lowest rate of interest, not exceeding twelve per centum per annum, at which any person or persons shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the said taxes, water rents and assessments and penalties, as the case may be, and interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of sale, the charges of notice and advertisement and all other costs and charges accrued thereon; and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all said liens for taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements so advertised for sale affecting such lands and tenements shall be sold.

The transfer of tax lien to be executed and delivered to the purchaser thereof pursuant to the terms of said sale shall be subject to the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements and penalties and interest thereon which accrued and became a lien, or which shall accrue and become a lien upon said premises, so as to be due and payable on and after the date stated of the first advertisement of said sale as stated herein, namely, the fifteenth day of March, nineteen hundred and sixteen (i. e., the lien for and right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes and water rents included in the assessment rolls of the City of New York for the years subsequent to March fourth, nineteen hundred and sixteen).

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that a particular and detailed statement of the property affected showing section or ward, block and lot number thereof, as the same may be, on the Tax Map of the City of New York for the Borough of Brooklyn and the tax liens thereon which are to be sold, is published in a pamphlet and that copies thereof are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

Dated, New York, April 10, 1917.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears of The City of New York.

This notice applies to arrears as of March 15 1916. a10.17.24.m1.8.15.22.29.j5.12.19.26.j3.10

Notice of Continuation of Queens Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the 5th Ward, Borough of Queens, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Aug. 22, Oct. 10, Dec. 5, 1916, Jan. 23, March 27 and May 15, 1917, has been continued to

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1917.

at 10 a. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 3d floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. m31.j5.12.19.26.j3.10.17.24

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of June 27, Aug. 13, Oct. 10, Dec. 5, 1916, Jan. 23, March 27 and May 15, 1917, has been continued to

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1917.

at 10 a. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 3d floor of the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. m31.j5.12.19.26.j3.10.17.24

Confirmation of Assessments.

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: pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 582, Laws of 1897, for improvements in the former Town of New Utrecht, to wit:

THIRTIETH WARD.

RAY RIDGE AVE.—GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, from 3d ave. to New York Bay. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ray Ridge ave. from 3d ave. to New York Bay and extending back 100 feet from Ray Ridge ave.

BENSON AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 18th ave. to 20th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Benson ave. from 18th ave. to 20th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Benson ave.

KOUWENHOVEN LANE—GRADING AND PAVING, from 4th to 5th aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kouwenhoven lane from 4th ave. to 5th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Kouwenhoven lane.

CROPSY AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Franklin ave. to 15th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cropsy ave. from Franklin ave. to 15th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Cropsy ave.

CROPSY AVE.—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 15th ave. to 23d ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cropsy ave. from 15th ave. to 23d ave., and extending back 100 feet from Cropsy ave.

18TH AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Cropsy ave. to Gravesend ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 18th ave. from Cropsy ave. to Gravesend ave., and extending back 100 feet from 18th ave.

80TH ST.—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 18th ave. to 22d

ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 80th st. from 18th ave. to 22d ave., and extending back 100 feet from 80th st.

86TH ST.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 5th ave. to Shore rd. Area of assessment: Both sides of 86th st. from 5th ave. to Shore rd., and extending back 100 feet from 86th st.

4TH AVE.—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 60th st. to Shore rd. Area of assessment: Both sides of 4th ave. from 60th st. to Shore rd., and extending back 100 feet on 4th ave.

5TH AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 86th st. to 4th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 5th ave. from 86th st. to 4th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 5th ave.

FRANKLIN AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Cropsy ave. to Warehouse ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Franklin ave. from Cropsy ave. to Warehouse ave., and extending back 100 feet from Franklin ave.

NEW UTRECHT AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from old City Line to 67th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of New Utrecht ave. from old City Line to 67th st., and extending back 100 feet from New Utrecht ave.

92D ST.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 7th ave. to Shore rd. Area of assessment: Both sides of 92d st. from 7th ave. to Shore rd., and extending back 100 feet from 92d st.

95TH ST.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 2d ave. to 4th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 95th st. from 2d ave. to 4th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 95th st.

2D AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 65th st. to 92d st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 2d ave. from 65th st. to 92d st., and extending back 100 feet from 2d ave.

2D AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 92d st. to Shore rd. Area of assessment: Both sides of 2d ave. from 92d st. to Shore rd., and extending back 100 feet from 2d ave.

60TH ST.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 4th ave. to 22d ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 60th st. from 4th ave. to 22d ave., and extending back 100 feet from 60th st.

67TH ST.—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 4th ave. to 5th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 67th st. from 4th ave. to 5th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 67th st.

67TH ST.—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from New Utrecht ave. to 18th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 67th st. from New Utrecht ave. to 18th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 67th st.

70TH ST.—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Fort Hamilton ave. to 10th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 70th st. from Fort Hamilton ave. to 10th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 70th st.

70TH ST.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 18th ave. to Fort Hamilton ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 70th st. from 18th ave. to Fort Hamilton ave., and extending back 100 feet from 70th st.

70TH ST.—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Fort Hamilton ave. to Shore rd. Area of assessment: Both sides of 70th st. from Fort Hamilton ave. to Shore rd., and extending back 100 feet from 70th st.

10TH AVE.—PAVING AND GUTTERING,

from Bay Ridge ave. to 75th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 10th ave. from Bay Ridge ave. to 75th st. and extending back 100 feet from 10th ave.

21ST AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 80th st. to Cropsy ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 21st ave. from 80th st. to Cropsy ave., and extending back 100 feet from 21st ave.

22D AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 80th st. to Cropsy ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 22d ave. from 80th st. to Cropsy ave., and extending 100 feet from 22d ave.

WAREHOUSE AVE.—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Franklin ave. to 7th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Warehouse ave. from Franklin ave. to 7th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Warehouse ave.

The Board of Assessors has levied and assessed the foregoing assessments in fifty equal annual installments. The Fourteenth Installment in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for thirty-six years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments, with interest, shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 30, 1904, and the "Fourteenth Installment" entered on June 19, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Unless the amount of the fourteenth installment in each case shall be paid on or before August 18th, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 19, 1917. j22.jy3

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 QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

SHERMAN ST.—REGULATING AND PAVING, from Broadway to Grand ave. Area of assessment affects Blocks 15 to 19 and 29 to 33.

SECOND WARD.

SEDGWICK ST.—REGULATING AND PAVING, from Hughes st. to Catalina st. Area of assessment affects Blocks 2625 and 2626.

FOURTH WARD.

RECEIVING BASINS ON Jerome ave. at the northwest corner of Lawn ave., northeast corner of Union ave., northeast corner of Chestnut st., northeast corner of Cedar ave., northwest corner of Hamilton ave., northwest corner of Walnut st. and northwest corner of Briggs ave. Area of assessment affects Blocks 434, 457, 466, 468, 470, 472 and 474.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 19, 1917, and entered June 19, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before August 18, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 19, 1917. j21.jy2

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED AVENUE IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

SECTION 17.

APPLETON AVE.—OPENING, from Ft. Schuyler rd. to Westchester ave.; and ERICSON PL. OPENING from Ft. Schuyler rd. to Appleton ave. Confirmed May 25, 1917. Entered June 20, 1917.

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 a line midway between Roberts ave. and Ponton ave., as these streets are laid out at Lang ave., distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Lang ave. and running thence northeasterly along the said line midway between Roberts ave. and Ponton ave. and along the prolongation of said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Lee st., the said distance being measured at right angles to Lee st., thence easterly along the said line parallel with Lee st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Mayflower ave. and Pilgrim ave.; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Mayflower ave. and Pilgrim ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Middletown rd., the said distance being measured at right angles to Middletown rd.; thence easterly along the said line parallel with Middletown rd. to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Mayflower ave. and Edison ave. as these streets are laid out between Roebling ave. and Zulette ave.; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Mayflower ave. and Edison ave. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Dudley ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Dudley ave.; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with Dudley ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Mayflower ave. and William pl. as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Dudley ave.; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between Mayflower ave. and William pl. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Dudley ave. and Harrington ave.; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Dudley ave. and Harrington ave. 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 northeasterly line of Edward ave. and the southwesterly line of Fort Schuyler rd. as these

streets are laid out at Latting st.; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Appleton ave. and Latting st., as these streets are laid out between Balcom ave. and Vreeland ave.; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Appleton ave. and Latting st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly pier and bulkhead line of Westchester Creek as shown on the final maps of the Borough; thence northwesterly along the said pier and bulkhead line and along its prolongation as laid out at Fort Schuyler rd. to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Blondell ave. and the southwesterly line of Waters ave. as these streets are laid out between Fink ave. and Westchester ave.; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the line midway between Fink ave. and Westchester ave.; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Fink ave. and Westchester ave. to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Waters ave.; thence northwesterly and parallel with Waters ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Ponton ave. and Fink ave.; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Ponton ave. and Fink ave. to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Lang ave.; thence northwesterly and parallel with Lang ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day herebefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before August 20, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 20, 1917. j21.jy2

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:

SECTION 8.

SEAMAN AVE.—REGULATING, PAVING AND CURBING, from Academy st. to W. 207th st. Area of assessment affects Blocks 2237, 2239, 2240, 2242, 2248 and 2249.

The above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 19, 1917, and entered June 19, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before August 18, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, 3d floor, Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 19, 1917. j21.jy2

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:

FIRST WARD.

LAYING FLAG SIDEWALKS on 1st ave., between Westervelt ave. and Sherman ave. Area of assessment affects Block 4, Lot 192.

FAIRMONT AVE.—REGULATING AND GRADING (now known as Stanley ave.), from Portland pl. to Brighton ave. Area of assessment affects Blocks 4 and 5 in Plot 8.

THIRD AND FOURTH WARDS.

Constructing concrete sidewalks on COLFAX AVE., between Egbert st. and Railroad ave.; and VAN NAME AVE., between Richmond Terrace and the railroad track. Area of assessment affects Block 91 in the Third Ward and Block 8 in the Fourth Ward.

FOURTH WARD.

CONSTRUCTING CONCRETE SIDEWALK on GUYON AVE. OAKWOOD, between the railroad tracks and Mill rd. Area of assessment affects Blocks 10, 13, 14, 16, 17, 24, 40, 41, 54, 62, 69, 75 and 76.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 19, 1917, and entered June 19, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before August 18, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Borough Hall, Rooms Nos. 15 and 19, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 19, 1917. j21.jy2

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

SECTION 20.

AVENUE Q—SEWER from E. 12th to E. 13th st. Area of assessment affects Block 6775.

SECTION 20 AND 23.

SEWER IN AVENUE I, from Ocean ave. to Bedford ave.; OUTLET SEWER IN BEDFORD AVE. from Avenue I to Avenue K; also SEWER IN BEDFORD AVE. (E. 25TH ST.), from Avenue I to Avenue J; also SEWER IN DELAMERE PL. (E. 23D ST.), from Avenue I to Avenue I. Area of assessment affects Blocks 6701, 6702, 6703, 6710, 6711, 6712, 7566 to 7570, 7584 to 7589, and 7602 to 7607.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 19, 1917, and entered June 19, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for

the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Aug. 18, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Hoffman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 19, 1917. j21 iy2

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED AVENUE IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

SECTION 14.
MANOR AVE.—OPENING from Westchester ave. southwardly to Bronx River ave. Confirmed May 17, 1917. Entered June 12, 1917. 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 southwesterly line of Bronx River ave. where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Ward ave. and Manor ave., and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Ward ave. and Manor ave., and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Westchester ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Westchester ave.; thence eastwardly and parallel with Westchester ave. to the intersection with a line midway between Manor ave. and Stratford ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Manor ave. and Stratford ave. to the intersection with the prolongation of the center line of Randall ave.; as this street is laid out east of Stratford ave.; thence westwardly along the said prolongation of the center line of Randall ave. to the intersection with the westerly line of Randall ave. as this street is laid out adjoining Bronx River ave. on the south; thence northwesterly and parallel with Bronx River ave. to the intersection with a line at right angles to Bronx River ave. and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Bronx River ave. to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before August 11, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, June 12, 1917. j15.26

Corporation Sale of Real Estate.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1917,

at 12 noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Manhattan, the following described property: All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Mt. Pleasant, County of Westchester and State of New York, designated on Map Acc. E-703 of the Board of Water Supply as fee in Parcels Nos. 1016A, 1016B, 1016C, 1016D, and a perpetual easement in Parcel No. 1017, bounded and described as follows:

1016A Fee.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel is a subdivision of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 1,747.9 feet northeasterly from the southwest corner of said parcel No. 1016E, measured along the westerly line of same and running from thence N. 33 degrees 21 minutes W. 25.0 feet, N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 150.0 feet and S. 58 degrees 21 minutes E. 25.0 feet to another point in the before mentioned westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E; thence along said westerly line S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 750.0 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.09 acre.

1016B and 1016C Fee.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel is a subdivision of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 1,737.0 feet northeasterly from the southeast corner of said Parcel No. 1016E, measured along said easterly line, and thence continuing along said easterly line N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 650.9 feet to a point in the easterly side of an access road; thence along the easterly side of said road S. 41 degrees 12 minutes E. 90.8 feet, S. 34 degrees 58 minutes E. 94.9 feet and S. 30 degrees 34 minutes E. 283.8 feet; thence S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 286.6 feet; thence N. 79 degrees 53 minutes W. 456.9 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 4.66 acres.

1016D Fee.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E (which parcel is a subdivision of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683), which point is 285.3 feet northeasterly from the most westerly corner of Parcel No. 1016A (which parcel is also shown on Map Acc. E-335, which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on April 9, 1910, as Map No. 1901), and running from thence N. 13 degrees 56 minutes W. 70.0 feet and N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 190.0 feet to the easterly side of a road; thence along the easterly side of said road S. 45 degrees 56 minutes E. 51.2 feet to a point in the before mentioned westerly line of Parcel No. 1016E; thence along said westerly line S. 31 degrees 39 minutes W. 228.0 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.240 acre.

1017 Perpetual Easement.

Beginning at the most easterly corner of Parcel No. 1016C (which parcel is a subdivision of Parcel No. 1016 of Section 15, Southern Aqueduct Department, the map of which section was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester at White Plains, N. Y., on July 7, 1909, as Map No. 1683) and running thence along the easterly side of a road S. 30 degrees 34 minutes E. 190.0 feet, S. 36 degrees 04 minutes E. 201.8 feet and S. 39 degrees 17 minutes E. 92.0 feet to a point in the westerly side of a road from White Plains to Hawthorne; thence along the westerly side of said road S. 16 degrees 44 minutes W. 30.1 feet; thence N. 39 degrees 17 minutes W. 109.5 feet, N. 36 degrees 04 minutes W. 203.7 feet and N. 30 degrees 34 minutes W. 178.0 feet to a point in the before mentioned easterly line of Parcel No. 1016C; thence along said easterly line N. 31 degrees 39 minutes E. 283.8 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 0.28 acre.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000). The sale to be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The successful bidder shall remove at his own expense all spoil on these parcels and the adjoining aqueduct right of way at the earliest date and not later than April 1, 1919, to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Water Supply.

The City reserves the right to remove the existing fences on these parcels or its right of way.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of sale, and ninety (90) per cent. upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be within sixty (60) days from the date of sale.

The deed so delivered shall be in the form of a bargain and sale deed, without covenants.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person so failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Department of Finance (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held May 31, 1917.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, City of New York.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 12, 1917. j13.29

Corporation Sale of Structures and Appurtenances Thereon on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF DOCKS, 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 structures standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for dock purposes, in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the platforms on piles, houses and houseboats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach, at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 29, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1917,

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

Parcel A—Structures consisting of platforms on piles, frame houses, houseboats, etc., between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach from the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, and a line about 133 feet easterly therefrom, described as follows:

Lot 1—Platform on piles adjoining the easterly side of the Boardwalk and 13.6 feet south of Emmons ave., 36 feet long and 10.4 feet wide, together with a frame lean-to thereon about 8 feet high, 32 feet long and 10.4 feet wide.

Lot 2—Platform on piles located 10 feet east of Boardwalk, 12.5 feet wide, 69.2 feet long, with "L" extension on Emmons ave. side 10 feet wide and 13.6 feet long leading to Boardwalk, together with a one-story frame structure 10.8 feet high on Emmons ave. and 7.40 feet high on the outshore end of the structure, covering all but 5 feet of the outshore end of said platform.

Lot 3—Platform on piles located 23.5 feet east of Boardwalk, 39.5 feet long, 26.2 feet of which is 24.4 feet wide and the remaining 13.3 feet in length is 24.4 feet wide at the inshore end and 22.25 feet in width at outshore end, together with one-story frame structure 10.10 feet high along Emmons ave. and 8.10 feet high at outshore end, covering the entire platform. Also a runway on piles 4.9 feet wide extending about 120 feet outshore of the above described platform.

Lot 4—Platform on piles located 51.6 feet east of the Boardwalk, 43.9 feet long and about 20 feet wide, together with a one-story frame structure 9.70 feet high along the sides and a 14.20-foot-high peak at center, covering the entire platform.

Lot 5—Platform on piles located 71.9 feet east of the Boardwalk, 44.75 feet in length, 13.8 at outshore end, together with a one-story frame structure 10.10 feet high along Emmons ave. side and 9.70 feet high on outshore side, covering the entire platform. Also a small addition to above mentioned platform at outer end of same, 4.4 feet long and 5.3 feet wide.

Lot 6—Platform on piles located about 71 feet east of Boardwalk and about 91 feet south of Emmons ave., 26.8 feet long and 3.9 feet wide, together with a one-story frame structure about 6 feet high, 7.5 feet long and 3.9 feet wide on outer end of said platform.

Lot 7—Platform on piles located 85.7 feet east of Boardwalk, 118.6 feet long and 20.7 feet wide, together with a one-story frame structure formerly used as a waiting room located on said platform about 88 feet south of Emmons ave., 15.3 feet long, 19 feet wide and 7.60 feet high along the sides of the structure and 9.30 feet high along the ridge at center.

Lot 8—Platform on piles located 70 feet at inner end and 40 feet at outer end east of the Boardwalk and 134 feet south of Emmons ave., 105.7 feet long and 20 feet wide, together with a one-story frame structure at outer end of same 8.20 feet high on one side and 9.20 feet high on other side, 12.25 feet wide and 14 feet long. Also a runway 16.2 feet long and 4 feet wide connecting said platform with platform mentioned in Parcel 7. Also a group of piles located about 28 feet south of platform described in this parcel.

Lot 9—Platform on piles located 106.4 feet east of Boardwalk, 10 feet long and 15.5 feet wide.

Houseboats, should the same be still there at time of sale.

Lot 10—Houseboat about 8 feet high, 24.5 feet long and 12.05 feet wide, with awning roof on top, on scow 33.60 feet long, 17.40 feet wide, located 11 feet east of Boardwalk and 77 feet south of Emmons ave.

Lot 11—Houseboat about 8 feet high, 41 feet long and 11 feet wide, with awning roof on top, on scow 48.2 feet long, 11 feet wide, located about 63 feet east of Boardwalk and 63 feet south of Emmons ave.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

All of the lots as described above will be sold as one parcel.

All supporting piles under platforms, houseboats or structures mentioned in the foregoing parcels are to be entirely removed by the successful bidder, it being the intention of the City to have the entire area above described entirely cleared of all obstructions.

The time for removal is limited to fifteen days from the date of sale, and any structures, etc., not fully removed at the expiration of that period will be taken away by the Department of Docks and Ferries and the expense of such removal will be paid out of the security deposited by the purchaser.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 27th day of June, 1917, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened June 27, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD," AS MODIFIED BY THE ABOVE STATED "SPECIAL CONDITIONS."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 8, 1917. j12.27

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

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

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 6, 1917. j16.30

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OF the Borough of Queens, 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 Queens.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Hancock Street, from Cypress avenue to Myrtle ave., in the Borough of Queens, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held June 14, 1917, 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

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1917,

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

Parcel No. 51: Part of two-story frame building No. 883 Cypress ave. Cut 12.70 feet on front by 14.13 feet on rear. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 52: One-story frame building No. 885 Cypress ave. Part of one-story frame building No. 887 Cypress ave. Cut 7.57 feet on front by 6.62 feet on rear. Upset price, \$15.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 5th day of July, 1917, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be re-

turned 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 July 5, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 15, 1917. j18.jy5

Sureties on Contracts.

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

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

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

Construction.

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

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

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

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavement.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, Hunterspoint ave., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1917,

NO. 1. FOR REGELATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, CONSISTING OF EITHER WOOD BLOCK, ASPHALT BLOCK, IRON SLAG, BRICK OR VITRIFIED BRICK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN VAN ALST AVE. FROM JACKSON AVE. TO 4TH ST., 1ST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, EXCLUDING THE AREA OCCUPIED BY THE VIADUCT OVER THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

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

520 cubic yards of concrete in place.

3,110 square yards of completed pavement, by one of the following methods, to wit:

Method A—Wood block pavement, including mortar bed, sand joints, and five (5) years' maintenance.

Method B—Asphalt block pavement, including mortar bed, sand joints, and five (5) years' maintenance.

Method C—Vitrified block pavement, including sand bed, cement grouted joints and one (1) year's maintenance.

Method D—Iron slag block pavement, including sand bed, cement grouted joints and one year's maintenance.

NO. 2. FOR REGELATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE EAST SIDE OF BEACH 94TH ST. FROM THE BOULEVARD TO A LINE ABOUT 600 FEET SOUTHERLY THEREOF, 5TH WARD, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) consecutive working days.

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

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

490 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, June 16, 1917.

j16.27 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Auction Sale.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, MANHATTAN and Richmond, will sell at public auction by Daniel Greenwald, Auctioneer, at the Sheepfold, 66th st. and Central Park West, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1917,

at 11 a. m.

THE FOLLOWING SURPLUS ANIMALS, ETC.,

19 Ram Lambs,
4 Ewe Lambs,
6 Old Ewes,
1 Shetland Pony (8 months old),
700 lbs. (more or less) wool.

The purchase money to be paid in cash or certified check at time of sale.

Purchases will be required to be removed immediately after sale.

j18.29 CABOT WARD, Commissioner.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BROOKLYN, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the workshops in Prospect Park, 9th ave. and 7th st., Brooklyn, by D. Cohen, auctioneer, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1917,

at 10 a. m.,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:
No. 1. 35 lambs.
No. 2. 7 sheep.
No. 3. 10 Angora goats.
No. 4. 2 coyotes.
No. 5. 2 wolves.
No. 6. 1 zebu.
No. 7. 1 trench pump.
No. 8. 1 lot of old rubber hose.
No. 9. 1 lot of old cotton hose.
No. 10. 25 tons of old iron, more or less, to be bid on per ton, the same to be taken as directed by Property Clerk.

Each lot to be sold separately. The right to reject all bids is reserved. All property shall be sold "as is."

All purchasers at the sale will be required to pay the full amount of their bid in cash or by certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller at the time and place of sale; the articles purchased are to be removed immediately after the sale. If the purchaser fails to effect the removal of the articles purchased within ten days from date of the sale he shall forfeit his purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased. The City further reserves the right, if the articles are not so removed within ten days, to sell the articles over again; the money received at said sale is also to become the property of the City. The City will not be responsible for any loss or damage to any of the property between the time of sale and the time of removal.

RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, Commissioner. j16.28

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1917,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR AIR WASHERS FOR THE BLOWERS NOW INSTALLED IN ADDITION TO THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART LOCATED IN CENTRAL PARK ON THE WEST SIDE OF 5TH AVE., OPPOSITE 84TH ST.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be sixty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars must accompany bid. Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Room 1004, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

CAROT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. j16.28

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF FIRE, POLICE, CORRECTION, PUBLIC CHARITIES, PLANT AND STRUCTURES, AND THE PARK BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and the Departments of Fire, Police, Correction, Public Charities, Plant and Structures and the Park Board, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

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

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

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with. Specifications referred to in the schedules may be had upon application at the office of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, Room 1327, Municipal Building.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, ARTHUR WOODS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURETTI, G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES, F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD, CAROT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE and JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners. j18.29

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Invitation to Contractors.

For the Supply of Structural Steel for Use in the Construction of a Part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE supply of structural steel for use in the construction of a three-track elevated railroad known as Route No. 49, Section No. 3, a part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting for and on behalf of The City of New York at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 5th day of July, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The Contractor must be prepared to deliver the structural steel or any part thereof within seven (7) months after the drawings for such

structural steel or such part thereof are furnished to the Contractor, and the Commission will furnish the drawings for all such structural steel to the Contractor immediately upon the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the structural steel and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the forms of contract and specifications, contract drawings, bond and contractor's proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission. The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, June 13, 1917.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUSS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. j15.jy5

Part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of Section No. 3 of Route No. 49, a part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") on behalf of The City of New York at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 5th day of July, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said part to be constructed is to be a three-track elevated railroad, in the Borough of Brooklyn, extending over and along Shell rd. and W. 6th st. from a point near Avenue X to Sheepshead Bay rd.

The work to be done will include the care and support and, where necessary, the readjustment of buildings, vaults, sewers, pipes, railroads, poles and wires and other surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of pavements and other surfaces.

The Contractor must complete the work within ten (10) months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the forms of contract, contract drawings, bond and contractor's proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission. The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, June 13, 1917.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUSS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. j15.jy5

Part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction (exclusive of furnishing structural steel) of Route No. 49, Section No. 3, a part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") on behalf of The City of New York at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 5th day of July, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said part to be constructed is to be a three-track elevated railroad, in the Borough of Brooklyn, extending over and along Shell rd. and W. 6th st. from a point near Avenue X to Sheepshead Bay rd.

The Contractor will not be required to furnish structural steel. The City will furnish to the Contractor the structural steel which is to form a part of the completed Railroad. The Contractor shall receive, handle, transport and erect the structural steel supplied by the City and shall furnish all other labor and materials for the construction of the railroad.

The work to be done will include the care and support and, where necessary, the readjustment of buildings, vaults, sewers, pipes, railroads, poles and wires and other surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of pavements and other surfaces.

The Contractor must complete the work within ten (10) months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the forms of contract, contract drawings, bond and contractor's proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, June 13, 1917.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUSS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. j15.jy5

For the Supply of Special Work, Order No. 15, for Use in the Construction of Rapid Transit Railroads, 180th St. Yard, White Plains Road Line.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE supply of eight portions of special work (frogs and switches) for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads (180th St. Yard-White Plains Road Line) will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District, at the office of said Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 28th day of June, 1917, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by said Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The Special Work is to be delivered in installments. The Contractor must be prepared to deliver three portions of the Special Work on the expiration of 2 months after the delivery of the contract, three more portions on the expiration of 4 months after such delivery, and the remaining two portions on the expiration of 5 months after such delivery, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

The City will furnish to the Contractor the necessary manganese rail for the Special Work, as provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the Special Work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, June 11, 1917.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUSS, Chairman.
JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. j13.28

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1917.

for

CONTRACT 179.
FOR SURFACING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK BLOCK ABOUT 2,000 FEET OF HIGHWAYS AT THE KENSICO DAM, IN THE TOWN OF NORTH CASTLE, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

A statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York to the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 6 consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawing, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. j21.jy10
Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1917.

for

CONTRACT 129.
FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE SUPER-STRUCTURE OVER THE DRAINAGE CHAMBER AT SHAFT 21 OF THE CITY TUNNEL OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT. THE SHAFT IS LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF SOUTH AND CLINTON STS., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY. THE BUILDING WILL BE 3 STORIES HIGH, ABOUT 48 FEET BY 42 FEET BY 89 FEET, OF THE SKELETON STEEL TYPE, WITH BRICK WALLS AND LIMESTONE AND GRANITE TRIMMINGS. THE GREATER PART OF THE STEEL FRAMEWORK IS ALREADY IN PLACE.

A statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York to the amount of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 6 consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets, in acceptable condition, within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. j21.jy10
Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1917.

for

CONTRACT 184.
FOR PLACING A VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT IN TAR MASTIC IN THE KENSICO AERATOR. THE WORK IS LOCATED NEAR THE KENSICO RESERVOIR, IN THE TOWN OF MT. PLEASANT, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

A statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is four consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES

N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.
GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. j14to16, j21tojy10

Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1917.

for

CONTRACT 187.
FOR FITTING UP A CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY, INCLUDING THE FURNISHING AND INSTALLING OF FIXTURES, FURNITURE, PIPING AND LIGHTING, VENTILATING AND DRAINAGE SYSTEMS. THE LABORATORY IS LOCATED IN THE LOWER GATE CHAMBER OF ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, IN THE TOWN OF OLIVE, ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

A statement of the work required and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is twelve (12) consecutive weeks from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.
GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. j14to16, j21tojy10

Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1917, TO TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1917,

for the position of

STABLE FOREMAN (WITH KNOWLEDGE OF GARAGE SERVICE).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5. Duties, 5. 70 per cent. general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form —.

Duties—To take charge of combination stable and garage; supervise the care of horses, feed, horse-drawn vehicles, etc.; to exercise general supervision of motor-drawn ambulances, drivers of same, and to maintain records of service, supplies, repairs, etc.

Requirements—Candidates should have had practical experience in the management and direction of men; should understand care and treatment of horses; have a general knowledge of motor-drawn vehicles and be able to write a report at regular intervals upon the things over which he has charge.

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

There is 1 vacancy in the Department of Public Charities at \$1,000 per annum.

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

j19.jy3 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917, TO TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1917,

for the position of

TYPEWRITER ACCOUNTANT, MALE AND FEMALE, GRADE 3 (ELLIOTT FISHER AND REMINGTON-WAHL MACHINES), (TEMPORARY SERVICE).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Duties—Typewriter Accountants are employed by the Department of Finance in scheduling tax payments, for five or six months each year, at a salary of fifty cents an hour; and they are employed by this department during the month of March of each year in the preparation of tax bills at a compensation of one and one-quarter cents for each correct bill. Some of this work is performed at night.

Candidates will be given a practical test in the copying of a tabulated statement including words and numbers and in the addition of numbers on the adding attachment of the machine. 70 per cent is required on the practical test.

Each candidate will be required to furnish his own machine and four registers or totalizers with a capacity of \$99,999.99 each.

The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines, nor will any allowance be made where they are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

Each candidate must state on his application

on which machine he wishes to be examined. A separate eligible list will be established for those who qualify on the Elliott-Fisher Machine and a separate eligible list for those who qualify on the Remington-Wahl Machine.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age on the date of filing application.

There are three vacancies in the Department of Finance for a temporary period of about four months.

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

j12,26 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1917.

FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF SUBWAY MANHOLES ON TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 2, CENTRAL PARK, AND IN THE VICINITY OF 79TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in the amount of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150).

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

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

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

j21,jy2

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, BROOMS AND CHAIRS.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before Aug. 15, 1917.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the total amount of the bid.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

j20,jy2

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIPE FITTINGS, AUTO, ENGINEERS' AND MACHINISTS' SUPPLIES, FIRE APPLIANCES, LEATHER AND SADDLERY.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before Aug. 15, 1917.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the total amount of the bid.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks or trust companies in the City of New York, or a check of such bank or trust company signed by a duly authorized officer thereof, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

j20,jy2

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10 a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Manhattan.

5601. 181st st. from Northern ave. to Haven ave.

5602. Haven ave. from 180th st. to 181st st.

5603. Riverside Drive, west side (Service st.), from 158th st. to 162nd st.

A185. Lexington ave. from 23rd st. to 32nd st.

A186. Park row from Duane st. to Chatham Square, and Chatham Square and Bowery from Chatham Square to Grand st.

A187. 24th st. from Broadway to Sixth ave.

A188. 55th st. from 7th ave. to 8th ave.

A189. Plaza Lafayette (181st st.) from Haven ave. to Riverside Drive Service st.

Borough of The Bronx.

5358. W. 238th st. from Broadway to Bailey ave.

5528. E. 214th st. from White Plains rd. to Barnes ave.

5588. Findlay ave. from E. 166th st. to E. 167th st.

5618. Rogers pl. from E. 163rd st. to a point about 127 feet southerly.

A184. Southern Boulevard from a point about 15 feet north of Leggett ave. to a point about 130 feet south of Longwood ave.

Borough of Richmond.

5596. Varian (Cedar) st. from McKee st. to a point about 243 feet south, 2nd Ward.

Borough of Queens.

5566. Liberty ave. from 117th st. (Briggs ave.) to about 75 feet east of Lefferts ave., and Lefferts ave. from Liberty ave. to a line about 180 feet southerly, Fourth Ward.

5589. 16th ave. from Grand ave. to Wilson ave., First Ward.

5590. Orchard st. from Jackson ave. to the Long Island Railroad, First Ward.

5594. Hillside ave. from North Curtis ave. to North Villa st., Fourth Ward.

5595. Hunterspoint ave. from East ave. to Viaduct over the Long Island Railroad, First Ward.

5623. Toledo st. from Corona ave. to Justice st., Second Ward.

5624. Laurel Hill ave. from a point about 150 feet south of Towns pl. to a point about 150 feet north of Towns pl.; Towns pl. from Laurel Hill ave. to Locust st., and in Locust st. from a point about 160 feet south of Towns pl. to a point about 230 feet south of Anable ave., with approaches on Celtic ave. (Mott rd.) extending from a point about 450 feet southerly to a point about 75 feet northerly from Locust st., 1st and 2nd Wards.

A190. Webster ave. from Vernon ave. to East River, First Ward.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5584. W. 15th st. from Neptune ave. to Canal ave.

5585. E. 22nd st. from Duryea pl. to Beverley rd.

5586. E. 34th st. from Farragut rd. to a line about 340 feet northerly.

5587. W. 27th st. from Surf ave. to Mermaid ave.

5591. W. 30th st. from Surf ave. to a line about 360 feet south.

5592. Avenue N from Flatbush ave. to Island ave., and Island ave. from Avenue N to E. 65th st.

5593. West st. from Church ave. to Ft. Hamilton ave.

5597. 23rd ave. from Bath ave. to 86th st.

5598. E. 34th st. from Clarendon rd. to Newkirk ave., and Avenue D from New York ave. to E. 35th st.

5599. Bay 38th st. from Bath ave. to Benson ave.

5600. 85th st. from 22nd ave. to 23rd ave.

5609. Bay 29th st. from Bath ave. to 86th st.

5610. Bay 31st st. from Benson ave. to 86th st.

5611. Caton ave. from E. 3rd st. to E. 4th st.

5612. Erasmus st. from Bedford ave. to Prospect st.

5613. E. 12th st. from Ditmas ave. to Newkirk ave.

5615. 39th st. from 14th ave. to West st.

5616. W. 31st st. from Neptune ave. to Surf ave.

5617. E. 17th st. from Avenue K to Avenue L.

5621. Dumont ave. from Schenck ave. to Barbey st.

5622. E. 10th st. from Foster ave. to Avenue H.

A182. Clarkson ave. from Albany ave. to Troy ave.

A183. W. 1st st. from West ave. to Neptune ave.

A191. Engert ave. from Humboldt st. to Russell st.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.

St. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary.

June 5, 1917. j5,7,12,14,19,21,26,28

Completion of Assessments.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Richmond.

5596. Constructing curb, gutter and sidewalk on Varian (Cedar) st., from McKee st. to a point about 243 feet southerly therefrom, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 549 and 550.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5572. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging 78th st. from 20th ave. to 21st ave. Affecting Blocks 6251 and 6263.

5584. Paving W. 15th st. from Neptune ave. to Canal ave. Affecting Blocks 6996 and 6997.

5587. Paving W. 27th st. from Surf ave. to Mermaid ave. Affecting Blocks 7053 and 7054.

5591. Paving W. 30th st. from Surf ave. to a line about 360 feet south of Surf ave. Affecting Blocks 7067 and 7068.

5593. Paving West st. from Church ave. to Fort Hamilton ave. Affecting Blocks 5303, 5305, 5307, 5309, 5311, 5314, 5323, 5332 and 5333.

5597. Paving 23rd ave. from Crosey ave. to 86th st. Affecting Blocks 6383, 6417, 6450, 6861, 6873 and 6888.

5598. Paving E. 34th st. from Clarendon rd. to Newkirk ave. and Avenue D from New York ave. to E. 35th st. Affecting Blocks 4950, 4951, 4967 and 4968.

5609. Paving Bay 29th st. between Bath ave. and 86th st. Affecting Blocks 6379, 6380, 6413 and 6414.

5610. Paving Bay 31st st. from Benson ave. to 86th st. Affecting Blocks 6381 and 6382.

5611. Paving Caton ave. between E. 4th st. and E. 3rd st. Affecting Blocks 5317 and 5326.

5617. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 17th st. from Avenue K to Avenue L. Affecting Blocks 6726 and 6728.

5619. Basins on Ocean ave., east and west sides, about 400 feet south of Avenue K. Affecting Blocks 6730 and 7620.

5620. Sewer in Woodbine st. between Irving and Knickerbocker aves. Affecting Block 3362.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, July 24, 1917, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.

St. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary.

June 23, 1917. j23,jy5

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION AND HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CANNED GOODS AND GROCERIES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, Board of Trustees.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

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except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS; AND ITEM 3, INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATOR EQUIPMENT, IN THE MANHATTAN TRADE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, ON THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LEXINGTON AVE. AND E. 22ND ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the work of each item will be one hundred and forty (140) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$30,000; Item 3, \$8,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security. A separate bid must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Note—The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to the printed addenda that has been inserted in the specifications, which calls for Alternate Bids "A" and "B" on Item 1.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 26, 1917. j26,jy9

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NEW PIANOS TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS (OLD BUILDINGS) IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and thirty (130) working days as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars (\$100) per instrument on each item.

Bids will be considered by the committee only when made by the manufacturers.

Bidders must indicate on the outside of the envelope containing the bids the number of instruments bid for under each item.

Bidders must state in the bid what action is to be supplied and length of Grand pianos. A separate bid must be made for each Piano, and award will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid for Each Piano shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

Important.

Each bid must be accompanied by a statement showing the average prices obtained by the bidder in the wholesale trade, exclusive of sales to his own retail stores, for instruments of like grade, size and quality as those he at this time bids for. The average to be compiled from wholesale sales made, as aforesaid, during the three months next prior to the date of the bid.

This statement shall be in the form of an affidavit, executed before a notary public, and made by one of the firm submitting the bid; and shall be certified to by a certified public accountant, who shall certify that he has made an examination of the books or records, and that the prices quoted are true, with all discounts or rebates deducted, giving the average net price obtained, and in accordance with the foregoing paragraph.

The statement shall be placed in a sealed envelope, which shall be marked "Price List," and shall have on the outside the name of the bidder. This shall be enclosed in the envelope containing the bid at the time that same is submitted to the bid clerk.

The statements which are so submitted are for the information of the Committee on Buildings and Sites and will not under any circumstances be made public without the written consent of the bidder.

Any bid which is not accompanied by such a statement and certificate as is hereinbefore described will be considered as informal and invalid, and by reason of such failure the said bid so unaccompanied will be so adjudged and treated.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board

of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan. C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 26, 1917. j26,jy9

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

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 28, 51, 58, 159 AND WASHINGTON IRVING HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the work on each school will be as follows:

P. S. 1, thirty-five (35) consecutive working days; P. S. 28, thirty-five (35) consecutive working days; P. S. 51, fifty (50) consecutive working days; P. S. 58, thirty-five (35) consecutive working days; P. S. 159, forty-five (45) consecutive working days; Washington Irving High School, forty-five (45) consecutive working days as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 1, \$500; P. S. 28, \$500; P. S. 51, \$1,400; P. S. 58, \$500; P. S. 159, \$900; Washington Irving High School, \$800.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st

SIDE OF ST. PAUL'S PL., BETWEEN PARK AND WASHINGTON AVES., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 20, 1917. j20,jy2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1917.

Borough of The Bronx.
FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 4, 11, 16, 28, 33, 34, 37, 39, 43 AND MORRIS HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 2, \$500; P. S. 4, \$500; P. S. 11, \$500; P. S. 16, \$500; P. S. 28, \$700; P. S. 33, \$500; P. S. 34, \$700; P. S. 37, \$600; P. S. 39, \$600; P. S. 43, \$600; Morris High School, \$700.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate bid must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 20, 1917. j20,jy2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIALS FOR USE OF MECHANICS (FURNITURE DIVISION-BUILDING BUREAU) IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of December, 1917.

The amount of security required will be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of award.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the amount of the total aggregate cost of all items bid upon.

In case the aggregate cost of all items awarded to any one contractor is less than one Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), no bond or contract will be necessary for such contractor.

Only one bid will be received from a bidder for each item.

The attention of all intending bidders is expressly called to pages 1, 2 and 3 of the printed proposal for bids.

Award of contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of bids.

Bidders must be prepared to submit duplicate samples upon demand.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item or classes of items where indicated, whose sample is equal to the sample of the Board of Education, or referred to by catalog number.

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

Blank forms, specifications and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 20, 1917. j20,jy2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1917.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF THE EVANDER CHILDS HIGH SCHOOL, ON E. 184TH ST. AND FIELD PL. BETWEEN CRESTON AND MORRIS AVES., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARD-ED TO THE MIDTOWN CONTRACTING COMPANY, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED AND WHICH WAS SUBSEQUENTLY RELET TO THE CONNERS BROS. CO., INC., WHICH LATTER HAS ALSO BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be seventy-five (75) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

The deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

The work in question is for the completion of the said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the Addenda, which have been inserted in the original specification.

The quantities of work to be done and the material to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the Addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making a bid and must examine the Addenda and the original plans and specifications.

Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 15, 1917. j15,27
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND

MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INCREASING THE HEIGHT OF THE PRESENT STEAM TUNNEL, AND OTHER WORK IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AT THE CONEY ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) must accompany bid.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated, June 23, 1917. j26,jy9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PAINTING THE INTERIOR OF THE KITCHEN AND SERVICE BUILDING, CITY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive calendar days.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required.

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 Contract Clerk of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated, June 18, 1917. j18,28
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR COMPLETING THE WORK, INCLUDING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS AND INCIDENTALS, OF THE CONTRACT OF THE NORTON AND GORMAN CONTRACTING COMPANY WITH THE CITY OF NEW YORK (ON WHICH SOME WORK HAS BEEN DONE AND WHICH, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION XLIV OF THE CONTRACT, WAS DECLARED ABANDONED ON MAY 15, 1917), FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES, TOGETHER WITH THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 84TH ST., FROM STILLWELL AVE. TO A POINT ABOUT 334 FEET EAST OF 24TH AVE., IN 85TH ST., FROM STILLWELL AVE. TO POINTS EAST OF 24TH AVE., ABOUT 150 FEET FOR THE SANITARY SEWER AND ABOUT 257 FEET FOR THE STORM SEWER; IN 86TH ST., FROM BAY 37TH ST. TO W. 11TH ST.; IN STILLWELL AVE., FROM 84TH ST. TO 86TH ST.; IN BAY 38TH ST., FROM 86TH ST. TO BENSON AVE.; IN W. 12TH ST., FROM 86TH ST. TO AVENUE V.; IN W. 11TH ST., FROM 86TH ST. TO AVENUE V.; AND IN 25TH AVE., FROM 84TH ST. TO 86TH ST. SECTION 1 OF SEWERS IN 85TH ST., FROM BAY PARKWAY TO STILLWELL AVE.; IN 86TH ST., FROM 21ST AVE. TO W. 11TH ST.; IN 84TH ST., FROM 24TH AVE. TO STILLWELL AVE.; IN STILLWELL AVE., FROM 84TH ST. TO 86TH ST.; IN BENSON AVE., FROM BAY 29TH ST. TO BAY 35TH ST.; IN BAY 34TH ST., FROM BAY 35TH ST. TO 86TH ST.; IN BAY 38TH ST., FROM BENSON AVE. TO 86TH ST.; IN 23RD AVE., FROM 86TH ST. TO BAY 35TH ST.; IN 24TH AVE., FROM 84TH ST. TO BENSON AVE.; IN 25TH AVE., FROM 84TH ST. TO 86TH ST.; AND IN W. 11TH ST. AND W. 12TH ST., FROM 86TH ST. TO AVENUE V.

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

313 linear feet of 12-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$52 \$16,276 00

47 linear feet of 14-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$44 2,068 00

509 linear feet of 54-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$10 5,090 00

348 linear feet of 48-inch storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$8 2,784 00

91 linear feet of 84-inch storm sewer, to be completed between station 2+01 and station 2+92, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$9.75 887 25

263 linear feet of 20-inch pipe storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60 420 80

395 linear feet of 15-inch pipe storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1 395 00

1,003 linear feet of 12-inch pipe storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.90 902 70

216 linear feet of 36-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$19.90 4,304 00

1,148 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$9.50 10,906 00

187 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$5.10 953 70

767 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including concrete cradle and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.00 2,301 00

1,468 linear feet of 8-inch sanitary house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.85 2,715 80

50 linear feet of 6-inch sanitary house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60 80 00

541 linear feet of 6-inch storm house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.45 243 45

313 linear feet of stand pipes, complete, including concrete casing covers, specials extra excavation, and all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.75 547 75

6 drop manholes complete, with standard manhole heads and special covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$140 840 00

17 manholes on storm sewers, complete, with special manhole heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$40 680 00

7 manholes on sanitary sewers, complete, with standard manhole heads and special covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$100 700 00

12,500 cubic yards of embankment, in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.70 8,750 00

13 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods, and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$115 1,495 00

32 house connection drains reconnected, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per house connection drain reconnected, \$5 160 00

101,000 feet, board measure, of foundation planking, pile capping and stringers laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$28 2,828 00

123,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18 2,214 00

131 cubic yards of concrete, Class "A," laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$7 917 00

325 cubic yards of concrete, Class "B," laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$6.25 2,031 25

22,000 linear feet of piles, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.30 6,600 00

2,000 pounds of steel rods, in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per pound, \$0.03 60 00

10 barrels of Portland cement, furnished and delivered on the work, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per barrel, \$1.25 12 50

50 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all sheeting and bracing and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50 25 00

Total \$77,988 20

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be one hundred and twenty-five (125) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

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. Bids shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

j26,jy9 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS TO CONSTRUCT SEWERS IN KENMORE PL. AND ELMORE PL., EACH FROM A POINT ABOUT 240 FEET NORTH OF AVENUE J, TO AVENUE K, AND IN DELAMERE PL. AND MANSFIELD PL., EACH FROM AVENUE J TO AVENUE K.

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

160 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.75 \$440 00

3,670 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.25 8,257 50

660 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1 660 00

32 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60 1,920 00

Total \$11,277 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN E. 36TH ST., FROM AVENUE "L" TO KINGS HIGHWAY.

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

348 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.85 \$991 80

144 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.25 180 00

4 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$70 280 00

Total \$1,451 80

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

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN AVENUE H FROM OCEAN AVE. WESTERLY ABOUT 150 FEET.

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

205 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.40 \$697 00

48 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2 96 00

3 manholes, complete with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$65 195 00

2,000 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$25 50 00

5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50 2 50

Total \$1,040 50

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

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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. Bids shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

j21,jy3 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

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

TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1917.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT SECOND-HAND GRANITE PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CARROLL ST. FROM ALBANY AVE. TO THE END OF THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT ABOUT 270 FEET WEST OF ALBANY AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

280 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

30 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

1,110 square yards second-hand granite pavement with joint filler of sand.

Time allowed, 25 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$500.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, CURBING WHERE NECESSARY, AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF AVENUE "L" FROM OCEAN AVE. TO BEDFORD AVE. (E. 25TH ST.), EXCLUDING THE MALLS IN THE CENTER OF THE STREET.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

1,650 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

290 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

50 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

865 cubic yards concrete.

5,190 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 35 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$4,300.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, PAVING AND REPAIRING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 7TH AVE. FROM 65TH ST. TO WAREHOUSE AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

5,400 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

50 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

4,190 cubic yards concrete.

23,660 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 60 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$19,500.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 64TH ST. FROM 4TH AVE. TO 5TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

620 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

45 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

30 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete.

415 cubic yards concrete.

2,480 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$2,000.

The bidder will state the price per cubic yard, square yard, linear foot, square 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, Room 502, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

the signature of the Secretary of the Committee on City Plan, and dated May 9, 1917.
Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 1st, 1917 (Cal. No. 6), the following resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby fixes Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as the time and place for a public hearing on a proposed amendment to Use District Map, Section No. 13, so as to include within an unrestricted district the area on both sides of Jackson street within 100 feet thereof, and the area on both sides of Skillman avenue within 100 feet thereof, between a line parallel to Manhattan avenue and 100 feet easterly therefrom, measured at right angles to said avenue, and a line parallel to Graham avenue and 100 feet westerly therefrom, measured at right angles to said Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, as shown upon a map bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Committee on the City Plan, and dated April 18, 1917.
Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

Notice of Public Hearing.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held May 18, 1917, the following petition was received:

St. George, N. Y., April 25, 1917.
To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City, New York:
The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company hereby applies for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate five standard gauge tracks over and across Western avenue immediately south of the existing tracks of the Company in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

The petitioner applies further for the privilege to construct, maintain and operate two single track timber trestles over and across said Western avenue pending the grant of the franchise applied for as above.

At in accordance with certain maps submitted herewith, entitled as follows:
"Map showing proposed tracks across Western Avenue in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, to accompany the petition of The Staten Island Rapid Transit Ry. Co., dated Apr. 25, 1917, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."
"Map showing proposed temporary structures

across Western avenue in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, to accompany the Petition of The Staten Island Rapid Transit Ry. Co., dated Apr. 25, 1917, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."
W. H. AVERRELL, General Manager.
W. B. REDGRAVE, District Engineer.

THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILWAY COMPANY, by W. H. AVERRELL, General Manager.
State of New York, County of New York, City of New York, ss:

On this 30th day of April before me personally came W. H. Averrell, to be known and known to me to be the same person described in and who signed the foregoing, and he thereupon acknowledged to me that he had signed the same.

WM. S. YERKES, Notary Public, Richmond Co., N. Y. Certificate filed in N. Y. Co., No. 12. Commission expires March 30, 1918.

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—and at the meeting of June 1, 1917, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, dated April 25, 1917, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held May 18, 1917.

Resolved, That in pursuance of law this Board sets Friday, the 29th day of June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the petition and these resolutions shall be published for at least twice in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.
New York, June 1, 1917. j18,29

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 22, 1917 (Cal. No. 13), the Board continued to June 29, 1917, the public hearing on a proposed amendment to Use District Map, Section No. 8, so as to include within an unrestricted district the areas fronting on West 60th street, West 61st street, West 62nd street, West 63rd street and Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan, bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue 100 feet northerly from West 63rd street, measured at right angles thereto;

thence easterly on a line parallel to West 63rd street to the westerly side of Broadway; thence southerly on the westerly side of Broadway to its intersection with a line parallel to Columbus avenue and 100 feet easterly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence southerly on said line parallel to Columbus avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to Broadway and 100 feet westerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence southerly on said line parallel to Broadway to its intersection with a line parallel to West 60th street and 100 feet northerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence westerly on said line parallel to West 60th street to its intersection with a line parallel to Columbus avenue and 100 feet easterly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence southerly on said line parallel to Columbus avenue to the northerly side of West 60th street; thence westerly on the northerly side of West 60th street to its intersection with a line parallel to Columbus avenue and 100 feet westerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence northerly on said line parallel to Columbus avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to West 63rd street and 100 feet southerly therefrom, measured at right angles; thence westerly on said line parallel to West 63rd street to the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly on said easterly side of Amsterdam avenue to the point of beginning; except such areas within the above described area as are governed by the use district designation in Broadway according to use district designation rule "j," and including such additional areas as are governed by the use district designation as now determined in those parts of Columbus avenue and West 63rd street within the above described area according to said rule "j," as shown upon a map bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Committee on the City Plan, and dated April 18, 1917.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.
Dated, New York, June 25, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j25,29

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 22, 1917 (Cal. No. 2), the Board continued to June 29, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by closing and discontinuing Exterior street between East 118th street and East 119th street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated January 4, 1917.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.
Dated, June 25, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j25,29

out the said temporary easements, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 15, 1917.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that a proposed amended area of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding is as shown on the following diagram:



Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed amended area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, the 29th day of June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of West 173rd street, between Haven avenue and Fort Washington avenue; and of West 172nd street, between Haven avenue and a line about 85 feet east of Fort Washington avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 June 15, 1917 (Cal. No. 115), 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 grades of West 173rd street, between Haven avenue and Fort Washington avenue; and of West 172nd street, between Haven avenue and a line about 85

feet east of Fort Washington avenue, Borough of Manhattan, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated June 11, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 18, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j18,28

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 and discontinue that portion of East 50th street between a line 100 feet east of Beekman place and the westerly line of the Marginal street laid out pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 286 of the Laws of 1889, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 124), 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 and discontinuing that portion of East 50th street between a line 100 feet east of Beekman place and the westerly line of the Marginal street laid out pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 286 of the Laws of 1889, in the Borough of Manhattan, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated May 17, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

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 West 138th street and Riverside Drive at and near their southeasterly intersection, including the closing and discontinuing of that portion of West 138th street which, immediately prior to July 30, 1914, was comprised within the lines of Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 125), 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 West 138th street and Riverside Drive at and near their southeasterly intersection, including the closing and discontinuing of that portion of West 138th street which, immediately prior to July 30, 1914, was comprised within the lines of Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated May 9, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

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 and discontinue those portions of Powell street between the easterly line of East 107th street and the southerly line of Avenue D, and between the northerly line of Avenue D and the boundary of the right of way of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad which fall outside of the lines of streets now incorporated upon the City Plan, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 126), 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 and discontinuing those portions of Powell street between the easterly line of East 107th street and the southerly line of Avenue D, and between the northerly line of Avenue D and the boundary of the right of way of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad which fall outside of the lines of streets now incorporated upon the City Plan, Borough of Brooklyn, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough and dated March 10, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

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 Kingsland avenue from Van Dine street to Peace between Kingsland avenue and North Railroad avenue; and to change the grade of Voorhees place between Kingsland avenue and Hunt street, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 Friday, June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 127), 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 and discontinuing East 162nd street from Sheridan avenue to Sherman avenue, Borough of The Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated May 12, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades for Hollis avenue (Farmers avenue, Old Country road), from Jamaica avenue (Fulton street) to 190th street; to change the grade of Hollis (Farmers) avenue from 190th street to 99th (Atlantic) avenue; and to change the lines and grades of 190th street (Seminole avenue), from Holliswood (Woodhull) avenue to Hollis avenue (Old Country road), Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 Friday, June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 128), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for Hollis avenue (Farmers avenue, Old Country road) from Jamaica avenue (Fulton street) to 190th street; by changing the grade of Hollis (Farmers) avenue from 190th street to 99th (Atlantic) avenue; and by changing the lines and grades of 190th street (Seminole avenue) from Holliswood (Woodhull) avenue to Hollis avenue (Old Country road), Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 5, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded approximately by Lefferts avenue, Hillside avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Jamaica avenue, Roseville avenue, Archer street, Sutphin road, Carl street, Netcong avenue, Englewood street, Van Wyck avenue and Jamaica avenue; and to establish lines and grades for Jamaica avenue between Roseville avenue and Cliffside avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 Friday, June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 129), 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 the street system within the territory bounded approximately by Lefferts avenue, Hillside avenue, Metropolitan avenue, Jamaica avenue, Roseville avenue, Archer street, Sutphin road, Carl street, Netcong avenue, Englewood street, Van Wyck avenue and Jamaica avenue; and by establishing lines and grades for Jamaica avenue between Roseville avenue and Cliffside avenue, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 24, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

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 Kingsland avenue from Van Dine street to Peace between Kingsland avenue and North Railroad avenue; and to change the grade of Voorhees place between Kingsland avenue and Hunt street, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 Friday, June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 130), 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 Kingsland avenue from Van Dine street to Peace between Kingsland avenue and North Railroad avenue; and by changing the grade of Voorhees place between Kingsland avenue and Hunt street, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 18, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

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 grade of the street system within the territory bounded by Lafayette street, Edsall avenue, Olmstead place, Central avenue, Edison place, Myrtle avenue, Tesla place, Indiana place, Tompkins place and Central avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 Friday, June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 131), 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 grade of the street system within the territory bounded by Lafayette street, Edsall avenue, Olmstead place, Central avenue, Edison place, Myrtle avenue, Tesla place, Indiana place, Tompkins place and Central avenue, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 19, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 132), 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 real property required for the opening and extending of West street from Eagle street to Dupont street, and to Commercial street from Dupont street to Franklin street, 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 real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly bulkhead line of Newtown Creek, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Manhattan avenue, as this street is laid out where it adjoins the said bulkhead line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Manhattan avenue, and running thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Manhattan avenue, to the intersection with a line midway between Box street and Clay street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Box street and Clay street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Commercial street; the said distance being measured at right angles to Commercial street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Commercial street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Franklin street and Manhattan avenue, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Dupont street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Franklin street and Manhattan avenue and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Clay street and Dupont street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Clay street and Dupont street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Franklin street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Franklin street; thence south-

wardly along the said line parallel with Franklin street to the intersection with a line midway between Dupont street and Eagle street; thence westwardly along the line midway between Dupont street and Eagle street to the intersection with a line midway between West street and Franklin street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between West street and Franklin street to the intersection with a line midway between Kent street and Greenpoint avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Kent street and Greenpoint avenue to the intersection with the easterly bulkhead line of the East River; thence northwardly and eastwardly along the bulkhead lines of the East River and of Newtown Creek 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 Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record and in the Corporation Newspapers for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, June 29, 1917.

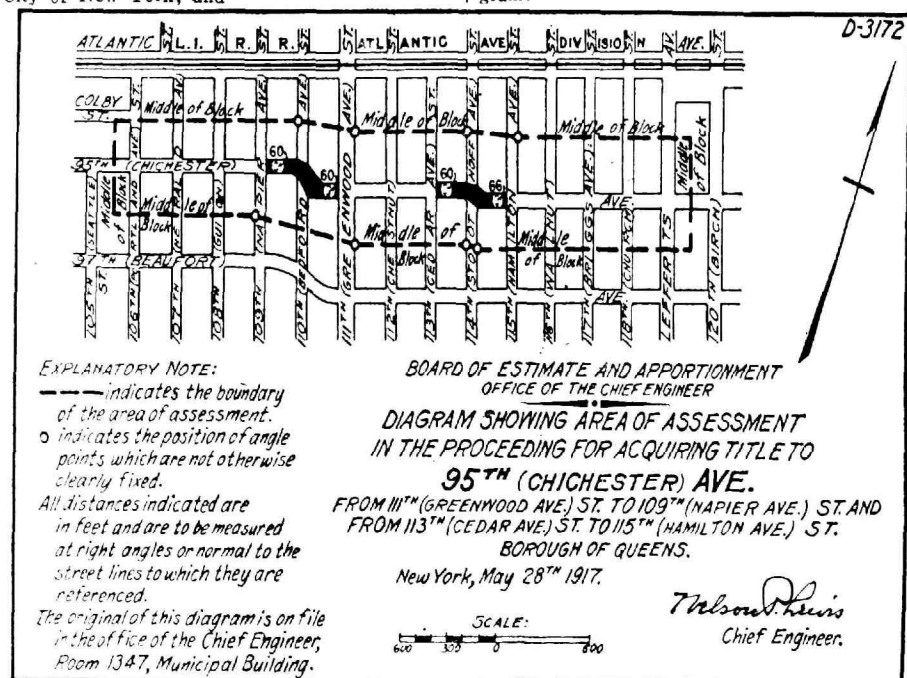
Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 133), 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 real property required for the opening and extending of Carlisle place from

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 135), 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 real property required for the opening and extending of 95th (Chichester) avenue from 113th street (Napier avenue), 111th street (Greenwood avenue), and from 113th street (Cedar avenue) to 115th street (Hamilton avenue), in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, June 29, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 136), the following resolutions were adopted:

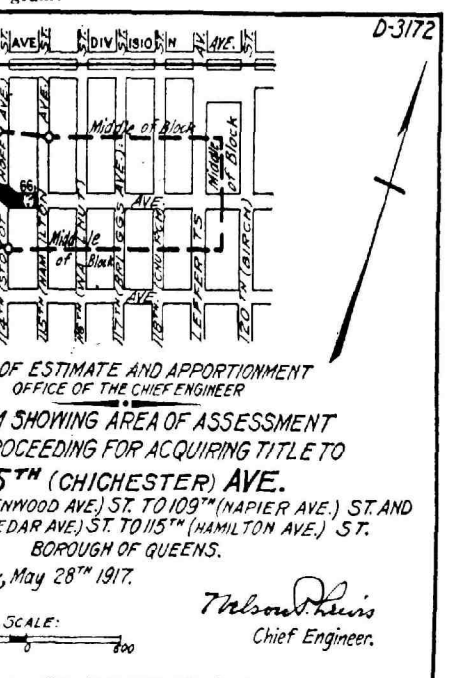
Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of 95th (Chichester) avenue from 113th street (Napier avenue), 111th street (Greenwood avenue), and from 113th street (Cedar avenue) to 115th street (Hamilton avenue), 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 real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 137), 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 real property required for the opening and extending of 95th (Chichester) avenue from 113th street (Napier avenue), 111th street (Greenwood avenue), and from 113th street (Cedar avenue) to 115th street (Hamilton avenue), in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, June 29, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, June 29, 1917.

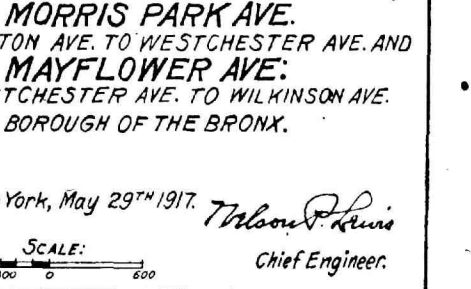
Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16,27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 134), 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 real property required for the opening and extending of West street from Eagle street to Dupont street, and to Commercial street from Dupont street to Franklin street, 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 real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed modified area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York,

Borough of Manhattan, Room 16, City Hall, on the 29th day of June, 1917.
Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to June 29, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16.27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded approximately by Queens Boulevard, Van Loon place, Grand street, Seabury street, Homans avenue, Main Line of the Long Island Railroad, Grand street and Van Kleeck place, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 June 8, 1917 (Cal. No. 164), 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 grades of the street system within the territory bounded approximately by Queens Boulevard, Van Loon place, Grand street, Seabury street, Homans avenue, Main Line of the Long Island Railroad, Grand street and Van Kleeck place, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated June 7, 1917.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, June 29, 1917, 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 29th day of June, 1917.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1917.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. j16.27

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

Corporation Sale by Sealed Bids of the Lease of Certain City Real Estate.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held May 31, 1917, the Commissioner of Plant and Structures of the City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1917,
at 2 p. m., in Room 1822, Municipal Building, Manhattan, a lease of the following described property belong to the City of New York, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

The irregular plot or parcel of land lying on the northerly side of Division st., west of Forsyth st., with a frontage of 91 feet on Division st., and an area of 1,779 square feet, as shown in detail on drawing No. 38/225 of the Department of Plant and Structures.

The lease to be for a term of ten years from Nov. 1, 1917, with the privilege of a renewal for a further period of ten years, at an increased rental of ten per cent. (10%) per annum over that paid for the first ten-year period.

The Commissioner of Plant and Structures will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said premises for the said period at the minimum or upset price of Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.
Each bidder will be required to deposit with his bid the sum of \$500 in cash, or a certified check drawn on a State or National Bank of the City of New York. Such cash or certified check shall not be enclosed in the envelope with the proposed bid, but must be handed to the official who receives the bids for examination and approval before accepting said bid.

All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned after the award of the lease. The amount deposited by the successful bidder will be retained and credited on account of rent, except that in case the successful bidder does not execute the lease when so directed then such deposit shall be forfeited.

No bid shall be received from any one who is a delinquent on any former lease from the City and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the City 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 to be drawn by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York in the usual form of leases of City property and contain the following terms, covenants and conditions:

1. The lessee will be permitted to erect a fireproof building which shall not exceed in height 20 feet. A metal cover hanging from the bridge structure shall be erected and maintained over the building as a protection to the bridge structure from fire. The plans for the building and the metal cover shall be prepared by the lessee and erected in accordance therewith, subject, however, to the approval of the Commissioner of Plant and Structures.

2. The rental of premises will not commence until four (4) months after the date of the opening of bids.

3. In case the premises should be required for City purposes, the decision of which shall be made by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at any time after five years from the date of the lease, the same may be cancelled, and the City will pay to the lessee a percentage of the cost of the building erected thereon upon the following basis:

At the end of 5 years.....	75 per cent.
At the end of 6 years.....	70 per cent.
At the end of 7 years.....	65 per cent.
At the end of 8 years.....	60 per cent.
At the end of 9 years.....	55 per cent.
At the end of 10 years.....	50 per cent.
At the end of 11 years.....	45 per cent.
At the end of 12 years.....	40 per cent.
At the end of 13 years.....	35 per cent.
At the end of 14 years.....	30 per cent.
At the end of 15 years.....	25 per cent.
At the end of 16 years.....	20 per cent.
At the end of 17 years.....	15 per cent.
At the end of 18 years.....	10 per cent.
At the end of 19 years.....	5 per cent.

4. It is distinctly understood that no payment or payments shall be made by the City to the lessee for the cost of any building or other improvements erected upon the demised

premises in excess of fifteen (15) cents per cubic foot measurement, the volume thereof to be determined from the length and breadth of the actual building and improvement erected at the ground level and the height from the ground level to the top of roof, exclusive of cornices.

5. In the event of the failure of the lessee to conform to all the requirements of the lease, the building and any alterations or improvements on the premises will become the property of the City of New York. Any building erected upon the demised premises, together with the alterations and improvements thereon, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease or any renewal thereof.

6. The lessee to pay the usual rate for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity governing the use of water.

7. The building may be heated by gas, electricity or steam, but if steam is used it must be obtained from a plant located on premises that are not under the jurisdiction of the Department of Plant and Structures.

8. No alterations or improvements shall be made to the premises without the written consent and approval of the Commissioner of Plant and Structures.

9. The lessee shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York and the rules and regulations of State and City departments having jurisdiction over the premises, and shall make all inside and outside repairs to the building.

10. The City of New York will pay any taxes or assessments that may be levied against the land or the building erected on the premises during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof.

11. The Commissioner of Plant and Structures reserves the right to reject any and all bids if he deems it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.
Dated, June 13, 1917. j20.iv9

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing Tentative Decree—Notice to File Objections.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title to RADCLIFF AVENUE, from the northerly line of Sacket avenue to the northerly line of former Old Pierce avenue, distant about 143 feet northerly from Sacket avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 17th day of August, 1916 and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 19th day of August, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PARTIES interested in the above entitled proceeding, as follows:

First—That the above named Court, after considering the testimony and proofs submitted on the trial of the above entitled proceeding, has completed its estimate of the compensation which should be made by The City of New York to the respective owners of the real property to be acquired in this proceeding, and has made an assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the improvement to the respective owners of the real property within the area of assessment for benefit herein, and that the tentative decree of the said Court as to awards for damages and as to assessments for benefit was signed on the 18th day of June, 1917, by Hon. George V. Mullan, Justice of the Supreme Court presiding at the trial of the above entitled proceeding, and was filed with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 22nd day of June, 1917, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That the said Court has assessed all the real property within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of April, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes the parcels of real property situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Pierce avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Pierce avenue; on the east by a line midway between Radcliff avenue and Colden avenue and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by the northerly right of way line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and on the west by a line always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Radcliff avenue and the prolongation of the said line, the said distance being measured at right angles to Radcliff avenue.

Third—That the City of New York and all other parties interested in such proceeding or in any of the real property affected thereby, having any objections thereto, shall file such objections in writing, duly verified, in the manner required by law for the verification of pleadings in an action, setting forth the real property owned by the objector, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on or before the 12th day of July, 1917, and parties other than the City of New York shall within the same time serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room No. 1557, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, a copy of such verified objections.

Fourth—That on the 17th day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York will apply to the Hon. George V. Mullan, Justice of the Supreme Court who signed said tentative decree at a Special Term of the Supreme Court to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, to fix a time when said Justice will hear the parties who will have filed objections to the said tentative decree.

Dated, New York, June 22, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, New York City. j22.iv10

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST 180TH STREET, from Bronx River to West Farms road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of the Bronx, City of New York.

In re applications for damages to Lots 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 53A, 53B, 53C, 53D, 53E, 53F, 53G and 53H, on the Map of Van Nest Park, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Van Nest street.

In re applications for damages to Lot No. 6, Plot 10, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, by reason of the closing discontinuance and abandonment of Van Nest street.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter will

be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 28th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, East 161st street and Third avenue, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, June 21, 1917.
JOHN J. HYNES, FRANCIS J. KUERZI, FRANK A. SPENCER, Jr., Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j21.26

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE from Clasons Point road to Bronx River avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of 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, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of July, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 9th day of July, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of July, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 10th day of July, 1917, at 2.30 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 22nd day of October, 1915, 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 northeasterly line of Clasons Point road where it is intersected by a line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Beach avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Bronx River avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bronx River avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Bronx River avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Commonwealth avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between St. Lawrence avenue and Commonwealth avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Clasons Point road; thence northwardly at right angles to Clasons Point road a distance of 100 feet; thence southeasterly and parallel with Clasons Point road to the intersection with a line at right angles to Clasons Point road and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Clasons Point road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 9th day of July, 1917.

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 I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of August, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated, New York, June 12, 1917.
FRANCIS J. KUERZI, Chairman; LAWRENCE N. MARTIN, CHARLES J. BRADY, Commissioners of Estimate; FRANCIS J. KUERZI, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j16.iv3

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of KIMBALL AVENUE, from Liberty avenue, near Digby street to Liberty avenue, near Baker avenue, as said Kimball avenue is now laid out, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended and corrected by an order of this Court duly made and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on June 14, 1916, so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 23, 1915, and approved by the Mayor January 10, 1916.

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 16th day of July, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 18th day of July, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office 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 16th day of July, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of July, 1917, at 2.30 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 3rd day of March, 1916, 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 a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Jerome avenue and Kimball avenue, where it is intersected by a line midway between Halifax street and Digby street and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Jerome avenue and Kimball avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Dakota avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Dakota avenue; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Dakota avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Liberty avenue, where it adjoins Dakota avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Liberty avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Liberty avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Liberty avenue, where it adjoins Atheld avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Liberty avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Liberty avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Atheld avenue and Nebraska avenue, as these streets are laid out north of Kimball avenue; thence northwardly along the said prolongation of a line midway between Atheld avenue and Nebraska avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Kimball avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Kimball avenue to the intersection with a line passing through points on the centre lines of Atheld avenue and of Frost avenue, respectively, midway between Kimball avenue and Liberty avenue; thence westwardly along a succession of straight lines passing through points on the centre lines of each of the streets between Atheld avenue and Boyd avenue, respectively, midway between Kimball avenue and Liberty avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Kimball avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kimball avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Kimball avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Ferry street and Potomac street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Ferry street and Potomac street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Liberty avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Liberty avenue; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Liberty avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Halifax street and Digby street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Halifax street and Digby street and along the prolongation 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, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 18th day of July, 1917.

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 11th day of September, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, June 19, 1917.
HARRISON S. MOORE, Chairman; WILLIAM O'MARA, HENRY MOLLENHAUER, Jr., Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM O'MARA, Commissioner of Assessment.
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j26.iv13

Filing Bills of Costs.

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 A DRAINAGE DITCH, or canal, located between Canal Avenue North and Canal Avenue South, and extending from Gravesend Bay to Sheepshead Bay; and between West 10th street and West 11th street, extending from Canal Avenue North to Avenue V, in the 31st Ward, 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

Bidders will write on the amount of their bids in addition to inserting the same in figures. Bidders are requested to make their bids upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the city, a copy of which, with the proper envelope which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done or the supplies are to be furnished. Plans and drawings of construction work may be seen there.