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No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar of Hearings for the Week Commencing October 2, 1911.

Thursday, October 5—10 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1273—Kings County Lighting Company—John G. Mayhew et al., Complainants—"Rate for Gas."—Commissioner Maltbie. 10 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1276—Kings County Lighting Company—"Application for approval of sliding scale for rates of gas."—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1364.—Street Railroad Corporations.—"Rates of fare upon connecting or intersecting lines of street railroad in the Borough of Manhattan."—Whole Commission.

Saturday, October 7—9.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1357—Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Streets Crosstown R. R. Co.—"Application for approval of proposed contract and of readjustment and reorganization of company."—Commissioner Maltbie.

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

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

Fire Department.

Transactions from September 5 to September 9, 1911, both days inclusive.

New York, September 5, 1911.

Opening of Proposals—At a public letting held in this Department at 10.30 a. m. to-day, the following bids were received: For furnishing all the labor and materials required for establishing and equipping an extension of the underground fire alarm telegraph system on East End ave., from 82d to 88th st., Borough of Manhattan: No. 1, Anderson-Martin Electrical Co., Inc., 1 Madison ave., Manhattan, $1,395. For furnishing and delivering supplies for Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau: No. 1, Alpha Electrical Supply Co., 130 W. 32d st., Manhattan; No. 2, Thomas C. Dunham, Inc., 68 Murray st., Manhattan; No. 3, Garvin Machine Co., 141 Varick st., Manhattan; No. 4, H. W. Johns-Manville Co., 100 William st., Manhattan; No. 5, Okonite Company, 253 Broadway, Manhattan; No. 6, National India Rubber Co., 30 Church st., Manhattan; No. 7, F. N. Du Bois & Co., 245 9th ave., Manhattan; No. 8, Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Co., 114 Liberty st., Manhattan; No. 9, H. T. Dakin, 97 Warren st., Manhattan; No. 10, H. E. Boucher Mfg. Co., 20 Fulton st., Brooklyn; No. 11, Frederick Pearce Co., 18 Rose st., Manhattan; No. 12, James A. Miller, 368 Greenwich st., Manhattan; No. 13, Fullerton Electric Co., 109 W. 26th st., Manhattan; No. 14, Standard Underground Cable Co., 50 Church st., Manhattan; No. 15, Waterbury Company, 80 South st., Manhattan. The award of contracts was deferred. The bids for supplies were ordered tabulated. It was further ordered that the security deposits be transmitted to the Comptroller.

Appointed, to take effect 8 a. m., September 6, 1911: John J. Buckley and Laurence Fisher, as Cable Splicers, Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, Manhattan, with compensation each at the rate of $1,200 per annum. Lawrence Hicks as Blacksmith's (Horseshoer's) Helper, Division of Horses, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, with compensation at the rate of $1,000 per annum.

Award of Contracts (public letting, August 15, 1911)—For furnishing and delivering supplies for Division of Buildings, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies: To H. T. Dakin, 97 Warren st., Manhattan (Class A), $2,021.23; to Manhattan Supply Co., 115-117 Franklin st., Manhattan (Classes B, D, O, P, U and W), $1,719.28; to F. N. Du Bois & Co., 245 9th ave., Manhattan (Classes C, E, F, G, N and T and miscellaneous items Nos. 476 and 479), $2,873.16; to Cavanagh Bros. & Co., 143 Chambers st., Manhattan (Classes J and Q, and miscellaneous item No. 482), $194.72; to Bruce & Cook, 190 Water st., Manhattan (Classes K and L), $282.85; to Merchant & Evans Co., 242 Water st., Manhattan (Class M), $56; to M. H. Hart Co., 127 Duane st., Manhattan (miscellaneous item No. 474), $640; to S. F. Hayward & Co., 39 Park place, Manhattan (miscellaneous items Nos. 475, 480 and 481), $424.50; to A. C. Rowe & Son, 280 Broadway, Manhattan (miscellaneous item No. 483), $288. No bids were received for Classes R, S and V and miscellaneous item No. 477. No awards were made for Classes H, I and K and miscellaneous item No. 478.

September 6, 1911.

Appointed—The following named Probationary Firemen as Fourth Grade Firemen, with compensation each at the rate of $1,000 per annum, and assignments as stated, to take effect at 8 a. m. on dates specified: September 7, 1911: Edward L. Linehan, Engine Co. 2; Albert Klecka, Engine Co. 5; Modest Berardine, Engine Co. 7; William Beibel, Engine Co. 12; Ricard T. Burke, Engine Co. 14; William E. Lehmann, Engine Co. 16; Thomas J. Brennan, Engine Co. 17; George T. Dolan, Engine Co. 18; Edward Bender, Engine Co. 20; George A. Long, Engine Co. 21; Charles J. Perilli, Engine Co. 24; William L. Runge, Engine Co. 31; Otto Schwarz, Engine Co. 33; Edward J. Fox, Engine Co. 109; Percy H. A. Nixon, Engine Co. 110; Henry Dodenoff, Engine Co. 124; Frank Kass, Jr., Engine Co. 158; Rudolph J. Hoerr, Hook and Ladder Co. 3; Andrew J. Ludwig, Hook and Ladder Co. 8; M. A. T. O'Sullivan, Hook and Ladder Co. 15; John C. Conners, Hook and Ladder Co. 20. September 8, 1911: James I. Smith, Engine Co. 13; Louis Simowitz, Engine Co. 25; John Hess, Engine Co. 156; Henry C. Biedermann, Hook and Ladder Co. 10.

Revocation of Suspension, to take effect 8 a. m., September 5, 1911—Fireman Henry A. Jamieson, Hook and Ladder Co. 71, suspended from duty 11.30 a. m., August 31, 1911.

September 7, 1911.

Opening of Proposals—At a public letting held in this Department at 10.30 a. m. to-day, the following bids were received: For repairs to quarters of Engine Co. 2 and Hook and Ladder Co. 23, Manhattan: No. 1, J. Balaban Co., 156 5th ave., Manhattan, $3,421; No. 2, John Clark, 335 E. 18th st, $3,486; No. 3, J. I. Valentine, 150 Nassau st., Manhattan, $2,875; No. 4, William Horne Co., 71 W. 132d st., Manhattan, $2,790; No. 5, John F. Kuhn, 987 2d ave., Manhattan, $4,443; No. 6, A. W. King, 251 E. 66th st., Manhattan, $2,346; No. 7, Louis Koenig, 362 E. 150th st., The Bronx, $2,800; No. 8, C. Haas Co. Inc., 637 2d ave., Manhattan, $4,365; No. 9, J. M. Knopp, 544 W. 43d st., $2,731. The award of contract was deferred. It was ordered that the security deposits be transmitted to the Comptroller.

Trial—The following penalty was imposed as the result of trial held September 7, 1911: Fireman Edward R. Murray, Engine Co. 13, for conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline, two days' pay.

Complaint Dismissed (tried September 7, 1911)—Fireman Edward F. Schneider, Engine Company 58, for reckless driving.

Retired, to take effect 8 a. m., September 19, 1911—Fireman Frank P. Hart, Hook and Ladder Co. 77, on annual pension of $700.

Died—Pipe Fitter's Helper Michael H. Leach, Repair Shops, Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, at 4 a. m., on 7th inst.

September 8, 1911.

Bills Audited, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Schedule 30 of 1911, contracts, $13,572.84.

September 9, 1911.

Retired, to take effect 8 a. m., October 1, 1911—Foreman Stephen J. Nash, Engine Co. 172, on annual pension of $1,250.

JOS. JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Department of Bridges.

Abstract of Transactions of the Department of Bridges for the Week Ending September 16, 1911.

Appointment—September 14: 1 Bridge Painter, at $4 per day.

Death—September 8: 1 Laborer, at $2.50 per day.

Vouchers Certified to the Comptroller—Contracts, $246,649.98; open market orders, $589.30; miscellaneous vouchers, $13,247.11; payrolls, $16,943.26; total, $277,429.65.

Statement of Moneys Received—Brooklyn Bridge: Rent, $794.82; material and labor, $310.20; tolls, trolley cars, $5,380.80; tolls, elevated railways, $5,560—$12,045.82. Williamsburg Bridge: Tolls, trolley cars, $6,764.10; tolls, elevated railways, $3,532—$10,296.10. Harlem River Bridges: Privileges, $21.25. Municipal Garage: Material, labor and storage, $591.19; total, $22,954.86.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner of Bridges.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Bridges for week ending September 23, 1911.

Deaths, September 21—1 Bridge Painter, at $4 per day.

Dropped From the Roll, September 19—1 Bridge Keeper, at $900 per annum.

Vouchers Forwarded to Comptroller—Contracts, $280,972.83; miscellaneous vouchers, $556; payrolls, $70,369.39; total $351,898.22.

Statement of Moneys Received—Brooklyn Bridge: Rent, $360; privileges, $4,004; material and labor, $2,493.75; tolls, trolley cars, $845.10; tolls, elevated railways, $2,635.10—$10,337.95. Williamsburg Bridge: Tolls, trolley cars, $299.90. Municipal Garage: Material, labor and storage, $20.43; total, $10,658.28.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

SESSION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN REPRESENTING THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

October 2, 1911.

A session to elect a President of the Borough of Queens was held in the Mayor's Office, October 2, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., in pursuance of the call of the Mayor.

Present: The Mayor, presiding; Aldermen Brady, Dujat, Ehntholt, Shipley and Snell.

On motion of Alderman Brady the session was duly adjourned to Wednesday, October 4, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., in the Mayor's Office, City Hall.

ADJOURNED SESSION.

October 4, 1911, 10.30 a. m.

Present: The Mayor, presiding; Aldermen Brady, Dujat, Ehntholt, Shipley and Snell.

The Mayor directed the City Clerk to call the roll, and directed that each Alderman, as his name was called, should vote for his choice for President of the Borough of Queens.

The roll call resulted as follows:

For Maurice E. Connolly—Aldermen Dujat, Ehntholt and Shipley—3.

For Leonard C. L. Smith—Aldermen Brady and Snell—2.

The Chair then announced that Maurice E. Connolly having received a majority of the votes of all the Aldermen representing the Borough of Queens, the Chair declares him elected President of the Borough for the remainder of the term ending December 31, 1913.

The Aldermen of the Borough of Queens then adjourned without day.

W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

Minutes of Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Held in Room 16, City Hall, Thursday, September 28, 1911.

FINANCIAL AND FRANCHISE MATTERS.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournmentt.

Present—William J. Gaynor, Mayor; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; Francis P. Bent, Acting President, Board of Aldermen; Edgar V. Frothingham, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan; Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, and George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

The Mayor, Hon. William J. Gaynor, presided.

The minutes (Financial and Franchise Matters) of the meeting held September 21, 1911, were approved as printed in the CITY RECORD, September 28, 1911.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

Operation of Fire and Burglar Alarm and Messenger Companies.

At the meetings of September 16 and October 14, 1910, communications were received from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity calling attention to various companies, operating without authority, and as a result thereof, an investigation was conducted by the Bureau of Franchises.

At the meetings of November 11, 1910, December 22, 1910, and January 19, 1911, the Bureau of Franchises submitted reports to the Board on this matter.

By resolution adopted November 11, 1910, the Bureau of Franchises was directed to proceed with its investigation and prepare a report of the rights claimed by various companies, and submit same to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion.

The Secretary presented the following:

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, City of New York, September 22, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment*, City of New York:

Sir—I desire to bring to your attention a matter which, in my opinion, is of the greatest importance. As far as my investigation has gone, I am of the firm belief that this City has been deprived of a considerable amount of revenue, rightfully due from many companies which have been operating in this City for years without legitimate franchises or consent of the Municipal authorities. My examination, of course, was limited to the records available and it may be possible that the companies hereinafter referred to have obtained grants or authority which entitle them to the occupation of the streets by their wires, conduits, etc. The Corporation Counsel would, no doubt, be able to locate such records and then determine the rights of these companies to use the streets.

A large majority of the companies operating signal, fire alarm and telegraph wires in the Borough of Manhattan have not, in my opinion, any lawful right to occupy space in the streets. Some of the wires of these operating companies are in the subway under the control and management of the Empire City Subway Company and others are overhead. In two communications addressed to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in August and October, 1910, I referred to the following companies: American District Telegraph Company, Holmes Electric Protective Company, Stock Quotation Telegraph Company, Bankers' and Brokers' Messenger Company, Automatic Fire Alarm Company, Consolidated Fire Alarm Company, Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, National District Telegraph Company, Special Fire Alarm Electrical Signal Company, and suggested that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment take such action as they deemed necessary.

My investigation of the right of these companies to operate and maintain their wires has disclosed that the only authority which some possess is their certificate of incorporation. Others are operating under authority given by resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen and by the Board of Electrical Control. In one or two cases I was unable to find any record of incorporation, any resolutions, or any authority from the State to occupy the streets with their wires. I am informed that a communication was addressed to the Corporation Counsel by the Bureau of Franchises in relation to the companies referred to in my letters of last year and that no advice has yet been received as to whether any of the companies have lawful franchises.

I observe, in several resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen, that it is stipulated that the companies shall provide one wire in each route operated by them for the use of the Police Department and one for the use of the Fire Department. I am unable to state whether this service has been rendered to the City.

It is also stated in these resolutions of the Board of Aldermen that the companies shall pay a stipulated amount for each lineal foot of street occupied. The payments are required to be made to the Department of Finance. I am not certain that they have been made in accordance with the terms of the resolutions.

In the case of the Western Union Telegraph Company I have found that no payment has been made to the City by them since 1885, although the Company has since that time made many extensions to their service and the money due the City under their alleged franchise or authority to operate amounts to considerable. The Corporation Counsel has already advised this Department that he doubts whether this particular company could, at this late date, obtain permission to use the streets of the City under the extremely broad and sweeping terms of the resolutions of the Board of Aldermen without first obtaining the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

From time to time I have directed the attention of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the existence of unauthorized pipes, tunnels, conduits, etc., under the public highways, and, as the result of these notifications, the City has collected in rentals for the space occupied between $70,000 and $80,000. To my mind the question of the rights of all the companies occupying space in the public streets should be immediately investigated and those companies which are found not to possess the proper consent or authority to operate should be compelled to make application for franchises and to pay into the City treasury the amount due for the period of time in which they were unlawfully occupying space in the streets. These companies frequently apply to the Department for permits and it would appear important that this subject receive early attention, and that I be informed which companies are entitled to receive permits from this Department. Respectfully,

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The Bureau of Franchises reported that information pertaining to the five dominant companies furnishing fire alarm service was collated and submitted to the Corporation Counsel on May 23, 1911, with the request that he advise the Board:

(1) Have any of the companies proper authority to use the streets of the City without a further consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment?

(2) Does the leasing of wires from a company holding or claiming a valid franchise exempt the lessee company from the necessity of obtaining a local franchise with respect to its wires?

(3) If these companies or any of them require local franchises, what steps should be taken to compel them to obtain the same and should any of them be differently organized to obtain such franchise?

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Corporation Counsel and request that he render his opinion at as early a date as possible.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

The following transfers of appropriations were made upon the recommendation of the Comptroller:

$500 within the appropriation made to the President of The Bronx, for the year 1911.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d Ave. and 177th St., City of New York, September 8, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby respectfully made, for the transfer of the sum of five hundred ($500) dollars, from the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1911, entitled: Code 1727, Bureau of Highways—Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Market Order, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Borough President, for same year, entitled, Code 1731, Bureau of Highways—Fuel, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

On account of the unusual road activities of this year, requiring the constant use of all the steam rollers of this Department, one of them night and day, the amount appropriated for fuel, namely $1,250 is exhausted, and more fuel is immediately needed, estimated at $500 to supply the needs of fuel for steam rollers for the balance of the year. Respectfully.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 16, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 8, 1911, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested the transfer of $500 within appropriations to his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The proposed transfer is in the Bureau of Highways, from No. 1727, Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order, to No. 1731, Fuel. It is stated by the President that there has been unusual activity during the present year in road repair and maintenance work, requiring the constant use of all the steam rollers. One roller has been in use, both day and night, and it is stated that to continue the work during the open weather additional funds are necessary for fuel for the rollers.

The budget appropriation for fuel is $1,250. The expenditures to September 1, 1911, were $538.45 on contracts and $602.86 on open market orders. In addition, open market orders have since been issued to the amount of $96. The available balance, therefore, is $12.69. It is estimated that the additional $500 will cover the coal expendtiures for the rest of the year. The President states that there is an unencumbered balance in No. 1727 permitting of the transfer.

I recommend the approval of the request by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the transfer of funds appropriated to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1911, as follows:

From

Bureau of Highways—
1727. Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order..... $500 00

To

Bureau of Highways—
1731. Fuel $500 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

$500 within the appropriation made to the President of The Bronx, for the year 1911.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, 3d Ave. and 177th St., City of New York, September 14, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for the transfer of the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), from the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1911, entitled:

Code 1727, Bureau of Highways—Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Market Order, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said President, for the same year entitled:

Code 1730, Bureau of Highways—Forage—Shoeing and Boarding Horses, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient. Respectfully,

CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 20, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 14, 1911, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested the transfer of $500 within appropriations to his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The proposed transfer is the Bureau of Highways, from No. 1727, Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Market Order, to No. 1730, Forage, Shoeing and Boarding Horses.

The allowance for No. 1730 was $4,500. The appropriation was based on an estimate of the maintenance of 20 horses. It is stated that 21 horses are maintained, and that three additional horses have been fed, stabled and taken care of otherwise for two months. It is further stated that the price of hay during the year has been higher than the estimated cost used as a basis for the appropriation.

I recommend the approval of the request by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the transfer of funds appropriated to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1911, as follows:

From

Bureau of Highways—
1727. Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order..... $500 00

To

Bureau of Highways—
1730. Forage, Shoeing and Boarding Horses..... $500 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

$200 within the appropriation made to the Department of Bridges, for the year 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

Gentlemen—I have to request a transfer within the Budget Appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911 as follows:

From

General Administration—
77. Contingencies $200 00
The amount being in excess of requirement.

To

74. Purchase of Furniture and Fittings..... $200 00
The amount therefor being insufficient.

This request is made that we may purchase clothes lockers and sanitary desks.

Respectfully, ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner

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

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 12, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested the transfer of $200 within appropriations to his department for 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The debit transfer is from General Administration, No. 77, Contingencies. The credit transfer is to General Administration, No. 74, Purchase of Furniture and Fittings. The unencumbered balances in Nos. 77 and 74 are $809.44 and $113.39, respectively. The appropriations for No. 74 was $400.

The request is based upon the following estimate of furniture stated to be necessary:

1 Desk, Commissioner's office	$59 00
1 Chair, Commissioner's office	14 00
2 Desks, Office of Chief Clerk	47 00
1 Metal clothes closet, office of Chief Clerk	25 00
1 Rug, Secretary's office	30 00
2 Chairs, Secretary's office	30 00
1 Metal filing cabinet, office of Consulting Engineer	50 00
	$255 00

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.
Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves transfer of funds appropriated to the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, as follows:

From

General Administration—
77. Contingencies $200 00

To

General Administration—
74. Purchase of Furniture and Fittings..... $200 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Acting President of the Borough of Queens requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, that the request of said Acting Borough President for the transfer of $2,118.32 from Account No. 1866 to Account No. 1870 within the appropriation for the year 1911 be denied:

Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, The City of New York, Long Island City, August 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, City of New York,* New York:

Dear Sir—Confirming ours of July 24, 1911, in reply to yours of June 23, 1911 (Audit—PLK-H, CSH) Re final disposition of garbage in Fifth Ward, Borough of Queens, we beg to inform you that in accordance with suggestions contained therein open market orders approximating $2,160 were issued to the New York Sanitary Utilization Company to do this work pending the consummation of the contract, which, after three public lettings, was finally awarded to the same Company to whom the open market orders were issued.

It now becomes necessary to request your office to take the necessary measures to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for a Resolution of Authority to transfer $2,118.32 from Fund 1866 "Special Contract Obligations" to replenish Fund 1870 "Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., including Care and Storage" in the same amount, and against which fund our open market orders were drawn.

Your early attention is requested, as we have received bills which cannot be transmitted to your Department until this transfer is authorized.

Very truly yours,
WALTER H. BUNN, Commissioner of Public Works, and Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On August 19, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens requested the transfer of $2,118.32 within appropriations for the Bureau of Street Cleaning in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The proposed transfer is from No. 1866, Special Contract Obligations, to No. 1870, Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, Etc., Including Care and Storage. Pending the awarding of a contract for the final disposition of garbage in the Fifth Ward, Borough of Queens, it became necessary to issue open market orders for the work to the New York Sanitary Utilization Company in the amount of $2,118.32. After three public lettings, the contract was finally awarded to the company. These open market orders were drawn against Account No. 1870, and it is now requested that the account be replenished by transfer from No. 1866.

The open market orders in this case were in the nature of special contract obligations, and as such should have been charged against Account No. 1866, Special Contract Obligations. There is no theory on which the cost of final disposition of garbage can be properly charged to Account No. 1870, Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, Etc., Including Care and Storage. I am informed that the open market orders were drawn against No. 1870 as the result of an error on the part of a Clerk. There is no necessity for this requested transfer, and, if it were made, it would simply mean the taking of money from the account against which the open market orders were properly chargeable and the putting of it in an account against which the open market orders could not properly be charged. The mistake of the Clerk in charging against the wrong account should be corrected by proper entries in the books of the department.

I recommend that the request of the President be denied. Respectfully,
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the request of the President of the Borough of Queens, as set forth in a communication dated August 19, 1911, for the transfer of two thousand one hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty-two cents ($2,118.32), from the account No. 1866, Special Contract Obligations, to the account entitled 1780, Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., Including Care and Storage, be and the same is hereby denied.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the Comptroller to the President of the Borough of Queens.

The Secretary presented the following communications (2) from the Comptroller relative to issues of corporate stock for the following purposes:

A—$6,372 for payment of bill of Henry T. Dykman for legal services as Special Counsel, and of the Mount Pleasant Company for publishing notices, in the matter of the acquisition of certain land in the Village of Mount Kisco for the protection of the water supply of The City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, City of New Yorrk, September 20, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I have been advised by the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that the following bills of costs and expenses, viz.:

Henry T. Dykman, for legal services rendered as Special Counsel.....	$6,000 00
Henry T. Dykman, for legal services rendered as Special Counsel.....	350 00
Mount Pleasant Compass, for publishing notices.....	22 00
Total	$6,372 00

—have been taxed by Justices of the Supreme Court, under dates of August 10 and August 17, 1911, in favor of the above-mentioned persons, in the matter of the application and petition of The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to acquire certain land in the Village of Mount Kisco, Westchester County, for and on behalf of the City of New York, for the purpose of carrying into effect an agreement made by the said Commissioner, executed February 18, 1908, with the Village of Mount Kisco, for the purpose of protecting the Water Supply of The City of New York from pollution.

The Corporation Counsel, under dates of August 7 and Septembe 5, 1911, has advised that these costs and expenses have been properly taxed and should be paid.

To provide means for the payment of these obligations, corporate stock should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of chapter 428 of the Laws of 1907.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of chapter 428 of the Laws of 1907, and the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding six thousand, three hundred and seventy-two dollars ($6,372), the aggregate amount of the bills of costs and expenses, as taxed by Justices of the Supreme Court, under dates of August 10 and 17, 1911, in favor of Henry T. Dykman, for legal services rendered as Special Counsel, and the Mount Pleasant Compass, for publishing notices, in the matter of the application and petition of The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to acquire certain land in the Village of Mount Kisco, Westchester County, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the purpose of carrying into effect an agreement made by the said Commissioners, executed February 18, 1908, with the Village of Mount Kisco, for the purpose of protecting the water supply of The City of New York from pollution, and for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding six thousand, three hundred and seventy-two dollars ($6,372), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

B—$17,500 for payment of bill of costs taxed in favor of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the matter of the acquisition of certain real estate in Putnam County, New York, for the purpose of a dam and reservoir on the Croton River, etc.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, City of New York, September 20, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I have been advised by the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that a bill of costs and expenses has been taxed by Mr. Justice Keogh, under date of July 25, 1911, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, held in and for the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in favor of William Church Osborn, John Quinn and William M. Benjamin, Commissioners of Appraisal, in the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring certain real estate in the Towns of Carmel and South East, Putnam County, New York, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and the Laws amendatory thereof, for the purpose of a dam and reservoir on the Croton River, and for the purpose of supplying The City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water, in re Croton Falls Dam and Reservoir, "Reservoir K," at the sum of seventeen thousand, five hundred dollars ($17,500).

I have been advised by the Corporation Counsel, under date of August 21, 1911, that this order has been properly entered and that its provisions should be complied with.

To provide means for the payment of these obligations, corporate stock should be issued, in conformity with the requirements of section 32 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted. Respectfully,
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seventeen thousand, five hundred dollars ($17,500), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the payment of the bill of costs taxed in favor of William Church Osborn, John Quinn and William M. Benjamin, Commissioners of Appraisal, in the matter of the application of The City of New York to acquire certain real estate in the Towns of Carmel and South East, Putnam County, New York, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and the laws amendatory thereof, for the purpose of a dam and reservoir, on the Croton River, and for the purpose of Supplying The City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water, in re Croton Falls dam and reservoir, "Reservoir K," as taxed, by an order of the Supreme Court, held in and for the County of Westchester, at White Plains, dated July 25, 1911.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented communications relative to the establishment of new positions and additional grades of positions, as follows:

From the President of the Borough of Queens, requesting the establishment of various grades of positions recommended in the departmental estimate for the budget for the year 1912;

From the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, requesting the establishment for the position of Sanitary Engineer with salary at the rate of $5,000 per annum;

From the Chief City Magistrate, First Division, requesting the establishment of various grades of positions recommended in the departmental estimate for the budget for the year 1912;

From the Court Hamilton Board of Trade of Brooklyn, requesting that the increases in compensation petitioned for by the Firemen of The City of New York be granted;

From a committee of the Matrons of the Police Department relative to increasing the compensation for said position;

From the President of the Board of Inebriety, requesting the establishment of the position of Secretary with salary at the rate of $1,500 per annum for one incumbent;

—and resolutions of the Board of Aldermen as follows:

Requesting the establishment of the position of Deputy City Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn at $4,000 per annum;

Requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Confidential Messenger to the County Clerk of Kings County, and

Requesting that the compensation of the boilermakers in the Department of Docks and Ferries be fixed at $4.50 a day.

Which were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Secretary presented communications as follows:

From the President of the Borough of The Bronx urging the immediate appropriation of $8,000 for the reconstruction of sewers in Westchester, Third and Brook avenues, The Bronx;

From the Public Service Commission requesting the authorization of corporate stock to meet the requirements of extra work under contracts with the Bradley Contracting Company, as follows:

$22,242.89 for the construction of section 9-O-4 of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Loop Lines.

$15,105.37 for the construction of section 9-O-5 of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Loop Lines.

(The above requisition to be substituted for the requisition submitted to the Board on September 21, 1911, and referred to the Corporate Stock Budget Committee.)

Which were referred to the Corporate Stock Budget Committee, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Secretary presented communications as follows:

From the Board of Water Supply requesting approval of the purchase for $350 of an easement under Parcel 47, Section 1, City Aqueduct;

From the President of the Borough of Manhattan requesting authority to charge the cost of repaving Pell street, from the Bowery to Mott street, to the repaving bond fund.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, the modification of Salary Schedules 1714, 1734 and 1748 (budgetary part allowances) supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911, for the office of said Borough President, by transferring the sum of $2,500 from accounts Nos. 1734 and 1748 to Account No. 1714:

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third Avenue and 177th Street, Office of the President, September 14, 1911.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby respectfully made for the transfer of the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) from the appropriations made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1911, entitled, and as follows:

Code 1734—Salaries:	
Engineering Division, Regular Force, Bureau of Highways	$500
Code 1748—Salaries:	
Engineering Division, Regular Force, Bureau of Sewers	2,000
	$2,500

—the same being in excess of the purposes required to the appropriation to the said President for same year, entitled:

Code 1714—Salaries: Division of Design, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient. Respectfully,

CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 14, 1911, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested transfers in the sum of $2,500 within budgetary part appropriations to his office for 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The proposed transfers are for $500, from the Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Regular Force, No. 1734, Salaries, and $2,000 from the Bureau of Sewers, Engineering Division, Regular Force, Preliminary Surveys, Estimates, Etc., No. 1748, Salaries, to the Division of Design, No. 1714, Salaries.

The appropriations in the three accounts were made for engineering work on public improvements, in part chargeable to budget funds and the balance to corporate stock, assessment, or other funds. In a reorganization last year of the engineering forces of the department, the Division of Design was established for the purpose of centralizing certain features of the technical work of projected and actual improvements. The allowance of $10,100 for the division in the 1911 budget was proportionate to the total cost of each of the engineering divisions in the Bureau of Sewers and Highways. It now appears that the proportionate cost has been higher for the Division of Design than for the two other divisions. The expenditures for payrolls in the Division of Design to August 31, 1911, were as follows:

January	$844 77
February	772 55
March	1,014 10
April	1,220 84
May	1,071 17
June	1,040 44
July	1,074 17
August	961 07
	$7,999 11

The balance available in the account, therefore, is $2,100.89. It is estimated that the charges for the remaining four months will be $4,400, giving an approximate deficiency of $2,300.

The budgetary part appropriation for Division of Engineering in the Bureau of Highways was $28,000. The disbursements for payrolls to August 31, 1911, amounted to $17,163.45, leaving an available balance of $10,836.55. It is estimated that the expenditures for the rest of the year will not exceed $10,000, leaving an unencumbered balance of $836.55, against the proposed transfer of the $500 to the Division of Design.

The budgetary part appropriation for the Engineering Division in the Bureau of Sewers was $20,000. The payroll disbursements to August 31, 1911, were $10,386.41, leaving an available balance for the rest of the year of $9,613.59. It is estimated that the charges to December 31 will be $7,000. This would leave an unencumbered balance of $2,613.59, from which it is proposed to transfer the $2,000 to the Division of Design.

I recommend the approval of the request by the adoption of the attached resolution. Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1911, as follows:

Bureau of Highways—Engineering Division, Regular Force—

1734.	Salaries:		
	Principal Assistant Engineer	1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	3,000 00
	Assistant Engineers	5 at	2,500 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,250 00
	Assistant Engineers	3 at	2,100 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,950 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,650 00
	Transitman	1 at	1,800 00
	Transitmen	2 at	1,650 00
	Transitmen	5 at	1,500 00
	Transitmen and Computers	2 at	1,650 00
	Levelers	5 at	1,500 00
	Topographical Draftsman	1 at	1,200 00
	Rodmen	7 at	1,350 00
	Rodmen	7 at	1,200 00
	Rodmen	2 at	1,050 00
	Chainmen and Rodmen	2 at	1,200 00
	Axemen	3 at	1,050 00
	Axemen	3 at	900 00
	Inspector of Cement Tests	1 at	1,350 00
	Clerks	2 at	1,350 00
	Clerk	1 at	300 00
	Typewriter Copyist	1 at	1,200 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,050 00
	Budgetary part allowance, $27,500.		
	Division of Design—		
1714.	Salaries:		
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	3,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,400 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,100 00
	Structural Steel Draftsmen	5 at	1,800 00
	Topographical Draftsmen	3 at	1,800 00
	Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,650 00
	Topographical Draftsmen	7 at	1,500 00
	Mechanical Draftsmen	3 at	1,800 00
	Mechanical Draftsman	1 at	1,650 00
	Leveler	1 at	1,500 00
	Clerk	1 at	600 00
	Clerk	1 at	300 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,200 00
	Budgetary part allowance, $12,600.		
	Bureau of Sewers, Engineering Division, Regular Force (Preliminary Surveys, Estimates, etc.)—		
1748.	Salaries:		
	Principal Assistant Engineer	1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	3,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,700 00
	Assistant Engineers	3 at	2,500 00
	Assistant Engineers	2 at	2,400 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,950 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,800 00
	Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,650 00
	Transitmen	2 at	1,800 00
	Transitman	1 at	1,650 00
	Transitmen	2 at	1,500 00
	Transitman and Computer	1 at	1,500 00
	Leveler	1 at	1,500 00
	Rodmen	3 at	1,350 00
	Rodmen	6 at	1,200 00
	Chainman and Rodman	1 at	1,350 00
	Chainman and Rodman	2 at	1,200 00
	Axeman	1 at	1,050 00
	Axemen	2 at	900 00
	Inspector of Cement Tests	1 at	1,350 00
	Budgetary part allowance, $18,000.		

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the transfers of funds appropriated to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1911, as follows:

From

Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Regular Force—	
1734. Salaries	$500 00
Bureau of Sewers, Engineering Division, Regular Force—	
1748. Salaries	$2,000 00

To

Division of Design—	
1714. Salaries	$2,500 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Department of Bridges requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, the modification of Salary Schedules Nos. 78, 103, 125, 136, supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911 for said Department, providing for the addition of two Bridge Keepers at $1,095 each per annum and the elimination of two positions of Bridge Keeper at $1,095 and $900 per annum, respectively, involving the transfer of $322.50, said modification to take effect October 1, 1911:

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., September 8, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

Gentlemen—I have to request a modification of the schedule supporting the Budget Appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, effective as of October 1, 1911, involving a transfer of $1,095, as follows:

	Queensboro Bridge—	
125.	Salaries—Drop Line Item:	
	Bridgekeeper	$1,095 00
	Bridges over the Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan—	
78.	Salaries—Drop Line Item:	
	Bridgekeepers, 6 at $900	$5,400 00
	Add Line Items:	
	Bridgekeeper, 1 at $1,095	1,095 00
	Bridgekeepers, 5 at $900	4,500 00

The necessary cash transfers are:

From

Queensboro Bridge—	
125—Salaries	273 75

To

Bridges over the Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan—	
78—Salaries	273 75

This request is necessary to provide a position for a veteran of the Civil War, formerly employed in the Toll Division of this Department, recently abolished.

Copy of revised schedules herewith. Respectfully,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., September 8, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

Gentlemen—I have to request a modification of the schedule supporting the Budget Appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, effective as of October 1, 1911, involving a transfer of $1,095, as follows:

	Manhattan Bridge—	
136.	Salaries—Drop Line Item:	
	Bridgekeeper, at	$1,095 00
	Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
103.	Salaries—Drop Line Item:	
	Bridgekeeper, at	1,095 00

The necessary cash transfers are:

From

Manhattan Bridge—	
136. Salaries:	273 75
Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
103—Salaries:	273 75

This request is necessary to provide for a veteran of the Civil War, formerly employed in the Toll Division of this Department, recently abolished.

Copy of revised schedules herewith. Respectfully,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

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

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 8, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of four salary schedules in his department for 1911, with transfers aggregating $322.50. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

In No. 78, Bridges Over the Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan, it is proposed to add a Bridgekeeper at $1,095 per annum and drop one at $900.

In No. 103, Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond, it is proposed to add a Bridgekeeper at $1,095.

In No. 125, Queensboro Bridge, and No. 136, Manhattan Bridge, respectively, a Bridgekeeper at $1,095 is dropped to provide for the two employees added in Nos. 78 and 103.

The Commissioner states that the changes are necessary to provide positions for two Civil War veterans, formerly employed in the Toll Division. The division was recently abolished, and it is requested that the new schedules be effective as of October 1, 1911.

Approval of the modification will require the addition of $900 to an unassigned balance in No. 125, reducing the requested debit transfer from that account to $48.75.

The necessary schedule and cash transfers, in detail, are as follows:

Account No.	Line Item.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
78.	Bridgekeepers, 6 at $900	$900 00	.....	$225 00	.....
	Bridgekeeper, at $1,095	.....	$1,095 00	.....	$273 75
103.	Bridgekeeper, at $1,095	.....	1,095 00	.....	273 75
125.	Bridgekeeper, at $1,095	1,095 00	.....	273 75	.....
136.	Unassigned balance	.....	900 00	.....	225 00
136.	Bridgekeeper, at $1,095	1,095 00	.....	273 75	.....
		$3,090 00	$3,090 00	$772 50	$772 50

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolutions approving the request.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of schedules, as revised, for the Department of Bridges, for the year 1911, to be effective as of October 1, 1911, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

Bridges Over the Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan—

78.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer	$5,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	2,400 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Messenger	1,200 00
	Bridge Keepers, 5 at $900	4,500 00
	Bridge Keeper	1,095 00
		$15,695 00

Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—

103.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer	$3,500 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Bridge Keeper	1,095 00
	Bridge Keepers, 7 at $900	6,300 00
		$12,395 00

Queensboro Bridge—

125.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer	$5,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	3,500 00
	Transitman	1,800 00
	Storekeeper	1,200 00
	Structural Steel Draftsman	1,800 00
	Steel Inspectors, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	900 00
	Messenger	1,200 00
	Telephone Operator	750 00
	Unassigned	5,160 00
		$26,110 00

Manhattan Bridge—

136.	Salaries:	
	Steel Inspector	$1,650 00
	Unassigned	3,960 00
		$5,610 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

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The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the transfer of funds appropriated to the Department of Bridges, for the year 1911, as follows:

From

	Queensboro Bridge—	
125.	Salaries	48 75
	Manhattan Bridge—	
136.	Salaries	273 75

To

	Bridges Over the Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan—	
78.	Salaries	$48 75
	Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
103.	Salaries	273 75

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

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The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Bridges requesting, and report of the Comptroller relative to, the modification of Salary Schedules Nos. 91 and 104, supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911, for said Department, providing for an increase in salary of a Foreman Riveter from $1,800 to $2,100 per annum, involving the transfer of $100:

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., September 6, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York:

Gentlemen—I have to request a modification of the schedules supporting the Budget Appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, effective as of September 1, 1911, involving a transfer of $300, as follows:

	Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens—	
91.	Wages, Regular Employees—Drop Line Item:	
	Unassigned	$600 00
	Unassigned	300 00
	Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
104.	Wages—Regular Employees—Drop Line Item:	
	Foreman Riveter	$1,800 00
	Add Line Item:	
	Foreman Riveter	2,100 00

The necessary cash transfers are:

From

	Bridges Over Newtown Creek, and in the Borough of Queens—	
91.	Wages, Regular Employees	$100 00

To

	Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
104.	Wages—Regular Employees	100 00

This request is made so that the salary of a Foreman Riveter may be equalized with that of men holding similar positions in other divisions of this Department.

Copy of revised schedule herewith. Respectfully,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

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

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 6, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of two schedules for wages of regular employees in his Department for 1911 involving a cash transfer of $100. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to transfer $300 from an unassigned balance of $600 in No. 91, Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens, to No. 104, Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond, to provide for an increase for a Foreman Riveter from $1,800 to $2,100 per annum.

The position of Foreman Riveter, at the $2,100 rate was established for seven incumbents, on May 2, 1911, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. This establishment makes possible the increase.

The employee proposed for promotion is John Killans, who entered the service of the Department on March 1, 1881, as Foreman Riveter on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge. The Commissioner's representative states that Mr. Killans was paid at hourly rates, equivalent to $3.50 to $4.50 per diem, from 1881 to 1899, when his compensation was fixed at $1,700 per annum, and that in 1899 he was increased to the present rate. In February, 1906, he was transferred to the Bridges in the Borough of Brooklyn Division.

The necessary schedule and cash transfers, in detail, are as follows:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
91.	Unassigned	$300 00	.....	$100 00	.....
104.	Foreman Riveter, 1 at $1,800	1,800 00	.....	600 00	.....
	Foreman Riveter at $2,100	.....	$2,100 00	.....	$700 00
		$2,100 00	$2,100 00	$700 00	$700 00

The attached resolutions, if adopted, will grant the request.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of schedules, as revised, for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, to be effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

Bridges Over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens—

91.	Wages, Regular Employees:	
	General Foreman	$2,000 00
	Foreman Painter and Rigger	1,800 00
	Bridge Keepers, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
	Bridge Tenders, 53 at $900	47,700 00
	Engineman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
	Machinists, 2 at 4.50 per day (365 days)	3,285 00
	Machinist, 1 at $4,50 per day (303 days)	1,363 50
	Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, 2 at $4.80 per day (303 days)	2,908 80
	Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, 3 at $4.80 per day (277 days)	3,988 80
	Assistant Foreman Carpenter, 1 at $5 per day (277 days)	1,385 00
	Carpenter, 1 at $5 per day (277 days)	1,385 00
	Ship Carpenters, 3 at $5 per day (277 days)	4,155 00
	Painters, 5 at $4 per day (277 days)	5,540 00
	Wireman, 1 at $4,50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
	Machinist's Helper, 1 at $3 per day (277 days)	831 00
	Laborers, 2 at $3 per day (313 days)	1,878 00
	Laborers, 3 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	2,737 50
	Unassigned	300 00
		$90,542 60

Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—

104.	Wages, Regular Employees:	
	General Foreman	$2,000 00
	Foreman Riveter	2,100 00
	Bridge Keepers, 9 at $1,200	10,800 00
	Bridge Keeper	1,095 00
	Bridge Keeper	900 00
	Bridge Keeper	600 00
	Bridge Tenders, 33 at $900	29,700 00
	Bridge Tender	600 00
	Engineman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
	Oiler, 1 at $3 per day (365 days)	1,095 00
	Wireman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
	Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, 2 at $4.80 per day (277 days)	2,659 20
	Laborer, 1 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	912 50
		$55,746 70

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

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The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 237 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the transfer of funds appropriated to the Department of Bridges for the year 1911 as follows:

From

	Bridges Over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens—	
91.	Wages, Regular Employees	$100 00

To

	Bridges in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—	
104.	Wages, Regular Employees	$100 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

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The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Bridges requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, approval of the revision of schedules of salaries and wages for regular employees attached to the New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division and the Williamsburg Bridge Division, to be effective as of September 14, 1911, providing for the dropping of twenty-nine employees formerly employed in the Toll Division of the Department, for the addition of one Riveter and additional Watchmen and Attendants;

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

Sir—I have to request a modification of the schedules of Salaries and Wages, Regular Employees, Williamsburg Bridge Division of the Department of Bridges for

the year 1911, which schedule was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 30, 1911, effective as of September 14, 1911, as follows:

From Salaries, drop line items reading:

Bridge Keepers, 11 at	$1,095 00
Bridge Keepers, 5 at	900 00
Bridge Tender, 1 at	900 00

From Wages, Regular Employees, drop line items reading:

Attendants (365 days), at per day	$2 50
Watchmen (365 days), at per day	2 50

To Salaries, add line items reading:

Bridge Keepers, 1 at	$1,095 00

To Wages, Regular Employees, add line items reading:

Attendants (365 days), 15 at per day	$2 50
Watchman (365 days), 7 at per day	2 50

This request is made necessary so that the various comfort stations may be fully manned at all times of the day and night and that the property and shops of this Division may be properly protected.

Copy of revised schedules herewith. Respectfully,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., September 15, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, The City of New York,* 280 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—I have to request a modification of the schedules of Wages, Regular Employees, New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division of the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, which schedule was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 1, 1911, effective as of October 1, 1911, as follows:

From Wages, Regular Employees, drop line items reading:

Riveters (276 days), 32 at a day	$5 00
Riggers (276 days), 5 at a day	3 75

Add line items to read:

Riveters (276 days), 33 at a day	$5 00
Riggers (276 days), 3 at a day	3 75

This request is made so that an additional Riveter may be appointed, the service of whom is urgently needed. The two Riggers dropped are not required.

Copy of revised schedule herewith. Respectfully,

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 8 and 15, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of four 1911 schedules for regular employees, in his Department, attached to the New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division and the Williamsburgh Bridge Division. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division.

In Salaries, nine Bridgekeepers, at $1,095 per annum, and four Bridgekeepers at $900, are dropped. In Wages, Regular Employees, two Riggers at $3.75 for 276 days are dropped, and seven Watchmen at $2.50 for 365 days, and one Riveter at $5 for 276 days, are added.

Williamsburgh Bridge Division.

In Salaries, ten Bridgekeepers at $1,095, five Bridgekeepers at $900 and one Bridgetender at $900 are dropped. In Wages, Regular Employees, nine Attendants at $2.50 for 365 days, and two Watchmen at $2.50 for 365 days are added.

The twenty-nine employees dropped from the two salary schedules were formerly employed in the Toll Division of the Department. The recent action of the Board of Aldermen in abolishing all vehicular tolls on bridges over the East River makes the service of these employees as Ticket Sellers and Ticket Collectors no longer necessary.

The Commissioner states that the additional Riveter is urgently needed, and that the additional Watchman and Attendants are necesssary so that the various comfort stations may be fully manned at all times of the day and night and that the property and shops of the two divisions may be properly protected.

No transfer of funds is requested at this time, the two bridges being maintained from their revenues. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has no jurisdiction over the revenue of the Williamsburgh Bridge.

Under the provisions of section 242 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment appropriates from time to time from the revenues of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge the amounts considered necessary for its maintenance. If later in the year it should be found necessary to replenish the appropriation already made for Wages, Regular Employees, the amount, it is stated, can then be transferred from the appropriation for Salaries.

The line item changes in detail are as follows:

Schedule Title and Line Items.	Schedule Transfers. Decrease.	Increase.
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division—		
Salaries:		
Bridge Keepers, 10 at $1,095	$9,855 00	.....
Bridge Keepers, 5 at $900	3,600 00	.....
Wages, Regular Employees:		
Riggers, 5 at $3.75 per day (276 days)	2,070 00	.....
Riveters, 32 at $5 per day (276 days)	.....	$1,380 00
Watchmen, 7 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	.....	6,387 50
Williamsburg Bridge Division—		
Salaries:		
Bridge Keepers, 11 at $1,095	10,950 00	.....
Bridge Keepers, 5 at $900	4,500 00	.....
Bridge Tender, 1 at $900	900 00	.....
Wages, Regular Employees:		
Attendants, 6 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	.....	8,212 50
Watchmen, 5 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	.....	1,825 00
	$31,875 00	$17,805 00

The changes will give a net saving in the annual payroll cost of the two bridges of $14,070.

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

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of schedules, as revised, for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, to be effective as of September 14, 1911, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division—

Salaries:		
Asssistant Engineer	1 at	$5,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,700 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,800 00
Draftsman	1 at	1,800 00
Rodman	1 at	1,050 00
Chief Clerk	1 at	3,000 00
Clerk	1 at	2,250 00
Clerk	1 at	1,050 00
Clerk	1 at	360 00
Typewriting Copyist	1 at	900 00
Telephone Operator	1 at	750 00
Storekeeper	1 at	1,200 00
Bridge Keepers	1 at	1,095 00
Bridge Keepers	1 at	900 00
Wages, Regular Employees:		
Master Mechanic	1 at	2,400 00
Superintendent of Electric Lights	1 at	2,200 00
Foreman Carpenter	1 at	2,400 00
Foreman Carpenter	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foreman Carpenter	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Lineman	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Brick Mason	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	2,100 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Bridge Mechanic	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Painter	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Painters	2 at	1,500 00
Foreman Blacksmith	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	2,150 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foreman Laborer	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foremen	2 at	1,500 00
Riveters	33 at	$5.00 a day (276 days)
Housesmiths	3 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Bridge Mechanic	1 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Stonecutters	3 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Brick Masons (Layers)	4 at	5.60 a day (276 days)
Carpenters	16 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Ship Carpenters	2 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Riggers	3 at	3.75 a day (276 days)
Machinists	10 at	4.50 a day (276 days)
Machinists	4 at	4.50 a day (302 days)
Stokers	2 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Oilers	2 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Machinists' Helpers	4 at	3,00 a day (276 days)
Blacksmiths	3 at	4.50 a day (276 days)
Blacksmiths' Helpers	5 at	3.00 a day (276 days)
Wiremen	11 at	4.50 a day (302 days)
Stationary Engineers	4 at	4.50 a day (365 days)
Stationary Engineer	1 at	4.50 a day (312 days)
Fireman	1 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Mason's Helper	1 at	3.00 a day (276 days)
Painters and Bridge Painters	19 at	4.00 a day (276 days)
Drivers	8 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Watchmen	2 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Watchmen	14 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Attendants	6 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Laborer	1 at	3.50 a day (302 days)
Laborers	7 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Laborers	4 at	3.00 a day (276 days)
Laborers	4 at	2.75 a day (365 days)
Laborers	61 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Williamsburgh Bridge Divisison—		
Salaries:		
Assistant Engineer	1 at	$5,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,100 00
Clerk	1 at	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,200 00
Messenger	1 at	1,200 00
Telephone Operator	1 at	750 00
Transitman	1 at	1,800 00
Rodman	1 at	1,200 00
Axeman	1 at	900 00
Steel Inspectors	2 at	1,650 00
Draftsman	1 at	1,800 00
Storekeeper	1 at	1,200 00
Bridgekeeper	1 at	1,095 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	2,400 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	2,150 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	1,200 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	2,100 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Carpenters	2 at	1,500 00
Foreman Painters	3 at	1,500 00
Foreman Brick Mason	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Linemen	2 at	1,500 00
Riveters	27 at	$5.00 a day (276 days)
Stonecutter	1 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Riggers	2 at	3.75 a day (276 days)
Housesmiths	2 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Bridge Mechanics	2 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Blacksmiths	2 at	4.50 a day (276 days)
Ship Carpenter	1 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Carpenters	10 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Wiremen	4 at	4.50 a day (365 days)
Wiremen	4 at	4.50 a day (276 days)
Inspectors of Electric Lighting and Conductors	2 at	4.50 a day (365 days)
Inspector of Masonry	1 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Pavers	6 at	5.00 a day (276 days)
Rammers	2 at	4.00 a day (276 days)
Blacksmith's Helper	1 at	$25 a week (52 weeks)
Blacksmiths' Helpers	2 at	3.00 a day (276 days)
Decorator	1 at	4.50 a day (276 days)
Painters and Bridge Painters	35 at	4.00 a day (276 days)
Watchmen	7 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Cleaners	3 at	2.00 a day (365 days)
Attendants	15 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Laborers	4 at	3.00 a day (365 days)
Laborers	2 at	3.00 a day (312 days)
Laborers	12 at	2.50 a day (365 days)
Laborers	23 at	2.50 a day (312 days)
Brick Mason (Layer)	1 at	5.60 a day (276 days)

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Department of Parks, Borough of the Bronx, requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, approval of schedules of salaries and wages for corporate stock funds of said Department for the year 1911, to take effect September 15, 1911:

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, September 14, 1911

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* 280 Broadway, Manhattan, N. Y.:

Sir—Kindly submit to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for their approval the following schedule of Salaries and Wages on Corporate Stock Funds:

C. D. P. 341.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, Construction of Driveway between Grand Boulevard and Mosholu Parkway—

Foreman, 3 months at, per diem	$1,200 00
Laborers, 1,680 days at, per diem	2 50
Bricklayer, 20 days at, per diem	5 60
Paver, 20 days at, per diem	5 00
Rammer, 20 days at, per diem	4 00
Engineman, 16 days at, per diem	4 50
Stokers, 40 days at, per diem	3 00
Double Teams, 160 days at, per diem	5 00

Yours very truly,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Office of Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, September 15, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, 280 Broadway, Manhattan, N. Y.:

Sir—Kindly submit to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for their approval the following schedule of salaries and wages on Corporate Stock Funds:

C. D. P. 308 B.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, Improving Southerly Portion of St. Mary's Park—

Foreman, 4 months at, per annum	$1,200 00
Gardeners, 6 months at, per annum	900 00
Laborers, 2,000 days at, per diem	2 50
Blaster, 50 days at, per diem	4 00
Engineman, 90 days at, per diem	4 50
Stoker, 110 days at, per diem	3 00
Bricklayer, 10 days at, per diem	5 60
Double Teams, 200 days at, per diem	5 00
Horses and Carts, 80 days at, per diem	3 00

C. D. P. 312 F.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx. Water Supply System, for Nursery, Van Cortlandt Park—

Foreman, 2 months at, per annum	$1,200 00
Laborers, 1,440 days at, per diem	2 50
Plumber, 50 days at, per diem	5 50
Double Teams, 20 days at, per diem	5 00

C. D. P. 340 A.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, Purchase of Trees, Shrubs, etc.—

Gardener, 1 month at, per annum	$1,200 00
Gardeners, 3 months at, per annum	900 00
Laborers, 220 days at, per diem	2 50
Double Team, 10 days at, per diem	5 00

C. D. P. 339.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, General Improvement of Echo Park—

Foreman, 4 months at, per annum	$1,200 00
Gardeners, 4 months at, per annum	900 00
Laborers, 1,800 days at, per diem	2 50
Blaster, 20 days at, per diem	4 00
Double Teams, 300 days at, per diem	5 00
Horses and Carts, 120 days at, per diem	3 00

Yours very truly,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to requests of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, under dates of September 14 and 15, 1911, for approval of schedules for salaries and wages for corporate stock funds, I report as follows:

The schedules are for employees to start work on five improvements that require earth and rock excavation. It is stated that this necessitates the beginning of the work before the frost sets in, and will enable the Commissioner to complete the improvements during the winter months.

Appropriations for the various improvements were made in the 1911 Corporate Stock Budget. The sums appropriated and the amounts represented by the proposed schedules are as follows:

		Appropriations.	Schedule Totals.
C-DP-308B.	Improving southerly portion of St. Mary's Park	$10,000 00	$8,081 00
C-DP-312F.	Water Supply System for Nursery, Van Cortlandt Park	5,000 00	4,175 00
C-DP-340A.	Purchase of Trees, Shrubs, etc., and Planting Same	5,000 00	925 00
C-DP-329.	General Improvement of Echo Park	8,000 00	7,140 00
C-DP-341.	Construction of Driveway between Grand boulevard and Mosholu Parkway	8,000 00	5,784 00

The Commissioner states that no increase in compensation is involved, and that all the rates are those now paid in the Department. He also states that the schedules are based upon an estimate submitted to him by the Chief Engineer of the Department.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedules for salaries and wages paid from other than Budget appropriation in the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 15, 1911, as follows:

Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

C-DP-308B—Improvement of Southerly Portion of St. Mary's Park—

Foreman, at $1,200 per annum (4 months)	$400 00
Gardeners, at $900 per annum (6 months)	450 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (2,000 days)	5,000 00
Blaster, at $4 per diem (50 days)	200 00
Engineman, at $4.50 per diem (90 days)	405 00
Stoker, at $3 per diem (110 days)	330 00
Bricklayer, at $5.60 per diem (10 days)	56 00
Double Teams, at $5 per diem (200 days)	1,000 00
Horses and Carts, at $3 per diem (80 days)	240 00

C-DP-312F.—Water Supply System for Nursery, Van Cortlandt Park—

Foreman, at $1,200 per annum (2 months)	$200 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (1,440 days)	3,600 00
Plumber, at $5.50 per diem (50 days)	275 00
Double Teams, at $5 per diem (20 days)	100 00

C-DP-340A.—Purchase of Trees and Shrubs, Planting and Restocking Nursery—

Gardener, at $1,200 per annum (1 month)	$100 00
Gardeners, at $900 per annum (3 months)	225 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (220 days)	550 00
Double Teams, at $5 per diem (10 days)	50 00

C-DP-339—General Improvement of Echo Park—

Foreman, at $1,200 per annum (4 months)	$400 00
Gardeners, at $900 per annum (4 months)	300 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (1,800 days)	4,500 00
Blaster, at $4 per diem (20 days)	80 00
Double Teams, at $5 per diem (300 days)	1,500 00
Horses and Carts, at $3 per diem (120 days)	360 00

C-DP-341—Construction of Connecting Driveway, Between Grand Boulevard and Mosholu Parkway—

Foreman, at $1,200 per annum (3 months)	$300 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (1,680 days)	4,200 00
Bricklayer, at $5.60 per diem (20 days)	112 00
Paver, at $5 per diem (20 days)	100 00
Rammer, at $4 per diem (20 days)	80 00
Engineman, at $4.50 per diem (16 days)	72 00
Stokers, at $3 per diem (40 days)	120 00
Double Teams, at $5 per diem (160 days)	800 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented a report of the Comptroller returning for filing report of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, in compliance with resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 13, 1911, requesting additional information in regard to the cost of a proposed lagoon in Dyker Beach Park, Brooklyn, stating that there are no funds available for the work at the present time.

Which was ordered filed and the Secretary directed to transmit a copy thereof to the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of Brooklyn.

(On July 6, 1911, the report of the Commissioner of Parks, as above, was referred to the Comptroller.)

The Secretary presented reports of the Comptroller, as follows:

Certifying claim of the Brooklyn Daily "Eagle," pursuant to section 246 of the Charter, in the sum of $130.56, for the publication of certain advertisements for the Board of Water Supply;

(On September 21, 1911, the above report was laid over.)

Certifying claim of the McGraw Publishing Company, pursuant to section 246 of the Charter, in the sum of $44.80, for the publication of advertisements in the "Engineering Record" for the Board of Water Supply;

(On September 21, 1911, the above report was laid over.)

Relative to the issue of $675 special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter), the proceeds to be used by the Department of Education for the purpose of grading and improving a school site on Nostrand avenue and Sanford street, south of Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, for playground purposes.

(On June 8, 1911, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the above appropriation was referred to the Comptroller.)

(On September 21, 1911, the above report was laid over.)

Which were laid over.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning requesting, and report of the Select Committee, consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Borough of Manhattan, recommending, approval of the award of contracts for the removal of snow and ice during the winter season of 1911-1912, in the 1st, 2d and 3d Snow Removal Districts, Borough of Manhattan, in the Borough of The Bronx and in the Borough of Brooklyn to the lowest bidders:

(On September 21, 1911, the request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for approval of the award of the above contract was referred to said committee.)

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, New York, September 16, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* The City of New York:

Sir—As advertised according to law, bids were opened in this office September 7, 1911, for three contracts for removal of snow and ice, respectively, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, during the winter season of 1911-1912, as follows:

	1st Snow Removal District.	2d Snow Removal District.	3d Snow Removal District.
Borough of Manhattan.			
Celestino de Marco, per cubic yard	$0 50	$0 50	$0 49
William Bradley, per cubic yard	60	60	60
Canavan Brothers Co., per cubic yard	68	69	59
W. J. Fitzgerald, per cubic yard	..	..	50
Borough of The Bronx.			
James H. Holmes, per cubic yard			$0 51
Walton Contracting Company, per cubic yard			42
John B. Malatesta, per cubic yard			53
William H. Masterson, per cubic yard			39
Soraci Contracting Company, per cubic yard			42½
Thompson Brothers, per cubic yard			50
William F. McElroy, per cubic yard			45
Celestino de Marco, per cubic yard			47
Borough of Brooklyn.			
Newman & Carey Company, per cubic yard			$0 3799
Joseph Marrone, per cubic yard			42
James H. Holmes, per cubic yard			50½
Norton & Gorman Contracting Company, per cubic yard			47½
Donlon Contracting Company, per cubic yard			47

Subject to the approval of your Board, pursuant to section 544 of the Charter, I hereby award the three said contracts to the lowest bidders, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, 1st, 2d and 3d Snow Removal Districts to Celestino de Marco, at the prices, respectively, of 50, 50 and 49 cents per cubic yard.

Borough of The Bronx, to William H. Masterson, at the price of 39 cents per cubic yard.

Borough of Brooklyn, to the Newman & Carey Company, at the price of .3799 cents per cubic yard. Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

September 25, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Gentlemen—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on September 21, 1911, a communication was received from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning requesting the approval of the award of contracts for the removal of snow and ice during the winter season of 1911-1912 to the lowest bidders as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, first, second and third snow removal districts to Celestino DeMarco, at 50, 50 and 49 cents per cubic yard, respectively.

Borough of The Bronx, to William H. Masterson, at 39 cents per cubic yard.

Borough of Brooklyn, to the Newman & Carey Company, at $0.3799 per cubic yard.

This communication was referred to the Committee on Snow Removal of your Board for report.

After having examined the bids and made a careful comparison with the awards of last year, we find that the bid for the Borough of Manhattan is about one cent less than last year; the bid for the Borough of The Bronx, two cents less than last year, and the Borough of Brooklyn, 5.71 cents less than last year, and as these figures seem fair and reasonable, it is the recommendation of this Committee that the awards be approved in accordance with the request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning. Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS P. BENT, Acting President, Board of Aldermen;

GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan; Committee on Snow Removal.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 544 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the award, by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of the contracts for the removal of snow and ice in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn during the winter season of 1911 and 1912, as follows:

Bidder	District	Price per cubic yard
Borough of Manhattan.		
Celestino DeMarco	1st	$0.50
Celestino DeMarco	2nd	.50
Celestino DeMarco	3rd	.49
Borough of The Bronx.		
William H. Masterton		.39
Borough of Brooklyn.		
Newman & Carey Company		.3799

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative: The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented the following report of the committee, consisting of the Mayor and the Comptroller, to which was referred on August 31, 1911, the communication from the Corporation Counsel transmitting power of attorney, duly executed, appointing Adrian Sizer, of Washington, D. C., agent and attorney for The City of New York with power to prosecute and collect the claim of The City of New York against the United States Government for money expended by the City during the Civil War, recommending that Mr. Sizer's compensation be fixed at 15 per cent. of the amount recovered.

(On August 3, 1911, the Board adopted a resolution authorizing the employment of Adrian Sizer, to prosecute the above claim on behalf of The City of New York.)

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 27, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held August 31, 1911, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York submitted a power of attorney appointing Adrian Sizer, of Washington, D. C., as agent and attorney for The City of New York, with power to prosecute and collect the claims of The City against the United States Government, for money expended by the City in the aid of the Government in the Civil War. This power of attorney provided that Mr. Sizer's compensation should be determined by a committee consisting of the Mayor and the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Your committee has considered this matter and has agreed that a proper compensation to Mr. Sizer would be fifteen (15%) of all that he collects, the understanding being that he shall bear all the expenses of prosecuting the claims, and such expenses shall be included in his commission of fifteen per cent (15%).

We submit herewith a resolution, which, if adopted, will give the approval of this Board to our determination of the basis of compensation for Mr. Sizer.

Respectfully,

W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor; WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the determination by the Mayor and Comptroller to allow fifteen per cent. (15%) of all amounts recovered, as compensation for the services of Adrian Sizer, in prosecuting the claims of the City against the United States Government, for money expended by the City, in the aid of the Government at the time of the Civil War, provided that all expenses of prosecution of these claims shall be borne by Adrian Sizer, and shall be included in his commission of fifteen per cent. (15%).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The report of the committee, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Borough of Queens and the President of the Borough of The Bronx, to which on September 21, 1911, was referred the communication from the Columbus Day Celebration Committee, requesting an appropriation of $50,000 to defray part of the expenses of the proposed celebration, was laid over.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requesting, and report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen recommending, the establishment in said Department of the grade of position of Examiner at $4,000 per annum for one incumbent:

(On September 21, 1911, the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for the establishment of said grade was referred to the above committee.)

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan & Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, September 16, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

The City of New York:

Gentlemen—I respectfully request that you establish, under section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the grade of position of Examiner at the rate of $4,000 per annum for one incumbent, for this Department.

I am particularly anxious to secure the services of the proposed incumbent not later than November 1, 1911, and in view of that fact request that immediate action be taken by your Board. Respectfully yours,

CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 23, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, under date of September 19, 1911, requesting the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grade of position of Examiner at the rate of $4,000 per annum, we report as follows:

The Commissioner states that he proposes a reorganization of the administrative force, and also desires to install a new method of cost accounting.

For the proper supervision of this work he desires to secure the services of an Examiner who is now an employee of the City, and who is thoroughly familiar with the method.

In addition to the duties of supervising the installation of new methods and reorganization the examiner is to be placed in a supervisory capacity over the mechanical and laboring forces employed on both maintenance and corporate stock improvements.

The accounting system to be installed is that approved by the Department of Finance and Commissioners of Accounts for all city departments, and should be put in operation at the earliest possible moment.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution recommending to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade requested.

Respectfully,

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

The following resolution was offered:

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

Title.	Number of Incumbents.	Rate Per Annum.
Examiner	1	$4,000 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented a communication from the President of the School Garden Association of New York, requesting a hearing in the matter of a budgetary allowance for school gardens in the public schools.

Which was referred to the Budget Committee, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Borough of Manhattan and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller, requesting the modification of salary schedule No. 25, supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911, for the Department of Finance, providing for transfers of positions from one division to another and increases in salaries of various employees, involving the transfer of $737.50:

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 25, 1911.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made that the Budget Schedule Lines, supporting the salaries appropriations as made to the Department of Finance for the year 1911—known respectively as "Executive Division 25. Salaries," "Auditing Bureau 31. Salaries," and "Revenue: Taxes, Assessments and Arrears, Miscellaneous 32. Salaries"—be modified in order to provide for the following changes:

1. To provide for the transfer of a Typewriting Copyist with salary at $1,050 per annum from Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bronx, to the Auditing Bureau, Office of the Auditor of Receipts, as of October 1st.
2. To provide for the promotion of a Bookbinder in the Executive Division from $1,200 to $1,350 per annum, as of October 1st.
3. To provide for the transfer of a Clerk at $1,500 per annum from the Auditing Bureau to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Brooklyn.
4. For the transfer of a Bookkeeper at $1,650 per annum from the Auditing Bureau to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Brooklyn.
5. For the transfer of a Bookkeeper at $1,500 per annum from Auditing Bureau, office of the Auditor of Receipts to the Paymaster's Office, as of October 1st.
6. For the promotion of a Financial Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bronx, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum, as of October 1st.
7. For the transfer of a Financial Clerk at $1,200 per annum from the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bronx, to the Auditing Bureau, office of the Auditor of Receipts, as of October 1st, 1911.
8. For the transfer of a Clerk at $1.200 per annum from the Paymaster's Office to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bronx, taking effect as of October 1st.
9. For the transfer of a Clerk at $900 per annum from the Auditing Bureau to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bronx.
10. For the transfer of Clerk at $1,050 from the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Manhattan, to the Auditing Bureau, office of the Auditor of Receipts, as of October 1st. The $1,050 position in the Auditing Bureau is now vacant.
11. For the transfer of a Clerk at $1,800 per annum from the Auditing Bureau to the Executive Division, taking effect as of October 1st.
12. For the promotion of a Clerk in the Auditing Bureau, Expert Accountants Division, from $600 to $750 per annum, as of October 1st, 1911.
13. For the promotion of a Clerk in the Awards Division from $2,250 to $2,650 per annum, as of October 1st, 1911.
14. For abolishing one position of Searcher at $1,650 per annum, now vacant in Awards Division, and transferring a Searcher from the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Brooklyn, to the Awards Division and increasing the salary of said Searcher from $1,200 to $1,350 per annum, as of October 1st.
15. For transferring two (2) Bookkeepers, with salaries at $1,200 per annum each, from the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears to the Auditing Bureau, Office of the Auditor of Receipts, as of October 1st.
16. For the appointment of a Stenographer and Typewriter at $600 per annum in the Auditing Bureau, Expert Accountants Division, as of October 1st.
17. For the transfer of a Clerk at $1,650 per annum from the Executive Division to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Brooklyn, as of October 1st.
18. For the appointment of a Clerk (Card Indexer) at $900 per annum in the Executive Division as of October 1st.
19. For changing item "Balance Unassigned" in Auditing Bureau, Account No. 31, from $1,050 to $50.

Resolutions (2)—providing for the changes as enumerated above—are transmitted herewith for adoption.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolutions were offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the following modifications of the Schedules of Salaries supporting the appropriations made to the Department of Finance for the year 1911, entitled and as follows:

Executive Division:

25. Salaries—	
Deputy Comptrollers, 2 at $7,500	$15,000 00
Assistant Deputy Comptroller	6,000 00
Secretary to the Department	6,000 00
Clerk to the Comptroller	2,100 00
Stenographer to the Comptroller	1,500 00
Chief Stock and Bond Clerk	5,000 00
Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions	5,000 00
Appraiser of Real Estate	4,000 00
Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk (Chief)	2,800 00
Clerk	2,800 00
Clerk	2,650 00
Clerks, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerk	1,950 00
Clerks, 5 at $1,800	9,000 00
Clerks, 4 at $1,650	6,600 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerks, 4 at $1,350	5,400 00
Clerks, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Clerks, 6 at $1,050	6,300 00
Clerks, 4 at $900	3,600 00
Clerks, 6 at $750	4,500 00
Clerk	600 00
Clerks, 7 at $540	3,780 00
Clerks, 6 at $480	2,880 00
Clerks, 9 at $300	2,700 00
Searcher	1,350 00
City Paymaster	6,000 00
Deputy City Paymaster, 8 at $2,500	20,000 00
Auditor of Accounts	6,000 00
Auditor of Accounts, 2 at $4,000	8,000 00
Auditor of Accounts, 2 at $3,000	6,000 00
Deputy Auditor of Accounts	2,500 00
Examiner	5,000 00
Examiner, 2 at $2,550	5,100 00
Examiner, 5 at $2,100	10,500 00
Examiner, 4 at $1,800	7,200 00
Examiner, 4 at $1,650	6,600 00
Examiner, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
Examiner	1,200 00
Examining Inspector, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Examining Inspector, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,650 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 8 at $1,350	10,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 5 at $1,050	5,250 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Stenographer and Book Typewriter	1,050 00
Typewriting Copyist	900 00
Bank Messenger, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Messenger, 4 at $1,350	5,400 00
Messenger, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Extra Messenger	1,050 00
Telephone Operators, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00
Janitor	900 00
Watchman, 4 at $900	3,600 00
Janitress (Cleaner)	540 00

Bookkeeper	4,000 00
Bookkeeper	1,950 00
Bookkeeper	1,500 00
Bookkeeper, 3 at $1,350	4,050 00
Bookkeeper, 6 at $1,200	7,200 00
Cashier	1,800 00
Financial Clerk, 2 at $2,250	4,500 00
Financial Clerk, 5 at $1,800	9,000 00
Financial Clerk, 4 at $1,650	6,600 00
Financial Clerk, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Financial Clerk, 8 at $1,350	10,800 00
Financial Clerk, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00
Financial Clerk	1,050 00
Stock and Bond Clerk, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
Stock and Bond Clerk	1,950 00
Bookbinder	1,350 00
Bookbinder, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00
Topographical Draftsman	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsman	1,350 00
Law Clerk	2,300 00
Law Clerk	1,800 00
Law Clerk, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Medical Examiner	2,500 00
Inspector of Sewer Construction	1,500 00
Balance Unassigned	460 00
	$351,710 00

Auditing Bureau:

31. Salaries—

Auditor of Accounts	$6,000 00
Auditor of Accounts, 2 at $4,000	8,000 00
Auditor of Accounts, 3 at $3,500	10,500 00
Auditor of Accounts, 11 at $3,000	33,000 00
Auditor of Accounts	2,500 00
Deputy Auditor of Accounts, 2 at $2,500	5,000 00
Expert Accountant	4,000 00
Expert Accountant, 2 at $3,500	7,000 00
Expert Accountant, 3 at $2,500	7,500 00
Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper	6,000 00
Accountant	4,000 00
Expert Accountant, 8 at $2,100	16,800 00
Accountant, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
Accountant, 4 at $1,800	7,200 00
Accountant	1,650 00
Clerk	4,500 00
Clerk, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
Clerk, 5 at $2,100	10,500 00
Clerk, 4 at $1,950	7,800 00
Clerk, 4 at $1,800	7,200 00
Clerk, 8 at $1,650	13,200 00
Clerk, 19 at $1,500	28,500 00
Clerk, 11 at $1,350	14,850 00
Clerk, 10 at $1,200	12,000 00
Clerk, 13 at $1,050	13,650 00
Clerk, 2 at $900	1,800 00
Clerk, 4 at $750	3,000 00
Clerk, 3 at $600	1,800 00
Clerk, 5 at $540	2,700 00
Clerk, 3 at $300	900 00
Disbursing Clerk, 2 at $2,250	4,500 00
Disbursing Clerk	1,650 00
Clerk with special knowledge as Cataloguer	750 00
Statistician	1,650 00
Searcher, 4 at $1,050	4,200 00
Bookkeeper	3,500 00
Bookkeeper	3,000 00
Bookkeeper, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
Bookkeeper	2,250 00
Bookkeeper	2,100 00
Bookkeeper, 2 at $1,950	3,900 00
Bookkeeper	1,800 00
Bookkeeper, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Bookkeeper, 7 at $1,350	9,450 00
Bookkeeper, 21 at $1,200	25,200 00
Security Deposit Clerk	1,800 00
Cashier, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
Cashier	1,650 00
Cashier	1,350 00
Financial Clerk	1,950 00
Financial Clerk	1,650 00
Financial Clerk, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
Financial Clerk, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Financial Clerk, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,650 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at $900	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	600 00
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00
Typewriting Copyist	750 00
Typewriting Accountant, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Bank Messenger, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Messenger	1,200 00
Examiner	5,000 00
Examiner	4,000 00
Examiner	2,550 00
Examiner, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
Examiner, 3 at $1,950	5,850 00
Examiner, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Examiner, 5 at $1,650	8,250 00
Examiner, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
Examiner	1,350 00
Examiner	1,200 00
Examiner, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
Examining Inspector, 12 at $1,500	18,000 00
Examining Inspector	1,350 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies	2,550 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, 3 at $1,800	5,400 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies	1,650 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, 10 at $1,200	12,000 00
Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving	1,350 00
Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving	1,200 00
Inspector of Sewer Construction	1,350 00
Inspector of Sewer Construction	1,200 00
Inspector of Sewers	1,800 00
Veterinarian	1,800 00
Assistant Engineer	3,600 00
Assistant Engineer	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00
Assistant Engineer, 5 at $2,100	10,500 00
Assistant Engineer	1,800 00
Transitman and Computer	1,500 00
Examiner of Accounts of Institutions	3,000 00
Examiner of Accounts of Institutions	1,650 00
Examiner of Accounts of Institutions, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
Balance Unassigned	50 00
	$511,200 00

Revenue: Taxes, Assessments and Arrears, Miscellaneous—

32. Salaries:

Receiver of Taxes	$6,000 00
Deputy Receiver of Taxes, 2 at $4,000	8,000 00
Deputy Receiver of Taxes, 2 at $3,750	7,500 00
Deputy Receiver of Taxes, 3 at $2,500	7,500 00
Deputy Receiver of Taxes, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
Collector of Assessments and Arrears	4,500 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears	4,000 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears	3,500 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, 2 at $2,250	4,500 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears	2,000 00
Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets	3,000 00
Cashier	2,500 00
Cashier, 2 at $2,100	4,200 00
Cashier, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Cashier, 4 at $1,650	6,600 00
Cashier, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
Accountant	1,800 00
Accountant, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	2,250 00
Bookkeeper, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Bookkeeper	1,650 00
Bookkeeper, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Bookkeeper, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerk, 3 at $1,950	5,850 00
Clerk, 6 at $1,800	10,800 00
Clerk, 9 at $1,650	14,850 00
Clerk, 12 at $1,500	18,000 00
Clerk, 13 at $1,050	13,650 00
Clerk, 15 at $1,200	18,000 00
Clerk, 18 at $1,350	24,300 00
Clerk, 6 at $900	5,400 00
Clerk, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Clerk, 6 at $600	3,600 00
Clerk, 2 at $540	1,080 00
Clerk, 2 at $480	960 00
Clerk	300 00
Financial Clerk	2,400 00
Financial Clerk	1,950 00
Financial Clerk	1,800 00
Financial Clerk, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Financial Clerk	1,500 00
Financial Clerk	1,200 00
Collection Clerk	1,650 00
Collection Clerk, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Collection Clerk, 3 at $1,350	4,050 00
Clerk with special knowledge of Handwriting	1,050 00
Searcher, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Searcher, 10 at $1,050	10,500 00
Searcher	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at $900	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
Bank Messengers, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
Messenger, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Messenger, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
Balance Unassigned	360 00
	$273,800 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($737.50) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the year 1911, entitled "Auditing Bureau—31. Salaries," the amount of said appropriation being in excess of that required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the said Department for the year 1911, entitled and as follows:

Executive Division—	
25. Salaries	$400 00
Revenue: Taxes, Assessments and Arrears, Miscellaneous—	
32. Salaries	337 50
	$737 50

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, recommending that the matter of the establishment of the position of Estimator to be added to the force under the various Borough Presidents or to the force of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, be again considered by the Board.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx suggested that the position of Estimator with salary at the rate of $1,200 per annum be added to the force of the Building Bureau in the office of each of the Borough Presidents.

The matter was referred to the Budget Committee, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

(On February 2, 1911, the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the establishment of the position of Estimator at $1,200 per annum for two incumbents, and a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, suggesting that said position be added to the force of the Building Bureaus in each borough, were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades.)

(On March 16, 1911, the report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades, recommending disapproval of the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as this position should be added to the force of the Building Bureaus in each borough instead of to the force of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, was referred to the Borough Presidents.)

(On April 6, 1911, the report of the President, Borough of Richmond, thereon, was laid over.)

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($9,893), for the construction of a shelter and comfort station in Macomb's Dam Park, Borough of The Bronx:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 27, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 8, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved the plans and specifications for the construction of a shelter and comfort station in Macombs Dam Park, The Bronx, at an estimated cost of $9,500.

At the public letting on July 27, 1911, five bids were received, ranging in amounts from $9,893 to $12,979.

The low bid is $393, or about 4 per cent. in excess of the approved estimate. The amount of the bid is not unreasonable.

I recommend, therefore, that it be approved as a new estimate of cost, by the adoption of the attached resolution.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 8, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans and specifications for the construction of a shelter and comfort station in Macomb's Dam Park, The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, at an estimated cost of *nine thousand five hundred dollars ($9,500)*, the same being chargeable against corporate stock fund designated. "C-DP-313."

—be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans and specifications for the construction of a shelter and comfort station in Macomb's Dam Park, The Bronx, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, at an estimated cost of *nine thousand eight hundred and ninety-three dollars ($9,893)*, the same being chargeable against corporate stock fund designated "C-DP-313."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($280,269) for the general construction and equipment of new Public School 45, Borough of The Bronx:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 28, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On August 24, 1911, plans, specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of $275,000, as submitted by the Board of Education, were approved for the general construction, etc., of New Public School 45, Borough of The Bronx.

The contract was advertised and the lowest bid was that of the Bottsford-Dickenson Company for $280,269 or $5,269 in excess of the approved estimate. The bid represents a reasonable price for the work, and there are funds available in the amount.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the estimate of cost in the sum of the lowest bid.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 17, 1911, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, as amended, for the following work under the jurisdiction of the Board of Education.

General construction, etc., of New Public School 45, Borough of The Bronx, two hundred and eighty thousand two hundred and sixty nine dollars ($280,269).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($84, 732) for installing heating and ventilating apparatus in Washington Irving High School.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 28, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 11, 1911, plans, specifications and estimate of cost, as submitted by the Board of Education, were approved for (Item 1) installing, heating and ventilating apparatus in the Washington Irving High School, Borough of Manhattan, at an estimated cost of $80,000.

The contract was advertised and the lowest bid, submitted by Gillis and Geoghegan, was for $84,732, or $4,732 in excess of the amount approved.

The amount of the lowest bid is reasonable for the work, and there are corporate stock funds available for the purpose.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the estimate of cost in the sum of the lowest bid.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted July 17, 1911, as amended August 31, 1911, hereby approves the plans, specifications, and the estimate of cost, as amended, for the following work under the jurisdiction of the Board of Education.

Item 1. Installing heating and ventilating apparatus in the Washington Irving High School, Borough of Manhattan, Eighty-four thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars ($84,732).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($3,987) for the construction of portable school buildings at annex to Public School 46, Borough of Queens:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 27, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On July 27, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution approving plans, specifications and estimates of cost for the general construction of portable school buildings at annex to Public School 46, Borough of Queens, at an estimated cost of $3,600.

The work was advertised and six bids were received, the lowest by the Joseph Balaban Company for $3,987. The bid is $387 in excess of the approved estimate of cost, and is reasonable for the work. The highest bid was $7,497. There is a sufficient balance in corporate stock fund, authorized for the purpose, to award the contract.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution amending the estimate of cost to $3,987.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 27, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimates of cost for the following work under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education:

Portable school buildings at annex to Public School 32, Borough of Queens; estimated cost, seven thousand dollars ($7,000).

Portable school buildings at annex to Public School 46, Borough of Queens, estimated cost *three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600)*.

Specifications, as amended, for furniture for addition to Public School 7, Borough of Queens.

Item 1. Estimated cost, one thousand two hundred and fifteen dollars ($1,215).

Item 2. Estimated cost, one thousand two hundred and fifty-six dollars ($1,256).

Item 3. Estimated cost, five hundred and forty dollars ($540).

Item 4. Estimated cost, three thousand eight hundred and sixty-four dollars and fifty cents ($3,864.50),"

—be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimates of cost for the following work under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education:

Portable school buildings at annex to Public School 32, Borough of Queens; estimated cost, seven thousand dollars ($7,000).

Portable school buildings at annex to Public School 46, Borough of Queens; estimated cost, *three thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven dollars ($3,987)*.

Specifications, as amended, for furniture for addition to Public School 7, Borough of Queens.

Item 1. Estimated cost, one thousand two hundred and fifteen dollars ($1,215).

Item 2. Estimated cost, one thousand two hundred and fifty-six dollars ($1,256).

Item 3. Estimated cost, five hundred and forty dollars ($540).

Item 4. Estimated cost, three thousand eight hundred and sixty-four dollars and fifty cents ($3,864.50).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($491.40) for sand blasting the sides and entrados of foot bridge over the Bronx River at the falls, near the Lorillard Mansion, in Bronx Park:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 27, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On August 3, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved plans and specification for sand blasting the sides and entrados of a foot bridge over the Bronx River, at the falls, near the Lorillard Mansion, in Bronx Park, at an estimated cost of $450.

The work was advertised and at the letting on August 31, 1911, the only bid received was from the American Diamond Blast Company, for $491.40, or $41.40 more than the approved estimate. The bid is considered reasonable, and there are funds available in the amount.

I recommend, therefore, the adoption of the attached resolution amending the estimate of cost to $491.40.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, *four hundred and fifty dollars ($450)*, for sand blasting the sides and entrados of foot bridge over the Bronx River, at the falls near the Lorillard Mansion in Bronx Park, in The City of New York, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx."

—be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, *four hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty cents ($491.40)*, for sand blasting the sides and entrados of foot bridge over the Bronx River, at the falls near the Lorillard Mansion in Bronx Park, in The City of New York, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following report of Comptroller recommending new estimate of cost ($4,391) for the construction of a radial brick chimney at the Clifton Destructor, Borough of Richmond:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 28, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On July 27, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved plans, specifications and estimate of cost in the sum of $4,200 for the construction of a radial brick chimney at the Clifton Destructor, Borough of Richmond.

The lowest of the three bids for the work amounted to $4,391, or $191 in excess of the approved estimate. The bid appears to be reasonable and there are funds available in the amount.

I recommend, therefore, the adoption of the attached resolution approving an estimate of cost in the sum of the lowest bid.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 27, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, *four thousand two hundred dollars ($4,200)*, for the construction of a radial brick chimney at the Clifton Destructor, Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond,"

—be amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution of June 3, 1910, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, *four thousand three hundred and ninety-one dollars ($4,391)*, for the construction of a radial brick chimney at the Clifton Destructor, Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller transmitting for the information and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment reports made during the months of August and September, upon various requests of Department heads for modification of salary and wage schedules:

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 26, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I transmit herewith for your information and approval reports relative to requests by department heads for modifications of 1911 salary and wage schedules and the modifications approved by the Comptroller during August and September. I also transmit the original requests and copies of the Comptroller's communications notifying the departments of the changes in schedule lines:

Schedule. Salary.	Schedule. Wage.	Department.	Date of Request.	Date of Report.	Date of Comptroller's Communication to Department.
2154	....	County Court, Queens	7-24-1911	8- 8-1911	8- 8-1911
70	91	Bridge	8- 3-1911	8- 9-1911	8- 9-1911
....	155	Docks and Ferries	7-31-1911	8- 9-1911	8- 9-1911
852	....	City Record	7-26-1911	8-12-1911	8-12-1911
386	....	Health	8- 1-1911	8-12-1911	8-12-1911
....	92	Bridge	8- 9-1911	8-15-1911	8-15-1911

Schedule. Salary.	Schedule. Wage.	Department.	Date of Request.	Date of Report.	Date of Comptroller's Communication to Department.
1298	....	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School	6-17-1911	8-19-1911	8-19-1911
....	1830	President, Queens	8-16-1911	8-26-1911	8-28-1911
....	127	Bridge	8-24-1911	8-28-1911	8-28-1911
451	....	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	8-21-1911	8-25-1911	8-29-1911
1214	....	Education	8-29-1911	9- 5-1911	9- 5-1911
1862	....	President, Queens	8-24-1911 and 9- 5-1911	9- 5-1911	9- 5-1911
....	275 and 284	Correction	8-22-1911	9- 6-1911	9- 6-1911
1770	....	President, Brooklyn	8-19-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
....	1082	Parks, Manhattan and Richmond	8-24-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
962	....	Fire Department	8- 9-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
....	1842	President, Queens	8-31-1911	9-11-1911	9-11-1911
1770 and 1791	....	President, Brooklyn	8-29-1911	9-12-1911	9-12-1911
1709	1741	President, The Bronx	8-18-1911 and 8-19-1911	9-12-1911	9-12-1911
....	1863	President, Queens	8-24-1911 and 9- 5-1911	9- 9-1911	9-12-1911
....	1807	President, Brooklyn	8-24-1911	9-13-1911	9-13-1911
1826	....	President, Queens	8-24-1911	9-13-1911	9-13-1911
....	1806	President, Brooklyn	9- 7-1911	9-14-1911	9-14-1911
1331	....	Municipal Civil Service	9-14-1911	9-15-1911	9-15-1911
960 and 1014	....	Fire Department	9- 8-1911	9-15-1911	9-15-1911
1762 and 1763	....	President, The Bronx	8-18-1911	9-18-1911	9-18-1911
1828	....	President, Queens	8-24-1911 8-30-1911 9-12-1911	9-19-1911	9-19-1911
....	1721	President, The Bronx	9-14-1911	9-19-1911	9-19-1911
1211	....	Education	9- 6-1911	9-21-1911	9-21-1911
1208	....	Education	9- 6-1911	9-21-1911	9-21-1911
1770	....	President, Brooklyn	....	9-21-1911	9-21-1911
		Bridge, New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division, Wages, Regular Employees	8-24-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
C-DP-302A		Parks, The Bronx, Additional Greenhouses for Propagating Purposes	8-25-1911	9- 5-1911	9- 5-1911
R-DP-8		Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, Regenerating Lawns in Central Park, Wages, Temporary Employees	9- 7-1911	9-11-1911	9-11-1911
R-PSC-1,9,12,18 Salaries 21		Public Service Commission, First District	9- 6-1911	9-20-1911	9-20-1911
		President, Richmond, Topographical Force, Salaries	8-23-1911	9- 5-1911	9- 5-1911
		President, Manhattan, Bureau of Highways, Repaving Streets, Salaries		8-26-1911	8-26-1911
		President, Manhattan, Topographical Bureau, Corporate Stock Fund, Completion of Borough Maps, Salaries		9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
		President, Brooklyn, Topographical Bureau, Salaries, Regular Force			
		Wages, Regular Force	8-19-1911	9-11-1911	9-11-1911
		President, Brooklyn, Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Salaries, Temporary Employees, Corporate Stock and Special and Trust Fund Force	8-19-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
		Education, Bureau of Buildings, Corporate Stock Force	9- 1-1911	9-13-1911	9-13-1911
		Fire, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Buildings, Salaries; Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, Salaries	8-26-1911	9-18-1911	9-18-1911
		President, Brooklyn, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance; Coney Island Bath, Salaries; Special Revenue Bond Force	8-24-1911	9- 2-1911	9- 2-1911
		Board of Assessors, Salary increases of regular employees to be paid from Special Revenue Bonds		9-14-1911	9-14-1911
		Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Bellevue Hospital, Operation and Maintenance, Wages, Regular Employees, Special Revenue Bond Force	8-23-1911	9- 8-1911	9- 8-1911
		President, The Bronx, R-PX-11, Bureau of Sewers, Maintenance, including cleaning and repairs; Revenue Bond Force for Sunday, Holiday and Overtime Work	9-14-1911	9-20-1911	9-21-1911

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

County Court, Queens County, Long Island City, N. Y., July 24, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, City of New York, 280 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that the supporting schedules and schedules of salaries and wages of the Budget for 1911 be amended to read as follows:

County Court, Queens County.

2154.	Salaries:	
	County Judge	$10,000 00
	Special Deputy Clerk	3,000 00
	Confidential Clerk	2,000 00
	Stenographer	3,000 00
	Court Crier	1,800 00
	Interpreter	1,800 00
	Chief Court Attendant	1,800 00
	Court Attendants, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
	Court Attendant	1,200 00
	Unassigned balance	300 00

—instead of—

County Court, Queens County.

2154.	Salaries:	
	County Judge	$10,000 00
	Special Deputy Clerk	3,000 00
	Confidential Clerk	2,000 00
	Stenographer	3,000 00
	Court Crier	1,800 00
	Interpreter	1,800 00
	Chief Court Attendant	1,800 00
	Court Attendants, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00

The reason for this request is the transfer by me of a Jury Notice Server from the Commissioner of Jurors Office, Queens County, to the position of Court Attendant in the County Court, at a salary of $1,200 00 per annum, which transfer and appointment was approved by the State Civil Service Commission, to take effect July 1, 1911.

Yours very truly, BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Judge, Queens County.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller.*

Sir—On July 24, 1911, the Judge of the County Court, Queens County, requested modification of salary schedule No. 2154 in his Court for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to strike out one Court Attendant at $1,500 per annum, and substitute one Court Attendant at $1,200 per annum, by transfer of a Jury Notice Server from the Commissioner of Jurors' office. The $300 decrease in yearly cost is to go to balance unassigned.

The transfer and change of title were approved by the State Civil Service Commission to take effect as of July 1, 1911.

Chapter 566, Laws of 1911, gives the County Judge, Queens County, power to fix the rate of payment to Court Attendant. This law became effective June 30, 1911.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
2154.	Court Attendants, 4 at $1,500.	$1,500 00	.....	$750 00	.....
	Court Attendant, at $1,200....	.....	$1,200 00	.....	$600 00
	Unassigned balance.....	.....	300 00	.....	150 00
		$1,500 00	$1,500 00	$750 00	$750 00

Attached hereto is a letter which, if signed by you, will give formal approval under the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 3, 1911. Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 8, 1911.

Hon. BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Court, Queens County:

Sir—In pursuance of your request for modification of the salary schedule of your office for the year 1911, and in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held on August 3, 1911, I herewith approve of a revised schedule of salaries for your office, to read as follows:

County Court, Queens County.

2154.	Salaries:	
	County Judge	$10,000 00
	Special Deputy Clerk	3,000 00
	Confidential Clerk	2,000 00
	Stenographer	3,000 00
	Court Crier	1,800 00
	Interpreter	1,800 00
	Chief Court Attendant	1,800 00
	Court Attendants, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
	Court Attendant	1,200 00
	Unassigned balance	300 00
		$29,400 00

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Bridges, City of New York, August 3, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

Sir—I beg to request a modification of the schedule supporting the Budget Appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

General Administration, Commissioner's and Central Office, No. 70, Salaries—drop line items reading:

Auditor	$2,700 00
Auditor and Timekeeper	$2,700 00
	$5,400 00

Add line item reading:

Auditors, 2 at $2,700	$5,400 00

Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queeens, No. 91, Wages, Regular Employees—drop line item reading:

Inspector (Electrical), at $4.50 per day (365 days)	$1,642 50

Add line item reading:

Wiremen, at $4.50 per day (365 days)	$1,642 50

This request is made so that the Budget schedules may conform to the change of title by the Civil Service Commission dated August 2, 1911, and entails no additional cost to the City.

Copy of revised schedules herewith.

Respectfully, ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 9, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller*:

Sir—On August 3, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of two schedules for regular employees in his department for 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

In No. 70, General Administration, Commissioner's and Central Office, Salaries, it is proposed to drop an Auditor and Timekeeper, at $2,700 per annum, and add an Auditor at the same rate.

In No. 91, Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens, Wages, Regular Employees, an Inspector (electrical), at $4.50 per day, for 365 days, is dropped, and a Wireman, at the same rate of compensation and for the same number of days, is added.

This request is made to meet proposed changes in the title of two employees, which changes have been approved by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

The required schedule and cash transfers are, in detail, as follows:

Code. No.	Line Items.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
70.	Auditor, 1 at $2,700	.....	$2,700 00	.....	$900 00
	Auditor and Timekeeper, 1 at $2,700	$2,700 00	.....	$900 00	.....
91.	Inspector (Electrical), 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50	.....	549 00	.....
	Wireman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	.....	1,642 50	.....	549 00
		$4,342 50	$4,342 50	$1,449 00	$1,449 00

Attached hereto is a letter, which, if signed by you, will give formal approval under the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, August 3, 1911.

Respectively, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 9, 1911.

Hon. ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, *Commissioner, Department of Bridges*, 13-21 Park Row, New York City:

Sir—Pursuant to your request for modification of the salaries and wages schedules of your department for the year 1911, and in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I herewith approve of schedules of salaries and wages in the Department of Bridges to be effective as of September 1, 1911, and to read as follows:

Department of Bridges.

General Administration, Commissioner's and Central Office—

70. Salaries:

Commissioner	$7,500 00
Chief Engineer	10,000 00
Deputy Commissioner	4,500 00
Deputy Chief Engineer	7,500 00
Assistant Engineers, 2 at $3,000	6,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner	4,000 00
Chief Clerk	3,000 00
Bookkeeper	2,700 00
Auditors, 2 at $2,700	5,400 00
Clerks, 3 at $1,950	5,850 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
Messengers, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Photographer	1,200 00
Automobile Engineman	1,500 00
Automobile Enginemen, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Telephone Operator	900 00
Structural Steel Draftsman	1,800 00
Bookkeeper	1,500 00
Clerk	2,700 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerk	1,650 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	1,050 00
Clerk	360 00
Unassigned	750 00
	$85,010 00

Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens.—

91. Wages, Regular Employees:

General Foreman	$2,000 00
Foreman Painter and Rigger	1,800 00
Bridge Keepers, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
Bridge Tenders, 53 at $900	47,700 00
Engineman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
Machinists, 2 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	3,285 00
Machinist, 1 at $4.50 per day (303 days)	1,363 50
Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, 2 at $4.80 per day (303 days)	2,908 80
Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, 3 at $4.80 per day (277 days)	3,988 80
Assistant Foreman Carpenter, 1 at $5.00 per day (277 days)	1,385 00
Carpenter, 1 at $5 per day (277 days)	1,385 00
Ship Carpenters, 3 at $5 per day (277 days)	4,155 00
Painters, 5 at $4 per day (277 days)	5,540 00
Wireman, 1 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	1,642 50
Machinist's Helper, 1 at $3 per day (277 days)	831 00
Laborers, 2 at $3 per day (313 days)	1,878 00
Laborers, 3 at $2.50 per day (365 days)	2,737 50
Unassigned	600 00
	$90,842 60

Yours very truly,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Department of Docks and Ferries, City of New York, Pier "A," North River, July 31, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Sir—The time allowed in this Department's 1911 Budget for Ship Carpenters in Code No. 155, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Engineering, is 605 days. Of this number 508 days were used to July 20. It is estimated that 250 days additional will be required to December 31, for Ship Carpenters, amounting to $1,000.

There is more time allowed in the same item, No. 155, for Dock Laborers, Temporary Employees, than will be used, and it is recommended that the sum of $1,000, or 400 days, be transferred from the line for Dock Laborers to provide the additional 250 days for Ship Carpenters. The Dock Laborers are paid at the rate of $2.50 per day and the Ship Carpenters are paid at the rate of $4 per day; 12,971 days were allowed in the modified schedule for Dock Laborers, Temporary Employees, amounting to $32,427.50; 7,000 days have been used, amounting to $17,500, leaving 5,971 days, or $14,927.50. With the approval of this recommendation there would still be 5,571 days, or $13,927.50, in the line for Dock Laborers.

Yours respectfully,

B. F. CRESSON, JR., First Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 9, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On July 31, 1911, the Commissioner of Docks requested modification of a wage schedule supporting the appropriations to the Department of Docks and Ferries for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is in Bureau of Engineering, No. 155, Wages, Temporary Employees. It is proposed to increase the number of days for Ship Carpenters at $4 per day from 605 to 855 days, and to provide the necessary increase of $1,000 by decreasing the number of days for Dock Laborers from 12,971 to 12,571 days.

The Commissioner states that the number of days for Ship Carpenters as allowed in Budget is nearly exhausted; that of the 12,971 days for Dock Laborers, 7,000 days have already been used, leaving 5,971 days for the remainder of the year, the greater portion of which it is estimated will be used.

The following table shows the schedule changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
155	Dock Laborers, $2.50 per diem (12,971 days)	$1,000 00	.....	$1,000 00	.....
	Ship Carpenters, $4 per diem (605 days)	.....	$1,000 00	.....	$1,000 00

I recommend the approval of the request, and transmit herewith a letter addressed to the Dock Commissioner, which, if signed by you, will give formal approval under the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 3, 1911.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 9, 1911.

Hon. CALVIN TOMKINS, *Commissioner, Department of Docks and Ferries*, Pier "A," North River, New York City:

Sir—In accordance with your request of July 31, 1911, for a modification of wage schedule of your Department for the year 1911, and pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of the schedule, as revised, for the Department of Docks and Ferries, for the year 1911, as follows:

Department of Docks and Ferries.

Bureau of Engineering—

155 Wages, Temporary Employees:

Inspector of Pier Buildings, $5 per day (180 days)	$900 00
Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Paving, $1,500 per year (225 days)	1,125 00
Foreman of Dock Builders, $4.50 per day (1,159 days)	5,215 50
Dock Builders, $3.50 per day (16,112 days)	56,392 00
Foreman of Dock Laborers, $4 per day (201 days)	804 00
Dock Laborers, $2.50 per day (12,571 days)	31,427 50
Enginemen, $4.50 per day (1,564 days)	7,038 00
Foremen of Pavers, $5 per day (303 days)	1,515 00
Pavers, $5 per day (1,818 days)	9,090 00
Rammers, $4 per day (909 days)	3,636 00
Masons, $4.50 per day (100 days)	450 00
Masons and Helpers, $3 per day (100 days)	300 00
Stonecutters, $4.50 per day (200 days)	900 00
Carpenters, $4.80 per day (200 days)	960 00
Ship Carpenters, $4 per day (855 days)	3,420 00
Saw Filers, $4 per day (303 days)	1,212 00
Housesmiths, $5 per day (100 days)	500 00
Machinists, $4.50 per day (50 days)	225 00
Machinists' Helpers, $3 per day (50 days)	150 00
Blacksmiths, $4.50 per day (52 days)	234 00
Blacksmiths' Helpers, $3 per day (52 days)	156 00
Painters, $4 per day (909 days)	3,636 00
Pipe Fitters, $5 per day (55½ days)	277 50
Pipe Fitters, $5.50 per day (87½ days)	481 25
Pipe Fitters' Helpers, $3 per day (152 days)	456 00
Plumbers, $5.50 per day (100 days)	550 00
Plumbers' Helpers, $3 per day (100 days)	300 00
Tinsmiths and Roofers, $4.50 per day (133 days)	598 50
Tinsmiths and Roofers, $4.75 per day (735 days)	3,491 25
Unassigned	2 00
	$135,442 50

Yours very truly,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Board of City Record, Office of the Supervisor, 13-21 Park Row, New York, July 26, 1911.

Hon. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Sir—I respectfully request a further modification of the schedule supporting the appropriation budget for the year 1911, made to the Board of City Record, entitled, Administration 852—Salaries, by eliminating therefrom:

One Clerk at	$750 00	
One Storekeeper at	1,800 00	
Unassigned balance	1,050 00	
		$3,600 00
—and inserting in lieu thereof:		
Two Clerks at $750	$1,500 00	
One Storekeeper at	1,950 00	
Unassigned balance	150 00	
		$3,600 00

This modification is desired in addition to the request submitted July 5, and is made necessary to provide for the promotion of a Storekeeper from $1,800 to $1,950, and for the appointment of an additional Clerk at $750 per annum.

It is respectfully requested that the modifications of the said salary schedule be made to take effect as of August 1, 1911.

Respectfully submitted, DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor of the City Record.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 12, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On July 26, 1911, the Supervisor of the City Record requested modification of the salary schedule for the Board of City Record for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The request is for an increase in compensation of Washington H. Hettler, Storekeeper, from $1,800 to $1,950 per annum, and the appointment of an additional Clerk at $750 per annum. Mr. Hettler was appointed on February 1, 1885, and has been at the rate of $1,800 for seven years. The Supervisor states that his work has increased greatly and that he highly merits the promotion. The additional Clerk, it is stated, is needed for the new system in the office.

On July 6, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution recommending establishment of these grades. On July 18, 1911, the Board of Aldermen concurred in the resolution and fixed the grades.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
852.	Clerk, 1 at $750	.....	$750 00	.....	$312 50
	Storekeeper, 1 at $1,800	$1,800 00	.....	$750 00	.....
	Storekeeper, 1 at $1,950	.....	1,950 00	.....	812 50
	Unassigned balance	900 00	.....	375 00	.....
		$2,700 00	$2,700 00	$1,125 00	$1,125 00

Attached hereto is a letter, which, if signed by you, will give formal approval under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 12, 1911.

Mr. DAVID FERGUSON, *Supervisor of the City Record:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries as revised, in the office of the Board of City Record, for the year 1911, as follows:

Board of City Record, City of New York.

Administration—

852. Salaries:

Supervisor	$5,000 00
Deputy Supervisor	2,500 00
Seecretary and Chief Clerk	2,500 00
Editor	3,000 00
Stationer	2,500 00
Bookbinder	2,500 00

Inspector	1,500 00
Bookkeeper	2,550 00
Bookkeepers, 2 at $2,100	4,200 00
Examiner	1,800 00
Examiner	1,650 00
Stenographer and Book Typewriter	1,500 00
Stenographer and Book Typewriter	600 00
Book Typewriting Copyist	1,200 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	600 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerks, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Clerks, 3 at $300	900 00
Storekeeper	1,950 00
Laborer	720 00
Unassigned balance	150 00
	$42,870 00

Yours truly, DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Department of Health, City of New York, Southwest Corner 55th street and 6th avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Office of the Secretary, New York, August 1, 1911.

Hon. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* 277 Broadway:

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held August 1, 1911, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby respectfully requested to approve of the following further changes and modifications in the schedules supporting the appropriations for salaries and for wages included in the Budget for the year 1911:

Supporting schedule to 306, Administration—Bureau of Records—Salaries.

Change item "Tabulators, 3 at $1,500—$4,500" to read, "Tabulators, 2 at $1,500—$3,000."

Insert item, "Clerk at $1,200."

Change item, "Typewriting Copyists, 4 at $750—$3,000," to read, "Typewriting Copyists, 6 at $750—$4,500."

Change item, "Typewriting Copyists, 13 at $600—$7,800," to read, "Typewriting Copyists, 11 at $600—$6,600."

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 12, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—Under date of August 1, 1911, the Board of Health requested a modification of a schedule of salaries in the Department of Health for the year 1911. I report thereon as follows:

In No. 306, Bureau of Records, it is proposed to drop one Tabulator at $1,500 per annum, the incumbent having died, and to substitute a Clerk at $1,200 per annum.

It is also proposed to increase the salaries of two Typewriting Copyists, in No. 306, from $600 to $750 per annum. One of these, Miss Mary O'Toole, was appointed on July 17, 1907, at $600 per annum, and the other, Miss Clara Stern, on July 6, 1907, at the same salary.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
306.	Tabulators, 3 at $1,500	$1,500 00	.....	$625 00	.....
	Clerk, at $1,200	.....	$1,200 00	.....	$500 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 4 at $750	.....	1,500 00	.....	625 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 13, at $600	1,200 00	.....	500 00	.....
		$2,700 00	$2,700 00	$1,125 00	$1,125 00

I recommend that the request be granted, and that the attached letter be transmitted to the Commissioner of Health, giving formal notice of approval.

Respectfully, JAMES T. ADMASON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 12, 1911:

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D., *Commissioner of Health:*

Sir—In accordance with your request of August 1, 1911, for a modification of salaries schedule of your department for the year 1911, and pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of the schedule, as revised, for the Department of Health, for the year 1911, as follows:

Department of Health.

	Administration, Bureau of Records—	
306.	Salaries:	
	Registrar of Records	$5,000 00
	Assistant Registrars of Records, 5, at $3,000	15,000 00
	Medical Inspector	1,500 00
	Medical Clerks, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00
	Tabulators, 2, at $1,500	3,000 00
	Clerks, 5 at $1,800	9,000 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Clerk	1,200 00
	Clerks, 3 at $900	2,700 00
	Clerk	600 00
	Clerks, 2 at $480	960 00
	Clerks, 3 at $300	900 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $900	1,800 00
	Typewriting Copyist	900 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 6 at $750	4,500 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 11 at $600	6,600 00
		$59,960 00

Yours very truly,
DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., August 9, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* The City of New York, 280 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—I have to request a modification of schedules supporting the Budget appropriation for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, as follows:

Bridges Over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens, 92, Wages, Temporary Employees, schedule now reading:

Title.	Rate.	Days.	Amount.
Engineman	$4 50	14	$63 00
Machinists	4 50	48	216 00
Bridge Mechanics or Riveters	4 80	30	144 00
Assistant Foreman Carpenter	5 00	6	30 00
Ship Carpenters	5 00	18	90 00
Carpenters	5 00	6	30 00
Machinist's Helper	3 00	6	18 00
			$591 00

—to be revised to read as follows, to be effective as of August 10, 1911:

Title.	Rate.	Days.	Amount.
Engineman	$4 50	6	$27 00
Machinists	4 50	20	90 00
Bridge Mechanics or Riveters	4 80	60	288 00
Assistant Foreman Carpenter	5 00	10	50 00
Ship Carpenters	5 00	14	70 00
Carpenters	5 00	6	30 00
Machinist's Helper	3 00	12	36 00
			$591 00

Respectfully, WM. H. SINNOTT, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statictics, August 15, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 9, 1911, the Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of a schedule for wages of temporary employees in that department for 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

It is proposed to rearrange the temporary time allowance for mechanics employed on the Newtown Creek division of the department without making any change in the rates of compensation paid to employees.

The schedule and cash transfer, in detail, are as follows:

Code No.	Line Items.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
92.	Enginemen, at $4.50 per day (14 days)	$36 00	.....	$36 00	.....
	Machinists, at $4.50 per day (48 days)	126 00	.....	126 00	.....
	Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, at $4.80 per day (30 days)	.....	$144 00	.....	$144 00
	Assistant Foreman Carpenter, at $5 per day (6 days)	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
	Ship Carpenters, at $5 per day (18 days)	20 00	.....	20 00	.....
	Machinist's Helper, at $3 per day (6 days)	.....	18 00	.....	18 00
		$182 00	$182 00	$182 00	$182 00

The attached letter, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the requested modification, under the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 15, 1911.

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

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, temporary employees, in the Department of Bridges, to be effective as of August 10, 1911, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

	Bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens—	
92.	Wages, Temporary Employees:	
	Engineman, at $4.50 per day (6 days)	$27 00
	Machinists, at $4.50 per day (20 days)	90 00
	Bridge Mechanics or Riveters, at $4.80 per day (60 days)	288 00
	Assistant Foreman Carpenter, at $5 per day (10 days)	50 00
	Ship Carpenters, at $5 per day (14 days)	70 00
	Carpenters, at $5 per day (6 days)	30 00
	Machinist's Helper, at $3 per day (12 days)	36 00
		$591 00

Yours very truly,
DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, June 17, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* 277 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—At a regular meeting of the Board of Managers of this institution, held on June 6, 1911, it was unanimously agreed to increase the salary of our Investigator from $720 per annum to $900 per annum. I respectfully petition your honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment to change our Budget Schedule No. 1298, under the title of Salaries and Wages, by abolishing the position of Cleaner, at $180 per annum, and transferring that sum to the position of Investigator, thus making the salary of Investigator $900 per annum. I also request that the said position be established in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

This increase has been allowed for meritorious services and also for the reason that the salary is entirely too low for the services performed, and is not in proportion to the salaries paid for similar work in other institutions.

Trusting this petition will meet with the approval of your honorable Board, I beg to remain, Yours very respectfully,

ROSCOE V. WOLFE, Superintendent.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 19, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Compiroller:*

Dear Sir—On June 17, 1911, the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys requested the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, of the new grade of Investigator, at $900 per annum, and the corresponding modification of its Salary Schedule, No. 1296, by striking out the line "Investigator at $720 per annum," and inserting in lieu thereof "Investigator, $900," the necessary $180 to be provided by the elimination of the position of Cleaner, at $180 per annum.

The new grade of Investigator at $900 per annum was established by the Board of Aldermen, upon the recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 18, 1911.

I therefore recommend that the schedule be modified as requested. A letter to the Superintendent, Roscoe V. Wolfe, to this effect, and a copy of the schedule as so modified, is attached hereto. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 19, 1911.

ROSCOE V. WOLFE, Esq., *Superintendent, Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys,* Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, for the year 1911, as follows:

Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School For Boys.

1298.	Salaries and Wages—	
	Superintendent	$3,000 00
	House Mother	900 00
	Chaplains, 3, at $120	360 00
	Physician	600 00
	Stereoptician	120 00
	Stenographer	1,050 00

Clerk	1,000 00
Enginemen, 2, at $4.50 a day (365 days)	3,285 00
Shoemaker	900 00
Caretaker	700 00
Printer	720 00
Tailor	900 00
Hospital Helper	480 00
Caretakers, 7, at $720	5,040 00
Teachers, 5, at $720	3,600 00
Seamstresses, 2, at $300	600 00
Cleaners, 4, at $240	960 00
Cook	360 00
Cook	240 00
Laundress	300 00
Laundress	240 00
Stableman	360 00
Investigator	900 00
Gardener	720 00
Balance unassigned	50 00
	$27,385 00

Yours very truly,
DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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The City of New York. Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 16, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* New York City, N. Y.:

Sir—Pursuant to resolution prefacing Budget, application is hereby made for revision of Fund 1830, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Highways, Maintenance of Highways, Wages Temporary Employees, to wit:

Title.	Present Allotment.	Proposed Allotment.
Foreman, at $4	$24,000 00	$35,280 00
Assistant Foreman, at $3.25	22,304 75	22,304 75
Dump Boardmen, at $3	1,710 00	360 00
Mechanic's Helper, at $3	2,313 00	2,313 00
Ship Carpenters, at $4	1,028 00	1,028 00
Ship Carpenters, at $3	771 00	771 00
Carpenters, at $4	2,056 00	2,056 00
Blacksmith, at $4	1,028 00	1,028 00
Blacksmith's Helper, at $3	771 00	771 00
Steam Roller Engineer, at $4.50	3,469 50	3,469 50
Stone Mason, at $4.50	900 00	900 00
Flagger, at $3	600 00	600 00
Painter, at $4	1,028 00	1,028 00
Striper, at $3.50	899 50	899 50
Pavers, at $5	14,000 00	14,000 00
Rammers, at $4	7,200 00	7,200 00
Laborers, at $3.50	3,598 00	5,824 00
Laborers, at $3	18,405 00	6,278 25
Laborers, at $2.50	231,942 50	231,942 50
Drivers, at $3	4,701 00	4,701 00
Unassigned	29 25	.....
	$342,754 50	$342,754 50

Immediate action is necessary, for the reason that the present schedule allotment for Foremen will be exhausted on August 30, 1911, and that for Laborer at $3.50 per diem on August 16, 1911. Yours respectfully,
WALTER H. BUNN, Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 26, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 16, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the wage schedue for the Bureau of Highways, Maintenance of Highways, No. 1830, Wages, Temporary Employees, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

It is proposed to increase the number of days for Foremen, at $4 per day, by 2,820, and for Laborers, at $3.50 per diem, by 636. The allotment for Foremen will be exhausted on August 31, 1911, while the allotment for Laborers was exhausted on August 18, 1911. The amounts necessary for the proposed increases in the two line items are to be provided by decreasing the days for Dump Boardmen and Laborers, at $3 per diem.

The following table shows the amount necessary to carry the Laborers and Foremen until December 21, 1911:

Foremen.

Budget provision	$24,000 00
Payrolls to August 21, 1911	22,648 00
Balance on hand	$1,352 00
Amount necessary to carry force from August 21, to December 21, 1911, 3,060 days	$12,240 00
Actual amount required, 2,722 days	$10,888 00

Laborers.

Budget provision	$3,598 00
Payrolls to August 21, 1911	3,626 00
Deficit	$28 00
Amount necessary to carry force from August 21 to December 21, 1911, 612 days	$2,142 00
Actual amount required, 620 days	$2,170 00

The budget for 1911 provided for the ratio of 1 to 7½ for Foremen or Assistant Foremen to Laborers, in the Bureau of Highways. There are now employed in the Bureau 30 Foremen, 28 Assistant Foremen and 366 Laborers. This is a ratio of about 1 to 6½ for Foremen and Assistant Foremen to Laborers. The Superintendent of Highways states that he could not perform the work of the bureau satisfactorily if he had adhered to the ratio as provided in the budget. The Laborers in the gang average from four to ten. This is due, he states, to the fact that in many of the localities in which the gangs are employed long hauls have to be made, and in these places small gangs are employed. It also appears that the gangs have been employed all day on Saturday, whereas provision was only made for a half day. This has been a cause of the deficit in the line item for Foremen.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.
1830.	Foremen, at $4 per diem (6,000 days)	$10,888 00	.....	$10,888 00	.....
	Dump Boardmen, at $3 per diem (570 days)	.....	$1,350 00	.....	$1,350 00
	Laborers, at $3.50 per diem (625 days)	2,170 00	.....	2,170 00	.....
	Laborers, at $3 per diem (4,042 days)	.....	12,126 00	.....	12,126 00
	Unassigned balance	418 00	.....	418 00	.....
		$13,476 00	$13,476 00	$13,476 00	$13,476 00

The attached letter, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the necessary modification, under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 28, 1911.

Hon. LAWRENCE GRESSER, *President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, for the year 1911, as follows:

Bureau of Highways.

Maintenance of Highways—

1830.	Wages, Temporary Employees:	
	Foremen, at $4 per diem (8,722 days)	$34,888 00
	Assistant Foremen, at $3.50 per diem (76 days)	266 00
	Assistant Foremen, at $3.25 per diem (6,863 days)	22,304 75
	Dump Boardmen, at $3 per diem (120 days)	360 00
	Mechanics' Helpers, at $3 per diem (771 days)	2,313 00
	Ship Carpenters, at $4 per diem (257 days)	1,028 00
	Ship Carpenters, at $3 per diem (257 days)	771 00
	Carpenters, at $4 per diem (514 days)	2,056 00
	Blacksmiths, at $4 per diem (257 days)	1,028 00
	Blacksmiths' Helpers, at $3 per diem (257 days)	771 00
	Steam Roller Engineers, at $4.50 per diem (771 days)	3,469 50
	Stone Mason, at $4.50 per diem (200 days)	900 00
	Flaggers, at $3 per diem (200 days)	600 00
	Painters, at $4 per diem (257 days)	1,028 00
	Stripers, at $3.50 per diem (257 days)	899 50
	Pavers, at $5 per diem (2,800 days)	14,000 00
	Rammers, at $4 per diem (1,800) days)	7,200 00
	Laborers, at $3.50 per diem (1,648 days)	5,768 00
	Laborers, at $3 per diem (2,093 days)	6,279 00
	Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (92,777 days)	231,942 50
	Drivers, at $4 per diem (16 days)	64 00
	Drivers, at $3.50 per diem (23 days)	80 50
	Drivers, at $3 per diem (1,567 days)	4,701 00
	Unassigned balance	447 25
		$343,165 00

Yours very truly,
DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., August 24, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, The City of New York,* 280 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Sir—I have to request a modification of the schedules supporting the budget appropriations for the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Queensboro Bridge.

127.	Wages—Temporary Employees:	
	Drop line items.	
	Elevator Attendants at $2.75 (1,038 days)	$2,854 50
	Unassigned	8 00
		$2,862 50
	Add line items.	
	Attendant, at $2.50 (122 days)	$305 00
	Elevator Attendants, at $2.75 (927 days)	2,549 25
	Unassigned	8 25
		$2,862 50

This request is made so that a Laborer heretofore temporarily assigned to the care of the men's quarters may be released to his proper work on this structure, where his services are urgently needed, and to conform to requirements of the Civil Service Commission.

Copy of revised schedule herewith. Respectfully,
ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 28, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller.*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested a modification of a schedule for wages in his department for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is in No. 127, Queensboro Bridge, Wages, Temporary Employees. It is proposed to reduce the allowance for Elevator Attendants, at $2.75, from 1,038 days, to 927 days, and add an Attendant at $2.50, for 122 days.

The Commissioner states that the request is made so that a Laborer, heretofore temporarily assigned to the care of the men's quarters, may be released to his proper work on this structure, where his services are urgently needed, and to conform to requirements of the Civil Service Commission.

The necessary schedule and cash transfers, in detail, are as follows:

Account No.	Line Items.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
127.	Elevator Attendants, at $2.75 per day (1,038 days)	$305 25	.....	$305 25	.....
	Attendant, at $2.50 per day (122 days)	.....	$305 00	.....	$305 00
	Unassigned	.....	25	.....	25
		$305 25	$305 25	$305 25	$305 25

The attached letter, if signed by you, will formally approve the request, pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 28, 1911.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Esq., *Commissioner of Bridges:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages in the Department of Bridges, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

Queensboro Bridge—

127.	Wages—Temporary Employees:	
	Riveters, at $4.80 per day (54 days)	$259 20
	Wiremen, at $4.50 per day (28 days)	126 00
	Painters, at $4.00 per day (20 days)	80 00
	Elevator Attendants, at $2.75 per day (927 days)	2,549 25
	Carpenters, at $5.00 per day (12 days)	60 00
	Blacksmith, at $4.50 per day, (6 days)	27 00
	Blacksmith's Helper, at $3 per day (6 days)	18 00
	Laborers, at $2.50 per day (430 days)	1,075 00
	Attendant, at $2.50 per day (122 days)	305 00
	Unassigned	8 25
		$4,507 70

Yours very truly,
DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, City of New York, August 21, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—In the Salary Schedule supporting Account No. 451, entitled: Departmental Administration—Commissioner's and Central Office, Salaries, there is a vacancy caused by the recent death of an employee whose salary was $2,100 per annum. I do not think it necessary to fill that vacancy at that rate, and I desire to appoint more help and request that the schedule supporting the above-named account be amended by the elimination of the before-mentioned vacancy and by adding two clerks at $900 each. The schedule so modified is attached, and I respectfully request that this modification be approved. Yours very truly,

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 25, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 21, 1911, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity requested modification of a salary schedule in his department for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is in Departmental Administration, Commissioner's and Central Office, No. 451, Salaries. It is proposed to drop a Clerk at $2,100 per annum, and add two Clerks, at $900 each, the difference of $300 to be added to the unassigned balance in the account.

The necessary schedule and cash transfers, in detail, are as follows:

Code No.	Line Items.	Schedule Transfers. Decrease.	Schedule Transfers. Increase.	Cash Transfers. Decrease.	Cash Transfers. Increase.
451.	Clerks, 2 at $2,100	$2,100 00	.....	$525 00	.....
	Clerks, 8 at $900	.....	$1,800 00	.....	$450 00
	Unassigned	.....	300 00	.....	75 00
		$2,100 00	$2,100 00	$525 00	$525 00

Atttached hereto is a letter which, if signed by you, will approve of the request, pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 29, 1911.

Mr. HENRY S. THOMPSON, *Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I approve of a schedule of salaries in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to be effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Departmental Administration—Commissioner's and Central Office—

451.	Salaries:	
	Commissioner	$7,500 00
	Deputy Commissioner	6,000 00
	Consulting Electrical Engineer	4,000 00
	Secretary to the Department	3,000 00
	Secretary to the Commissioner	5,000 00
	Secretary to the Deputy Commissioner	3,000 00
	Stenographer to the Commissioner	1,200 00
	Chief Clerk and Auditor	4,000 00
	Auditor	3,500 00
	General Bookkeeper	3,000 00
	Bookkeeper	2,100 00
	Clerks, 2 at $3,000	6,000 00
	Clerk	2,700 00
	Clerk	2,100 00
	Clerk	2,000 00
	Clerk	1,950 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00
	Clerks, 10 at $900	9,000 00
	Clerk	300 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
	Typewriter Accountants, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Telephone Operator	1,050 00
	Telephone Operator	900 00
	Messenger	900 00
	Inspector of Supplies	1,500 00
	Automobile Engineman	1,500 00
	Storekeeper	1,200 00
	Unassigned	750 00
		$92,600 00

Yours truly,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Board of Education of The City of New York, Office of the Secretary, Park Avenue and 59th Street, August 29, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 23, 1910, the undersigned respectfully request modifications in Salary Schedule 1214, office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, for the year 1911. as follows:

	Strike out	
	Clerks, 3 at $540	$1,620 00
	Clerks, 2 at $300	600 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 6 at $1,350	8,100 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $750	1,500 00
	Unassigned balance	1,080 00
	And insert	
	Clerks, 2 at $540	$1,080 00
	Clerks, 3 at $300	900 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 5 at $1,350	6,750 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $750	2,250 00
	Unassigned balance	1,920 00

The above request involves no increase in appropriation, and the modifications are necessary to provide for the payment of the salary of a clerk to be appointed at $300 per annum in place of a Clerk at $540 per annum, resigned, and the salary of a Stenographer and Typewriter at $750, in place of a Stenographer and Typewriter at $1,350, resigned.

A copy of the schedule, as modified, is enclosed. Respectfully yours,

FRED H. JOHNSON, Assistant and Acting Secretary, Board of Education;
HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor, Board of Education.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 29, 1911, the Board of Education requested the modification of Schedule No. 1214, Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, Salaries. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

A Clerk at $540 per annum, and a Stenographer and Typewriter at $1,350, have resigned. It is proposed to appoint a Clerk at $300 per annum, and a Stenographer and Typewriter at $750, to fill the vacancies, the difference of $840 to be added to an unassigned balance.

The line item changes in detail are as follows:

Schedule No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1214.	Clerks, 3 at $540	$540 00	.....	$180 00	.....
	Clerks, 2 at $300	.....	$300 00	.....	$100 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 6 at $1,350	1,350 00	.....	450 00	.....
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $750	.....	750 00	.....	250 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	840 00	.....	280 00
		$1,890 00	$1,890 00	$630 00	$630 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, Septetmber 5, 1911.

Hon. EGERTON L. WINTHROP, *President, Board of Education:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Department of Education for the year 1911, as follows:

Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings.

Special School Fund, Administration.

1214.	Salaries:	
	Superintendent	$10,000 00
	Deputy Superintendents, 3 at $4,500	13,500 00
	Deputy Superintendent	3,500 00
	Deputy Superintendent	3,000 00
	Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings	3,000 00
	Sanitary Assistant	3,250 00
	Clerk	3,500 00
	Clerk	2,250 00
	Clerk	1,350 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Clerk	900 00
	Clerks, 2 at $540	1,080 00
	Clerk	480 00
	Clerks, 3 at $300	900 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,650 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,500 00
	Stenographers aand Typewriters, 5 at $1,350	6,750 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,050 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $750	2,250 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $600	1,200 00
	Typewriter	1,500 00
	Typewriting Copyist	750 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 3 at $600	1,800 00
	Telephone Switchboard Operator	750 00
	Messenger	900 00
	Unassigned balance	1,920 00
		$72,330 00

Yours truly,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 24, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, City of New York.*

Dear Sir—Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted August 3, 1911, application is hereby made for revision of Schedule lines within Fund No. 1862, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Salaries, to wit:

Present Schedule.

1862.	Salaries—Administration:	
	Superintendent	$3,000 00
	District Superintendents, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,050 00
		$12,300 00

Proposed Schedule.

Superintendent	$3,000 00
District Superintendents, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Clerk	300 00
	$12,300 00

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, City of New York.*

Dear Sir—Confirming ours of the 24th ultimo, applying for revision of Schedule lines in connection with Fund 1862, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Street Cleaning, beg to amend the application to read as follows, to wit:

Present Schedule.

1862.	Salaries—Administration:	
	Superintendent	$3,000 00
	District Superintendents, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,050 00
		$12,300 00

Proposed Schedule.

Superintendent	$3,000 00
District Superintendents, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Clerk	1,650 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Clerk	300 00
Unassigned	150 00
	$12,300 00

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the schedule for the Bureau of Street Cleaning, No. 1862, Salaries, in his office for the year 1911. On August 29, 1911, the request was orally amended. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to increase three Clerks and a Stenographer and Typewriter $150 per annum each. A Clerk at $1,050 per annum is to be stricken out, to provide for the salary increases of $600, and an additional Clerk at $300 per annum. The Superintendent of the Bureau states that the promotions are for faithful and efficient service.

The employees proposed for increases, their periods of service, etc., are as follows:

William J. Casey, Clerk, from $1,500 to $1,650 per annum:

Mr. Casey was appointed in the Department of Finance on December 1, 1906, at $900 per annum, and on June 1, 1907, was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens at the same rate. On March 1, 1908, he was increased to $1,200 per annum, and on July 1, 1909, to the present rate.

Alonzo A. Caffray, Clerk, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum:

Mr. Caffray was appointed in the Department of Finance on February 3, 1908, at $900 per annum. On July 19, 1909, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, at the present rate.

Henry A. Bornscheuer, Clerk, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum:

Mr. Bornscheur was appointed in the Tenement House Department on August 11, 1908, at the present rate. On November 9, 1909, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Mollie H. Hogan, Stenographer and Typewriter, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum:

Miss Hogan was appointed in the Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals on March 4, 1903, at $750, and was transferred to the Board of Water Supply on August 9, 1907, at the same rate. On May 1, 1909, Miss Hogan was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, at the present rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1862.	Clerk, at $1,650	.....	$1,650 00	.....	$550 00
	Clerk, at $1,500	$1,500 00	.....	$500 00	.....
	Clerks, at $1,200	.....	2,400 00	.....	800 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00	.....	1,050 00	.....
	Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,200	.....	1,200 00	.....	400 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at $1,050	1,050 00	.....	350 00	.....
	Clerk, at $300	.....	300 00	.....	100 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	150 00	.....	50 00
		$5,700 00	$5,700 00	$1,900 00	$1,900 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the necessary modification, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 5, 1911.

Hon. LAWRENCE GRESSER, *President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the year 1911, to take effect September 1, as follows:

President of the Borough of Queens.

Bureau of Street Cleaning:

1862.	Salaries—	
	Superintendent	$3,000 00
	District Superintendents, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Clerk	1,650 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Clerk	300 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
	Unassigned Balance	150 00
		$12,300 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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City of New York, Department of Correction, New York, August 22, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Dear Sir—I would respectfully request the honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to modify the Salary and Wages Schedule (Workhouse, Blackwells Island and New York City Reformatory, Harts Island), transmitted herewith.

These modifications are required to adjust the differences in the pay rolls of August 1, 1911, and the schedule lines as allowed in the Budget for 1911.

Inasmuch as no increase is contemplated, I trust that your honorable Board will take favorable action. Very respectfully,

WM. J. WRIGHT, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 6, 1911

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—In reference to a request of the Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Correction, under date of August 22, 1911, for modification of schedules Nos. 275 and 284, supporting budget appropriations for the year 1911 for wages of regular employees, I report as follows:

In No. 275, it is proposed to strike out a Hospital Helper at $600 per annum, and add one at $480, the balance of $120 to be scheduled as unassigned. A similar change is proposed in No. 284. The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer Decrease.	Schedule Transfer Increase.	Cash Transfer Decrease.	Cash Transfer Increase.
275.	Hospital Helpers, 7, at $600	$600 00	.....	$250 00	.....
	Hospital Helpers, 11, at $480	.....	$480 00	.....	$200 00
	Unassigned balance, $120	.....	120 00	.....	50 00
		$600 00	$600 00	$250 00	$250 00
284.	Hospital Helpers, 2 at $600	$600 00	.....	$250 00	.....
	Hospital Helper, 1 at $480	.....	480 00	.....	200 00
	Hospital Helper, 1 at $480	.....	120 00	.....	50 00
		$600 00	$600 00	$250 00	$250 00

It is stated that the modification is to adjust the payrolls in the two accounts.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 6, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. WRIGHT, *Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Correction:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve the schedules of wages in the Department of Correction, as follows:

Department of Correction.

Workhouse, B. I.—

275.	Wages, Regular Employees:	
	Gardener	$1,050 00
	Carpenter	1,050 00
	Butcher	1,050 00
	Wheelwright	1,000 00
	Shoemaker	900 00
	Tailor, $2.00 per diem, not to exceed	608 00
	Mechanics Helper	600 00
	Driver	600 00
	Hospital Helper, 6 at $600	3,600 00
	Hospital Helper, 12 at $480	5,760 00
	Cook	600 00
	Orderly (Female)	400 00
	Orderly (Female) 15 at $360	5,400 00
	Orderly (Male) 3 at $240	720 00
	Orderly (Male) 8 at $360	2,880 00
	Nurses, 4 at $360	1,440 00
	Stationary Enginemen, 3 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	4,927 50
	Stokers, 3 at $3.00 per day (365 days)	3,285 00
	Balance unassigned	240 00
		$36,110 50

Reformatory, Harts Island—

284.	Wages, Regular Employees:	
	Hospital Helper	$600 00
	Hospital Helpers, 2 at $480	960 00
	Orderly	360 00
	Cook	600 00
	Balance unassigned	120 00
		$2,640 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, August 19, 1911.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, Department of Finance*, City of New York:

Dear Sir—In the Bureau of Highways, this department, we have two or three non-budgetary accounts for which exist no salary schedule, and your Chief Auditor advises us it will be necessary to obtain a salary schedule for same. I attach hereto copy of proposed salary schedule which I would ask you to kindly approve at your earliest convenience, and advise me of your action. The changes in this salary schedule are:

The elimination of one stenographer and typewriter at $1,050 per annum and the substitution therefor of one typewriter copyist at the same salary.

The elimination of one mechanical draftsman at $1,500 per annum and the substitution therefor of one transitman at the same salary.

There is also added to this schedule the following employees who were previously on the pay roll unscheduled and who have been added to this budget schedule, both for the convenience of this office and your department:

	Per Annum.		
Assistant Engineer	1	at	$2,250
Clerk	1	at	2,100
Clerk	1	at	1,800
Clerk	3	at	1,050
Clerk	1	at	540
Drivers	2	at	900

The salary schedule will not increase the appropriation to this department, nor will it require the transfer of any money thereto. Yours very truly,

L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 19, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn requested modification of the budgetary part allowance schedule for the Bureau of Highways, No. 1770, Engineering Division, Regular Force, Salaries, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to eliminate a stenographer and typewriter at $1,050 per annum and a mechanical draftsman at $1,500 per annum, and substitute in place thereof a typewriter copyist at $1,050 and a transitman at $1,500. The grade of typewriter copyist at $1,050 is established for four incumbents, which is the number now employed. This item in the request therefore cannot be granted pending establishment.

It is also proposed to add the following positions:

Assistant Engineer	1	at	$2,250
Clerk	1	at	2,100
Clerk	1	at	1,800
Clerk	3	at	1,050
Clerk	1	at	540
Drivers	2	at	900

It appears that incumbents in these positions have been employed all year in the bureau, but have not been provided for in any schedule. The force of the bureau is engaged partly on budget and partly on assessment work, and request is made that these incumbents be provided for on the budgetary part allowance schedule of the bureau. No additional appropriation is required.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the request, with the exception noted, under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the year 1911, as follows:

Bureau of Highways.

Engineering Division, Regular Force—

1770	Salaries:			
	Chief Engineeer	1	at	$6,000
	Assistant Engineers	4	at	4,000
	Assistant Engineers	3	at	3,000
	Assistant Engineers	1	at	2,550
	Assistant Engineers	2	at	2,250
	Assistant Engineers	1	at	2,100
	Assistant Engineer	6	at	1,800
	Assistant Engineers	6	at	1,800
	Transitmen	1	at	1,650
	Transitman	3	at	1,500
	Transitmen	1	at	1,800
	Topographical Draftsman	3	at	1,500
	Topographical Draftsmen	2	at	1,200
	Topographical Draftsmen	1	at	1,500
	Leveller	1	at	1,200
	Rodman	7	at	1,050
	Rodmen	1	at	1,950
	Chemist	2	at	2,100
	Clerks	1	at	1,800
	Clerk	1	at	1,500
	Clerk	3	at	1,200
	Clerks	13	at	1,050
	Clerks	1	at	900
	Clerk	1	at	540
	Stenographers and Typewriters	4	at	1,200
	Typewriting Copyists	2	at	1,050
	Messenger	1	at	1,050
	Superintendent of Asphalt Plant	1	at	2,500
	Typewriter Accountant	1	at	1,500
	Automobile Engineman	1	at	1,200

Drivers	2	at	900
Stenographer and Typewriter	1	at	1,050

Budgetary part allowance, $78,400.
Yours truly,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, August 24, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—In order to carry on the summer work of the playgrounds under the jurisdiction of this Department, I have the honor to request the following transfer of funds in the 1911 Budget:

From Account 1082, Line Item 1, Gymnasium Attendants, at $4 per day, 1,413 days, $5,652.

Transfer $2,400, to Line Item 2, Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per day, 3,614 days, $10,842.

—thus changing Line Items 1 and 2 to read respectively:

Gymnasium Attendants, at $4 per day, 813 days	$3,252 00
Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per day, 4,414 days	13,242 00

Respectfully, CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requested modification of the 1911 wage schedule for temporary employees, No. 1082, Maintenance Playgrounds, Bath Houses and Comfort Stations. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to decrease the number of days for Gymnasium Attendants, at $4, from 1,413 to 813, and increase the number of days for Gymnasium Attendants, at $3, from 3,614 to 4,414. The Commissioner states the modification is necessary in order to keep the Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per diem, employed for the rest of the summer.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1082	Gymnasium Attendants, at $4 per diem (1,413 days)	$2,400 00	.....	$2,400 00	.....
	Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per diem (3,614 days)	.....	$2,400 00	.....	$2,400 00
		$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00	$2,400 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the necessary modification, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Mr. CHARLES B. STOVER, *Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, in the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for the year 1911, as follows:

Manhattan and Richmond.

Maintenance, Playgrounds, Bath Houses and Comfort Stations—

1082. Wages, Temporary Employees (Playgrounds):		
Gymnasium Attendants, at $4 per day (813 days)		$3,252 00
Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per day (4,414 days)		13,242 00
Playground Attendants, at $3 per day (2,038 days)		6,114 00
Playground Attendants, at $2 per day (4,696 days)		9,392 00
		$32,000 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Fire Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, August 9, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Sir—I have the honor to request further revision and modification of schedule supporting appropriation made to this Department, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, for the current year, entitled "962. Bureau of Combustibles, Salaries," by eliminating therefrom two positions of Oil Surveyor, at $1,500 each per annum, and incorporating therein two additional positions of Inspector of Blasting, at $1,500 each, thereby reducing the number of Oil Surveyors to 14 and increasing the number of Inspectors of Blasting to 4.

In explanation of this application, I have to state that in compliance with the request of this Department, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on July 6, 1911, adopted a resolution recommending the establishment in this Department of two additional positions of Inspector of Blasting, at $1,500 each. This resolution was concurred in by the Board of Aldermen July 18, 1911, and became effective, without the approval or disapproval of the Mayor, July 31, 1911. No additional expense is involved.

Very respectfully, JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Fire Department of the City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, August 10, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* 277 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—I have the honor to enclose herewith, for your information, copy of letter forwarded under date of the 9th instant, to his Honor, the Mayor, as Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, relative to the services of two additional Inspectors of Blasting. Respectfully,

JOS. JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 10, 1911, the Commissioner of the Fire Department requested modification of schedule supporting appropriation for 1911, for Account. No. 962, Salaries, Bureau of Combustibles, Manhattan, The Bronx, and Richmond. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

It is proposed to eliminate two positions of Oil Surveyor, at $1,500 each per annum, and substitute two Inspectors of Blasting, at the same rate, who are needed for the inspection of depositories of blasting explosives and the supervision of blasting operations.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
962.	Oil Surveyors, 16 at $1,500	$3,000 00	.....	$1,250 00	.....
	Inspectors of Blasting, 2 at $1,500	.....	$3,000 00	.....	$1,250 00
		$3,000 00	$3,000 00	$1,250 00	$1,250 00

I recommend that the request be granted and that the attached letter be transmitted to the Commissioner of the Fire Department, giving formal notice of approval.

Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH JOHNSON, JR., *Fire Commissioner:*

Sir—In accordance with your request of August 10, 1911, for a modification of salary schedule of your Department for the year 1911, and pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of the schedule, as revised, for the Fire Department, for the year 1911, as follows:

Fire Department.

General Administration, Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—

962. Salaries, Bureau of Combustibles:		
Inspector of Combustibles		$3,000 00
Cashier		2,000 00
Oil Surveyors, 14 at $1,500		21,000 00
Inspectors of Blasting, 4 at $1,500		6,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter		1,500 00
Clerk		1,500 00
Clerk		1,200 00
		$36,200 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 31, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, *Mayor and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Sir—Pursuant to resolution prefacing the budget application is hereby made for a revision of the schedule lines within Fund number 1842, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Sewers, Maintenance, including cleaning and repairs, wages temporary employees, etc., to-wit:

Present Schedule.

1842. Wages, Temporary Employees—		
Bricklayers at $5.60 per day, 260 days		$1,456 00
Sewer Cleaners at $3 per day, 1,150 days		3,450 00
Sewer Cleaners at $2 per day, 3,850 days		9,625 00
Laborers at $2.50 per day, 14,000 days		35,000 00
		$49,531 00

Proposed Schedule.

1842. Wages, Temporary Employees—		
Bricklayers at $5.60 per day, 325 days		$1,820 00
Sewer Cleaners at $3 per day, 1,354 days		4,062 00
Sewer Cleaners at $2.50 per day, 3,850 days		9,625 00
Laborers at $2.50 per day, 13,609 days		34,022 50
Unassigned balance		1 50
		$49,531 00

The Superintendent of the Bureau of Sewers reports that this request is made to provide for the employment of one bricklayer until the end of the year. Of the 260 days allowed, it was necessary to put in an extra bricklayer who was employed at the Jamaica Disposal Plant to assist the regular bricklayer in rebuilding the entire back wall of the plant which had badly bulged, threatening to fall with disastrous result. This modification will provide for the employment of five sewer cleaners at $3 per diem until the end of the year. Respectfully,

WALTER H. BUNN, Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 11, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 31, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the schedule for the Bureau of Sewers, Maintenance, Including Cleaning and Repairs, 1842, Wages, Temporary Employees, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to increase the number of days for bricklayers from 260 to 325, and for sewer cleaners at $3 per diem, from 1,150 to 1,354, to provide for the employment of the present incumbents for the rest of the year. One bricklayer was provided for in the schedule, and it is stated that it was necessary to employ an additional bricklayer for 40 days to assist the regular bricklayer in rebuilding the entire back wall of the Jamaica Disposal Plant which had badly bulged and was in danger of falling. The Superintendent of Sewers states that there is work for the bricklayer and sewer cleaners for the remainder of the year. The necessary amount is to be provided by decreasing the days for laborers, leaving a balance of $1.50 to be scheduled as unassigned.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1842	Bricklayers at $5.60 per diem (260 days)	.....	$364 00	.....	$364 00
	Sewer Cleaners at $3 per diem (1,150 days)	.....	612 00	.....	612 00
	Laborers at $2.50 per diem (14,000 days)	$977 50	.....	$977 50	.....
	Unassigned Balance	.....	1 50	.....	1 50
		$977 50	$977 50	$977 50	$977 50

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve of the request, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 11, 1911.

Hon. WALTER H. BUNN, *Acting President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Queens.

Bureau of Sewers, Maintenance, including Cleaning and Repairs—

1842. Wages, Temporary Employees:		
Bricklayers, at $5.60 per diem (325 days)		$1,820 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $3 per diem ($1,354 days)		4,062 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $2.50 per diem (3,850 days)		9,625 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (13,609 days)		34,022 50
Unassigned balance		1 50
		$49,531 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, August 29, 1911.

HON. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that you modify salary schedule No. 1791, Bureau of Sewers, by eliminating

1 Typewriter Copyist, at	$1,050 00
—and substituting therefor	
1 Clerk, at	$1,050 00

And also Salary Schedule No. 1770, Bureau of Highways, by eliminating

1 Stenographer and Typewriter, at	$1,050 00

—and substituting therefor
1 Typewriter Copyist, at $1,050 00

I would thank you to have this matter given early consideration.

Yours very truly, ALFRED E. STEERS, President of the Borough.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 12, 1911.

HON. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 29, 1911, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, requested modification of two salary schedules in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

In the Bureau of Sewers, Administration, No. 1791, it is proposed to eliminate a Typewriting Copyist, at $1,050 per annum, and substitute a Clerk, at the same rate.

In the Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Regular Force, No. 1770, it is proposed to eliminate a Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,050 per annum, and substitute a Typewriting Copyist, at the same rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1791.	Tyepwriting Copyist, 1 at $1,050	$1,050 00	.....	$350 00	.....
	Clerk, 1 at $1,050	.....	$1,050 00	.....	$350 00
1770.	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at $1,050	1,050 00	.....	.....	.....
	Typewriting Copyist, 2 at $1,050	.....	1,050 00	.....	.....
		$2,100 00	$2,100 00	$350 00	$350 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve of the request, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estitmate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 12, 1911.

HON. ALFRED E. STEERS, *President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve schedules of salaries, for the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Bureau of Sewers, Administration—
1791. Salaries:

Superintendent	$5,000 00
Assistant Superintendent, Maintenance and Repairs	2,250 00
Clerk	2,550 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Inspectors of Sewers and Basins, 8 at $1,200	9,600 00
Inspectors of Sewer Connections, 12 at $1,200	14,400 00
Messenger	1,050 00
Automobile Enginemen	1,200 00
	$49,850 00

Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Regular Force—
1770. Salaries:

Chief Engineer	1 at	$6,000 00
Assistant Engineers	4 at	4,000 00
Assistant Engineers	3 at	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,550 00
Assistant Engineers	2 at	2,250 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,100 00
Transitmen	6 at	1,800 00
Transitman	1 at	1,650 00
Transitmen	3 at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsman	1 at	1,800 00
Topographical Draftsmen	3 at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,200 00
Leveler	1 at	1,500 00
Rodman	1 at	1,200 00
Rodmen	7 at	1,050 00
Chemist	1 at	1,950 00
Clerks	2 at	2,100 00
Clerk	1 at	1,800 00
Clerk	1 at	1,500 00
Clerks	3 at	1,200 00
Clerks	13 at	1,050 00
Clerk	1 at	900 00
Clerk	1 at	540 00
Stenographers and Typewriters	4 at	1,200 00
Typewriting Copyists	3 at	1,050 00
Messenger	1 at	1,050 00
Superintendent of Asphalt Plant	1 at	2,500 00
Typewriter Accountant	1 at	1,500 00
Automobile Engineman	1 at	1,200 00
Drivers	2 at	900 00

Budgetary part allowance, $78,400.

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, August 18, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for a modification of the schedule lines supporting the appropriation made to the President, Borough of the Bronx, for the year 1911, as follows, to take effect August 1, 1911.

President Borough of the Bronx.

General Administration—
Code 1709. Salaries:

President of the Borough	$7,500 00
Commissioner of Public Works	5,500 00
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works	4,500 00
Consulting Engineer	6,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2,250 00
Secretary	4,000 00
General Bookkeeper	4,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner of Public Works	3,000 00
Clerk to President	2,700 00
Clerk	2,700 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerk	1,950 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	1,200 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerk	600 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Stenographer to the President	1,500 00
Typewriter Copyist	750 00
Attendant	1,500 00
Attendant	1,200 00
Messengers, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
Unassigned balance	1,500 00
	$72,450 00

The changes on above schedule from the present one, are as follows:

Decreases.		
1 Clerk	$1,350 00	
1 Clerk	1,050 00	$2,400 00
Increases.		
Compensation of Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, each $500	$1,000 00	
1 Clerk	900 00	$1,900 00
Net decrease	.....	$500 00

Respectfully, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President Borough of The Bronx.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, August 19, 1911.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for a modification supporting the schedule lines of the appropriation made to the President Borough of the Bronx for the year 1911, as follows, to take effect August 1, 1911:

Bureau of Sewers.

Maintenance, including Cleaning and Repairs—
Code 1741. Wages, Regular Employees:

Foreman of Stable and Yards	$2,100 00
Foreman	1,800 00
Foreman	1,500 00
Foremen, 8 at $4 per day, 303 days	9,696 00
Assistant Foreman, 1 at $3.50 per day, 303 days	1,060 50
Assistant Foremen, 3 at $3.50 per day, 365 days	3,832 50
Laborers, 3 at $3 per day, 303 days	2,727 00
Laborers, 26 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	19,695 00
Painter, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Blacksmith, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Blacksmith's Helper, 1 at $3 per day, 277 days	831 00
Carpenter, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Hostlers, 3 at $3 per day, 365 days	3,285 00
Drivers, 4 at $3 per day, 303 days	3,636 00
Stablemen, 2 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	1,515 00
Sewer Cleaners, 5 at $3 per day, 303 days	4,545 00
Sewer Cleaners, 16 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	12,120 00
Attendant	1,050 00
Unassigned balance	165 00
	$73,297 50

The only change in the above schedule from the present one is the provision for one Foreman of Stable and Yards at $2,100 in place of one Foreman of Hostlers at $1,800, which latter position it is proposed to abolish.

The grade of Foreman of Stable and Yards, Bureau of Sewers, was fixed under Section 56 of the Charter by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 6, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 18, 1911.

The total amount of original schedule remains unchanged. Respectfully,

THOMAS W. WHITTLE, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 12, 1911.

HON. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 18 and 19, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of the Bronx requested modification of salary schedule and a wage schedule supporting the budget appropriation for 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

In No. 1709, General Administration, it is proposed to increase the Commissioner of Public Works and the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works $500 per annum each, the present rates being $5,000 and $4,000 per annum respectively. On July 18, 1911, the Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, establishing the positions at the rates requested. The $1,000 necessary for the increases is to be provided by striking out a clerk at $1,350 per annum and one at $1,050. A clerk at $900 is to be added, and the balance of $500 scheduled as unassigned.

In the Bureau of Sewers, Maintenance, including cleaning and repairs, No. 1741, Wages, Regular Employees, it is proposed to increase Charles A. Soteldo from $1,800 to $2,100 per annum and change his title from Foreman of Hostlers to Foreman of Stable and Yards. On July 18, 1911, the Board of Aldermen established the position of Foreman of Stable and Yards for Mr. Soteldo at the $2,100 rate. The $300 necessary for the increase is to be transferred from an unassigned balance.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.
1709.	Commissioner of Public Works at $5,000	.....	$5,000 00	.....	$2,083 30
	Commissioner of Public Works	5,500 00	.....	2,291 65	.....
	Assistant Commissioner of Public Works at $4,000	.....	4,000 00	.....	1,666 65
	Assistant Commissioner of Public Works	4,500 00	.....	1,875 00	.....
	Clerk, 1 at $1,350	.....	1,350 00	.....	562 50
	Clerk, 1 at 1,050	.....	1,050 00	.....	437 50
	Clerk, 1 at $900	900 00	.....	375 00	.....
	Unassigned balance	500 00	.....	208 30	.....
		$11,400 00	$11,400 00	$4,749 95	$4,749 95
1741.	Foreman of Stable and Yards $2,100 00	$2,100 00	.....	$875 00	.....
	Foreman of Hostlers	.....	1,800 00	.....	750 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	300 00	.....	125 00
		$2,100 00	$2,100 00	$875 00	875 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 12, 1911.

Hon. THOMAS W. WHITTLE, *Acting President of The Bronx:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve schedules of salaries and wages as revised to take effect as of August 1, 1911, for the office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, as follows:

President Borough of the Bronx.

General Administration—
1709. Salaries:

President of the Borough	$7,500 00
Commissioner of Public Works	5,500 00

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works	4,500 00
Consulting Engineer	6,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2,250 00
Secretary	4,000 00
General Bookkeeper	4,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner of Public Works	3,000 00
Clerk to President	2,700 00
Clerk	2,700 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerk	1,950 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	1,200 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerk	600 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Stenographer to the President	1,500 00
Typewriting Copyist	750 00
Attendant	1,500 00
Attendant	1,200 00
Messengers, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
Unassigned balance	1,500 00
	$72,450 00

Bureau of Sewers.

Maintenance, including Cleaning and Repairs—

1741. Wages, Regular Employees:	
Foreman of Stable and Yards	$2,100 00
Foreman	1,800 00
Foreman	1,500 00
Foremen, 8 at $4 per day, 303 days	9,696 00
Assistant Foreman, 1 at $3.50 per day, 303 days	1,060 00
Assistant Foremen, 3 at $3.50 per day, 365 days	3,832 50
Laborers, 3 at $3 per day, 303 days	2,727 00
Laborers, 26 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	19,695 00
Painter, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Blacksmith, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Blacksmith's Helper, 1 at $3.00 per day, 277 days	831 00
Carpenter, 1 at $4.50 per day, 277 days	1,246 50
Hostlers, 3 at $3 per day, 365 days	3,285 00
Drivers, 4 at $3 per day, 303 days	3,636 00
Stablemen, 2 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	1,515 00
Sewer Cleaners, 5 at $3 per day, 303 days	4,545 00
Sewer Cleaners, 16 at $2.50 per day, 303 days	12,120 00
Attendant	1,050 00
Unassigned balance	165 00
	$73,297 50

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, The City of New York, Long Island City, August 24, 1911.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Esq., *Comptroller*, City of New York:

Dear Sir—Pursuant to resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted August 3, 1911, application is hereby made for revision of the Schedule Lines in connection with Fund 1863, "President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Sweeping, Carting, and Final Disposition," to wit:

	Present Schedule.		Proposed Schedule.	
1863. Wages, Regular Employees—				
Section Foremen	2 at $1,500	$3,000 00	2 at $1,500	$3,000 00
Section Foremen	10 at 1,200	12,000 00	13 at 1,200	15,600 00
Asst. Section Foremen	4 at 900	3,600 00	3 at 900	2,700 00
Asst. Foremen, per diem, 313 days	6 at 3 25	6,103 50	4 at 3 25	4,069.00
Driver, per diem, 313 days	1 at 3 00	939 00	.....	939 00
Dump Boardmen, per diem, 313 days	11 at 3 00	10,329 00	.....	10,329 00
Stoker, per diem, 313 days	1 at 3 00	939 00	.....	939 00
Laborer, per diem, 313 days	3 at 3 00	2,817 00	.....	2,817 00
Unassigned			.....	1,212 00
		$39,727 50	.....	$39,727 50

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, The City of New York, Long Island City, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, City of New York:

Dear Sir—Confirming ours of the 24th ultimo, applying for revision of schedule lines in connection with Fund 1863, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Sweeping, Carting and Final Disposition, we beg to amend our application to read as follows, to wit:

	Present Schedule.		Proposed Schedule.	
1863. Wages, Regular Employees—				
Section Foremen	2 at $1,500	$3,000 00	2 at $1,500	$3,000 00
Section Foremen	10 at 1,200	12,000 00	13 at 1,200	15,600 00
Asst. Section Foremen	4 at 900	3,600 00	3 at 900	2,700 00
Asst. Foremen, per diem, 313 days	6 at 3 25	6,103 50	3 at 3 25	3,051 75
Driver, per diem, 313 days	1 at 3 00	939 00	.....	939 00
Dump Boardmen, per diem, 313 days	11 at 3 00	10,329 00	.....	10,329 00
Stoker, per diem, 313 days	1 at 3 00	939 00	.....	939 00
Laborer, per diem, 313 days	3 at 3 00	2,817 00	.....	2,817 00
Unassigned			.....	351 75
		$39,727 50	.....	$39,727 50
		Increase.		Decrease.
Section Foreman		$3,600 00		.....
Asst. Section Foreman		.....		900 00
Asst. Foreman		.....		3,051 75
Unassigned		351 75		.....
		$3,951 75		$3,951 75

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 9, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the wage schedule in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Sweeping, Carting and Final Disposition, No. 1863, Wages, Regular Employees, in his office for the year 1911. On September 5, 1911, the request was amended. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to promote an Assistant Foreman at $900 per annum and two Assistant Foremen at $3.25 per diem, to Section Foreman at $1,200 per annum. The incumbents proposed for promotion have been acting in the capacity of Section Foremen and have passed the Civil Service examination for the position. The total yearly increase of $665.50 is to be provided by eliminating an Assistant Foreman at $3.25 per diem, the balance of $351.75 to be scheduled as unassigned.

The employees proposed for promotion, their periods of service, etc., are as follows:

Martin Clancy, appointed as Assistant Foreman, on November 27, 1899, at $900 per annum, the present rate.

Theodore Damm, appointed as Assistant Foreman, on January 23, 1908, at $3.25 per diem, the present rate.

Charles Abel, appointed as Assistant Foreman, on February 27, 1909, at $3.25 per diem, the present rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1863.	Section Foremen, 10 at $1,200	.....	$3,600 00	.....	$1,200 00
	Assistant Foremen, 4 at $900	$900 00	.....	$300 00	.....
	Assistant Foremen, 6 at $3.25 per diem (313 days)	3,051 75	.....	1,017 25	.....
	Unassigned balance	.....	351 75	.....	117 25
		$3,951 75	$3,951 75	$1,317 25	$1,317 25

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 12, 1911.

Hon. LAWRENCE GRESSER, *President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 1, as follows:

President of the Borough of Queens.

Bureau of Street Cleaning, Sweeping, Carting and Final Disposition—

1863. Wages, Regular Employees:	
Section Foremen, 2 at $1,500	$3,000 00
Section Foremen, 13 at $1,200	15,600 00
Assistant Foremen, 3 at $900	2,700 00
Assistant Foremen, 3 at $3.25 per diem (313 days)	3,051 75
Driver, 1 at $3 per diem (313 days)	939 00
Dump Boardmen, 11 at $3 per diem (313 days)	10,329 00
Stoker, 1 at $3 per diem (313 days)	939 00
Laborers, 3 at $3 per diem (313 days)	2,817 00
Unassigned balance	351 75
	$39,727 50

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, August 24, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller*, 280 Broadway, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that you modify Salary Schedule No. 1807, Wages, Temporary Employees, Floating Baths, Attendants, 8 at $750, 4 months, $2,000, by eliminating the following: 8 at $750, 4 months, so that the Schedule will then read:

Wages, Temporary Employees, Floating Baths, Attendants $2,000 00

This change, if made, will allow for the auditing of the payrolls by this Department, as in some portions of the four months we have more than 8 Attendants and in other portions less. Therefore, if this Schedule be amended to a lump sum it will be more convenient both for this Department and your Department in the passing of payrolls. Yours truly, L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, requested modification of Schedule No. 1807, Wages, Temporary Employees, Floating Baths, in his office for the year 1911. On August 31, 1911, the request was orally amended. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The schedule provides for eight Attendants, at $750 for four months, and the following change is proposed:

Attendants, at $750 (28 months)	$1,750 00
Bath Attendants, at $2.50 per day (100 days)	250 00
	$2,000 00

The modification is requested, it is stated, for the reason that the number of Attendants employed frequently exceeds or falls below the eight now in the schedule. There is a balance of $1,123.41 in the account. It is stated that this amount will not be expended.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1807.	Attendants, 8 at $750 (4 months)	$2,000 00	.....	$2,000 00	.....
	Attendants, at $750 (28 months)	.....	$1,750 00	.....	$1,750 00
	Bath Attendants, at $2.50 per day (100 days)	.....	250 00	.....	250 00
		$2,000 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00	$2,000 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Hon. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1911, as follows:

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance:

1807. Wages, Temporary Employees, Floating Baths—	
Attendants, at $750 (28 months)	$1,750 00
Bath Attendants, at $2.50 per day (100 days)	250 00
	$2,000 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 24, 1911.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Esq., *Comptroller, City of New York*

Dear Sir—Pursuant to resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted August 3, 1911, application is hereby made for revision of the Schedule Lines

appertaining to Fund No. 1826, "President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Highways, Administration—Salaries," to wit·

	Present Schedule	Proposed Schedule.
Superintendent	$3,000 00	$3,000 00
Chief Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
Chief Inspector	2,500 00	.....
Cashier	2,100 00	2,100 00
Clerk	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerk	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerk	1,050 00	1,200 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00	2,100 00
Clerk	900 00	1,050 00
Clerk	600 00	750 00
Junior Clerk	540 00	540 00
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00	1,050 00
Typewriting Copyist	900 00	900 00
Messenger	900 00	900 00
Inspectors of Complaints, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00	4,800 00
Clerk	.....	900 00
Clerk	.....	600 00
Clerk	.....	540 00
Unassigned balance	.....	10 00
	$25,940 00	$25,940 00

Very truly yours,
LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the schedule for the Bureau of Highways, Administration, No. 1826, Salaries, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows: Increases in salary are proposed for the following employees:

Henry A. Christie, Clerk, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum.

Mr. Christie was appointed on April 25, 1910, at the present rate.

Gerda S. Bergstrom, Clerk, from $900 to $1,050 per annum.

Miss Bergstrom was appointed in the Department of Health on May 21, 1898, at $720 per annum; increased on October 1, 1905, to the present rate and on November 1, 1910, was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Frederick W. Funk, Clerk, from $600 to $750 per annum.

Mr. Funk was appointed in the Board of Water Supply on February 28, 1907, at $300 per annum; on August 9, 1909, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, at $540 per annum, and on April 1, 1911, was increased to the present rate.

The Superintendent of the Bureau states that the increases are for faithful and efficient service. It is also proposed to appoint three additional Clerks, at $900, $600 and $540 per annum, respectively. The Superintendent states that the additional Clerks are necessary on account of the increased work of the Bureau.

The sums of $450 for the increases and $2,040 for the new positions are to be provided by striking out a Chief Inspector, at $2,500 per annum, the balance of $10 to be scheduled as unassigned.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1826.	Chief Inspector, 1 at $2,500..	$2,500 00	.....	$833 33	.....
	Clerk, 1 at $1,200	.....	$1,200 00	.....	$400 00
	Clerk, at $750	.....	750 00	.....	250 00
	Clerk, 1 at $540	.....	540 00	.....	180 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	10 00	.....	3 33
		$2,500 00	$2,500 00	$833 33	$833 33

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Hon. LAWRENCE GRESSER, *President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the year 1911, to take effect September 1, as follows:

President, Borough of Queens.

Bureau of Highways, Administration—

1826. Salaries—

Superintendent	$3,000 00
Chief Clerk	2,500 00
Cashier	2,100 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerks, 3 at $1,050 each	3,150 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerk	750 00
Clerk	600 00
Junior Clerk, 2 at $540	1,080 00
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00
Typewriting Copyist	900 00
Messenger	900 00
Inspector of Complaints, 4 at $1,200	4,800 00
Unassigned balance	10 00
	$25,940 00

Yours very truly,
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, September 7, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that you approve of the modification of Salary Schedule of our Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, "No. 1806, Maintenance, Wages, Regular Employees," as follows:

Eliminate the line "Attendant, 1 at $600," and increase the line "Attendants, at $900" by adding an additional Attendant, to read as follows: "49 at $900," and reduce the unassigned balance to $323.

The above request, if granted, will equalize the salaries of male and female Attendants in this Department by increasing James Markey, from $750 to $900, the regular salary for male Attendants, and increasing Elizabeth A. Kelly, from $600 to $750, the rate paid female Attendants.

I would ask that these modifications date from September 1.

Yours very truly, L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 7, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn requested modification of the wage schedule for the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance, No. 1806, Wages, Regular Employees, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

It is proposed to increase a male Attendant from $750 to $900 and a female Attendant from $600 to $750 per annum in order to equalize the salaries of male and female Attendants in the office. The $300 necessary for the increases is to be transferred from an unassigned balance of $623.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1806.	Attendants, 48 at $900.....	.....	$900 00	.....	$300 00
	Attendants, 1 at $600	$600 00	.....	$200 00	.....
	Unassigned balance, $300	300 00	.....	100 00	.....
		$900 00	$900 00	$300 00	$300 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

Hon. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance—

1806. Wages, Regular Employees—

Attendant	$1,200 00
Attendants, 49 at $900	44,100 00
Attendants, 48 at $750	36,000 00
Janitors, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
Janitors, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Janitors, 7 at $900	6,300 00
Janitor	750 00
Janitress, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Carpenters, 3 at $1,050	3,150 00
Elevator Conductors, 12 at $900	10,800 00
Matron	1,050 00
Plasterer	1,000 00
Watchmen, 9 at $900	8,100 00
Driver	900 00
Drivers, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Laborers, 8 at $900	7,200 00
Laborers, 64 at $750	48,000 00
Cleaners, 61 at $360	21,960 00
Stationery Engineers, 25 at $4.50 per day (365 days)	41,062 50
Housesmith, 1 at $4.50 per day (277 days)	1,246 50
Plumber, 1 at $5.50 per day (277 days)	1,523 50
Foreman Laborers, 2 at $4 per day (313) days)	2,504 00
Firemen, 29 at $3 per day (365 days)	31,755 00
Oiler, 1 at $3 per day (365 days)	1,095 00
Unassigned balance	323 00
	$279,619 50

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York, 299 Broadway, New York, September 14, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller of The City of New York:*

Sir—The Municipal Civil Service Commission hereby respectfully requests that its salary schedule be amended to read as follows:

President	$6,000 00
Commissioners, 2 at $5,000	10,000 00
Secretary	5,000 00
Assistant Secretary	4,000 00
Labor Clerk	3,500 00
Chief Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerks, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
Clerks, 3 at $1,800	5,400 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
Clerk	1,350 00
Clerks, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
Clerks, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
Clerks, 2 at $900	1,800 00
Clerks, 3 at $750	2,250 00
Clerks, 4 at $600	2,400 00
Clerks, 3 at $540	1,620 00
Clerks, 3 at $480	1,440 00
Clerks, 5 at $300	1,500 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
Telephone Operator	1,050 00
Chief Examiner	4,200 00
Assistant Chief Examiners, 2 at $3,500	7,000 00
Medical Examiner	2,400 00
Examiners, 3 at $2,700	8,100 00
Examiners, 3 at $2,400	7,200 00
Examiners, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
Examiners, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	$122,260 00

These changes will not increase the total appropriation of the Commission for the year 1911, as fixed by the Budget. They are made necessary owing to a readjustment of the office force. Yours respectfully,
F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 15, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 14, 1911, the Municipal Civil Service Commission requested modification of the salary schedule for the office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The only change involved is the striking out of the unassigned balance of $600, and the adding of two Clerks at $300 per annum each.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1331.	Clerks, 3 at $300.....	.....	$600 00	.....	$200 00
	Unassigned balance	$600 00	.....	$200 00	.....

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 15, 1911.

Mr. FRANK A. SPENCER, *Secretary, Municipal Civil Service Commission:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Municipal Civil Service Commission for the year 1911, as follows:

Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Administration—

1331.	Salaries:	
	President	$6,000 00
	Commissioners, 2 at $5,000	10,000 00
	Secretary	5,000 00
	Assistant Secretary	4,000 00
	Labor Clerk	3,500 00
	Chief Clerk	3,000 00
	Clerk	2,400 00
	Clerks, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,800	5,400 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,650	3,300 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
	Clerk	1,350 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,050	2,100 00
	Clerks, 2 at $900	1,800 00
	Clerks, 3 at $750	2,250 00
	Clerks, 4 at $600	2,400 00
	Clerks, 3 at $540	1,620 00
	Clerks, 3 at $480	1,440 00
	Clerks, 5 at $300	1,500 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
	Telephone Operator	1,050 00
	Chief Examiner	4,200 00
	Assistant Chief Examiners, 2 at $3,500	7,000 00
	Medical Examiner	2,400 00
	Examiners, 3 at $2,700	8,100 00
	Examiners, 3 at $2,400	7,200 00
	Examiners, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
	Examiners, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
		$122,260 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Fire Department of the City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, City of New York:*

Sir—Pursuant to the provisions of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I have the honor to request modification of schedules supporting appropriations made to this Department for the current year, the same involving no transfer of funds, as follows:

Boroughs of Manhatttan, The Bronx and Richmond, Account 960, Office of the Commissioner, Salaries: Eliminate position of Clerk at $1,800 per annum, and substitute therefor position of Clerk at $2,000 per annum. This would reduce the unassigned balance in account 960 from $600 to $400, the schedule having undergone modification July 27, 1911. The object of this request is to permit of an increase from $1,800 to $2,000 per annum in the salary of Clerk Michael P. Corrigan, Bookkeeping Division, Office of the Commissioner. Mr. Corrigan entered the service of this Department as Third Grade Clerk, at $1,500 per annum, on April 1, 1907, by transfer from the Department of Correction, where he had served as Clerk since February 12, 1906. On January 1, 1911, as the result of competitive civil service examination, he was advanced to a Clerkship of the Fourth Grade at $1,800 per annum. His services are worth the additional $200, as he is a faithful, hard-working and conscientious employee.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Account 1014, Bureau of Fire Marshal, Salaries: Eliminate positions of Assistant Inspector at $2,000 per annum (the former incumbent having died March 20, 1911) and Clerk at $900 per annum, and substitute an additional Clerkship at $1,200 per annum, making two Clerkships in this Bureau at the last mentioned rate. This would leave in account 1014 an unassigned balance of $1,700. The object of this request is twofold, being to permit of the assignment to the Bureau of Fire Marshal, at $1,200 per annum, of Alexander W. Harris, a Clerk in the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, who was appointed in this Department in such capacity at $900 per annum on March 28, 1905, and whose salary, on November 1, 1907, was advanced to $1,050 per annum, at which rate it has since remained; also of the assignment to the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies in said Boroughs at $1,050 per annum of Clerk Abraham N. Flamm, Bureau of Fire Marshal. Mr. Flamm entered the service of this Department as Second Grade Clerk at $900 per annum on October 15, 1909, by transfer from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, where he had served in a similar capacity from July 17, 1907.

Both Mr. Harris and Mr. Flamm, by satisfactory service, have shown themselves entitled to the increase of $150 each, which it is desired to make in their present annual compensation.

Respectfully, JOS. JOHNSON, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 15, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 8, 1911, the Fire Commissioner requested modification of two salary schedules supporting appropriations to his Department for 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

In No. 960, Office of the Commissioner, it is proposed to use $200 of an unassigned balance of $600 to increase the salary of Michael P. Corrigan, a Clerk in the Bookkeeping Division, from $1,800 to $2,000 per annum. Mr. Corrigan was appointed as a Clerk in the Department of Correction on February 12, 1906, at $800 a year and maintenance. On March 1, 1907, after a competitive examination, he was advanced to $1,500, without maintenance. On April 1, 1907, he was transferred to the Fire Department, at the same salary, and on January 1, 1911, his compensation was fixed at the present rate, following a competitive Civil Service examination.

In No. 1014, Bureau of Fire Marshal, the position of Assistant Inspector at $2,000 is to be eliminated, and a Clerk at $1,200 added. The Clerkship at $1,200 is to be filled by the transfer of Alexander W. Harris from the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Brooklyn and Queens. Mr. Harris was appointed as a Clerk, at $900 per annum, on March 28, 1905, and was increased on November 1, 1907, to $1,050, his present rate.

Abraham N. Flamm, a Clerk at $900, is to be transferred to the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Brooklyn and Queens, to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Mr. Harris. Mr. Flamm was appointed as a Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on July 17, 1907, at $900 per annum. On October 15, 1909, he was transferred to the Fire Department at the same rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
960	Clerk, 1, at $1,800	$1,800 00	.....	$600 00	.....
	Clerk, at $2,000	.....	$2,000 00	.....	$666 67
	Unassigned balance	200 00	.....	66 67	.....
1014	Assistant Inspector, 1 at $2,000	2,000 00	.....	666 67	.....
	Clerk, 1, at $1,200	.....	1,200 00	.....	400 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	800 00	.....	266 67
		$4,000 00	$4,000 00	$1,333 34	$1,333 34

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 15, 1911.

Hon. JOSEPH JOHNSON, *Fire Commissioner:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve schedules, as revised, for the Fire Department, for the year 1911, as follows:

Fire Department.

General Administration—Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, Office of the Commissioner—

960	Salaries—	
	Commissioner	$7,500 00
	Deputy Commissioner	5,000 00
	Secretary to Department	4,800 00
	Assistant Secretary to Department	3,500 00
	Secretary to Commissioner	3,000 00
	Clerk	3,000 00
	Clerks, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
	Clerk	2,000 00
	Clerk	1,500 00
	Clerks, 2 at $900	1,800 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,800 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,350 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Bookkeeper	1,800 00
	Bookkeeper	1,500 00
	Bookkeeper	1,200 00
	Messenger	1,200 00
	Unassigned balance	400 00
		$48,550 00

General Administration—Brooklyn and Queens, Bureau of Fire Marshal—

1014	Salaries—	
	Fire Marshal	$3,000 00
	Assistant Fire Marshal	2,000 00
	Assistant Fire Marshal, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
	Inspector	2,000 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Clerk	900 00
	Stenographer	1,000 00
	Unassigned balance	800 00
		$15,100 00

Yours truly, WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, President of the Borough of the Bronx, Third Ave. and 177th St., August 18th, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for a modification of the schedule lines supporting the appropriations made to this office for the year 1911, as below described, same to take effect in each instance under date of August 1st, 1911:

President, Borough of the Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings, Administration—

Code 1762.	Salaries.	
	Superintendent	$5,000 00
	Secretary to Superintendent	2,500 00
	Plan Clerk	1,800 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,800 00	5,400 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,650 00	3,300 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,500 00	4,500 00
	Clerk	1,050 00
	Clerk	300 00
	Stengraphers and Typewriters, 2 at $900 00	1,800 00
	Typewriting Copyist	600 00
	Messengers, 3 at $1,200 00	3,600 00
	Automobile Enginemen, 2 at $1,200 00	2,400 00
	Driver	900 00
	Unassigned Balance	1,350 00
		$34,500 00

The only change in the above schedule from tthe present one is a decrease in salary of one clerk of $150 00, one being appointed at $1,050 00 in place of one resigned at $1,200 00.

President, Borough of the Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings, Field and Inspection—

Code 1763	Salaries.		
	Chief Inspector		$3,000 00
	Assistant Engineer		2,400 00
	Assistant Engineer		1,800 00
	Inspector		2,400 00
	Inspector		1,800 00
	Inspectors, 2 at $1,650 00		3,300 00
	Inspectors, 34 at $1,500 00		51,000 00
	Inspector		1,350 00
	Inspectors, 5 at $1,200 00		6,000 00
	Unassigned Balance		1,650 00
			$74,700 00

The above schedule shows a total decrease in salaries of $150 00 below the present schedule, made up as follows:

Decrease.		
4 Inspectors at $1,500 00		$6,000 00
1 Inspector		1,350 00
		$7,350 00
Increase.		
2 Inspectors at $1,650 00	$3,300 00	
3 Inspectors at $1,200 00	3,600 00	
1 Inspector, $2,100 00 to $2,400 00	300 00	$7,200 00
Net Decrease		$150 00

The increase of one Inspector from $2,100 00 to $2,400 00 is intended for one who often acts as Chief Inspector, and does confidential work.

Respectfully, CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of the Bronx.

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

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 18, 1911, the President of the Borough of the Bronx requested modification of two salary schedules supporting budget appropriations for 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

In No. 1762, Bureau of Buildings, Administration, it is proposed to strike out a clerk, at $1,200 per annum, and substitute a clerk at $1,050, the balance of $150 to be scheduled as unassigned.

In 1763, Bureau of Buildings, Field and Inspection, it is proposed to strike out four inspectors, at $1,500 each, and one at $1,350. Two inspectors are to be increased from $1,500 to $1,650 each, and one from $2,100 to $2,400.

The incumbents proposed for increase, their periods of service, etc., are as follows:

Thomas F. Duggan, appointed on November 1, 1906, at $1,350, and increased to $1,500 on January 1, 1911.

John F. Kaiser, appointed on May 15, 1907, at $1,350, and increased to $1,500 on January 1, 1910.

T. T. Patterson, appointed on September 5, 1895, at $1,500, and increased to $2,100 on September 1, 1910.

An examination of the record of positions and grades discloses the fact that the position of Inspector at $2,400 has not been established in accordance with the provisions of Section 56 of the Charter. The line has therefore been omitted.

The following table shows the line changes in detail:

		Schedule Transfer.		Cash Transfer.	
		Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1762.	Salaries:				
	Clerk at $1,200 00	.....	$1,200 00	.....	$500 00
	Clerk at $1,050 00	$1,050 00	.....	$437 50	.....
	Unassigned balance	150 00	.....	62 50	.....
		$1,200 00	$1,200 00	$500 00	$500 00
1763.	Salaries:				
	Inspectors	$3,300 00	.....	$1,375 00	.....
	Inspectors, 38 at $1,500 00	.....	$6,000 00	.....	$2,500 00
	Inspectors, 2 at $1,350 00	.....	1,350 00	.....	562 50
	Inspectors, 2 at $1,200 00	3,600 00	.....	1,500 00	.....
	Unassigned balance	450 00	.....	187 50	.....
		$7,350 00	$7,350 00	$3,062 50	$3,062 50

The changes give a decrease of $600 per annum on the actual payroll cost.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request as of August 1, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

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

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, *President of the Borough of the Bronx:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1911, to take effect August 1, 1911, as follows:

President, Borough of the Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings, Administration—

1762.	Salaries	
	Superintendent	$5,000 00
	Secretary to Superintendent	2,500 00
	Plan Clerk	1,800 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,800 00	5,400 00
	Clerks, 2 at $1,650 00	3,300 00
	Clerks, 3 at $1,500 00	4,500 00
	Clerk	1,050 00
	Clerk	300 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at $900 00	1,800 00
	Typewriting Copyist	600 00
	Messengers, 3 at $1,200 00	3,600 00
	Automobile Enginemen, 2 at $1,200 00	2,400 00
	Driver	900 00
	Unassigned balance	1,350 00
		$34,500 00
1763.	Salaries:	
	Chief Inspector	$3,000 00
	Assistant Engineer	2,400 00
	Assistant Engineer	1,800 00
	Inspector	2,100 00
	Inspector	1,800 00
	Inspectors, 2 at $1,650 00	3,300 00
	Inspectors, 34 at $1,500 00	51,000 00
	Inspector	1,350 00
	Inspectors, 5 at $1,200 00	6,000 00
	Unassigned balance	1,950 00
		$74,700 00

Yours very truly, WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 24, 1911.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Esq., *Comptroller, City of New York:*

Dear Sir—Pursuant to resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted August 3, 1911, application is hereby made for revision of the Schedule Lines pertaining to Fund 1828, President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Highways, Engineering and Inspection Division, Regular Force, to wit:

Present Schedule.

1828.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,500	5,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,250 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,100 00
	Draftsman, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,350 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Transitman, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
	Transitman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Chainman, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Rodman, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at $1,650	4,950 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 8 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at $3.50 per diem	.....
	Inspector of Street Opening, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,200 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00
		$20,458 32

Proposed Schedule.

1828.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 4 at $2,500	10,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Transitman, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
	Chainman, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Rodman, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at $1,650	4,950 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 8 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at $3.50 per diem	.....
	Inspector of Street Openings, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,500 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00
		$49,700 00

Very truly yours, LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, August 30, 1911.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Esq., *Comptroller, City of New York:*

Dear Sir—Referring to our letter of the 24th instant, applying for a revision of the Schedule Lines appertaining to Fund 1828—President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Highways, Engineering Inspection Division, Regular Force—we beg to amend our application to read as follows:

Present Schedule.

1828—	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,500	5,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,250 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,100 00
	Draftsman, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,350 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Transitman, 3 at $1,500	4,500 00
	Transitman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Chainman, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Rodman, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at $1,650	4,950 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 8 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspector of Street Openings, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,200 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00

Proposed Schedule.

1828—	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,500	5,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,550	5,100 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,500 00
	Transitman, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
	Chainman, 3 at $1,200	3,600 00
	Rodman, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at $1,650	4,950 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 8 at $4 per diem	.....
	Inspector Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspector of Street Openings, 5 at $1,200	6,000 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,350 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00

Very truly yours, LAWRENCE GRESSER, President, Borough of Queens.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City. September 12, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller of The City of New York*, New York, N. Y.

Sir—Confirming ours of the 24th and 30th ult., applying for revision of schedule Allotments appertaining to Fund 1828, Bureau of Highways, Engineering and Inspection, Regular Force, in accordance with instructions received from your Department, we beg to amend our application to read as follows:

Present Schedule.

Engineering and Inspection Division, Regular Force, Salaries, $20,458.32:

Code 1828—	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineers, 2 at	2,500 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,250 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	2,100 00
	Draftsmen, 2 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,350 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Transitmen, 3 at	1,500 00
	Transitman, 1 at	1,200 00
	Chainmen, 3 at	1,200 00
	Rodmen, 2 at	1,200 00
	Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 8 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at $3.50 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspectors of Street Openings, 5 at	1,200 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,200 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00

Proposed Schedule.

Engineering and Inspection Division, Regular Force, Salaries $20,458.32—

Code 1828:	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at	2,550 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at	2,500 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	1,800 00
	Draftsmen, 2 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,500 00
	Transitmen, 4 at	1,500 00
	Chainmen, 3 at	1,200 00
	Rodmen, 2 at	1,200 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 7 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspectors of Street Openings, 5 at	1,200 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,350 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00

By direction of the President.

Yours respectfully, HARRY W. MURPHY, Chief Clerk and Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the President of the Borough of Queens requested modification of the budgetary part allowance schedule for the Bureau of Highways, Engineering and Inspection Division, Regular Force, 1828—Salaries, in his office for the year 1911. On August 30 and September 12, 1911, the request was amended. In connection therewith I report as follows:

Increases in compensation are proposed for two Assistant Engineers of $300 and $450 per annum, respectively; a Draftsman of $300, a Transitman of $300, and a Stenographer and Typewriter of $150 per annum. It is also proposed to promote

a Draftsman, at $1,350, to Assistant Engineer, at $1,800 per annum. The total yearly increase of $1,950 is to be provided by eliminating two Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Curbing at $3.50 and $4 per diem, respectively. It is stated that the promotions are for faithful and efficient service.

The employees proposed for increase, their periods of service, etc., are as follows:

James J. Blake, Assistant Engineer, from $2,250 to $2,550 per annum.

Mr. Blake was appointed as an Assistant Engineer in the Rapid Transit Commission on September 1, 1904, at $1,200 per annum; increased on May 1, 1905, to $1,500 per annum. On August 31, 1905, he resigned. On September 1, 1905, he was appointed as a Transitman in the Board of Water Supply at $1,650 per annum, and on February 1, 1906, he was promoted to Assistant Engineer at the same rate. On July 10, 1906, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, at $1,800 per annum. On April 14, 1907, he was increased to $2,100 and on July 1, 1909, to the present rate.

George Berger, Assistant Engineer, from $2,100 to $2,550 per annum.

Mr. Berger was appointed as a Transitman in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens on March 15, 1899, at $1,000 per annum. On July 6, 1903, he resigned and was appointed as a Topographical Draftsman in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, at $1,200 per annum. On March 1, 1904, he resigned and was appointed in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens as a Topographical Draftsman at $1,350 per annum, and increased to $1,500 on July 1, 1905. On Novmber 1, 1905, he was increased to $1,800 per annum and title changed to Transitman and Computer, and on July 1, 1909, his title was changed to Assistant Engineer and increased to the present rate.

Thomas F. McNamara, Draftsman, from $1,200 to $1,500 per annum.

Mr. McNamara was appointed on April 15, 1906, in the Rapid Transit Commission, as a Rodman, at $960 per annum. On August 30, 1907, he resigned. On September 1, 1907, he was appointed in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens as a Draftsman at the present rate.

George F. Carlin, Transitman, from $1,200 to $1,500 per annum.

Mr. Carlin was appointed on May 1, 1906, in the Rapid Transit Commission, as an Axeman at $720 per annum, and in 1906 was promoted to Rodman, at $960 per annum. On May 15, 1907, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens at $1,050 per annum, and on July 1, 1909, his title was changed to Transitman, at the present rate.

Joseph Siegel, Jr., Stenographer and Typewriter, from $1,200 to $1,350 per annum.

Mr. Siegel was appointed on January 23, 1899, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at $800 per annum; increased on May 1, 1902, to $900; on January 1, 1905, to $1,000, and on January 1, 1907, to $1,200. On June 6, 1910, he was transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens at the present rate.

Carl Steiner, Draftsman, at $1,350, to Assistant Engineer, at $1,800 per annum.

Mr. Steiner was appointed in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens on October 1, 1907, as a Draftsman at $1,200 per annum. On July 1, 1909, he was increased to $1,350, and on June 22, 1910, he resigned. On October 3, 1910, he was reappointed at the present rate.

The following table shows the changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Increase.
1828.	Assistant Engineers, 2 at $2,550	.....	$5,100 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at $2,250	$2,250 00	.....
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at $2,100	2,100 00	.....
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at $1,800	.....	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 1 at $1,350	1,350 00	.....
	Draftsman, 1 at $1,200	1,200 00	.....
	Draftsman, 1 at $1,500	.....	1,500 00
	Transitman, 3 at $1,500	.....	1,500 00
	Transitman, 1 at $1,200	1,200 00	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 8 at $4 per diem (300 days)	1,200 00	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at $3.50 per diem (300 days)	1,050 00	.....
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at $1,200	1,200 00	.....
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at $1,350	.....	1,350 00
		$11,550 00	$11,250 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

Hon. LAWRENCE GRESSER, *President of the Borough of Queens:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, to take effect as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Queens—Bureau of Highways.

Engineering and Inspection Division—Regular Force—

1828.	Salaries:	
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	$4,000 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at	2,550 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at	2,500 00
	Assistant Engineer, 1 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 2 at	1,800 00
	Draftsman, 1 at	1,500 00
	Transitman, 4 at	1,500 00
	Chainman, 3 at	1,200 00
	Rodman, 2 at	1,200 00
	Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 3 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, 1 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,650 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,500 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 1 at	1,200 00
	Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Curbing, 7 at $4 per day (300 days)	.....
	Inspector of Street Openings, 5 at	1,200 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 at	1,350 00
	Messenger, 1 at	1,500 00
	Budgetary part allowance	$20,458 32

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d avenue and 177th street, Office of the President, September 14, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby respectfully made for a modification of the schedule lines supporting the appropriation for this office for the year 1911, as follows:

President, Borough of The Bronx.

Bureau of Highways—Maintenance of Highways—

Code 1721—	Wages, Temporary Employees:	
	Foremen, 7,200 days, at $4 per day	$28,800 00
	Carpenters, 978 days, at $4.50 per day	4,400 00
	Pavers, 3,400 days, at $5 per day	17,000 00
	Rammers, 1,700 days, at $4 per day	6,800 00
	Painters, 822 days, at $4.50 per day	3,700 00
	Engineers, 2,120 days, at $4.50 per day	9,540 00
	Flaggers, 720 days, at $4.50 per day	3,240 00
	Laborers, 8,400 days, at $2.25 per day	189,000 00
	Firemen, 500 days, at $3 per day	1,500 00
		$263,980 00

The only change in the above from the present schedule is the transfer of $1,000 from the schedule of Carpenters to Painters. The total allowance of the appropriation account is not changed.

Respectfully, CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 14, 1911, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested modification of the 1911 budgetary schedule for the Bureau of Highways, Maintenance of Highways, No 1721, Wages, Temporary Employees. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The only change proposed is the transfer of $999 from Carpenters, at $4.50 a day, to Painters at the same rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Decrease.
1721.	Carpenters, at $4.50 per day, 1,200 days	.....	$999 00
	Painters, at $4.50 per day, 600 days	$999 00	.....

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 19, 1911.

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, *President, Borough of The Bronx:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, in the office of the President, Borough of The Bronx, as follows:

Bureau of Highways—Maintenance of Highways—

1721.	Wages, Temporary Employees:	
	Foremen, 7,200 days, at $4 per day	$28,800 00
	Carpenters, 978 days, at $4.50 per day	4,401 00
	Pavers, 3,400 days, at $5 per day	17,000 00
	Rammers, 1,700 days, at $4 per day	6,800 00
	Painters, 822 days, at $4.50 per day	3,699 00
	Engineers, 2,120 days, at $4.50 per day	9,540 00
	Flaggers, 720 days, $4.50 per day	3,240 00
	Laborers, 8,400 days, at $2.25 per day	189,000 00
	Firemen, 500 days, at $3 per day	1,500 00
		$263,980 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, September 6, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 23, 1910, the undersigned respectfully request modifications in salary schedule 1211, Offices of District Superintendents, for the year 1911, to take effect September 1, 1911, as follows:

Strike out—		
	Typewriting Copyists, 3 at $900	$2,700 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 4 at $600	2,400 00
	Unassigned balance	300 00
—and insert		
	Typewriting Copyists, 2 at $900	$1,800 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 5 at $600	3,000 00
	Unassigned balance	600 00

The above request involves no increase in appropriation, and the modifications are necessary to provide for the payment of a Stenographer and Typewriter temporarily employed, at the rate of $600 per annum, in place of a Typewriting Copyist, at $900, absent on leave because of illness.

A copy of the schedule, as modified, is enclosed. Respectfully yours,

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education; HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor, Board of Education.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 6, 1911, the Board of Education requested the modification of the 1911 salary schedule for Administration, No. 1211, Offices of District Superintendents, for the year 1911, to provide for payment of a Stenographer and Typewriter, temporarily employed, at the rate of $600 per annum, in place of a Typewriting Copyist, at $900 per annum, absent on leave because of illness.

The line item changes, in detail, are as follows:

Schedule No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Increase.
1211.	Typewriting Copyists, 3 at $900	$900 00	.....	$300 00	.....
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 4 at $600	.....	$600 00	.....	$200 00
	Unassigned balance	.....	300 00	.....	100 00
		$900 00	$900 00	$300 00	$300 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request, as of October 1, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. EGERTON L. WINTHROP, Jr., *President, Board of Education:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Department of Education for the year 1911, to take effect October 1, as follows:

Special School Fund, Administration.

Offices of District Superintendent—

1211.	Salaries:	
	Clerks, 7 at $900	$6,300 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 2 at $900	1,800 00
	Typewriting Copyists, 3 at $600	1,800 00
	Stenographer and Typewriter	900 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 6 at $750	4,500 00
	Stenographers and Typewriters, 5 at $600	3,000 00
	Unassigned balance	600 00
		$18,900 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, September 6, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 23, 1910, the undersigned respectfully request modifications in salary

schedule 1208, Office of the Secretary, for the year 1911, to take effect on September 27, 1911, as follows:

Strike out—

Telephone Switchboard Operator	$600 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator	480 00
Unassigned balance	120 00

—and insert

Telephone Switchboard Operators, 2 at $600	$1,200 00

The above request involves no increase in appropriation.

A copy of the schedule, as modified, is enclosed. Respectfully yours,

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education; HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor, Board of Education.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 6, 1911, the Board of Education requested the modification of the 1911 salary schedule for General Administration, No. 1208, Office of the Secretary, to take effect September 27, 1911. In connection therewith, I would report as follows:

On September 27, 1910, Miss Loretta V. Malloy was appointed as a Telephone Switchboard Operator in the office, at the rate of $480 per annum, with the agreement, it is stated, that she would be increased to $600 per annum at the expiration of her first year. The necessary $120 has been held in an unassigned balance.

The line item changes, in detail, are as follows:

Schedule No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Cash Transfer. Decrease.	Cash Transfer. Increase.
1208.	Telephone Switchboard Operator, 1 at $600	.....	$600 00	.....	$200 00
	Telephone Switchboard Operator, 1 at $480	$480 00	.....	$160 00	.....
	Unassigned balance	120 00	.....	40 00	.....
		$600 00	$600 00	$200 00	$200 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request as of October 1, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. EGERTON L. WINTHROP, Jr., *President, Board of Education:*

Sir—In acordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Department of Education for the year 1911, to take effect October 1, as follows:

Special School Fund.

General Administration, Office of the Secretary—

1208. Salaries:

Secretary	$5,500 00
Assistant Secretary	3,500 00
Chief Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk	2,500 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerks, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
Clerk	1,950 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	1,350 00
Clerks, 2 at $750	1,500 00
Clerk	600 00
Clerk	420 00
Clerks, 2 at $300	600 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	2,750 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,350 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator	900 00
Telephone Switchboard Operators, 2 at $600	1,200 00
Librarian	1,200 00
Messenger	1,200 00
	$44,070 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—In a modification on September 12, 1911, of the 1911 salary schedule for the Regular Force in the Engineering Division, Bureau of Highways, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, the line item for six Assistant Engineers, at $1,800 per annum, was inadvertently omitted. The attached communication, if signed by you, will make the necessary change. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. ALFRED E. STEERS, *President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised for the Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1911, to take effect September 1, 1911, as follows:

Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Regular Force—

1770. Salaries:

Chief Engineer	1 at	$6,000 00
Assistant Engineers	4 at	4,000 00
Assistant Engineers	3 at	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,550 00
Assistant Engineers	2 at	2,250 00
Assistant Engineers	1 at	2,100 00
Assistant Engineers	6 at	1,800 00
Transitman	6 at	1,800 00
Transitman	1 at	1,650 00
Transitmen	3 at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsman	1 at	1,800 00
Topographical Draftsmen	3 at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,200 00
Leveler	1 at	1,500 00
Rodman	1 at	1,200 00
Rodmen	7 at	1,050 00
Chemist	1 at	1,950 00
Clerks	2 at	2,100 00
Clerks	1 at	1,800 00
Clerk	1 at	1,500 00
Clerks	3 at	1,200 00
Clerks	13 at	1,050 00
Clerk	1 at	900 00
Clerk	1 at	540 00
Stenographers and Typewriters	4 at	1,200 00
Typewriting Copyists	3 at	1,050 00
Messenger	1 at	1,050 00
Superintendent of Asphalt Plant	1 at	2,500 00
Typewriter Accountant	1 at	1,500 00
Automobile Engineman	1 at	1,200 00
Drivers	2 at	900 00

Budgetary part allowance, $78,400.

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Bridges, City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan, N. Y., August 24, 1911.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* City of New York:

Sir—I have to request a modification of the Schedules of Wages, Regular Employees, New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division of the Department of Bridges for the year 1911, which schedule was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 1, 1911, effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Wages, Regular Employees, drop line item reading Machinists, 4 at $4.50 a day (302 days).

Add line item reading, Machinists, 6 at $4.50 a day (302 days).

This request is made necessary by reason of the large increase in repair work on City Departments' Autmobiles, now coming into the Municipal Garage, where the present force of machinists is inadequate to care for this increased work, with sufficient expedition. These men will appear on the pay roll on the Garage (R-DB-2).

Copy of revised schedule herewith.

Respectfully, ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the Commissioner of Bridges requested modification of a schedule for Wages, Regular Employees, in the New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division of his Department. In connection therewith I report as follows:

It is proposed to increase the number of Machinists, at $4.50 for 302 days from four to six. The Commissioner states that the present force of Machinists is not able to handle properly the increased amount of repair work on automobiles owned by the City, and now cared for at the Municipal Garage.

The additional Machinists are to be paid from the Special Revenue Bond Fund R-DB-2, already provided for the expenses incidental to operating the Garage. No additional appropriation, therefor, is needed to provide for their employment.

The necessary schedule transfer, in detail, is as follows:

Schedule Title and Line Item.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Schedule Transfer. Increase.
New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division—		
Wages, Regular Employees:		
Machinists, 4 at $4.50 a day (302 days)	.....	$2,718 00

Attached hereto is a letter, which, if signed by you, will approve the request, pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, City of New York, September 8, 1911.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Esq., *Commissioner of Bridges:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages in the Department of Bridges to be effective as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Department of Bridges.

New York and Brooklyn Bridge Division—

Wages, Regular Employees:

Master Mechanic	1 at	$2,400 00
Superintendent of Electric Lights	1 at	2,200 00
Foreman Carpenter	1 at	2,400 00
Foreman Carpenter	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foreman Carpenter	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Lineman	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Brick Mason	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	2,100 00
Foreman Riveter	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Bridge Mechanic	1 at	1,500 00
Foreman Painter	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Painters	2 at	1,500 00
Foreman Blacksmith	1 at	1,800 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	2,150 00
Foreman Laborer	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foreman Laborer	1 at	1,500 00
Assistant Foreman	2 at	1,500 00
Riveters (276 days)	32 at	$5 00 a day
Housesmiths (276 days)	3 at	5 00 a day
Bridge Mechanic (276 days)	1 at	5 00 a day
Stonecutters (276 days)	3 at	5 00 a day
Brick Masons (Layers) (276 days)	4 at	5 60 a day
Carpenters (276 days)	16 at	5 00 a day
Ship Carpenters (276 days)	2 at	5 00 a day
Riggers (276 days)	5 at	3 75 a day
Machinists (276 days)	10 at	4 50 a day
Machinists (302 days)	6 at	4 50 a day
Stokers (365 days)	2 at	3 00 a day
Oilers (365 days)	2 at	3 00 a day
Machinists' Helpers (276 days)	4 at	3 00 a day
Blacksmiths (276 days)	3 at	4 50 a day
Blacksmiths' Helpers (276 days)	5 at	3 00 a day
Wiremen (302 days)	11 at	4 50 a day
Stationary Engineers (365 days)	4 at	4 50 a day
Stationary Engineer (312 days)	1 at	4 50 a day
Fireman (365 days)	1 at	3 00 a day
Mason's Helper (276 days)	1 at	3 00 a day
Painters and Bridge Painters (276 days)	19 at	4 00 a day
Drivers (365 days)	8 at	2 50 a day
Watchmen (365 days)	2 at	3 00 a day
Watchmen (365 days)	7 at	2 50 a day
Attendants (365 days)	6 at	2 50 a day
Laborer (302 days)	1 at	3 50 a day
Laborers (365 days)	7 at	3 00 a day
Laborers (276 days)	4 at	3 00 a day
Laborers (365 days)	4 at	2 75 a day
Laborers (365 days)	61 at	2 50 a day

Yours very truly,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Parks, Office of the Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, August 25, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* 280 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—Herewith is respectfully submitted for the consideration and approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the revision of the following schedule of salaries and wages on Corporate Stock Funds: Code C-DP-302A. Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx:

Additional Greenhouses for Propagating Purposes—

Carpenters (110 days) at, per day	$5 00
Painters (22 days) at, per day	4 00
Laborers (60 days) at, per day	2 50

Very truly yours,

T. J. HIGGINS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, City of New York, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—In reference to a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, under date of August 25, 1911, requesting modification of a schedule of wages for the Corporate Stock Fund, "No. 302A, Additional Greenhouses for Propagating Purposes," I report as follows:

Work on the structure was started early in the year and an additional force is stated to be necessary so that the building may be ready for use before the winter. The request is for carpenters, at $5 for 110 days; Painters, at $4 for 22 days, and Laborers, at $2.50 for 60 days.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, City of New York, September 5, 1911.

Mr. THOMAS J. HIGGINS, *Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1911, as follows:

Parks, Borough of The Bonx.

C-DP-302A. Additional Greenhouses for Propagating Purposes:

Foremen (3 months) at	$1,200 00
Gardeners (35½ days) at	900 00
Bricklayer (6 days) at, per diem	5 60
Blaster (12 days), at, per diem	4 00
Carpenters (10 days) at, per diem	5 00
Painters (22 days) at, per diem	4 00
Laborers (290 days) at, per diem	2 50

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, September 7, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I respectfully request a revision of schedule for the Revenue Bond Account, entitled Regenerating Lawns in Central Park, R-DP-8, by adding thereto:

5 Teams at $6 per day for 5 days	$150 00
75 Laborers at $2.50 per day for 50 days	9,375 00

This force is absolutely necessary to carry on the work of plowing, harrowing and winter seeding, now under way. Respectfully,

CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 11, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 7, 1911, the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requesting modification of the special revenue bond schedule, R-DP-8, Regenerating Lawns in Central Park, Wages, Temporary Employees, in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is for the following additional force—

5 Teams, at $6 per day, 25 days	$150 00
75 Laborers, at $2.50 per day, 3,750 days	9,375 00
	$9,525 00

The Commissioner states that the teams and Laborers are necessary to carry on the work of plowing, harrowing and winter seeding now being done in Central Park. No additional appropriation is required.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve of the request, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 11, 1911.

Hon. CHARLES B. STOVER, *Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adoptetd by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for the year 1911, to take effect as of September 1, 1911, as follows:

Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

R-DP-8. Regenerating Lawns in Central Park—

Wages, Temporary Employees:

Foreman, at $1,200 per annum (3 months)	$1,200 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per diem (4,200 days)	20,625 00
Double teams and Drivers, at $6 per diem (25 days)	150 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

State of New York, Public Service Commission for the First District, Tribune Building, 154 Nassau street, New York, September 6, 1911.

Hon. W. A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, Department of Finance,* 280 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—It has been found necessary to make certain changes in our General Administration schedule and in the schedules of the Legal, Franchise, Transportation and Engineering Departments. I accordingly transmit herewith modified schedules, upon which the payrolls for the month of August are based.

Very truly yours, TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 20, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—In reference to a request of the Secretary of the Public Service Commission for the First District, on September 6, 1911, for modification of five non-budgetary schedules for the Commission for the year 1911, I report as follows:

Increases in compensation, amounting to $1,455 per annum, are proposed for seventeen incumbents. Eight new positions are to be added at a yearly cost of $6,772, and 11 positions, amounting to $8,557 per annum, are to be abolished. The proposed changes give a net decrease in annual cost of $380.

The following tables show all the changes involved:

Increase in Compensation.

	No. of Incumbents.	Present rate.	Proposed rate.	Per Annum Increase.
Junior Clerk	6	$480 00	$540 00	$360 00
Franchise Assistant	1	1,275 00	1,500 00	225 00
Junior Assistant	1	960 00	1,080 00	120 00
Junior Assistant	1	840 00	900 00	60 00
Junior Assistant	7	720 00	810 00	630 00
Junior Clerk	1	480 00	540 00	60 00
	17			$1,455 00

New Positions.

Junior Clerk	1 at $480	$480 00
Junior Clerk	1 at 540	540 00
Junior Statistician	1 at 1,500	1,500 00
Junior Clerk	1 at 540	540 00
Junior Assistant	1 at 900	900 00
Junior Assistant	1 at 601	601 00
Draftsman	1 at 1,201	1,201 00
Junior Assistant	1 at 960	960 00
	8	$6,722 00

Positions Abolished.

Clerk	1 at $960	$960 00
Page	1 at 360	360 00
Junior Assistant Counsel	1 at 3,000	3,000 00
Page	1 at 180	180 00
Page	2 at 360	720 00
Janitor	1 at 96	96 00
Junior Assistant	2 at 720	1,440 00
Junior Engineer	1 at 1,201	1,201 00
Messenger	1 at 600	600 00
	11	$8,557 00

Summary.

Positions abolished		$8,557 00
Increase in compensation	$1,445 00	
New positions	6,722 00	
		8,177 00
Decrease in yearly cost		$380 00

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.	Increase.
R-PSC-1	Clerk, 2 at $960	$960 00	.....
	Junior Clerk, 6 at $540	.....	$3,240 00
	Junior Clerk, 8 at $480	2,400	.....
	Balance unassigned, $480	.....	120 00
R-PSC-9	Junior Clerk, 1 at $540	.....	540 00
	Page, 1 at $360	360 00	.....
	Unassigned balance, $1,100	180 00	.....
R-PSC-12	Junior Assistant Counsel, 1 at $3,000	3,000 00	.....
	Franchise Assistant, 2 at $1,275	1,275 00	.....
	Franchise Assistant, 1 at $1,500	.....	1,500 00
	Junior Statistician, 1 at $1,500	.....	1,500 00
	Page, 1 at $180	180 00	.....
	Balance unassigned	.....	1,455 00
R-PSC-18	Junior Engineer, 9 at $1,201	$1,201 00	.....
	Draftsman, at $1,201	.....	1,201 00
	Junior Assistant, 10 at $1,080	.....	1,080 00
	Junior Assistant, 12 at $960	960 00	.....
	Junior Assistant, 5 at $900	.....	1,800 00
	Junior Assistant, $840	840 00	.....
	Junior Assistant, 7 at $810	.....	5,670 00
	Junior Assistant, 14 at $720	6,480 00	.....
	Junior Assistant, at $601	.....	601 00
	Junior Clerk, at $540	.....	540 00
	Page, 6 at $360	720 00	.....
	Janitor, $96	96 00	.....
	Balance unassigned, $721	595 00	.....
R-PSC-21	Junior Assistant, at $960	.....	960 00
	Messenger, $600	600 00	.....
	Junior Clerk, $480	.....	60 00
	Balance unassigned, $1,459	420 00	.....
		$20,267 00	$20,267 00

Information as to the names of thee incumbents proposed for increased compensation, their periods of service, date of previous increases, etc., was refused by the Secretary of the Commission.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 20, 1911.

Mr. TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, *Secretary, Public Service Commission:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve schedules of salaries as revised, to take effect as of August 1, 1911, in the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, for the year 1911, as follows:

General Administration—

R-PSC-1	Salaries:	
	Assistant Secretary	$4,000 00
	Assistant Secertary	3,600 00
	Assistant Secretary	2,100 00
	Secretary to Chairman	3,600 00
	Secretary to Commissioners, 4 at $2,100	8,400 00
	Auditor	3,300 00
	Deputy Auditor	1,801 00
	Chief Clerk	1,000 00
	Assistant Chief Clerk, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
	Clerk,	360 00
	Clerk	900 00
	Proofreader	1,080 00
	File Clerk, 4 at $1,080	4,320 00
	Clerk, 2 at $721	1,442 00
	Junior Clerk, 7 at $540	3,780 00
	Junior Clerk, 3 at $480	1,440 00
	Purchasing Agent	1,800 00
	Librarian	3,300 00
	Assistant Librarian	1,080 00
	Junior Assistant Counsel	2,000 00
	Junior Assistant Counsel	1,800 00
	Law Clerk	840 00
	Correspondence Clerk	1,080 00
	Correspondence Clerk	912 00
	Stenographer	1,650 00
	Stenographer, 10 at $1,080	10,800 00
	Stenographer, 3 at $960	2,880 00
	Stenographer, 4 at $900	3,600 00
	Stenographer	840 00
	Messenger	900 00
	Telephone Operator	840 00
	Telephone Operator	720 00
	Page, 5 at $360	1,800 00
	Porter	600 00
	Watchman	600 00
	Assistant Supervising Transit Inspector	1,350 00
	Junior Assistant	1,200 00
	Photographer	2,100 00
	Balance unassigned	1,600 00
		$91,015 00

Legal Department—

R-PSC-9	Salaries:	
	Assistant Counsel	$7,500 00
	Assistant Counsel	6,000 00
	Assistant Counsel	5,100 00
	Assistant Counsel, 2 at $4,200	8,400 00
	Assistant Counsel	3,600 00
	Junior Assistant Counsel	2,400 00

	Junior Assistant Counsel	1,800 00
	Secretary to Counsel	2,100 00
	Law Clerk	1,201 00
	Filing Clerk and Librarian	1,080 00
	Stenographer, 3 at $1,080	3,240 00
	Stenographer	840 00
	Junior Clerk	540 00
	Junior Clerk	480 00
	Unassigned Balance	920 00
		$45,201 00

Bureau of Franchises—

R-PSC-12	Salaries:	
	Chief	$4,000 00
	Franchise Searcher	1,800 00
	Franchise Assistant	1,275 00
	Franchise Assistant	1,500 00
	Franchise Draftsman	1,350 00
	Franchise Draftsman, 2 at $1,200	2,400 00
	Junior Statistician	1,500 00
	Stenographer	1,080 00
	Stenographer	900 00
	Balance unassigned	1,455 00
		$17,260 00

Engineering Department—

R-PSC-18	Salaries:	
	Engineer of Subway Construction	10,000 00
	Principal Assistant Engineer	5,000 00
	Division Engineer, 4 at $4,000	16,000 00
	Designing Engineer, 4 at $3,300	13,200 00
	Senior Assistant Designing Engineer, 2 at $3,000	6,000 00
	Senior Assistant Designing Engineer	2,700 00
	Assistant Designing Engineer	2,700 00
	Senior Assistant Division Engineer, 6 at $3,000	18,000 00
	Senior Assistant Division Engineer	2,700 00
	Assistant Division Engineer	3,000 00
	Assistant Division Engineer, 2 at $2,700	5,400 00
	Assistant Division Engineer	2,550 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
	Assistant Engineer, 10 at $2,500	22,500 00
	Assistant Engineer, 2 at $2,100	4,200 00
	Assistant Engineer, 7 at $1,950	13,650 00
	Assistant Engineer	1,860 00
	Assistant Engineer	1,812 00
	Junior Engineer, 11 at $1800	19,800 00
	Junior Engineer, 9 at $1,650	14,850 00
	Junior Engineer, 5 at $1,512	7,560 00
	Junior Engineer, 6 at $1,500	9,000 00
	Junior Engineer, 3 at $1,350	4,050 00
	Junior Engineer, 8 at $1,201	9,608 00
	Designer, 3 at $2,100	6,300 00
	Designer, 5 at $1,950	9,750 00
	Designing Architect	3,012 00
	Designing Architect	3,000 00
	Assistant Designing Architect	2,700 00
	Architectural Designer, 2 at $2,100	4,200 00
	Architectural Draftsman, 4 at $1,800	7,200 00
	Architectural Draftsman, 5 at $1,650	8,250 00
	Draftsman, 6 at $1,800	10,800 00
	Draftsman, 3 at $1,650	4,950 00
	Draftsman	1,500 00
	Draftsman, 4 at $1,350	5,400 00
	Draftsman	1,201 00
	Junior Assistant, 10 at $1,200	12,000 00
	Junior Assistant, 11 at $1,080	11,880 00
	Junior Assistant	1,000 00
	Junior Assistant, 11 at $960	10,560 00
	Junior Assistant, 2 at $912	1,824 00
	Junior Assistant, 4 at $901	3,604 00
	Junior Assistant, 7 at $900	6,300 00
	Junior Assistant, 7 at $810	5,670 00
	Junior Assistant, 5 at $720	3,600 00
	Junior Assistant	601 00
	Secretary to Chief Engineer	2,500 00
	Assistant Chief Clerk	1,500 00
	Stenographer	1,650 00
	Stenographer, 2 at $1,350	2,700 00
	Stenographer	1,200 00
	Stenographer, 2 at $1,080	2,160 00
	Stenographer, 5 at $960	4,800 00
	Junior Clerk	540 00
	Junior Clerk	480 00
	Page, 4 at $360	1,440 00
	Porter	660 00
	Janitor	180 00
	Cement Tester	2,100 00
	Steel Chemist	1,980 00
	Cement Tester, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
	Inspector of Steel, 2 at $1,500	3,000 00
	Inspector of Conduits	1,200 00
	Balance unassigned	126 00
		$357,458 00

Transportation Department—

R-PSC-21	Salaries:	
	Transportation Engineer	$10,000 00
	General Inspector of Stations	4,000 00
	Electrical Engineer	3,600 00
	Electrical Engineer, 2 at $2,400	4,800 00
	Electrical Engineer	2,200 00
	Electrical Engineer	1,950 00
	Assistant Electrical Engineer	1,800 00
	Assistant Engineer	2,250 00
	Assistant Engineer	1,950 00
	Junior Engineer	1,650 00
	Railway Engineer	2,100 00
	Junior Railway Engineer, 2 at $1,800	3,600 00
	Junior Railway Engineer, 6 at $1,500	9,000 00
	Junior Railway Engineer	1,200 00
	Junior Railway Engineer, 3 at $1,201	3,603 00
	Junior Railway Engineer	960 00
	Traffic Inspector	1,500 00
	Supervising Transit Inspector, 4 at $1,500	6,000 00
	Assistant Supervising Transit Inspector, 8 at $1,350	10,800 00
	Transit Inspector, 23 at $1,200	27,600 00
	Draftsman	1,800 00
	Draftsman	1,350 00
	Junior Assistant	960 00
	Stenographer	1,200 00
	Stenographer, 2 at $1,080	2,160 00
	Stenographer	900 00
	Stenographer	840 00
	Filing Clerk, 2 at $1,080	2,160 00
	Clerk	900 00
	Junior Clerk	540 00
	Chief Inspector of Electric Meters	1,350 00
	Balance unassigned	1,039 00
		$115,762 00

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDEGAST, Comptroller.

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New Brighton, N. Y., August 23, 1911.

Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, 277 Broadway, New York City:

Gentlemen—I would request a modification of schedule of salaries and Wages of the Topographical Bureau of this office (payable principally from corporate stock fund entitled "C-PR-2, Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Richmond"), as herein set forth, viz:

Principal Assistant Engineer	1	at	$3,600 00
Assistant Engineer	1	at	2,700 00
Assistant Engineers	6	at	2,250 00
Assistant Engineers	4	at	2,000 00
Assistant Engineers	2	at	1,800 00
Assistant Engineers	4	at	1,650 00
Assistant Engineers	2	at	1,500 00
Assistant Engineer	1	at	1,350 00
Assistant Engineers	1	at	1,200 00
Chief Draftsman	1	at	2,000 00
Topographical Draftsman	1	at	2,000 00
Topographical Draftsmen	3	at	1,800 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2	at	1,650 00
Topographical Draftsman	1	at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsmen	8	at	1,350 00
Topographical Draftsman	3	at	1,200 00
Transitmen and Computers	4	at	1,650 00
Transitmen and Computers	2	at	1,500 00
Transitmen and Computers	4	at	1,350 00
Transitmen and Computers	7	at	1,200 00
Leveler	1	at	1,500 00
Rodmen	2	at	1,200 00
Rodmen	4	at	1,050 00
Rodmen	3	at	900 00
Axeman	10	at	900 00
Foremen	4	at	1,200 00
Drivers	3	at	900 00
Laborers	17	at	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1	at	1,650 00
Clerk	1	at	1,350 00
Unallotted balance			2,200 00

Certain promotions and increases in salaries were provided for in the schedule of this Bureau adopted on July 27, 1911, but owing to obstacles due to the Civil Service rules it has not been found possible to make the changes. The Civil Service objections to the proposed promotions and increases in salaries having now been overcome with regard to some of these positions, we desire now to make the following changes and these are provided for in this proposed schedule:

1 Assistant Engineer, increased in salary from $2,400 to	$2,700 00
1 Topographical Draftsman, increased in salary from $1,800 to	2,000 00
1 Topographical Draftsman, increased in salary from $1,500 to	1,550 00
1 Topographical Draftsman, increased in salary from $1,350 to	1,500 00
1 Topographical Draftsman, increased in salary from $1,200 to	1,350 00
2 Transitmen and Computers, increased in salary from $1,200 to	1,350 00
3 Rodmen, $1,050, promoted to Transitmen	1,200 00
3 Foremen, increased in salary from $1,050 to	1,200 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter, increased in salary from $1,500 to	1,650 00
1 Clerk, increased in salary from $1,200 to	1,350 00

The Civil Service objections not having been overcome with regard to the following, we desire to retain in the unallotted balance the sum of $1,350 to meet the increases in salaries when the changes shall have been made, viz.:

4 Assistant Engineers, from $2,250 to $2,400	$600 00
1 Assistant Engineer, from $1,650 to $1,800	150 00
1 Transitman and Computer, from $1,650 to $1,800	150 00
3 Rodmen, from $1,050 to $1,200	450 00
Total	$1,350 00

After the adoption of this proposed schedule we find that we are entitled to an unallotted balance of $2,200 as compared with the schedule adopted on July 27, 1911, but as there will be need for only $1,350 of this the latter sum has been included in this schedule as the unallotted balance.

I would request that this schedule be adopted by your Board on August 31, 1911, so that the changes proposed can go into effect for the month of August, 1911.

Yours respectfully, LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Acting President of the Borough.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 5, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 23, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Richmond requested modification of the non-budgetary schedule for the Topographical Bureau in his office. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

On July 27, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved for the bureau a schedule providing for certain increases in salaries. It is stated by the Acting President that the operation of Civil Service rules has prevented the making of some of the changes at this time. Therefore, in order that the schedule may represent the actual payroll conditions, decreases are requested in the following line items:

Title.	Proposed Rates.	Present Rates.	Reduction.
4 Assistant Engineers	$2,250 00	$2,400 00	$600 00
1 Assistant Engineer	1,650 00	1,800 00	150 00
1 Transitman and Computer	1,650 00	1,800 00	150 00
3 Rodmen	1,050 00	1,200 00	450 00
			$1,350 00

The line item changes in detail are as follows:

Topographical Force.

	Increase.	Decrease.
Assistant Engineers, 4, at $2,400	.....	$9,600 00
Assistant Engineers, 2, at $2,250	$9,000 00	.....
Assistant Engineers, 3, at $1,800	.....	1,800 00
Assistant Engineers, 3, at $1,650	1,650 00	.....
Transitman and Computer, 1, at $1,800	.....	1,800 00
Transitman and Computer, 3, at $1,650	1,650 00	.....
Rodmen, 5, at $1,200	.....	3,600 00
Rodman, 1, at $1,050	3,150 00	.....
Unallotted balance, $850	1,350 00	.....
	$16,800 00	$16,800 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 5, 1911.

Hon. LOUIS L. TRIBUS, *Acting President, Borough of Richmond:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, as follows:

President, Borough of Richmond.

Topographical Force.

Salaries:		
Principal Assistant Engineer	1 at	$3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,700 00
Assistant Engineer	6 at	2,250 00
Assistant Engineer	4 at	2,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2 at	1,800 00
Assistant Engineer	4 at	1,650 00
Assistant Engineer	2 at	1,500 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,350 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	1,200 00
Chief Draftsman	1 at	2,000 00
Topographical Draftsman	1 at	2,000 00
Topographical Draftsman	3 at	1,800 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,650 00
Topographical Draftsman	1 at	1,500 00
Topographical Draftsman	8 at	1,350 00
Topographical Draftsman	3 at	1,200 00
Transitman and Computer	4 at	1,650 00
Transitman and Computer	2 at	1,500 00
Transitman and Computer	4 at	1,350 00
Transitman and Computer	7 at	1,200 00
Leveler	1 at	1,500 00
Rodmen	2 at	1,200 00
Rodmen	4 at	1,050 00
Rodmen	3 at	900 00
Axeman	10 at	900 00
Foreman	4 at	1,200 00
Drivers	3 at	900 00
Laborers	17 at	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,650 00
Clerk	1 at	1,350 00
Unallotted Balance		2,200 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 26, 1911.

Hon. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, *Deputy and Acting Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 3, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment revised from salary schedules for employees paid wholly from corporate stock funds in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan. Through a typographical error one Axeman at $900 per annum instead of four at the same rate was included in a schedule for the Bureau of Highways, Repaving of Streets. Examination shows that there are four Axemen on the payroll, and that they were in the original schedule.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will amend the schedule for the necessary correction. Respectfully,

JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, August 26, 1911.

Hon. GEORGE MCANENY, *President, Borough of Manhattan,* City Hall:

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of a schedule of salaries as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the year 1911, as follows:

President, Borough of Manhattan.

Bureau of Highways, Repaving Streets, Borough of Manhattan—

Salaries:		
Chief Engineer	1 at	$6,000 00
Asssitant Engineer	1 at	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2 at	2,400 00
Assistant Engineer	2 at	2,100 00
Transitman	3 at	1,500 00
Transitman	1 at	1,350 00
General Inspector	1 at	1,800 00
Chemist	1 at	2,400 00
Topographical Draftsman	2 at	1,500 00
Leveler	2 at	1,500 00
Leveler	1 at	1,200 00
Rodman	1 at	1,050 00
Axeman	4 at	900 00
Inspector of Complaints	1 at	1,200 00
Inspector of Masonry	1 at	1,200 00
Rodman	1 at	1,200 00
Inspector, Regulating, Grading and Paving	1 at	1,500 00
Inspector, Regulating, Grading and Paving	110 at	1,200 00
Inspector	1 at	750 00

Yours truly, DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

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Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 3, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment revised four salary schedules for employees paid wholly from corporate stock funds, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan. The revision of the schedule of salaries, Topographical Bureau, fixes the salaries of three Draftsmen at $1,200 instead of at $1,500 each, per annum, and four Rodmen at $1,800, instead of at $1,200 each per annum. At the request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the errors in the schedule have been rectified and an amended schedule prepared for your approval. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. GEORGE MCANENY, *President, Borough of Manhattan:*

Sir—In accordance with a verbal request of August 17, 1911, for a modification of a salary schedule for employees paid wholly from corporate stock funds, for your office for the year 1911, and pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of the schedule, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1911, as follows:

President, Borough of Manhattan.

Topographical Bureau—Corporate Stock Fund; Completion of Borough Maps—

Salaries:	
Assistant Engineer	$2,400 00
Assistant Engineer	2,100 00
Draftsmen, 2 at	1,800 00
Draftsmen, 3 at	1,500 00
Rodmen, 4 at	1,200 00
Rodmen, 4 at	1,050 00
Axeman, 8 at	900 00
Transitmen, 4 at	1,500 00
Sounder	900 00

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, Brooklyn, August 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I enclose herewith certified copy of resolution received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of Salary Schedule, Topographical Bureau, in which appears the line "Assistant Engineer, 1 at $2,100."

This is evidently a typographical error, as this line should read "9 at $2,100."

I respectfully request therefore that you approve of the modification of schedule correcting this item. Yours very truly,

L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 19, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn requested modification of the non-budgetary salary and wage schedule for the Topographical Bureau in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

The request is to correct a typographical error. On July 27, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment revised the schedule, but the line item "Assistant Engineer, at $2,100," provided for only one incumbent. It should have been for nine.

The attached letter, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the necessary modification, under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,

J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve of a schedule of salaries and wages in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

Topographical Bureau—

Salaries, Regular Force:		
Chief Engineer	1 at	$6,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	4,000 00
Assistant Engineers	2 at	3,000 00
Assistant Engineers	3 at	2,700 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,400 00
Assistant Engineer	1 at	2,250 00
Assistant Engineer	9 at	2,100 00
Assistant Engineers	2 at	1,800 00
Transitman and Computer	2 at	1,800 00
Transitmen	2 at	1,800 00
Transitmen	4 at	1,650 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,800 00
Topographical Draftsmen	2 at	1,650 00
Topographical Draftsmen	4 at	1,500 00
Searcher	1 at	1,800 00
Chainmen and Rodmen	3 at	1,200 00
Rodmen	6 at	1,200 00
Axemen	3 at	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1 at	1,200 00
Clerk	1 at	1,200 00
Clerk	1 at	750 00
Messenger	1 at	1,050 00
Wages, Regular Force:		
Assistant Foremen (302 days), 1 at, per day		3 50
Laborers (302 days), 8 at, per day		3 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, August 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I enclose herewith copy of salary schedule which I would ask that you kindly approve for our Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, Temporary Force, as salaries of the employees will not be paid out of the Budget account.

Kindly advise me as soon as this item is approved.

Yours very truly, L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 19, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn requested approval of a schedule for Temporary Employees, to be paid from other than Budget appropriation, in the Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division, in his office for the months of August, September and October, 1911. In connection therewith I would report as follows:

The request is for the employment of four topographical draftsmen, at the rate of $1,200 per annum, during the absence of the regular force on vacations. The compensation is to be charged against the Street Improvement Fund, Restoring and Repaving Special Fund and the Repaving Fund.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the schedule, under a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Mr. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, to take effect as of August 1, 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Bureau of Highways, Engineering Division—

Salaries, Temporary Employees, Corporate Stock and Special and Trust Fund Force:	
Topographical Draftsmen, at $1,200 (12 months)	$1,200 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Board of Education of The City of New York, September 1, 1911.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on November 23, 1910, the undersigned respectfully request that the salary schedule for the Bureau of Buildings, Corporate Stock Force, as modified by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, be further modified by adding thereto the following:

Laborer, 1 at (per week)	$33 00
Painter, 1 at (per week)	24 00

A copy of the schedule, as modified, is enclosed. Respectfully yours,

FRED H. JOHNSON, Assistant and Acting Secretary, Board of Education; HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor, Board of Education.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 1, 1911, the Board of Education requested that the salary schedule for the Corporate Stock Force, Bureau of Buildings, be modified by adding thereto the following:

Laborer, 1 at (per week)	$33 00
Painter, 1 at (per week)	24 00

My report concerning the matter is as follows:

On April 27, 1911, the Corporate Stock Force in the Department of Education was scheduled for the first time. In the schedule approved on that date the positions of Special Laborer at $33 per week and Painter at the same rate, each for one incumbent, were omitted for the reason that the necessary grades had not been established pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

On May 16, 1911, the Board of Education requested the establishment of these grades, but the request was refused, for the reason that the present incumbents are neither Laborers nor Painters, but Inspectors of Pipes and Painting, respectively.

The request was referred back to the Board of Education with the recommendation that the titles of these two employees be changed to conform to the work performed.

Subsequently request was made for the establishment of the necessary grades under proper titles, but the matter is now in abeyance pending the preparation of the Budget for 1912, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. In the meantime the incumbents of the aforementioned positions are unable to draw any pay. It is therefore proposed to modify the schedule to the end that the one may be compensated as a Laborer, which title requires no establishment, and the other as a Painter at the prevailing rate, which grade is already established, pending the establishment of the necessary grades.

It having been previously decided that all salaries in this Bureau were to be put upon either an annual or a per diem basis, to conform with other City departments, I recommend that the schedule be modified to provide for one Laborer at $6 per day, and one Painter at $4 per day. A letter to President Winthrop to this effect, and a copy of the schedule as so modified, is atttached hereto.

Respectfully, JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 13, 1911.

Mr. EGERTON L. WINTHROP, JR., *President, Board of Education:*

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the Department of Education, Bureau of Buildings, Corporate Stock Force, for the year 1911, as follows:

Department of Education.

Bureau of Buildings, Corporate Stock Force—

Architectural Draftsman, 1 at (per annum)	$4,500 00
Architectural Draftsman, 1 at (per annum)	3,000 00
Assistant Chief, Heating and Ventilating Division, 1 at (per annum)	3,000 00
Clerk, 1 at (per annum)	540 00
Clerks, 5 at (per annum)	300 00
Cleaner, 1 at (per annum)	480 00
Engineer, 1 at (per week)	50 00
General Inspectors, 7 at (per week)	45 00
Inspector, Iron and Steel Construction, 1 at (per week)	45 00
General Inspector of Repairs, 1 at (per week)	45 00
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 11 at (per week)	36 00
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 9 at (per week)	33 00
Inspector of Buildings, 1 at (per week)	36 00
Architectural Draftsmen, 6 at (per week)	45 00
Architectural Draftsman, 1 at (per week)	37 50
Architectural Draftsmen, 4 at (per week	35 00
Architectural Draftsmen, 5 at (per week)	32 50
Architectural Draftsmen, 19 at (per week)	30 00
Architectural Draftsmen, 3 at (per week)	25 00
Architectural Draftsmen, 2 at (per week)	22 50
Mechanical Draftsman, 1 at (per week)	37 50
Mechanical Draftsmen, 2 at (per week)	25 00
Draftsman's Helper, 1 at (per week)	17 50
Structural Steel Draftsmen, 6 at (per week)	35 00
Laborer, 1 at (per week)	15 00
Expert Blue Printer, 1 at (per day)	5 00
Junior Draftsmen, 11 at (per week)	17 50
Architectural Draftsmen, 2 at (per week)	50 00
Architectural Draftsmen, 5 at (per week)	40 00
Mechanical Draftsmen, 5 at (per week)	30 00
Structural Steel Draftsman, 1 at (per week)	45 00
Assistant Foreman Carpenter, 1 at (per day)	5 00
Mason, 1 at (per day)	5 60
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 3 at (per week)	30 00
Mechanical Draftsman, 1 at (per week)	27 50
Laborer, 1 at (per day)	6 00
Painter, 1 at (per day)	4 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Fire Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, August 26, 1911.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* City of New York:

Sir—There is now pending before the Board of Aldermen a resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the establishment in the Fire Department for the position of Draftsman, two incumbents, at a salary of $1,200 per annum, to be paid from corporate stock.

I have also requested the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to establish one additional position of Draftsman at a salary of $1,200 per annum, and the position of Cable Splicer, three incumbents, at $1,200 per annum.

The services of all of these men are needed at the present time, and I am advised by your office that the following positions in the Fire Department have already been established:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Architectural Draftsman	$1,200 00	Unlimited
Cable Splicer	1,277 00	Unlimited

I, therefore, beg to request that the corporate stock salary list of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau of the Fire Department be revised to include the following incumbents: Under C-FD-3B, "For the purpose of providing means for the installation of a new fire alarm system in the Borough of Manhattan":

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Architectural Draftsmen	$1,200 00	2

Under C-FD-22, Borough of Brooklyn, "For placing electrical conductors underground":

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Architectural Draftsman	$1,200 00	1
Cable Splicer	1,277 50	3

The reasons for the employment of these men have already been set forth in the applications to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Respectfully,
JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

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

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 26, 1911, the Fire Commissioner requested modification of a corporate stock salary schedule, in his department, for 1911 and 1912. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is in the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, and it is proposed to add three Architectural Draftsmen at the rate of $1,200 per annum, and three Cable Splicers at the rate of $1,277.50 per annum.

The Commissioner states that two of the Draftsmen are necessary in connection with the work of installing a new fire alarm system in Manhattan, and that the other Draftsman and the three Cable Splicers requested are for work in placing the electrical conductors underground in Brooklyn.

The sum of $350,000 in corporate stock is available for the installation of the new system in Manhattan, and $200,000 for placing the wires underground and the general betterment of the fire alarm telegraph system in Brooklyn. The Electrical Engineer of the Fire Department states that contracts are in preparation in connection with the work in both boroughs which will involve the expenditure of the total appropriation of $550,000. The request would add salaries in the sum of $7,432.50 per annum, and would give a total for the schedule of $26,232.50 per annum.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

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

Hon. JOSEPH JOHNSON, *Fire Commissioner:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries for corporate stock funds, in the Fire Department, for the year 1911 and 1912, as follows:

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Buildings.

Salaries:

Inspectors of Buildings	4 at	$1,800 00
Draftsman	1 at	1,500 00
Architectural Draftsmen	2 at	1,500 00
Inspector of Masonry Construction	1 at	1,500 00

Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.

Salaries:

Electrical Engineer	1 at	$5,000 00
Assistant Electrical Engineers	2 at	1,800 00
Cable Testers	3 at	1,200 00
Cable Splicers	3 at	1,277 50
Cable Splicers	2 at	1,200 00
Architectural Draftsmen	3 at	1,200 00
Architectural Draftsmen	2 at	1,050 00
Stenographers and Typewriters	2 at	1,050 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, Brooklyn, August 24, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller,* 280 Broadway, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that you modify salary schedule for employees of the Coney Island bath by eliminating the Cashiers, Key Clerks and Property Clerks and the adoption of the following schedule:

Attendants, 39 at, per annum	$900 00
Attendants, 28 at, per annum	750 00
Watchmen, 4 at, per annum	900 00
Housesmith, 1 at, per annum	1,200 00
Life Savers, 4 at, per day	3 00

I would request that early attention be given this matter as the employees affected are paid on a weekly payroll. Yours truly.

L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 2, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 24, 1911, the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn requested modification of the schedule for the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance, Coney Island Bath, Salaries, Revenue Bond Force, in his office for 1911. In connection therewith, I report as follows:

It is proposed to change the titles of 24 incumbents to conform to a ruling of the Municipal Civil Service Commission. No change in compensation is involved. The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Existing Titles.

Female Cashiers	4 at	$750 00	$3,000 00
Female Key Clerks	2 at	750 00	1,500 00
Male Key Clerks	4 at	900 00	3,600 00
Female Property Clerks	4 at	750 00	3,000 00
Male Property Clerks	10 at	900 00	9,000 00
	24		$20,100 00

Proposed Titles.

Attendants	12 at	$900 00	$10,800 00
Attendants	10 at	750 00	7,500 00
Watchmen	2 at	900 00	1,800 00
	24		$20,100 00

It is stated that the present titles are not included in any Civil Service list, and that the new titles are necessary before appointments can be made.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will give formal approval of the necessary modification, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 2, 1911.

Hon. LEWIS H. POUNDS, *Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salaries, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the year 1911, as follows:

President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance, Coney Island Bath—Salaries, Special Revenue Bond Force:

Attendants	39 at	$900 00
Attendants	28 at	750 00
Watchman	4 at	900 00
Housesmith	1 at	1,200 00
Life Savers, at, per day (90 days)	4 at	3 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 31, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted resolutions for an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of $625 to provide for increases in salaries of five clerks and one Stenographer and Typewriter in the Board of Assessors; and establishing a schedule for the fund. The schedule provided for five Clerks at $2,250, whereas it should have been for four at $2,250, and one at $2,100.

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve a corrected schedule. Respectfully,
JAMES T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investgiation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

Hon. JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, *President, Board of Assessors,* 320 Broadway, New York:

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of salary increases for regular employees paid from special revenue bonds, as revised, for the Board of Assessors, to take effect as of August 1, 1911, as follows:

Board of Assessors.

Salary Increases of Regular Employees to be Paid From Special Revenue Bonds—

Clerk, 1 from $2,100 to $2,250 per annum, from August 1, 1911	$150 00
Clerks, 3 from $1,950 to $2,250 per annum, from August 1, 1911	900 00
Clerk, 1 from $1,950 to $2,100 per annum, from August 1, 1911	150 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 1 from $1,650 to $1,800 per annum, from August 1, 1911	150 00

Yours very truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, August 23, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, Department of Finance,* 280 Broadway, New York City:

Sir—Upon the request of this Board a revenue bond fund has been established to pay the wages of additional Nurses for the alcoholic service at Bellevue Hospital, as follows:

1 Trained Nurse at $600	$600 00
10 Hospital Attendants at $480	4,800 00
	$5,400 00

Miss Noyes, the General Superintendent of Training Schools, in a report, a copy of which is attached, has stated that it is impossible to secure suitable Hospital Attendants at $480 per annum, and it is believed that if a lesser number of Trained Nurses were appointed better results could be obtained. The Trustees therefore respectfully request authority to appoint:

9 Trained Nurses at $600 ..... $5,400 00

—in place of the Nurse and the Hospital Attendants for which funds have been provided. This will involve no increase in the pay-roll. Respectfully,

JAMES A. FARLEY, Acting Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On August 23, 1911, the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals requested modification of the schedule for the special revenue bond account for 1911, entitled, Wages, Regular Employees, Bellevue Hospital, Operation and Maintenance. In connection therewith I report as follows:

On May 4, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution providing $3,600 in special revenue bonds for the payment from May 1 to December 31, 1911, of an additional force of one Trained Nurse, at $600, and ten Hospital Attendants, at $480, per annum, for the care of patients in the alcoholic wards.

The General Superintendent of Training Schools states that it is impossible to secure suitable Hospital Attendants at $480 per annum, and is of the opinion that if nine Trained Nurses, at the $600 rate, were substituted, better results could be obtained. The Trustees, therefore, request that the schedule be modified to include only the nine Trained Nurses.

The General Superintendent states the following:

"At the time the special alcoholic appropriation was allowed it provided for ten State Hospital graduates, or Attendants at $40 a month. I have made every possible effort to secure suitable people to fill these positions without success. Those who come stay a few weeks and leave, many times without the formality of a resignation, or a notice of two weeks. The result has been that I am obliged to supply Nurses from our regular appropriation at $600 to our inconvenience, while the alcoholic appropriation remains unused."

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

Mr. JAMES A. FARLEY, *Acting Secretary, Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages, as revised, for the Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, for the year 1911, as follows:

Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Bellevue Hospital, Operation and Maintenance—Wages. Regular Employees, Special Revenue Bond Force:

Trained Nurses, 9 at	$600 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, Third Avenue and 177th Street, Office of the President, September 14, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby respectfully made that the schedule established in connection with the special revenue bond issue of $1,000 for the purpose of providing for Sunday, holiday and overtime work of the labor force of the Bureau of Sewers of this office be modified as follows:

President, Borough of The Bronx.

R-PX-11. Bureau of Sewers—Maintenance, including Cleaning and Repairs—Revenue Bond force for Sunday, holiday and overtime work:

Foremen, at $4 per day (65 days)	$260 00
Laborers, at $3 per day (50 days)	150 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per day (88 days)	220 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $3 per day (50 days)	150 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $2.50 per day (88 days)	220 00

The only changes from the present schedule are the periods of time, revised to more fully meet the requirements in the assignment of forces as the necessity for overtime occurs, viz.: Foremen increased from 50 to 65 days, Laborers at $3 reduced from 70 to 50 days, Laborers at $2.50 increased to 88 days, Sewer Cleaners at $3 reduced from 70 to 50 days, and Sewer Cleaners at $2.50 increased from 76 to 88 days. Respectfully,

CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 20, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Sir—On September 14, 1911, the President of the Borough of The Bronx requested modification of the revenue bond schedule, RP-X11, Bureau of Sewers. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The schedule is for a force of Laborers, paid from a Revenue Bond issue of $1,000, for emergency or special work performed on Sundays, holidays, or for overtime. The President requests certain changes in the days allowed to provide more fully for the requirements of the Bureau at this time. It is proposed to increase Foremen, at $4, from 50 to 65 days; Laborers, at $2.50, from 76 to 88 days, and Sewer Cleaners, at $2.50, from 76 to 88 days. The decreases are in Laborers, at $3, from 70 to 50 days, and Sewer Cleaners at $3, from 70 to 50 days.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

	Schedule Transfer. Increase.	Schedule Transfer. Decrease.
Code No. R-PX-11—		
Foremen, at $4 per day (50 days)	$60 00	.....
Laborers, at $3 per day (70 days)	.....	$60 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per day (76 days)	30 00	.....
Sewer Cleaners, at $3 per day (70 days)	.....	60 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $2.50 per day (76 days)	30 00	.....
	$120 00	$120 00

The attached communication, if signed by you, will approve the request.

Respectfully, J. T. ADAMSON, Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

Hon. CYRUS C. MILLER, *President, Borough of The Bronx:*

Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 3, 1911, I hereby approve a schedule of wages in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, as follows:

R-PX-11. Bureau of Sewers—Maintenance, including Cleaning and Repairs—Revenue Bond force for Sunday, holiday and overtime work:

Foremen, at $4 per day (65 days)	$260 00
Laborers, at $3 per day (50 days)	150 00
Laborers, at $2.50 per day (88 days)	220 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $3 per day (50 days)	150 00
Sewer Cleaners, at $2.50 per day (88 days)	220 00
	$1,000 00

Yours truly, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of resolution adopted August 3, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the action taken by the Comptroller in modifying salary and wage schedules for the various City Departments, etc., enumerated in the report dated September 26, 1911.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller recommending the retirement of E. H. McGurk, Clerk in the Department of Finance, as provided in sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Charter, as amended by chapter 669, Laws of 1911, at an annual sum or annuity of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200):

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1911.

To the honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—By authority vested in me as Comptroller under sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, I hereby recommend to your honorable Board the retirement from active service of E. H. McGurk, Clerk in the Department of Finance. I further recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment grant to E. H. McGurk the annual sum or annuity of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200), as provided in sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, such payments to continue during the lifetime of the said E. H. McGurk.

Mr. McGurk has been actively employed in the Department of Finance since December 1875, with the exception of about two years from November, 1878, to February, 1879, and from June, 1889, to March, 1891, aggregating over thirty-three and one-half years.

By reason of physical disabilities Mr. McGurk now applies for the annuity provided in the Charter for the retirement of employees in the Department of Finance after a period of thirty years or more. He has submitted to me a request that I make this recommendation to your honorable Board, and that his retirement be made effective September 30, 1911.

His request is as follows:

September 19, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—I respectfully make application to be retired from duty as Clerk in the Paymaster's office, Department of Finance, under the provisions of the statute enacted by the Legislature this year amending sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Charter (chapter 669, Laws of 1911).

I have been connected continuously with the City government since December 15, 1875, except during an interval of one year, eleven months and seventeen days. My total length of service, therefore, is more than thirty-three years.

The reason for this application is that my physical condition is very much impaired, and seriously interferes in the performance of my duties. I therefore ask that I be given the benefit of the retirement act referred to, and sincerely hope that you will recommend that my retirement will be at half my present salary, which would give me an annuity of $1,200.

I enclose herewith a physician's certificate as to my physical condition.

Yours very truly, E. H. McGurk.

Mr. McGurk's statement is verified by the certificate of his physician.

I am convinced that Mr. McGurk has justly earned the mark of appreciation of long and faithful service to The City of New York which was contemplated by those who inaugurated the provision for retirement in the City Charter. I therefore offer the following resolutions. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That in compliance with sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby retire from active service E. H. McGurk, Clerk in the Department of Finance, upon the recommendation of the Comptroller, as provided in sections 165, 166 and 167 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, this retirement to take effect September 30, 1911; and

Resolved, That as the average salary for the last three years, ending September 30, 1911, of Mr. McGurk in the Department of Finance, has been twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400) per annum, an annual sum or annuity of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200) is hereby granted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to him; and

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby directed to pay the said annual sum or annuity to E. H. McGurk, in monthly instalments, out of the receipts of excise money or liquor taxes belonging to The City of New York, as provided in the Greater New York Charter; and

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby extend to E. H. McGurk, as an expression of its appreciation of his long, honorable and faithful services as a City employee, the thanks of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The following matters not upon the calendar for this day were considered by unanimous consent:

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan requesting, and report recommending, the modification of Salary Schedule 1693 supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911, for the office of the said Borough President:

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, City of New York, September 19, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., *Secretary of Board of Estimate and Apportionment,* 277 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made that the schedule attached to the budget of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the year 1911 be amended as follows:

Maintenance Public Buildings and Offices—

1693. Salaries:

Telephone Operators, 3 at $900	$2,700 00
Telephone Operators, 3 at $750	2,250 00
Unassigned balance	300 00
	$5,250 00

The purpose of this change is to fill a vacancy of Telephone Operator at $750 per annum, a $1,050 Operator having been promoted.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE McANENY, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 28, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 19, 1911, the President of the Borough of Manhattan requested modification of a salary schedule in his office for the year 1911. In connection therewith I report as follows:

The request is in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance of Public Buildings and Offices, No. 1693. The only change involved is a decrease in the compensation of a Telephone Operator from $1,050 to $750 per annum, to conform with a ruling of the Municipal Civil Service Commission. The modification is necessary to provide for the September compensation of the incumbent at the lower rate.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Increase.	Transfer Decrease.	Cash Increase.	Transfer Decrease.
1693	Telephone Operator, 1 at $1,050	.....	$1,050 00	.....	$437 50
	Telephone Operators, 2 at $750	$750 00	.....	$312 50	.....
	Unassigned balance	300 00	.....	125 00	.....
		$1,050 00	$1,050 00	$437 50	$437 50

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.
Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedule, as revised, for the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1911, to be effective as of August 1, as follows:

President, Borough of Manhattan.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Maintenance of Public Buildings and Offices—

1693. Salaries:

Telephone Operators, 3 at $900	$2,700 00
Telephone Operators, 3 at $750	2,250 00
Unassigned balance	300 00
	$5,250 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the Fire Department requesting, and report recommending approval, pursuant to resolution adopted July 17, 1911, as amended August 31, 1911, of the plans, specifications and estimate of cost, aggregating $245,175 for the construction of four fire houses in the Borough of Manhattan:

Fire Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, September 21, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller, Department of Finance:*

Sir—The Fire Department has withdrawn from your office plans and specifications for 21 fire houses advertised on July 31, 1911. I have just submitted four plans and specifications to take the places of four withdrawn, as follows: 191 Fulton street, 111th street and 2d avenue, 181st street and Audubon avenue, 50th street and Lexington avenue.

The building of these houses has been much delayed and I shall thank you to give this early attention.

Respectfully, JOS. JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 26, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 20, 1911, revised plans and specifications for four fire-houses in the Borough of Manhattan were submitted for approval, as follows:

		Estimated Cost.
1	Erection and completion of a new building for a double Engine and Hook and Ladder Company, on the south side of East 111th street, eighty feet west of 2d avenue, Borough of Manhattan	$76,650 00
2.	Erection and completion of a new building for a double Engine and a Hook and Ladder Company to be located on northerly side of West 181st street, 100 feet east of Audubon avenue, Borough of Manhattan	83,475 00
3.	Erection and completion of a new building for a double Hook and Ladder Company, to be located at the southeast corner of 50th street and Lexington avenue, Borough of Manhattan	53,550 00
4.	Erection and completion of a new building for a Hook and Ladder Company, to be located at 191 Fulton street, Borough of Manhattan	34,400 00

The revised plans and specifications are to be substituted for four of the plans and specifications for twenty-one fire houses in various Boroughs, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 6, 1911, and which have since been withdrawn by the Fire Commissioner.

The plans and specifications approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment called for the fire houses to be generally of reinforced concrete construction. It is now proposed to build brick fire-proof structures. The facades are to have a granite base, approximately three feet in height. Above this base, the front is to be of limestone for one story, and the upper stories of Harvard brick with limestone trimmings. The sides and rear of the building are to be built of a good hard burnt brick.

The plumbing fixtures are to be of a standard manufacture, fitted up with galvanized iron pipe and cast-iron waste, etc. The buildings are to be piped and wired for gas and electricity. The lighting fixtures are to be of a standard manufacture, easily replaced. Steam heat is to be provided by a one-pipe system.

A description in brief detail of each building follows herewith:

One Hundred and Eleventh street near 2d avenue, Manhattan—Estimated cost, $76,650; amount appropriated, $80,000; size of lot, 60 ft. by 100 ft. 11 in. For a Double Engine Company and a Hook and Ladder Company. House three stories high, 2 story extension containing feed room and toilets.

One Hundred and Eighty-first street near Audubon avenue, Manhattan—Estimated cost, $83,475; amount appropriated, $85,000; size of lot, 70 ft. by 100 ft. For a Double Engine Company and a Hook and Ladder Company. House three stories high, two-story extension, containing feed room and toilets.

Fiftieth street and Lexington avenue, Manhattan—Estimated cost, $53,550; amount appropriated $78,000; size of lot 45 ft. 4 in. by 100 ft. 6½ in., 40 ft. 6½ in. by 100 ft. 5 in. For Double Truck Company, fuel wagon and Chief's quarters. House three stories high, with a two-story extension. Apparatus floor equipped with two stalls.

No. 191 Fulton Street, Manhattan—Estimated cost, $34,400; amount appropriated, $63,000; size of lot 33 ft. 4 in. by 75 ft. For Hook and Ladder Company, Chief's quarters and quarters for a fuel tender. House three stories high. Apparatus floor equipped with six stalls.

The appropriations for all of these improvements were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910. The revised plans and specifications appear to be complete and satisfactory, and the estimates of cost reasonable.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the same.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to its resolution adopted on July 17, 1911, as amended on August 31, 1911, hereby approves the plans, specifications and estimate of cost of four fire houses in the Borough of Manhattan, as follows:

1. One Hundred and Eleventh street near 2d avenue, seventy-six thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars ($76,650).

2. North side of 181st street near Audubon avenue, eighty-three thousand, four hundred and seventy-five dollars ($83,475).

3. Lexington avenue and 50th street, fifty-three thousand, five hundred and fifty dollars ($53,550).

4. No. 191 Fulton Street, thirty-four thousand, four hundred dollars ($34,400).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond requesting, and report recommending, the modification of Salary Schedule 1082, supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1911 for said Department:

Department of Parks, The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, September 27, 1911.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, *Comptroller:*

Dear Sir—In order to carry on the work of the playgrounds under the jurisdiction of this Department, I respectfully request the following modification of Schedule 1082, Wages, Temporary Employees:

Transfer $700 from line item Gymnasium Attendants at $4 per day, and $700 from line item Playground Attendants at $2 per day, to line item reading Gymnasium Attendants at $3 per day, thereby increasing the number of days for Gymnasium Attendants at $3 per day, 466⅔ days, but not exceeding the total appropriation for the schedule.

I further request that immediate action be taken upon this matter for the reason that the unexpended balance now available for Gymnasium Attendants at $3 only permits of another week's employment, and it would seriously cripple the playgrounds to have to suspend operations at this time.

Respectfully, CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 28, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Manhattan and Richmond, under date of September 27, 1911, requesting modification of the 1911 schedule for the Maintenance of Playgrounds, Bath Houses and Comfort Stations, No. 1082, Wages, Temporary Employees, I report as follows:

It is proposed to decrease the number of days for gymnasium attendants, at $4, by 175 days and playground attendants, at $2, by 350 days, to provide for an increase of 466 days for gymnasium attendants, at $3.

The Commissioner states that the available balance for attendants, at $3, is insufficient for the payroll of the present week, and that the modification will enable him to carry on the work for three weeks longer, pending the action of the Board of Aldermen and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, upon a request for special revenue bonds in the amount of $10,000, to enable him to keep the playgrounds open for the rest of the year.

The following table shows the line item changes in detail:

Account No.	Schedule Line.	Schedule Decrease.	Transfer Increase.	Cash Decrease.	Transfer Increase.
1082.	Gymnasium Attendants, at $4 per diem (813 days)	$700 00	.....	$700 00	.....
	Playground Attendants, at $2 per diem (4,696 days)	698 00	.....	698 00	.....
	Gymnasium Attendants, at $3 per day (4,414 days)	.....	$1,398 00	.....	$1,398 00
		$1,398 00	$1,398 00	$1,398 00	$1,398 00

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.
Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the schedule as revised, for the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond for the year 1911, as follows:

Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Maintenance of Playgrounds—

1082. Wages, Temporary Employees:

Gymnasium Attendants at $4 per day (638 days)	$2,552 00
Gymnasium Attendants at $3 per day (4,880 days)	14,640 00
Playground Attendants at $3 per day (2,038 days)	6,114 00
Playground Attendants at $2 per day (4,347 days)	8,694 00
	$32,000 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, recommending the establishment of various positions in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens:

(On August 31, 1911, two communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, relative to the above matter were referred to the above Committee.)

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to two communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, under dates of August 24 and 29, 1911, requesting the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of positions for the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, recently created by an Act of the Legislature, we report as follows:

The request of August 24 is for the establishment of the positions deemed necessary for the rest of the year 1911, while the one under date of August 29 is for the additional positions or grades deemed necessary in the budget of 1912.

The following table shows the positions, etc., requested for the balance of the year:

Title.	Annual Rate.	Required Amount.
Secretary	$2,500 00	$833 33
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	350 00
Stenographer	1,200 00	400 00
Chief Clerk	2,250 00	750 00
Clerk	1,200 00	400 00
Clerk	300 00	100 00
Superintendent	4,000 00	1,333 33
Forester	2,000 00	666 66
Aboriculturist (2)	1,500 00	1,000 00
Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1,333 33
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1,166 66
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00	800 00
Tansitman (2)	1,800 00	1,200 00
Draughtsman (2)	1,800 00	1,200 00
Rodmen (2)	1,200 00	800 00

Title.	Annual Rate.	Required Amount.
General Inspector	1,800 00	600 00
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00	400 00
		$13,333 31

The Commissioner was appointed on July 24, 1911. Under the law creating the position, it is not mandatory to issue special revenue bonds to pay the salaries of a force of employees working under him. The Commissioner, however, cannot earn his salary unless he is provided with an office force to carry on the work of administration and organization.

A conference was held with the Commissioner and it was agreed that the following positions should be established to enable him to start his organization:

Title.	Annual Rate.	Incumbents.
Secretary	$2,500 00	One
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	One
Chief Clerk	2,100 00	One
Clerk	300 00	One
Principal Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	One
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	One
Transitman	1,800 00	One
Draughtsman	1,650 00	One
Rodman	1,050 00	One

The amount necessary for the payment of these positions cannot be accurately determined until the request made by the Commissioner for an issue of special revenue bonds is approved.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the establishment of the positions necessary for starting the organization. Respectfully,

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

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, of positions as follows:

Title.	Rate per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Secretary to Commissioner	$2,500 00	1
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	1
Chief Clerk	2,100 00	1
Clerk	300 00	1
Principal Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1
Transitman	1,800 00	1
Draughtsman	1,650 00	1
Rodman	1,050 00	1

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the Acting President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Brooklyn, The Bronx and Richmond—15.

The Comptroller presented communications as follows:

From William Allaire Short, Member of Assembly for Richmond, relative to the selection of a site for the Richmond County Court House.

From the Public Service Commission, requesting an appropriation of $35,000, for additional expenses for the year ending December 31, 1911.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented communications relative to the establishment of new positions and additional grades of positions as follows:

From the Police Commissioner, requesting the establishment of various grades of positions recommended in the departmental estimate for the Budget for the year 1912.

From the Tenement House Commissioner, requesting the establishment of various grades of positions recommended in the departmental estimate for the year 1912.

Which were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Comptroller presented communications (2) from the Fulton Street Board of Trade of Brooklyn, and the Upper Flushing Improvement Association of the Borough of Queens, favoring the petition of the Firemen and Engineers of Steamers of the Fire Department for increases in salaries.

Which was referred to the Committee on Standardization Salaries and Grades, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Borough of Manhattan and the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

After disposing of the Public Improvements Calendar, on motion of the Comptroller, the Board adjourned to meet Thursday, October 5, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending August 19, 1911.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury	$1,196,301 23
To the credit of the Sinking Funds	342,574 74
Total	$1,538,875 97

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts "A" Warrants	$1,299,079 85
Special Revenue Bond Fund Accounts "B" Warrants	34,343 10
Corporate Stock Fund Accounts "C" Warrants	1,474,313 57
Special and Trust Fund Accounts "D" Warrants	394,684 34
Total	$3,202,420 86

Bills Issued.

Revenue Bills	$594,174 66

Bonds Redeemed.

Bonds of former Corporations now included in The City of New York	$2,500 00
Special Revenue Bonds	10,400 00
Total	$12,900 00

Suits, Court Orders, Judgments, etc.

Municipal, New York Co., James Vinto, infant, by Joseph Vinto, guardian, $81.50; transcript of judgment. Jacob C. Brand, attorney.

Supreme, Kings Co., Matter of Joralemon street; certified copy of order entered August 12, pages 1 to 10, directing payment of award to United States Mortgage & Trust Co. as trustee of New York Dock Co. Davies, Stone, Auerbach & Cornell, attorneys.

Supreme, New York Co., in re New York, Westchester & Boston Railway Co.; copy of petition and notice of motion. Graham & L. Amoreaux, attorneys.

Supreme, Queens Co., in re South Washington place; certified copy of order entered August 14, substituting name of Theodore Diestel in place of Theodore Diettel. William F. Hendrickson, attorney.

Supreme, Kings Co., in re E. 19th st., Brooklyn; certified copy of order entered August 16, directing payment of award to Josephine A. Nelson, page 38. Herbert G. Andrews, attorney.

Supreme, Kings Co., in re E. 94th st., Brooklyn; certified copy of order entered August 16, directing payment of award to George A. Schriever, page 28. Herbert G. Andrews, attorney.

Supreme, Kings Co., Norman P. Findlay et al.; summons and complaint. York & York, attorneys.

Richmond, Municipal, Gaetano De Liser against City of New York; copy of summons.

Supreme, New York Co., William J. Kelly against City of New York; summons and complaint. Clarence B. Campbell, attorney.

Supreme, Richmond, in re Butler ave., Richmond; certified copy of order entered August 17, directing payment of award to Sarah F. Vaughan, page 111. Dessar & Ridgway, attorneys.

Supreme, Richmond, in re Butler ave., Richmond; certified copy of order entered August 17, directing payment of award to Wood, Harmon & Co., pages 115, 116, 118, 119. Dessar & Ridgway, attorneys.

Supreme, Kings Co., in re of People ex rel. Bernard J. Malone, $10; peremptory writ of mandamus directing payment of interest, etc., allowing costs $10. Matthew J. Wheelehan, attorney.

Supreme, Kings Co., in re Thomas J. Deunehy; copy of petition and order to show cause for a peremptory writ of mandamus. Jacob Brenner, attorney.

Supreme, New York, Harriet E. Brady against City of New York; summons and complaint. Parsons, Classon & McIlvaine, attorneys.

City Court of New York, Herman Max Silverman against Jacques Samuels, $3; certified copy of order entered August 16 directing Chamberlain to pay plaintiff $3 erroneously paid to Clerk. I. Gainsburg, attorney.

Supreme, New York Co., Second Avenue R. R. Co. against State Board Tax Commissioners; certified copies of order (8) entered January 4, reducing assessments for years 1901-2-3-4-6-7-8-9. Davies, Stone & Auerbach, attorneys.

Supreme, New York Co., in re Max A. Greenbaum against James C. Cropsey, $310.95; certified copy of order entered March 31, 1911, directing order and payment of bill of costs, $310.95. Maurice Meyer, attorney.

U. S. District, Southern District, in re Basilea & Calandrid, bankrupt; notice of meeting of creditors. MacGrane Coxe, referee.

Claims Filed.

August 14, Logan Coal Co., $598.72; damages on account of loss of coal by the sinking of the coal barge "Admiral Dewey" at the City's dock, south of Bloomfield st., North River, Manhattan. Harrington, Bigham & Englar, attorneys.

August 14, George E. Lovett, $32.25; amount due for services rendered examining, inspecting, appraising, etc., various parcels of land, etc., in the matter of the widening of Roebling and Taylor sts., Brooklyn. Wm. H. Good, attorney.

August 14, William F. Hagarty, $366.47; one-third of the amount ($1,099.42) paid to one, Thomas Kenny, in settlement of an action pending against the City in which he was attorney for Kenny. Wm. F. Hagarty, attorney.

August 14, William F. Hagarty, $366.47; one-third of the amount ($1,099.42) paid to one, Arthur C. Quinn, in settlement of an action pending against the City in which he was attorney for Quinn. Wm. F. Hagarty, attorney.

August 14, William F. Hagarty, $252.68; one-third of the amount ($758.05) paid to one, John Kearney, in settlement of an action pending against the City in which he was attorney for Kearney. Wm. F. Hagarty, attorney.

August 14, E. C. M. Rand, $7,405.35; services rendered as Financial Expert in certiorari proceedings to review Special Franchise Assessments in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

August 15, The Manhattan Supply Co., $172; balance due on contract of March 13, 1911, for hardware furnished Department of Parks, The Bronx. Phillips, Mahoney & Wagner, attorneys.

August 15, The Manhattan Supply Co., $32.40; balance due on contract of June 21, 1910, for miscellaneous supplies furnished for the fire boats, Fire Department. Phillips, Mahoney & Wagner, attorneys.

August 15, Michael Mayer, $25,000; personal injuries sustained July 29, 1911, by being assaulted by a Court Attendant at the City Magistrates Court at 151 E. 57th st., Manhattan. Morris Cukor, attorney.

August 16, Jacob Rubin; injuries to horse July 26, 1911, by Bureau of Highways wagon on Janus st. at New Bowery. A. I. Smolens, attorney.

August 16, Joseph L. Langan, $2,000; personal injuries sustained June 3, 1911, by being run down by a City automobile at Elmsford, Westchester County, New York. Wilson Brown, Jr., attorney.

August 16, Catherine L. Wynee and Bella Kaufmann, $15,000; damages on account of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment rescinding its resolution of June 25, 1909, for the acquisition of the property at the northeast corner of 141st st. and Cypress ave., The Bronx. I. T. Flatto, attorney.

August 16, Thomas J. Boylan, $519; prevailing rate of wages, Painter, Letterer, Fire Department, Manhattan, May 26, 1905 to May 11, 1906. Thos. W. Burke, attorney.

August 16, Clement March, individually and as trustee, Stephen Chas and Gertrude C. Amory, $500; award for Block 342, Lot 3, in the matter of the change of grade of the streets and avenues approaching the new East River Bridge in Delancey st., Manhattan. Joseph A. Flanney, attorney.

August 17, Lizzie Curtin, $866.74; balance of wages due, Matron, at the Blackwells Island Workhouse since June 1, 1909. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Elizabeth Kelly, $1,083.37; balance of wages due, Matron, at the Blackwells Island Workhouse since June 1, 1909. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Margaret Slattery, $766.74; balance of wages due, Matron, at the Blackwells Island Workhouse since June 1, 1909. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Gavin Rowe, $995.96; balance due on contract of March 17, for coal delivered Willard Parker Hospital, and interest. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Sidney E. Hann, $65.24; storage and keep of automobile at Sheepshead Bay for the Police Department from May 31 to July 1, 1911, and supplies furnished. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Maximilian Lund, $500; personal injuries sustained August 7, 1911, by being run down by an automobile of the Bureau of Weights and Measures on Broadway at Fulton st., Manhattan. Geo. M. Curtis, attorney.

August 17, Raymond W. Cook, infant, by his guardian, William D. Cook; personal injuries sustained August 1, 1911, by falling over a flagstone removed from the sidewalk by City employees on 12th st., between 5th and 6th aves., Brooklyn. Martin T. Manton, attorney.

August 17, Frank Morris; personal injuries sustained May 26, 1911, by falling into a hole in the street on 4th ave at 3d st., Brooklyn. Martin T. Manton, attorney.

August 17, Louis Blum, $150; storage of automobile for Health Department, Richmond, August 1, 1909, to January 31, 1910, at $25 per month. John G. Aauk, attorney.

August 18, A. G. Spalding & Bro., $843.60; labor and material repairing Department of Police automobile, May, 1911. John G. Aauk, attorney.

August 18, W. L. Stephens, $221.32; forage furnished Department of Police, Richmond, June, 1911. John G. Aauk, attorney.

August 18, Cress Garage, $27.63; storage, repairs and supplies for automobile, Department of Police, Brooklyn, during April, 1911. John G. Aauk, attorney.

August 18, Joseph Wild & Co., $450; amount due for one Bidjar rug furnished Department of Police, Manhattan, May, 1911. John G. Aauk, attorney.

August 18, James H. Strain, $475; balance due on order for treating with oil the roadway of Kings Highway, between W. 5th st. and 22d ave., Brooklyn. George A. Logan, attorney.

August 18, Joseph Keating, infant, by his guardian, Lawrence Keating, $10,000; personal injuries sustained April 11, 1911, by falling into a trench or hole in front of 275 Wyckoff st., Brooklyn (amended notice). Joseph F. Maguire, attorney.

August 18, Lawrence Keating, $2,000; loss of services of his infant son, Joseph, injured April 11, 1911, by falling into a trench or hole in front of 275 Wyckoff st., Brooklyn (amended notice). Joseph F. Maguire, attorney.

August 18, Josephine McVeigh, $10,000; personal injuries sustained May 22, 1911, by falling over a raised coal hole cover on north side of Bond st., near the Bowery, Manhattan. Louis Susman, attorney.

August 19, Raphael Silverstein, infant, by his guardian, Morris Silverstein, $2,000; personal injuries sustained June 21, 1911, by falling, due to defective condition of sidewalk in front of 25 Essex st., Manhattan. Henry M. Fertig, attorney.

August 19, Antonio Amoroso, $5,000; damages to Lots 11, 12 on map of lots of the Hudson P. Rose Co., Classon Point, The Bronx, by the closing of Classon Point road, The Bronx. Lawrence E. French, attorney.

August 19, Estate of Charles A. Coe, $411; rent of Second District Magistrates Court, Court and Butler sts., Brooklyn, May 1, 1911, to August 1, 1911. Lawrence E. French, attorney.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

August 14, 1911, President of the Borough of The Bronx—For paving, etc., Exterior st. Asphalt Construction Co., 208 Broadway, principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 14, 1911, President of the Borough of The Bronx—For paving, etc., Crimmins ave. Asphalt Construction Co., 208 Broadway, principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 14, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., 64th st. F. J. Clancy, 31 Hunters Point ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 14, 1911, President of the Borough of Manhattan—For regulating, etc., Seaman ave. Lamura Contracting Co., 87 Nassau st., principal. Bankers Surety Co. of Cleveland, O., New York office, 27 Liberty st., surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Parks—For constructing a wall, etc., along Shore road, Borough of Brooklyn. Rodgers & Hagerty, 41 Park row, principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st.; Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st.; Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland, 2 Rector st., sureties.

August 14, 1911, Department of Health—For supplies. Russell & Co., 94 Front st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—For supplies. John Bellman, 61 Hudson st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—For soap. Sulzberger & Sons Co., 45th st. and 1st ave., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—For supplies. Louis S. Gimbel, 6th ave. and 32d st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Armory Board—For coal. Bacon Coal Co., Reid and DeKalb aves., principal. American Surety Co., of New York, 100 Broadway, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Armory Board—For coal. George F. Sinram, 910 E. 5th st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Public Charities—For furniture and rugs. Alexander Pearson, 59 Myrtle ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Health—For groceries. The Reichhard Soap Co., 539 W. 43d st., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Health—For coal. Pattison & Bowns, 1 Broadway, principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Health—For coal. Sperry & Popham, 241 W. 125th st., principal. International Fidelity Insurance Company, of Jersey City, N. J., surety.

August 14, 1911, Department of Armory Board—For constructing a retaining wall, etc., at Jerome Park. A. L. Guidone Co., 162 E. 23d st., principal. Bankers Surety Co., of Cleveland, O., New York office, 27 Liberty st.; National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, sureties.

August 14, 1911, Department of Health—For coal. Charles D. Norton Co., Whitehall Building, principal. Fidelity & Deposit Co., of Maryland, 2 Rector st., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Fire—For forage. Gasteiger & Schaefer, 25 Johnson ave., principal. International Fidelity Insurance Company, of Jersey City, N. J., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Fire—For forage. H. Ingersoll, 640 W. 34th st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For repairs to P. S. 17, Borough of The Bronx. Wm. Braithwaite, 1436 Glover st., principal. American Surety Co., of New York, 100 Broadway, surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For repairs to P. S. 24, Borough of The Bronx. Christopher Nally, 2371 Broadway, principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For materials for mechanics. National Regulator Co., 12 E. 42d st., principal. Fidelity & Deposit Co., of Maryland, 2 Rector st., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For wood. Rudolph Reimer, Jr., 2814 Atlantic ave., principal. American Surety Co., of New York, 100 Broadway, surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For materials for mechanics. Cavanagh Bros. & Co., 143 Chambers st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For alterations, etc., P. S. 6, 12 and 13, Borough of The Bronx. M. Greenberg, 155 Forsyth st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For alterations, etc., P. S. 16, Borough of The Bronx. W. H. Quinn, 103 Chambers st., principal. Bankers Surety Co., of Cleveland, O., New York office, 27 Liberty st., surety.

August 15, 1911, Department of Education—For furniture P. S. 19, Borough of Brooklyn. Louis S. Gimbel, 6th ave. and 32d st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 16, 1911, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For laying water mains in the Borough of Richmond. James McAvoy, 303 E. 127th st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway; American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st.; Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., sureties.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Manhattan—For constructing a sewer in 218th st. The Marble Arch Co., 216th st. and Broadway, principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Manhattan—For constructing a sewer in 138th st. Walton Contracting Co., 147 E. 125th st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For erecting a comfort station at McLaughlin Park. George F. Driscoll, 548 Union st., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For oils. Cavanagh Bros. & Co., 148 Chambers st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For plumbing materials. F. N. Du Bois & Co., 245 9th ave., principal. American Surety Co., of New York, 100 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For paints. George J. Klinger, Hollis. N. Y., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For supplies. The Manhattan Supply Co., 115 Franklin st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For supplies. Byron J. Creamer, Islip, L. I., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For hardware. Manhattan Supply Co., 115 Franklin st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Parks—For lumber. A. C. Jacobson & Sons, 81 Bridge st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For constructing a sewer in Nurge st. M. J. Miranda, Evergreen, L. I., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For constructing a sewer in Stoothoff (Linden ave.). Wm. Kelly, 407 Hamilton ave., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st.; National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, sureties.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For removing deposit in St. Nicholas ave. sewer. Donlon Contracting Co., 84 Broadway, principal. Bankers Surety Co., of Cleveland, O., New York office, 27 Liberty st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For regulating, etc., Graham ave. Astoria Construction Co., 699 Crescent st., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For regulating, etc., Stephen st. Chas. A. Myers, Evergreen, L. I., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For regulating, etc., Van Alst ave. The Green Constructing Co., 734 Vernon ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Queens—For regulating, etc., Radde st. Peace Bros., Flushing, L. I., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., surety.

August 17, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing a sewer in Flatlands ave. John J. Creem Co., 688a Greene ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Fire—For an extension to the fire alarm telegraph system. National India Rubber Co., 30 Church st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 17, 1911, Department of Bridges—For installing electric feeder cables. Eugene Frank, 22 E. 21st st., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Public Charities—For painting the Infants Hospital on Randalls Island. Louis Grossman, 215 Division st., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Public Charities—For decorating the nurses' home in Kings County Hospital. Wm. R. Thompson, 704 Lafayette ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Benson ave. Mooney & Turrecano, 123 Bay 11th st., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving 59th st. Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co., 407 Hamilton ave., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st.; Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., 56th st. Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co., 407 Hamilton ave., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st.; Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., 74th st. Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co., 407 Hamilton ave., principal. The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st.; Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Otsego st. Newman & Carey Co., 215 Montague st., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing a sewer in 38th st. Stanhope Contracting Co., 236 St. Nicholas ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing a sewer in Nostrand ave. Stanhope Contracting Co., 236 St. Nicholas ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For constructing a sewer basin in Sutter ave. F. A. Pellegrino, 6808 New Utrecht ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Ralph ave. F. A. Pellegrino, 6808 New Utrecht ave., principal. The Empire State Surety Co., 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For grading, etc., Snyder ave. Walter L. Castle, 2257 Bedford ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Robinson st. Walter L. Castle, 2257 Bedford ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., E. 17th st. Walter L. Castle, 2257 Bedford ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Carroll st. Walter L. Castle, 2257 Bedford ave., principal. American Bonding Company, of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., E. 18th st. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y.; The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., E. 19th st. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y.; The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., E. 32d st. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y.; The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., Foster ave. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y.; The Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For grading, etc., Avenue I. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, 84 William st.; the United States Fidelity and Casualty Company, 66 Liberty st., New York, sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., Kent ave. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan Ave., principal. The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, 84 William st.; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, 66 Liberty st., New York, sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., E. 10th st. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, 84 William st.; the United States Fidelity and Casualty Company, 66 Liberty st., New York, sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For paving, etc., Albemarle road. Borough Asphalt Co., 1301 Metropolitan ave., principal. The Title Guaranty and Surety Company, 84 William st.; the United States Fidelity and Casualty Company, 66 Liberty st., New York, sureties.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., 79th st. J. J. Schneider, 261 79th st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Pilling st. J. J. Schneider, 261 79th st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., 64th st. J. J. Schneider, 261 79th st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Meserole ave. F. J. Clancy, 31 Hunters Point ave., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For grading, etc., Belmont ave. John M. Fox, 270 Herkimer st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For grading, etc., President st. John M. Fox, 270 Herkimer st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Ralph ave. John M. Fox, 270 Herkimer st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 18, 1911, President of the Borough of Brooklyn—For regulating, etc., Ocean ave. Frank T. Clark, Ocean ave. and Avenue W, principal. American Bonding Company of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For supplies. A. C. Jacobson & Sons, 81 Bridge st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For tools and implements. A. Chatwin Supply Co., 401 Broome st., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For supplies. Cavanagh Bros. & Co., 143 Chambers st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., N. Y., surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—For supplies. The Manhattan Supply Co., 115 Franklin st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Health—For lumber to Otisville Sanatorium. Arthur Jacobson, 81 Bridge st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 18, 1911, Department of Health—For lumber. Church E. Gates, 227 Mott ave., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Health—For groceries. John Bellman, 61 Hudson st., principal. United States Guarantee Co., 111 Broadway, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Health—For groceries. Strauss Bros., 619 Pacific st., principal. The Empire State Surety Company, 84 William st., New York, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Parks—For coal for the Bronx Park. Olin J. Stephens, New York, N. Y., principal. International Fidelity Insurance Company of Jersey City, N. J., surety.

August 19, 1911, President of the Borough of Manhattan—For regulating, etc., 129th st. P. J. Duffy, St. Ann's ave. and 132d st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

August 19, 1911, President of the Borough of Manhattan—For regulating, etc., 142d st. P. J. Duffy, St. Ann's ave. and 132d st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For equipments, etc., Public Schools 42, 77, 92, etc. H. T. Dakin, 97 Warren st., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co., 27-29 Pine st., surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For installing heating, etc., apparatus in the Parental School, Borough of Queens. Frank Dobson Co., 319 E. 53d st., principal. National Surety Company, 115 Broadway, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For installing heating, etc., apparatus in Public Schools 5, 16, 37, etc., Borough of Brooklyn. Daniel J. Rice, 149 W. 35th st., principal. American Bonding Company of Baltimore, 32 Nassau st., surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For alterations, etc., Public Schools 14, 19 and 21, Borough of The Bronx. Hippolit Pfund, 1539 Vyse ave., principal. Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company, 27, 29 Pine st., surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For materials for mechanics. Frederick Pearce Co., 18 Rose st., principal. The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., 66 Liberty st., New York, surety.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For the construction of Public School 132, Borough of Manhattan. A. L. Guidone & Co., 162 E. 23d st., principal. Bankers' Surety Company of Cleveland, Ohio, New York Office, 27 Liberty st.; the Title Guaranty & Surety Company, 84 William st., sureties.

August 19, 1911, Department of Education—For wood. Alexander J. Fraser, 125 E. 146th st., principal. International Fidelity Insurance Company of Jersey City, N. J., surety.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

August 14, 1911—For improvements to various public schools. Department of Education.

August 14, 1911—For the construction of an administration building at the Sea View Hospital. Department of Public Charities.

August 16, 1911—For forage, etc., Borough of Richmond. President of the Borough.

August 15, 1911—For supplies. Fire Department.

August 15, 1911—For coal. Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

August 16, 1911—For supplies, etc. Board of Elections.

August 17, 1911—For miscellaneous work. Department of Parks.

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Tuesday, October 3, 1911, 1.30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

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

Aldermen

Francis P. Bent, Vice-Chairman;	William Drescher,	Samuel Marx,
Thomas F. Baldwin,	Alexander Dujat,	John J. Meagher,
Thomas F. Barton	Daniel Ehntholt,	James J. Molen
Niles R. Becker,	Edward Eichhorn,	George A. Morrison
John A. Bolles,	O. Grant Esterbrook,	James J. Mulhearn,
John H. Boschen,	Lawrence J. Fagan,	Courtlandt Nicoll,
Edward Brady	William Fink,	James J. Nugent,
William D. Brush,	William H. Finley,	Lewis M. Potter,
Stephen Callaghan,	Ralph Folks,	John J. Reardon,
James E. Campbell,	John S. Gaynor,	John C. Ruff
Michael Carberry,	Waldo S. Godwin	Joseph Schloss,
Charles P. Cole,	Henry F. Grimm,	Peter Sheridan,
Daniel T. Cornell,	James Hamilton	W. Augustus Shipley,
Frank A. Cunningham,	Joseph M. Hannon,	James J. Smith,
Henry H. Curran	Abram W. Herbst,	Frederick Snell,
Percy L. Davis,	John J. Hickey,	Michael Stapleton.
Charles Delaney,	John F. Hoertz	William C. Towen,
William J. Desmond	William P. Kenneally	Michael J. Volkmann.
John Diemer,	Francis P. Kenney,	Leonard A. Van Nostran.
Frank J. Dotzler,	Max S. Levine,	John F. Walsh.
Frank L. Dowling,	Thomas J. McAleer,	Louis Wendel, Jr.,
Alexander S. Drescher,	John McCann.	James R. Weston,
	George Markert,	John J. White,

Walter H. Bunn, Acting President, Borough of Queens.

Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the Stated Meeting of September 19, 1911.

On motion of Alderman Folks, the minutes were amended by recording him as voting in the affirmative on Introductory Nos. 4412 and 4413, pages 611 and 612, respectively, and in the negative on the motion to lay Introductory No. 4488 on the table.

The minutes, as amended, were then approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 4560.

A communication from Mr. A. F. Jones in relation to annoyance and danger occurring from use of projecting hat pins.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 4561.

The Consumers' League of the City of New York, Room 517, 105 E. 22d st., September 26, 1911.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—The Consumers' League wishes to call the attention of the Board of Aldermen to the fact that as yet no appropriation has been made to the Department of Buildings for the establishment of the twelve engineer inspectors, requested by that Department for the special work of dealing with the safety of buildings used for manufacturing purposes. In spite of the popular excitement after the Triangle fire many conditions quite as unsafe as those in the Asch building still exist in the City of New York, and no Department except the Building Department has authority to bring about safer conditions. The Building Department, however, is not properly equipped for this work and can not be until such time as the appropriation asked for is granted. This request for an appropriation is now on the Calendar of the Board of Aldermen as General Order 125 and can be taken up at the next meeting of the board on October 3d. The Consumers' League wishes to urge immediate action upon this measure in order that an immediate attempt may be made to secure at least comparative safety from fire and panic to the working people in New York.

Yours very truly,

MAUD NATHAN, President.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond:

No. 4562.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, September 27, 1911.

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

Gentlemen—I hereby make application to your honorable Board, under section 188 of the Charter, for an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars ($10,000), for the purpose of continuing the work in the playgrounds, ball fields and other recreation places of the Park Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, during the remainder of the current year.

The amount allowed for these purposes in the Budget of 1911 is $35,000, although in the draft of the Budget originally submitted by me, request was made for $78,000, and subsequently, in hearings before the Budget Committee, the Supervisor of Recreation and myself strongly urged an appropriation of not less than $59,000.

Further, the recreational work of this Department has greatly increased during the past summer, and the popular demand upon the Department was so strong and widespread as to call for the maintenance of the grounds in a manner that has by this date almost exhausted the $35,000 allowance. Respectfully yours,

CHARLES B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 4563.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, September 25, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of two resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 21, 1911, as follows:

Cal. No.

36A. Authorizing the issue of $12,000 corporate stock to provide additional means for the installation of machinery, and painting the new laundry building in connection with the construction and equipment of the New Bellevue Hospital.

53. Amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, authorizing the issue of $40,000 corporate stock for the completion of Borough Map, Topographical Bureau, by striking therefrom the words "Topographical Bureau" and inserting in place thereof the words "Borough of Manhattan."

I also enclose herewith copies of reports of the Comptroller and of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee relative thereto.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars ($12,000), to provide additional means for the installation of machinery, and painting the new laundry building in connection with the construction and equipment of the New Bellevue Hospital, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 12, 1911, the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals transmitted for approval revised plans and specifications for machinery and equipment for the laundry building of the New Bellevue Hospital at an estimated cost of $70,000.

The work proposed under the specifications consists of the furnishing and installing of new, and the moving and resetting of old laundry machinery and equipment in the new laundry building of the Bellevue Hospital, together with all work incidental or in addition thereto, as required for its proper completion.

Upon application of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals on June 3, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized an issue of corporate stock to the amount of $50,000 "to provide means for the installation of machinery and painting the new laundry building in connection with the construction and equipment of the new Bellevue Hospital." The account is entitled "C-BH-10B."

On July 20, 1910, the Secretary of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals transmitted for approval by the Comptroller plans, specifications and estimate of cost, in the sum of $50,000, for laundry, machinery and equipment for the laundry building of the new hospital.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller, on August 10, 1910, in accordance with the resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, approved these plans and specifications at an estimated cost of $45,000; the architects, Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, estimating the cost of the painting of the new laundry building at $5,000, and the cost of the laundry machinery and equipment at $45,000.

In a communication dated May 24, 1911, to the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, relative to the cost of the laundry machinery and equipment, the architects stated the following:

The estimate submitted to you some three years ago for the cost of the machinery was an estimate prepared by the expert, Mr. Dann, and was intended to cover the complete installation of machinery and the necessary electric, plumbing and ventilating work in connection therewith. The estimate was based on the preliminary studies for the equipment. Our present estimate, based on completed drawings and specifications, is as follows:

New Machinery and equipment	$37,223 00	
Old machinery moved, repaired and reset	7,957 00	
Miscellaneous articles	1,322 00	
		$46,502 00
Vents, hoods and connections	$3,600 00	
Tables and blinds	3,210 00	
Installation of machinery	4,050 00	
Electric work	2,000 00	
Plumbing	1,550 00	
Steam connections	2,500 00	
		16,910 00
To this should be added architects' and engineers' fees, 7½ per cent		4,756 00
Total		$68,168 00

Upon the final estimate of the architects, therefore, the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals submit the revised plans and specifications for machinery and equipment for the laundry building at the estimated cost of $70,000, and request authority to use, in addition to the fund of $50,000 (C-BH-10B) authorized on June 3, 1910, for the machinery and painting of the new laundry building, a sum not exceeding $20,000 from an unencumbered balance in the corporate stock fund entitled "C-BH-10 for Construction New Bellevue Hospital."

The plan and specifications appear to be complete and satisfactory, and the estimate of cost ($70,000) reasonable. The estimate of cost has been checked by a reliable laundry machinery manufacturer.

I concur in the opinion of the Trustees of the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals that the estimates ($45,000) submitted last summer must have been in error, for there is less work and laundry equipment called for in the present specifications than in the specifications submitted last year. For this reason, it will be necessary to provide additional money to carry out the proposed contract.

Relative to the detailed estimate of the proposed work, I would direct attention to the following item: Old machinery moved, repaired and reset, $7,957.

The specifications provide (section II.) that old machinery, as specified, now in the present old laundry building, is to be disconnected, repaired, altered and reset in the new laundry building. This work, in my opinion, is in the nature of repairs, alterations and maintenance, and as such, should be paid for from funds other than the proceeds of corporate stock.

Estimating the cost of disconnecting, repairing, altering and resetting the old machinery at $8,000, it appears that the balance of the work and equipment will cost approximately $62,000, or $12,000 in excess of the appropriation of June 3, 1910.

The proposed use of part of the unencumbered balance of the fund, "C-BH-10, Construction of Bellevue Hospital," to cover this deficiency does not seem advisable, as this is the general construction account for the erection of the new hospital, and it will have to be replenished from time to time as the work progresses. I recommend, therefore, that an additional appropriation of $12,000 be authorized to provide for the deficiency in the fund of the machinery and painting of the new laundry building, and that the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be advised that the work of disconnecting, repairing, altering and resetting certain specified old laundry machinery should not be paid for from the proceeds of corporate stock.

I further recommend, that, subject to an appropriation being made in the necessary amount, the plans and specifications, as submitted on June 12, 1911, for machinery and equipment for the Laundry Building, be approved at an estimated cost of $62,000.

The attached resolutions, if adopted, will carry out the above recommendations.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

No. 4564.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, reading as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding forty thousand dollars ($40,000), to provide means for the Completion of Borough Map, Topographical Bureau, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be amended so as to read

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding forty thousand dollars ($40,000), to provide means for the completion of Borough Map of the Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 8, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—We transmit herewith a resolution for the amendment of a resolution adopted on July 17, 1911, approving an issue of corporate stock to an amount not exceeding $40,000, to provide means for the completion of Borough Map, Topographical Bureau, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

In the original resolution the appropriation was made "to provide means for the completion of Borough Map, Topographical Bureau." This should read "to provide means for the completion of Borough Map of the Borough of Manhattan."

The attached resolution is for the necessary change. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; FRANCIS P. BENT, Acting President, Board of Aldermen; GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan; Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4565.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, September 25, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of three resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 21, 1911, recommending the establishment of additional grades of positions and new positions, as follows:

Cal. No.	Department, etc., and Position.	Salary Per Annum.	Incumbents.
49.	Board of Inebriety—		
	Executive Secretary	$4,000 00	1
	Clerk	1,500 00	2
	Clerk	480 00	2
	Stenographer and Typewriter	900 00	2
	Probation Officers	1,200 00	7
51.	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—		
	Consulting Expert on Filtration	6,000 00	1
	Division Engineeer	5,000 00	1
	Division Engineer	4,500 00	1
52.	City Chamberlain's Office—		
	Stenographer and Typewriter	1,350 00	1

I also transmit copies of reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the office of the Board of Inebriety of grades of positions as follows:

Title.	Number of Incumbents.	Rate per Annum.
Executive Secretary	1	$4,000 00
Clerks	2	1,500 00
Clerks	2	480 00
Stenographers and Typewriters	2	900 00
Probation Officers	7	1,200 00

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 14, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On August 30, 1911, the President of the Board of Inebriety requested the establishment in the office of the Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of grades of positions as follows:

Title.	Number of Incumbents.	Rate per Annum.
Executive Secretary	1	$4,000 00
Clerks	2	1,500 00
Clerks	2	480 00
Stenographers and Typewriters	2	900 00
Probation Officers	7	1,200 00

The President states that it is planned to start work on October 1, 1911, by opening offices in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, in compliance with the provisions of chapter 551 of the Laws of 1910. He also stated that the services of the thirteen employees requested are necessary for the preliminary work of the Board in the investigation of the records of persons arrested for intoxication and the compilation of statistics in relation thereto. The President further states that the force will do a considerable amount of work in connection with the selection of a site for a hospital and industrial colony for the care and treatment of inebriates, and the erection of necessary buildings.

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

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4566.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Office of the City Chamberlain of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Stenographer and Typewriter	$1,350 00	One

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

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 15, 1911, the City Chamberlain requested the establishment in his office, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grade of position of Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,350 per annum. In connection therewith we report as follows:

There are established in the office the grades of Stenographer and Typewriter at $1,200 and $1,500 per annum. It is proposed to increase the present incumbent of the $1,200 position to the $1,350 grade. The $1,500 position is vacant, but the Chamberlain states that he does not desire to grant a $300 increase and therefore requests the intermediate grade.

The incumbent proposed for promotion, Lawrence J. Ryan, entered the service of the City as a Stenographer on August 2, 1905, in the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commission at a salary of $1,000 per annum. He was transferred to the office of the Chamberlain on March 4, 1907, at $1,050 per annum. On July 1, 1908, he was increased to the present rate.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the $1,350 grade for one incumbent. Respectfully,

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Callaghan, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dowling, S. A. Drescher, W. Drescher, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Folks, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Smith, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; President Steers; the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 4567.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Position.		
Consulting Expert on Filtration	$6,000 00	1
Grades of Position.		
Division Engineer	$5,000 00	1
Division Engineer	4,500 00	1

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 9, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On August 14, 1911, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity requested the establishment in his Department, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the position of Consulting Expert of Filtration at $6,000 per annum, and the grades of positions of Division Engineer at $5,000 per annum, and Division Engineer at $4,500 per annum. In connection therewith we report as follows:

The establishment is proposed mainly in connection with the designing and construction of the Jerome Park Filter Plant. A memorandum has been submitted on the proposed incumbents for the positions and the nature of the work in which they have previously been engaged. The memorandum is in part as follows:

Consulting Expert on Filtration at $6,000 per Annum, Mr. George W. Fuller.

Mr. Fuller, owing to his wide and successful experience in the design and construction of both mechanical and sand filtration plants, stands in the front rank, if not at the head, of experts on filtration in this country, and he enjoys an international reputation as an expert. He has been for some time connected with the firm of Hering & Fuller, which firm was employed four years ago, at an expense of $8,000 per annunm, as consulting experts, in the preparation of plans and specifications for the proposed filter plant at Jerome Park. He is therefore conversant with all the conditions bearing on this project, as well as with the work already accomplished.

Division Engineer at $5,000 per Annum, Mr. Elmer G. Manahan.

Mr. Manahan has the highest professional standing, and is, by training and experience, particularly well qualified. He has had charge, and immediate supervision, of the design and construction of several filter plants while connected with Hering & Fuller. He will take charge of the preparation of the plans and specifications for the Jerome Park Filter Plant, and of the construction of the work when contracts therefor have been awarded.

Division Engineer at $4,500 per Annum, Mr. Thomas C. Atwood.

Mr. Atwood was appointed Designing Engineer in the Board of Water Supply, it being expected that he would take up the filtration of the new Catskill supply, for which work he was well qualified through his experience while engaged in the design and construction of the Torresdale filters at Philadelphia and the new filtration plant at Pittsburgh. He was employed on these two plants about six years. Pending the preparation of the filtration plans for the Catskill supply he held the position of Division Engineer with the Board of Water Supply. Mr. Atwood will have charge, under Mr. Manahan, of the preparation of plans and specifications for the plant for filtration of the Croton supply and supervision of the construction work.

Mr. Manahan and Mr. Atwood have already been appointed to complete certain work of the former Aqueduct Commission, under the authority vested in the Commissioner, as successor to the Aqueduct Commission, by section 518 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended. As, however, their services, as well as those of Mr. Fuller, will be chiefly on the designing and construction of the Jerome Park Filter Plant, it has been considered desirable that the three positions be established pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter.

The position of Division Engineer at $5,000, for one incumbent, and Division Engineer at $4,500, for one incumbent, were established for the Department on February 28, 1911. It will therefore be necessary to provide for an additional incumbent in each of these positions.

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

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Counsel:

No. 4568.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, October 2, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I beg to hand you herewith enclosed copy of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated September 30, 1911, in relation to my authority to act as President of the Borough of Queens during the existing vacancy by reason of the separation from the service of President Lawrence Gresser.

Respectfully, WALTER H. BUNN, Commissioner of Public Works.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, September 30, 1911.

Hon. WALTER H. BUNN, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens:

Sir—This department has received from you a communication dated September 28, 1911, the text of which follows:

"Hon. Lawrence Gresser was duly served this day with the order of the Governor of the State of New York, removing him from the position of President of the Borough of Queens.

"I am the Commissioner of Public Works of said Borough under appointment of President Gresser, made August 1, 1910.

"There is, apparently, no provision in the Charter for the Commissioner of Public Works acting as President in the case of a vacancy in the office of the President of a borough, such as is occasioned by the removal of President Gresser.

"I respectfully ask your opinion as to my authority as Commissioner of Public Works to act as Acting President in the discharge of the administrative and executive powers vested in the President of this borough before his removal, and as to my rights and duties under existing conditions.

"In view of the fact that there are papers coming hourly before me, requiring action, will you kindly give me your prompt advice"?

The statutory provisions upon the subject submitted for consideration are contained in sections 383 and 1558 of the Greater New York Charter, and in section 9 of the Public Officers' Law. As far as applicable, they read as follows:

"Section 383. The Borough President may appoint, and at pleasure remove, the Commissioner of Public Works for his borough, who may discharge all the administrative powers of the President of the borough relating to streets, sewers, public buildings and supplies conferred upon him by this act; and who shall, in the absence, or illness, of such President, discharge all the duties of such President."

"Section 1558. All officers elected or appointed under this act shall, unless otherwise expressly provided and unless sooner removed, hold their respective offices until their successors are respectively elected or appointed and have qualified."

"Section 9. Every Deputy, Assistant or other subordinate officer, whose appointment or election is not otherwise provided for, shall be appointed by his principal officer, board or other body, and the number thereof, if not otherwise prescribed by law, shall be limited in the discretion of the appointing board. If there is but one Deputy, he shall, unless otherwise prescribed by law, possess the powers and perform the duties of his principal during the absence or inability to act of his principal, or during a vacancy in his principal's office."

It appears that the Charter does not expressly provide that the Commissioner of Public Works shall act as Borough President during a vacancy in that office caused by the removal of its incumbent. The Public Officers' Law, however, provides for such contingency. These statutes do not seem to be in conflict, when read, with discrimination; nor do the terms of one repeal by implication those of the other. So particular provisions of the Charter should be read and construed in the light of the whole instrument, of the general legislation of the State, and of the object of the Legislature in the erection of municipalities.

This department has heretofore written upon a question similar to the one you raise in a communication addressed to Hon. William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, dated September 1, 1903, and has expressed itself thus:

"The plan of the Charter is that the Borough President shall be the primary responsible executive officer of the borough; that the Commissioner of Public Works shall derive his authority through the voluntary act of his superior officer, except only in two cases, absence and illness of the latter. 'Absence,' as the word is used here means, I think, absence for such a length of time, or under such circumstances, as would seriously interfere with the transaction of the public business were no substitute allowable, and, similarly, 'illness' means illness of such a serious character as would incapacitate the President for the performance of his duties, so that here also the public business would suffer were no one authorized to perform the duties of the President."

I know of no ground for changing this opinion. Its reasoning, indeed, seems to be sufficiently supported by the well considered opinion of Judge Grover, written in People ex rel. George B. Church vs. Nelson K. Hopkins, 55 N. Y., 74. The question discussed in the case cited is in the abstract similar to the one now under revision. It related to the exercise of the powers of a deputy during the absence or inability of his principal. Among other things, the Court said:

"The act contemplates that there shall at all times be a person clothed with all the powers and subject to all the duties of the office of Superintendent * * * during the absence or inability of the principal to perform them, and but one such person. This provision is carefully made to avoid inconvenience to the public from want of a person so authorized. Upon a vacancy all the powers of the Superintendent are given to the Deputy and he is to perform all the duties. * * * There remains no other, vested with any of its functions. The Deputy at once becomes Acting Superintendent and his acts are to all intents and purposes those of the Superintendent."

It is my conclusion, therefore, that all powers necessary for the practical discharge of the duties of the President of the borough during a vacancy in said office are conferred upon the Commissioner of Public Works.

Respectfully, C. D. OLENDORF, Acting Corpoation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President then directed the Clerk to call the Acting President of the Borough of Queens on all roll calls.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Director of the New York Public Library:

No. 4569.

The New York Public Library, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundation, New York, September 23, 1911.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir—Some time ago we applied to the Comptroller for funds to defray the cost of alterations of three of our branch library buildings in connection with the widening of streets, as ordered by the City authorities. The regular appropriation for "Repairs to Buildings and Grounds" provided in the Budget for 1911 is not sufficient to meet such unforeseen contingencies. The Comptroller suggests that we make application to the Board of Aldermen for an issue of special revenue bonds in the necessary amount. On behalf of the Board of Trustees of this Library I herewith make such application. The estimated cost of the alterations necessitated by the widening of 23d st. and 2d ave. is as follows:

For our Muhlenberg Branch, 209 W. 23d st	$293 00
For our Epiphany Branch, 228 E. 23d st	485 00
For our Ottendorfer Branch, 135 2d ave	265 00

Should the present stoop line of the Muhlenberg Branch be changed there would be an estimated additional cost of $500.

Very respectfully, J. S. BILLINGS, Director.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the American Land and Irrigation Exposition:

No. 4570.

American Land and Irrigation Exposition, Offices 26th Floor, Singer Building, New York, September 26, 1911.

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

Gentlemen—On behalf of the American Land and Irrigation Exposition to be held at Madison Square Garden, November 3 to 12, 1911, I beg to submit a request for the appropriation by your honorable Board of $1,000 special revenue bonds to cover the cost of the participation in the exhibition of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, illustrating the vast amount of water used in this City, its sources, distribution system, etc.

I presented this matter to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment after a conference with Commissioner Thompson, of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in which he assured me that he would be glad to contribute an exhibit for the exposition if suitable appropriation was made to cover its cost, and that honorable Board duly referred the matter to him. He reported favorably on the appropriation at the last meeting of the honorable Board, but no action was taken, it being decided on the advice of the Comptroller that the money should properly come from revenue bonds, and the appropriation therefore originated in your honorable Board.

It would be necessary for the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to pay for its space as the other exhibitors will do, and the $1,000 requested would cover this expense and leave a small margin for such minor costs as might be incidental to the preparation of the exhibit.

This exposition will be the first land show ever held in New York City, and extreme efforts are being made to make it of extensive national scope, explaining to the people our land and other natural resources. Over two-thirds of the States in the Union, and Canada and Mexico, are to contribute extensive exhibits, and the New York State Legislature has appropriated the sum of $10,000 to allow the participation in the exhibit of the State Board of Agriculture.

Should you so desire, I will be pleased to address your Board personally and explain the character and scope of the exposition more fully.

Yours respectfully, PUTNAM A. BATES, Director of Agricultural Engineering and Machinery Exhibits.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 4571.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, September 21, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of ten thousand seven hundred dollars ($10,700), to provide for the purchase and installation of water meters and the work incidental thereto for the various public buildings and baths under the jurisdiction and care of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

This request is made pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of July 27, and as there are no funds available for the purpose, your early consideation of the matter is respectfully requested.

Yours very truly, GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 4572.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, September 21, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) for the purpose of making such changes and repairs in the public buildings and baths under the jurisdiction and care of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, that may be required to remove the existing fire hazards and place the various buildings in a safe condition.

The estimated cost of the work is based upon a report made at my request by the Fire Department, which shows that approximately twenty-three thousand dollars ($23,000) will be needed to give satisfactory fire protection to the occupants of the public buildings under my jurisdiction, and upon an examination made by the Building Bureau, which indicates that an expenditure of seven thousand dollars ($7,000) will be required to make said buildings conform to the requirements of the laws and ordinances governing buildings within the City. These two items make the total of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000).

There are no funds available for the purpose, and in order that the work may be commenced at an early date, an issue of special revenue bonds will be required.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Commissioner of Correction:

No. 4573.

City of New York, Department of Correction, New York, September 22, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I would respectfully ask that, pursuant to the provisions of section 188 of the charter of The City of New York, your honorable Board will request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of two hundred ten dollars ($210.00.).

The above amount is needed to pay the increase of salary of seven (7) cooks from $600 to $720 throughout this Department, from October 1, 1911, to and including December 31, 1911.

Trusting that this request will receive the approval of your honorable Board, I am, Very Respectfully, PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

No. 4574.

City of New York, Department of Correction, New York, September 22, 1911.

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

Dear Sir:—I would respectfully ask that, pursuant to the provisions of section 188 of the charter of The City of New York, your honorable Board will request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of two hundred dollars ($200.00).

The above amount is needed to pay the increase of salaries of four (4) mates, (2 from $800 to $900, and 2 from $600 to $900) from October 1, 1911, to and including December 31, 1911.

Trusting that this request will receive the approval of your honorable Board, I am, Very respectfully, PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

No. 4575.

City of New York, Department of Correction, New York, September 23, 1911.

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

Dear Sir:—I would respectfully ask your honorable Board to permit me to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, one (1) automobile,

at an expense not to exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, ($2,500.00), such automobile to be for the offical use of this department.

Trusting that your honorable Board will grant this request, I am, Very respectfully yours, PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 4576.

The City of New York, Office of The President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, September 21, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—The Queens County Court House was reopened for business May 1, 1919, before the completion of the rebuilding. We desire to install, as quickly as possible, another elevator at a cost not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000). There being no standard specifications for work of this nature, we believe it for the best interests of the City to have this work done without public letting. To that end we beg to enclose resolution for adoption by your honorable Board, which we would thank you to bring up at the earliest possible moment, inasmuch as Court convenes on October 1, and the Judges have suggested that this work be finished at the earliest possible moment for the convenience of the public. Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President of the Borough of Queens.

Resolved, Pursuant to section 419, of the charter of The City of New York, the President of the Borough of Queens be and is hereby authorized to purchase in open market, without public letting, all materials and supplies, and procure the necessary labor for the installation in the Queens County Court House, Borough of Queens, of one elevator, at a cost not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000), this Board deeming it to the public interest so to do.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 4577.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, October 3, 1911.

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

Sir—I beg to inform you that at the present time the Office of the President of the Borough of Queens is in a serious position, inasmuch as I have been the Acting President of the Borough and Commissioner of Public Works since the separation from the service of President Gresser.

In case of my enforced absence by illness or otherwise there would be no official to act in my place and stead.

It is absolutely necessary for the proper and efficient transaction of public business and for the reasons above stated to appoint an Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, which position is established by law at a compensation of $3,000 per annum.

In order to provide funds for the payment of the salary thereof, I enclose resolution for adoption of your Honorable Board appropriating the sum of $750 in revenue bonds. Yours respectfully,

WALTER H. BUNN, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President, Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 188, subdivision 8 of the Charter of The City of New York, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue special revenue bonds in the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750), the proceeds whereof to be expended by the President of the Borough of Queens to pay the salary of an Assistant Commissioner of Public Works for the months of October, November and December, 1911.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Department of Street Cleaning:

No. 4578.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, 13-21 Park Row, New York.

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

Sir—Section 416 of the code of ordinances of The City of New York, as now in force, requires street railway corporations to remove snow and ice from their tracks and spaces between and not to throw the same on either side thereof, etc. Since this ordinance was adopted in this form, the Public Service Commission has, in its negotiations with the various surface railroad corporations, changed the conditions of some of the franchises so that not only as to Broadway below 15th st. in the Borough of Manhattan, but as to several others of the companies it is provided that they shall remove the snow not merely from their tracks, but from two feet upon either side thereof.

For several years past, this Department has been making agreements with the surface railroad companies whereby the work of the companies has been, in place of removing the snow from its tracks only, commuted into the removal of the snow from the entire width of the street for shorter distances as this has been found for the convenience both of the companies and this Department. These agreements are described under said section 416, and I enclose a copy of one of the forms.

I enclose also a draft of a proposed amendment to said section 416 so as to harmonize with the changes referred to above made in the franchises.

Respectfully, WILLIAM H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 416 of the Code of Ordinance of The City of New York.

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

Section 416 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Every street railroad corporation shall remove all the snow and ice from its tracks and the spaces between, and wherever required by the franchise of the corporation, from two feet upon either side thereof, and shall not throw the same on either side thereof, and shall immediately carry away and dispose of the same under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, or the Borough President of Queens or Richmond under a fine of $100 for every city block in length in which the said corporation shall fail to so remove and dispose of the same, as aforesaid; provided, however, that for the more speedy and effective removal of snow and ice from the paved streets, avenues and public places of the City, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and the Borough Presidents of Queens and Richmond shall have power and authority in their respective boroughs to enter into agreements for the entire winter season, or part thereof, with any street surface railroad or other railroad having tracks in the City for the removal of snow and ice for the entire width of the street, avenue or public place (from house line to house line) at any part of the route of the said railroad, provided that nothing in said agreements shall be inconsistent with any law of the State of New York or with any right of The City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 4579.

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, 13 to 21 Park row, New York, September 28, 1911.

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

Sir—Under section 188, subdivision 8 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully request your Honorable Board to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of sixty-seven thousand dollars ($67,000), in order to meet the apparent deficit in the appropriation allowed this Department for the year 1911 in the account Administration, Borough of Brooklyn—Special Contract Obligations, Disposal of Ashes, Street Sweepings and Rubbish, including Towing and Unloading and Hired Scows.

The following is a statement of the actual disbursements made from this account during the year 1910 as compared with the first eight months of the year 1911, the remaining fouur umonths being estimated on the basis of the four similar months of the year 1910, with an estimated increase figured at the rate of 10% based on actual calculations for the first eight months of the year 1911.

	Borough Development Company.		Excess over	Harbor Scows.	
	1910.	1911.	1910.	1910.	1911.
January	$57,378 85	$63,572 98	$6,194 13	$651 00	$651 00
February	54,440 48	57,499 43	3,058 95	588 00	588 00
March	56,339 88	64,453 42	8,113 54	651 00	651 00
April	46,318 67	54,696 82	8,378 15	630 00	630 00
May	40,299 11	47,361 60	7,062 49	651 00	651 00
June	38,182 53	41,067 42	2,884 89	630 00	630 00
July	35,761 67	37,489 43	1,727 76	651 00	651 00
August	35,753 56	38,305 01	2,551 45	651 00	651 00
September	37,025 75	37,025 75	3,702 57	630 00	630 00
Plus 10%	.....	3,702 57	.....	.....	.....
October	41,588 54	41,588 54	4,158 88	651 00	651 00
Plus 10%	.....	4,158 88	.....	.....	.....
November	51,773 46	51,773 46	5,177 35	630 00	630 00
Plus 10%	.....	5,177 35	.....	.....	.....
December	61,678 93	61,678 93	6,167 89	651 00	651 00
Plus 10%	.....	6,167 89	.....	.....	.....
	$556,541 43	$615,719 48	$59,178 05	$7,665 00	$7,665 00

The original appropriation allowed in 1911 for the disposition of Ashes,, Street Sweepings and Rubbish, including Towing and Unloading and Hired Scows amounted to	$577,665 00
From which a transfer was authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 16, 1911, to the account Hired Teams, Horses and Carts of	21,000 00
	$556,665 00
The estimated expenditures as stated above represents the sum of	623,384 48
Showing an apparent deficiency on December 31, 1911, of	$66,719 48

The transfer of the sum of twenty-one thousand dollars ($21,000) on January 16, 1911, was made to enable the Department to hire a sufficient number of horses and carts to meet an emergency caused by the accumulation of ashes, etc., during preceding snowfalls.

Owing to the delay consequent to a request to your Honorable Board for the issue of Special Revenue Bonds, I deemed it to the best interests of The City of New York to have this transfer made from available funds at my command with the understanding that later in the year the account from which this emergency draft was made would be reimbursed by the issue of Special Revenue Bonds.

The number of cubic yards of material removed by the contractor in the Borough of Brooklyn during the year 1910 amounted to 1,613,163½, as against 1,784,694 cubic yards estimated for the year 1911, an estimated increase of 171,530 cubic yards at 34½ cents per cubic yard.

This increase in the output of ashes, etc., is due to the added population and a more systematic collection on the part of this Department than in former years.

As these conditions cannot be foreseen, I would request that Special Revenue Bonds be issued to the amount stated. Respectfully,

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond:

No. 4580.

Department of Parks, The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, October 2, 1911.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request an issue of revenue bonds to an amount of $25,000, to enable me to carry the laboring force of this Department from October 1 to December 31, 1911.

In making my request for the 1911 budget an amount was allowed for laborers, but no consideration was taken of the increase of pay to $2.50 per day, which went into effect on January 1. This increase alone amounted to $57,305, 46 Laborers being increased from $2.25 to $2.50, and 245 increased from $2 to $2.50. To meet this increase it was necessary either to cut down the force of Laborers or allow certain necessary work in the parks to remain undone. I therefore decided that it would be best to continue the full force, and request sufficient money at the end of the year to carry on the work. If the additional funds are not provided it will be necessary to lay off 100 men, and as the present force of Laborers is inadequate to keep the parks in proper condition, it is obvious that the parks cannot be properly maintained if a reduction in the force is made.

I would further state that a considerable amount of extra work in connection with taking up of sod and mould from the sites of the various water supply shafts, the Maine Monument, and the Firemen's Memorial, and the relaying of this sod and spreading of mould at other points in the park, and maintaining the addition of the lower part of Colonial Park, the extension of Riverside drive, from 135th to 158th street, and the centre plots of 7th avenue from 110th to 153d street, the small parks in Delancey street and the additional playgrounds opened this year, have also used up a considerable amount of the money appropriated for Laborers, which was not considered in compiling the budget for 1911.

I respectfully request immediate action upon the matter so that I can continue the work of the Department without being forced to lay off any of my present force. The amount requested will only enable me to finish this year by practicing strict economy. Respectfully yours,

CHAS. B. STOVER, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the laborers employed at Kingston Avenue Hospital:

No. 4581.

Kingston Avenue Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

To Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

We, the undersigned Laborers of this Hospital, respectfully submit the complaint that the wages we now receive are too small for the work we do and also too small, considering the high price of food, clothing and rent.

We have to work in the wards where there are contagious diseases; to transfer patients from ward to ward, carrying the same in our arms; to carry corpses; to do hostlers work, painting, coal-passing and all kinds of mechanical and laborious work. When we go out at noon to neighboring restaurants, they dislike to serve us with meals, knowing that we come from the Pest House and they think that we carry germs concealed about our persons.

We have been receiving $50 per month, and out of this we pay $.50 per month for a pension fund; $2.50 a month for carfare; an average of $3 a month for luncheon; an average of $14.00 a month for rent. This leaves a balance of $30. Can a man buy food and clothing for himself, wife and children for a whole month for $30?

All we ask is a fair rate of wages; that we may be able to live in these times of high-priced food, clothing, etc.

The wages we want are $65 per month, which are not more than other City Departments are at present receiving.

We sincerely hope and pray that you will consider favorable this request of ours.

JOHN BEHAN, and 29 others.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board a number of departmental estimates.
Whish were referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 4583.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, City of New York, September 29, 1911.

Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the requirements of section 472 of the Charter, I respectfully request approval of the attached map describing the properties to be acquired in fee and other lands in which an easement will be taken, in order to carry out the Ten Mile River project.

I am attaching hereto a form of resolution which I would respectfully request be adopted at next Tuesday's meeting of the Board, in conjunction with the resolution approving of the appropriation of $1,200,000 to carry out this improvement.

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

In the Board of Aldermen.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held the 28th day of September, 1911:

Whereas, The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance to the provisions of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended deems it necessary to take and acquire certain easements, rights, titles and interests in and to certain real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in said act) in the Towns of Dover and Pawling, County of Dutchess, and in the Towns of Patterson and Southeast, County of Putnam, State of New York, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such easements, rights, titles and interests or growing out of such taking for the purpose of maintaining, increasing and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of said City of New York, and

Whereas, The said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has prepared and submitted, under date of August 31, 1911, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a map and profile showing manner of obtaining from the Ten Mile River, Dutchess County, State of New York, an additional supply of water for The City of New York, and

Whereas, In pursuance of a resolution of this Board adopted on the 31st day of August, 1911, public notice has been given in pursuance of the provisions of the said act above mentioned that an opportunity would be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and profile, and the acquisition of the real estate shown thereon, at a meeting to be held in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of September, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon on that date, and such public notice having been duly published, as provided by said act in the CITY RECORD, in the "New York Times" and "New York Press," three newspapers published in The City of New York, in the "Cold Spring Reporter" and "Putnam County Courier," two newspapers published in the County of Putnam, in which County some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in the "Poughkeepsie News Press," "Poughkeepsie Evening Enterprise," two newspapers published in the County of Dutchess, in which County some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, once in each week for three successive weeks, and due proof of the publication of such notice by the said seven newspapers having been duly filed, and the said hearing having been had, at the time and place in said notice stated, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said map so prepared and submitted by the said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, be hereby adopted and approved as the map of the real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in said act) to be so taken and acquired for the purposes hereinbefore set forth.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the foregoing preamble and resolution as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in pursuance of the provisions of section 472 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby grants authority for the acquisition by The City of New York of the real estate described in said preamble and resolution for the purposes set forth therein.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Chief Justice, Court of Special Sessions:

No. 4584.

Court of Special Sessions of The City of New York, New York October 2, 1911.

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

Dear Sirs—Application is hereby made for the issuance of $7,500 special revenue bonds, for the purpose of furnishing and equipping the Court of Special Sessions, County of Kings, corner of Atlantic ave. and Clinton st., Borough of Brooklyn, recently destroyed by fire.

Respectfully, ISAAC FRANKLIN RUSSELL, Chief Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4585.

Court of Special Sessions of The City of New York, New York October 2, 1911.

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

Dear Sirs—Application is hereby made for permission to contract for the furnishing and equipping of the Court of Special Sessions of The City of New York, County of Kings, corner of Atlantic ave. and Clinton st., Borough of Brooklyn, without public letting.

Respectfully, ISAAC FRANKLIN RUSSELL, Chief Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 4586.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, New York, October 2, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—Transmitted herewith is a certified copy of a resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on September 28, 1911, approving and adopting a map and profile showing manner of obtaining from the Ten Mile River, Dutchess County, State of New York, an additional supply of water for The City of New York; together with a certified copy of a resolution, adopted by the Board on the same date, approving and adopting six (6) similar maps or plans, entitled, "City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Engineering Bureau, Map showing Lands in the Counties of Dutchess and Putnam, to be acquired for the purposes of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, September, 1911."

I also send you herewith for the action of the Board of Aldermen, draft of resolution, approving and concurring in the resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in pursuance of the provisions of section 472 of the Charter, granting authority for the acquisition by The City of New York of the real estate described in the resolutions.

Yours truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended deems it necessary to take and acquire certain easements, rights, titles and interests in and to certain real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in said Act) in the Towns of Dover and Pawling, County of Dutchess, and in the Towns of Patterson and Southeast, County of Putnam, State of New York, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such easements, rights, titles and interests or growing out of such taking for the purpose of maintaining, increasing and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of said City of New York; and

Whereas, The said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has prepared and submitted under date of August 31, 1911, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a map and profile showing manner of obtaining from the Ten Mile River, Dutchess County, State of New York, an additional supply of water for The City of New York; and

Whereas, In pursuance of a resolution of this Board, adopted on the 31st day of August, 1911, public notice has been given in pursuance of the provisions of the said act above mentioned that an opportunity would be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and profile, and the acquisition of the real estate shown thereon at a meeting to be held in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhatttan, City of New York, on the 28th day of September, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon on that date, and such public notice having been duly published, as provided by said act, in the CITY RECORD, in the "New York Times" and "New York Press," three newspapers published in The City of New York; in the "Cold Spring Reporter" and Putnam County Courier," two newspapers published in the County of Putnam, in which county some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in "Poughkeepsie News-Press and "Poughkeepsie Evening Enterprise," two newspapers published in the County of Dutchess, in which county some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, once in each week for three successive weeks, and due proof of the publication of such notice by the said seven newspapers having been duly filed, and the said hearing having been had at the time and place in said notice stated; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said map so prepared and submitted by the said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be hereby adopted and approved as the map of the real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in the said act) to be so taken and acquired for the purposes hereinbefore set forth.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting of said Board held on September 28, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 486 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended did on the 28th day of September, 1911, approve and adopt a map and profile showing manner of obtaining from the Ten Mile River, Dutchess County, New York, an additional supply of water for The City of New York; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York has submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for its approval, as directed in section 488 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended, six similar maps or plans entitled:

"City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Engineering Bureau, Map showing lands in the Counties of Dutchess and Putnam to be acquired for the purposes of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, September, 1911."

—which maps have been duly signed and adopted by the said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York hereby approves and adopts the said six similar maps or plans entitled:

"City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Engineering Bureau, Map showing lands in the Counties of Dutchess and Putnam to be acquired for the purposes of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, September, 1911."

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting of said Board held on September 28, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held the 28th day of September, 1911:

"Whereas, The Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance to the provisions of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended deems it necessary to take and acquire certain easements, rights, titles and interests in and to certain real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in said act) in the Towns of Dover and Pawling, County of Dutchess, and in the Towns of Patterson and Southeast, County of Putnam, State of New York, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such easements, rights, titles and interests or growing out of such taking for the purpose of maintaining, increasing and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of said City of New York; and

"Whereas, The said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has prepared and submitted under date of August 31, 1911, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a map and profile showing manner of obtaining from the Ten Mile River, Dutchess County, State of New York, an additional supply of water for The City of New York; and

"Whereas, In pursuance of a resolution of this Board adopted on the 31st day of August, 1911, public notice has been given in pursuance of the provisions of the said act above mentioned that an opportunity would be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and profile, and the acquisition of the real estate shown thereon at a meeting to be held in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of September, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon on that date, and such public notice having been duly published, as provided by said act, in the CITY RECORD, in the "New York Times" and "New York Press," three newspapers published in The City of New York; in the "Cold Spring Reporter" and Putnam County Courier," two newspapers published in the County of Putnam, in which county some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in the "Poughkeepsie News Press" and "Poughkeepsie Evening Enterprise," two newspapers published in the County of Dutchess, in which county some of the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, once in each week for three successive weeks, and due proof of the publication of such notice by the said seven newspapers having been duly filed, and the said hearing having been had, at the time and place in said notice stated; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the said map so prepared and submitted by the said Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be hereby adopted and approved as the map of the real estate (as the term Real Estate is defined in the said act) to be so taken and acquired for the purposes hereinbefore set forth."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the foregoing preamble and resolution as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in pursuance of the provisions of section 472 of the Greater New York Charter hereby grants authority for the acquisition by The City of New York of the real estate described in said preamble and resolution for the purposes set forth therein.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4587.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, October 2, 1911.

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

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copies of two resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 28, 1911, recommending the establishment of positions and additional grade of position, as follows:

Cal. No.	Department and Position.	Salary Per Annum.	Incumbents.
24.	Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, Examiner	$4,000 00	1
45.	Department of Parks, Borough of Queens—		
	Secretary to Commissioner	2,500 00	1
	Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	1
	Chief Clerk	2,100 00	1
	Clerk	300 00	1
	Principal Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1
	Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1
	Transitman	1,800 00	1
	Draftsman	1,650 00	1
	Rodman	1,050 00	1

I also transmit copies of reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Title.	No. of Incumbents.	Rate Per Annum.
Examiner	1	$4,000 00

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 23, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—In reference to a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, under date of September 19, 1911, requesting the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of the grade of position of Examiner at the rate of $4,000 per annum, we report as follows:

The Commissioner states that he proposes a reorganization of the administrative force, and also desires to install a new method of cost accounting.

For the proper supervision of this work he desires to secure the services of an Examiner who is now an employee of the City, and who is thoroughly familiar with the methods.

In addition to the duties of supervising the installation of new methods and reorganization the Examiner is to be placed in a supervisory capacity over the mechanical and laboring forces employed on both maintenance and corporate stock improvements.

The accounting system to be installed is that approved by the Department of Finance and Commissioners of Accounts for all City Departments, and should be put in operation at the earliest possible moment.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution recommending to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade requested. Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4588.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a meeting held September 28, 1911:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, of positions as follows:

Title.	Rate per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Secretary to Commissioner	$2,500 00	1
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	1
Chief Clerk	2,100 00	1
Clerk	300 00	1
Principal Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1
Transitman	1,800 00	1
Draftsman	1,650 00	1
Rodman	1,050 00	1

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

Department of Finance, The City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, September 21, 1911.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Gentlemen—In reference to two communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, under date of August 24 and 29, 1911, requesting the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of positions for the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, recently created by an Act of the Legislature, we report as follows:

The request of August 24 is for the establishment of the positions deemed necessary for the rest of the year 1911, while the one under date of August 29 is for the additional positions or grades deemed necessary in the Budget of 1912.

The following table shows the positions, etc., requested for the balance of the year:

Title.	Annual Rate.	Required Amount.
Secretary	$2,500 00	$833 33
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	350 00
Stenographer	1,200 00	400 00
Chief Clerk	2,250 00	750 00
Clerk	1,200 00	400 00
Clerk	300 00	100 00
Superintendent	4,000 00	1,333 33
Forester	2,000 00	666 66
Arboriculturist (2)	1,500 00	1,000 00
Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1,333 33
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1,166 66
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00	800 00
Transitman (2)	1,800 00	1,200 00
Draftsman (2)	1,800 00	1,200 00
Rodmen (2)	1,200 00	800 00
General Inspector	1,800 00	600 00
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00	400 00
		$13,333 31

The Commissioner was appointed on July 24, 1911. Under the law creating the position, it is not mandatory to issue special revenue bonds to pay the salaries of a force of employees working under him. The Commissioner, however, cannot earn his salary unless he is provided with an office force to carry on the work of administration and organization.

A conference was held with the Commissioner and it was agreed that the following positions should be established to enable him to start his organization:

Title.	Annual Rate.	Incumbents.
Secretary	$2,500 00	1
Stenographer to Commissioner	1,050 00	1
Chief Clerk	2,100 00	1
Clerk	300 00	1
Principal Assistant Engineer	4,000 00	1
Assistant Engineer	3,500 00	1
Transitman	1,800 00	1
Draftsman	1,650 00	1
Rodman	1,050 00	1

The amount necessary for the payment of these positions cannot be accurately determined until the request made by the Commissioner for an issue of special revenue bonds is approved.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving the establishment of the positions necessary for starting the organization. Respectfully,

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

Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this resolution.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Corne'l, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Ehntholt, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, Meagher, Molen, Nicoll, Reardon, Sheridan, Shipley, Stapleton, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—41.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

Nos. 4402, 3842, 4527, 3981, 4374.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on various dates, 1911 (Minutes, pages 701, 98, 623, 407 and 507) the annexed resolutions asking for issues of special revenue bonds, introductory Nos. 3842, 3981, 4374, 4402 and 4527, respectfully

REPORTS:

That there being no funds available for these purposes, it, therefore, recommends that the said resolutions be placed on file.

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

Which report was accepted.

No. 4543.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 626), the annexed resolution in favor of paying telephone bills, office of City Clerk and Board of Aldermen, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed payment to be necessary, the services having been rendered under the direction of the Clerk of this Board. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of the New York Telephone Company for the sum of three hundred dollars and fifty cents ($300.50), said sum to be payment in full for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk for the four months ending August 31, 1911; the said sum to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled City Contingencies, 1911.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 4544.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 627), the annexed resolution in favor of paying telephone bills, office City Clerk and Board of Aldermen, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed payment to be necessary, the services having been rendered under the direction of the Clerk of this Board. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants as follows:

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company for the sum of ninety-three dollars and forty-two cents ($93.42), being for telephone service furnished to the rooms of the Board of Aldermen in the Borough of Brooklyn for the three months ending August 31, 1911.

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company for the sum of twenty-four dollars and twenty-one cents ($24.21), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn for the three months ending August 31, 1911.

The said several sums to be payment in full for all services rendered during the periods stated and to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled City Contingencies, 1911.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 4464.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (minutes, page 582) the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of Corporate Stock for the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed amendment to be necessary, to provide for certain salaries of regular employees on the work.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of, and concurs in the following amended resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted August 3, 1911:

Resolved, That subject to the concurrence herein by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on June 21, 1910, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 7, 1907, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 23, 1907.

"'Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of the City of New York to an amount not exceeding one million dollars ($1,000,000), for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon and for additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department of the City of New York, as follows:

In the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	$600,000.00
In the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	400,000.00
	$1,000,000.00

—and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of the City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million dollars ($1,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.'"

—be amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of the City of New York to an amount not exceeding five hundred sixty-seven thousand nine hundred sixteen dollars and sixty-

nine cents, for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of sites, the erection of buildings thereon, and for additions and alterations to buildings already erected for the use of the Fire Department of the City of New York, as follows:

In the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	$374,872 40
In the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	193,044.29
	$567,916 69

—and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of the City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred sixty-seven thousand nine hundred sixteen dollars and sixty-nine cents ($567,916.69), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be further amended to make the amounts read:

In the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	$377,605 05
In the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens	193,044 20

—making the total of the authorization five hundred seventy thousand six hundred forty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents ($570,649.25).

FRANK L. DOWLING, WM. P. KENNEALLY, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, JOHN DEIMER, MICHAEL STAPLETON.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 4465.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (minutes, page 584) the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of $500.000 corporate stock to reconstruct Manhattan terminal of Brooklyn Bridge, respectfully.

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. It understands that this is a start in the direction of doing away with all congestion at this point.

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) to provide means for reconstructing the Manhattan terminal of the Brooklyn Bridge.

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

Section 1—The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 3, 1911, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), to provide means for reconstructing the Manhattan terminal of the Brooklyn Bridge, as follows:

Subway connection, including shoring of present structure	$390,000 00
Signal system	50,000 00
Closing William and North William sts., exclusive of damage	20,000 00
Contingencies	40,000 00

—and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting) Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 4474.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 591) the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of two hundred seventy dollars ($270) corporate stock, extra allowance for bridge purposes, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this amount has been awarded by order of the Supreme Court.

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock in the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars ($270) to provide means for payment of extra allowance in matter of acquiring title to certain lands for bridge purposes.

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

Section 1—The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 31, 1911, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and seventy dollars ($270), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the extra allowance, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, under date of July 13, 1911, in favor of the Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, in the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises, situated in the blocks bounded by Avenue A and 1st ave., 59th and 60th sts., and in the block bounded by 1st and 2d aves., 59th and 60th sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected for bridge purposes according to law, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and seventy dollars ($270), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling. A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 4475.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 572) the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of eight hundred and four thousand and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents ($804,020.48) corporate stock for lands in Nassau County for water supply, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is an award made by order of the Supreme Court.

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock in the sum of eight hundred and four thousand and twenty dollars and twenty-eight cents ($804,020.28) to provide means for payment of awards, etc., for lands in Nassau County, for purposes of water supply.

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

Section 1—The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 31, 1911, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of eight hundred and four thousand and twenty dollars and twenty-eight cents ($804,020 28), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the awards, the interest thereon, the cost, charges and expenses in connection with the proceedings to acquire certain real estate at Valley Stream, Lynbrook, Rockville Centre, Baldwin, Freeport, Merrick, Bellmore and Seaford, in the Town of Hempstead, in the County of Nassau, for purposes of water supply, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding eight hundred and four thousand and twenty dollars and twenty-eight cents ($804,020.28), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Hamilton, Hannon, Hickey, Hoertz, Levine, McCann, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Sheridan, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Steers; the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 3918.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 627), the annexed request from the Department of Education for $100,000 special revenue bonds for supplies, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes that these supplies are an absolute necessity, not only so that new pupils may be provided for, but also that text books and stationery may be furnished advanced students whose tuition cannot satisfactorily be pursued under present conditions. A statement from the Department of Education is hereto attached. The committee recommends that the accompanying resolution for $75,000 be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Education for the purpose of replenishing the supplies account for 1911.

Board of Education, Park av. and 59th st., New York, October 2, 1911.

Hon. F. L. DOWLING, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen.

Dear Sir—In accordance with request I transmit herewith the estimate of what will be required for the schools for the months of November and December. We have eliminated from this estimate all items such as sewing, workshops, kindergartens, pictures, and various other lines of supplies which we intend to compel the schools to get along without until funds are available.

I also transmit herewith certain data relative to requirements for 1911 based upon the closest estimate possible, which shows very conclusively that with the stock available on the first of the year, the amount allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and the $100,000 extra requested from your Honorable Board, it will require the most judicious management to enable us to give a reasonable amount of supplies to the schools for the balance of the year. Yours very truly,

NICHOLAS J. BARRETT, Chairman, Committee on Supplies.

Estimate of Supplies Required for November and December, 1911.

Books.		
Bookkeeping Books and Blanks	$1,425 75	
Dictionaries	2,500 20	
Grammars	6,069 08	
Geographies	14,783 37	
Histories	6,025 91	
Arithmetics	4,343 47	
Music Books	2,980 48	
Reading Books	21,185 27	
Penmanship	2,075 96	
Science Books	900 50	
Spelling Books	2,238 40	
Miscellaneous Books, such as Bibles, French, German, Italian, Civics, etc.	1,042 56	
Maps, Charts, Globes	2,510 42	
		$68,081 37
Stationery.		
Composition Books, white paper	$3,440 16	
Composition Pads, white paper	8,049 75	
Pads, manila	8,098 10	
Envelopes	1,244 50	
Crystals for making ink	145 29	
Ink Stands	129 40	
Mucilage and Red Ink	104 75	
Journal, ledger, blotting, legalcap, foolscap, paper, etc	2,620 30	
Wrapping Paper	1,005 89	
Penholders	772 05	
Stamps and Stamped Envelopes	2,517 25	
Miscellaneous Supplies, such as erasers, waterproof ink, letter and note pads for Principal's use, tags, bristol board, etc.	343 12	
		$28,470 56
Typewriters and Supplies.		
For use in Evening High Schools		2,188 54
Pens	$1,611 10	
Pencils	4,457 21	
		$6,068 31
Drawing Material.		
Colors	$576 03	
Drawing Paper, manila	2,284 21	
Drawing paper, white	662 68	
Boxes of colors	551 26	
Brushes	272 25	
Cardboard	190 94	
Compasses	601 71	
Glue and Paste	467 66	

Thumb Tacks	210 04	
Rulers, plain and brass edge	378 65	
Miscellaneous, such as atomizers, fixatif, charcoal paper, models, plastic erasers, denim, colored paper, etc	496 40	
Crayons	616 56	
		$7,308 39
School Record and Cards.		
Postal Cards	$3,066 34	
(Absentee, admission, report to attendance officers.)		
Record Books	1,045 81	
Record Cards	576 25	
		$4,688 40
Miscellaneous Supplies for Classroom Purposes.		
Wash basins, paper baskets and bells	$404 62	
Paper for mending torn books	143 40	
Blackboards	153 19	
Chalk	1,292 22	
Inkwells, ink carriers and ink vents	560 97	
Tumblers, mugs, pitchers	118 18	
Paper fasteners	120 30	
Pointers	36 53	
Duplicating apparatus and supplies	151 50	
Blackboard cleaners	470 92	
Pencil sharpeners	97 54	
Towels	96 73	
General items, such as piano covers, clock dials, library ladders, twine, sponges, weights and measures	106 83	
Pitch instruments	129 72	
Window poles	103 65	
		$3,986 30
Total		$120,791 87

Data Relative to Amount Required for Schools for 1911.

Amount required for Schools in operation, new activities and new pupils for 1911	$1,251,385 13
Less stock on hand December 31, 1910	138,917 56
Net amount requested in Budget	$1,112,467 57
Amount allowed by Board of Estimate and Apportionment	973,000 00
Amount cut out	$139,467 57
We asked your Honorable Board for only	100,000 00

to buy books, stationery and essential supplies for more than 26,000 new pupils—to fit up new evening schools—and to replace old and torn books.

We cut out	39,467 57

because it was required in part to furnish new Workshops, Kitchens, Kindergartens, Science Rooms, etc.

The Bureau has been trying to keep the school, new and old, going up to date. At the present time the demands for supplies are in excess of funds available, notwithstanding that we must take care of the schools during the months of November and December.

Whatever is given will be spent for books, pads, pens, pencils and such supplies. Not one dollar will be given for workshops, kitchens, kindergartens, science rooms or such activities.

In connection with the foregoing, the following is submitted:

The average amount of supplies needed for the schools, under the closest supervision, for the years 1908, 1909 and 1910 represents per year	$1,207,518 19
The amount available for 1911 if you allow the $100,000 will be	1,211,917 56

You will see from the foregoing that it will require the greatest care to give even a portion of the supplies necessary for new pupils, new evening schools, etc., and we must wait until 1912 in order to catch up on account of the deficit.

The Bureau of Supplies has received up to October 1, 200 or more applications from schools for extra money for supplies. This number exceeds the applications for the same period of 1910 by 100 per cent and the amount asked for by 150 per cent.

In connection with the requests the reasons advanced are in general:

"Books unfit for use. Classes using more than one kind of book when the pupils in each class should have the same books. Children having to supply own stationery, pencils, pens and other supplies."

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendell, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4485.

The Committee on Finance, to which we referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 602) a request from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for $30,000 special revenue bonds to meet anticipated deficit, respectfully

REPORTS

That the Committee has gone into this matter carefully and believed that most of the allowance asked for may be postponed until the new budget takes effect. It feels, however, that a certain allowance should be granted for repairs and for the clothing of insane patients.

It therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars ($5,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the following purposes: $3,000 for material for repairs and replacements by departmental labor; $2,000 for special contract obligations (clothing for insane patients).

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendell, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4540.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (minutes, page 626) the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $700, special revenue bonds for deficit in City Clerk's contingency account respectfully.

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary in order to provide for postage, car fares and other incidentals for the remainder of the year 1911.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of seven hundred dollars ($700), the proceeds whereof to be used by the City Clerk for the purpose of replenishing his contingencies account for the year 1911

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4461.

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on September 19, 1911, (minutes, page 581) a request for $42.55 special revenue bonds to cover pay of Veterans (per diem employees) Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary. These men are entitled to pay on Decoration Day and this money is for that purpose.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of forty-two dollars and fifty-five cents ($42.55), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, for the purpose of paying Veterans (per diem employees) for whom no provision was made for holidays in the 1911 budget and who, according to law, are entitled to pay for Decoration Day.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4472.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 590) the annexed request from the Clerk of the City Court for $450, Special Revenue Bonds, to pay salary of a Stenographer for remainder of 1911, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary. The grade has been created in due form of law and the money therefor should be provided.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby reequested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of four hundred and fifty ($450) dollars, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Clerk of the City Court for the purpose of paying salary of a Stenographer for remainder of year 1911.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4483.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 600) a request from the Department of Correction for $400, Special Revenue Bonds, to pay salary of Finger Print Expert, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary in order to provide for the compensation of an official whose place has already been created in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Charter.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of four hundred ($400) dollars, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Correction for the purpose of paying salary of Finger Print Expert for four months of 1911.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally,

Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4462.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 581), a request from the Park Board for $2,190.82 special revenue bonds for salary of Park Commissioner, Borough of Queens, respectfully.

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed payment to be mandatory.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand one hundred and ninety dollars eighty-two cents ($2,190.82), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, for the purpose of paying salary of Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4541.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 626), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $600 special revenue bonds for maintenance of an auto, Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary to provide for the maintenance of auto already purchased under permission from this board.

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

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of six hundred dollars, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures for the purpose of paying for the maintenance, storage and care of an automobile for six months ending Dec. 31st, 1911.

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

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4459.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 19, 1911 (Minutes, page 579), the annexed request from the Secretary of the Committee of Congestion of Population, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed issue to be necessary to liquidate the expenses necessarily incurred by this committee at meetings and in preparing its report. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

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

The Committee on Congestion of Population in New York, Room 506, 320 Broadway, New York, September 30, 1911.

Mr. A. E. HULL, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—In compliance with the telephone request to my office yesterday, I am enclosing herewith a statement of the expenses of the New York City Commission on Congestion of Population which were paid by this Committee on Congestion of Population in New York. Sincerely yours,

BENJAMIN C. MARSH, Executive Secretary.

Statement of the expenses of the New York City Commission on Congestion of Population paid by the Committee on Congestion of Population in New York:

Helen B. Welsh, Statistician and Compiler (6 months)	$600 00
New York Telephone Company	98 12
Stationery	85 00
Stenographic services	434 00
Postage	150 00
Printing	90 00
	$1,457 12

As by agreement, no charge is included for the services of the Secretary, nor for rent of office.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WM. T. KENNEALLY, JOHN F. WALSH, THOMAS J. McALEER, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, CHARLES P. COLE, Committee on Finance.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; Steers; the Vice-Chairman—62.

No. 4539—(G. O. No. 132).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 12, 1911 (Minutes, page 626), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bills of Malcolm & Hayes for engrossing, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed payment to be necessary, this work having been done by direction of the Board of Aldermen. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of Malcolm & Hayes for the sum of fifty dollars ($50), the said sum to be payment in full for engrossing resolutions authorized as follows:

On the death of Hon. William J. Buttling, adopted March 7, 1911; approved March 28, 1911; twenty-five dollars	$25 00
On the death of Hon. Tristam B. Johnson, adopted July 18, 1911; approved July 24, 1911; twenty-five dollars	25 00
	$50 00

The said sum of fifty dollars ($50) to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled City Contingencies, 1911.

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

Which was laid over.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

Nos. 4513 and 4534.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to August Di Bella to place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of his premises on the southwest corner of 43d st. and Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Consolidated Typewriter Exchange to place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of 245 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at said Exchange's own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, October 3, 1911.

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved, proposed resolutions numbered 4513 and 4534, respectively, entitled:

Resolution to permit A. Di Bella to keep a barber pole.

—and

Resolution to permit the Consolidated Typewriter Exchange to keep a show case.

We are all doing that we can to keep the sidewalk on Broadway, at the congested points, free of incumbrances. To allow these two ordinances to become operative would thwart this purpose. I, therefore, return them to you disapproved.

Respectfully, W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

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

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 4589.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for repairing with wooden blocks the roadway of W. 23d st., between 10th and 11th aves., at a cost not to exceed twelve thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($12,750).

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston; Presidents Bunn (Acting), Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—62.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Desmond called up General Order 98, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 2582.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on January 10, 1911 (Minutes, page 37), the annexed request from the former District Attorney of Richmond County for an issue of $1,839.87 special revenue bonds to meet certain unpaid bills, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the desired bond issue to be necessary. The details are set forth in the letter of request. Former District Attorney Evins has explained that during the period covered by these bills there were five murder trials, which made necessary these expenditures. The present District Attorney, who was at that time an assistant in the office, has endorsed this application.

The committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand eight hundred aand thirty-nine dollars ($1,839.87), the proceeds whereof to be used by the District Attorney of Richmond County for the purpose of paying certain bills which became a charge upon this office during the year 1909.

District Attorney's Office, Richmond County, Borough Hall, New Brighton, N. Y., December 31, 1910.

Honorable Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y.:

Dear Sirs—The books of this office show unpaid bills amounting to one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine dollars and 87 cents ($1,839.87) for the year 1909 for services and attendance of expert witnesses, etc., as follows:

Physicians and Surgeons	$845 00
Engineers	75 00
Photographers	80 00
Grand Jury Stenographer	338 90
Interpreters	225 00
Law Journal and Law Books	15 00
Telephone charges	147 22
Expert on value	20 00
Maintenance and repairs to automobile	62 50
Hire of automobile while office car was out of order	24 40
Expenses of Detective McKittrick to Cornwall and Fitchcliff, N. Y.	6 25
Repairs to typewriter	60
Total	$1,839 87

During the year 1909 there were a number of cases of exceptional diffculty, including five cases of murder in the first degree, which added greatly to the expense of running this office.

In the year 1909 there was no official interpreter or grand jury stenographer, consequently the charges for both the interpreter and the grand jury stenographer had to be paid out of the contingent fund. The fact that the county court house is located eight miles from the Borough Hall is an additional cause of expense, especially in mileage charges of witnesses who attend before the court and grand jury.

In the year 1909 there was a balance in the salary account of this office amounting to two thousand dollars and 12 cents ($2,000.12), which I thought would be transferred to the account of witness fees and contingencies, but without my knowledge this sum was transferred to the general fund.

The bills are proper county charges and should be paid. I therefore respectfully request your Honorable Board to authorize the Comptroller of The City of New York to issue special revenue bonds to provide the means necessary to pay the above mentioned deficiency. Respectfully,

SAMUEL H. EVINS, District Attorney, Richmond County, N. Y.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES P. COLE, JOHN DIEMER, WM. J. HEFFERNAN, THOMAS J. McALEER, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, MICHAEL STAPLETON, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Delaney, Desmond, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Godwin, Grimm, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Meagher, Molen, Mulhearn, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Reardon, Ruff, Sheridan, Smith, Snell, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White; the Vice-Chairman—61.

Alderman Desmond called up General Order 125, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 3593 (G. O. No. 125).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on May 23, 1911 (Minutes, page 416), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $9,000 special revenue bonds for salaries of an additional inspection force for the Bureau of Buildings, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed bond issue to be necessary. The places are today approved by the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of nine thousand dollars ($9,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the payment of salaries of an additional inspection force for the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, for the months of July, August, September, October, November and December, 1911.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, May 19, 1911.

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

Sir—Herewith you will find form of resolution requesting the issue of special revenue bonds in the amount of nine thousand dollars ($9,000) for the payment of salaries of an additional inspection force for the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

The necessity for this additional appropriation is fully explained in the attached report from the Building Superintendent. The reasons advanced by the Superintendent seem sufficient without any further comment on my part. The object in view is to minimize danger to life from fire, by rearranging existing buildings and providing additional safety appliances. This account, when available, will be administered under the following salary schedule:

Engineer-Inspectors ..... 12 at $1,500 00

It is requested that this matter be reported on without delay, in order that action may be had in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment before adjournment is taken for the summer. Very truly yours,

GEORGE McANENY, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JOHN F. WALSH, BRYANT WILLARD, WM. KENNEALLY, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, DANIEL EHNTHOLT, Committee on Finance.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Boschen, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Cornell, Curran, Delaney, Desmond, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fagan, Fink, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Hoertz, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, Markert, Morrison, Nicoll, Nugent, Potter, Ruff, Schloss, Sheridan, Smith, Stapleton, Towen, Van Nostrand, Wendel, Weston, White; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—48.

On motion of Alderman Dowling the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was restored to the list of General Orders.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, RESUMED.

No. 4590.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Clement S. Jacobus, 93 Gates ave., Brooklyn; Thomas F. Maher, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; Dwight L. Hewitt, 6311 15th ave., Brooklyn; John C. Brodsky, 26 Van Buren st., Brooklyn; John J. Byrns, 532 Wythe ave., Brooklyn; William A. Grady, 1207 Washington ave., The Bronx.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Ella M. Schacht, 13 Cooper st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bolles—

Albert L. Walkup, 560 W. 149th st., Manhattan; E. F. Eiley, 608 W. 146th st., Manhattan; George Kluberdauz, 260 W. 144th st., Manhattan; Horace Goodrich, 277 W. 150th st., Manhattan; Joseph D. Brockway, 737 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Boschen—

Benuel H. Brumberg, 612 W. 184th st., Manhattan; Edgar A. Meyer, 578 W. 179th st., Manhattan; Thomas Beatty, 455 W. 164th st., Manhattan; F. Washburn, 622 W. 158th st., Manhattan; S. Clinton Crane, 525 W. 182d st., Manhattan; Geo. P. Slowey, 723 W. 177th st., Manhattan; Chas. H. Aitken, 198th st. and Broadway, Manhattan; John H. Meyerholz, Jr., 458 W. 151st st., Manhattan; John W. Kirby, 506 W. 173d st., Manhattan; Grant Van Etten, 481 W. 159th st., Manhattan; Wm. Bartholomae, 212th st. and Broadway, Manhattan; Otto Henschel, 610 W. 178th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Brady—

Joseph Antonucci, 547 Boulevard, Queens; Arthur Schreyer, 25 Fort ave., Union Course, Queens.

By Alderman Brush—

Lawrence H. Sanders, 507 W. 124th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Callaghan—

James Gray, 246 14th st., Brooklyn; F. I. Berger, 210 Parkside ave., Brooklyn; Louis Aronstam, 199 8th ave., Brooklyn; Charles I. Pinner, 19 St. Johns place, Brooklyn; H. C. Bothwell, 155 Amity st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Campbell—

Henry J. Metz, 80 Union ave., Brooklyn; Andrew F. McNamara, 21 Berkeley place, Brooklyn; W. F. Derflinger, 69 S. Oxford st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cole—

Wm. H. Engelbrecht, Princes Bay, Richmond; Frederick T. May, Port Richmond, Richmond; W. Walter, Huguenot Park, Richmond; Horatio J. Sharrett, 50 Hatfield place, Richmond.

By Alderman Cornell—

Otto Albrecht, 12 Pearl st., Stapleton, Richmond.

By Alderman Cunningham—

Frank V. Smith, 1049 Bergen st., Brooklyn; Quinto J. Porcella, 14 3d place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Delaney—

Morris P. Marcus, 41 Park row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Desmond—

Emanuel J. Pelikan, 13 E. 108th st., Manhattan; Albert Wald, 1770 Madison ave., Manhattan; Samuel J. Bush, 116 E. 108th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

Samuel Solomon, 762 Broadway, Brooklyn; Harry L. Leggatt, 1809 Broadway, Brooklyn; Edward A. Sidman, 50 Orange st., Brooklyn; Henry Feldman, 861 Broadway, Brooklyn; Edward Henrici, 35 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn; David J. O'Leary, Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn; Charles Horn, 504 Marcy ave., Brooklyn; Walter D. Solinger, 340 Union ave., Brooklyn; Clinton D. Burdick, 175 Remsen st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Rose Ringel, 13 Ave. D, Manhattan; Max Perlmutter, 318 E. 3d st., Manhattan; William Soerbach, 257 E. 4th st., Manhattan; Henry J. Krinsky, 130 E. Broadway, Manhattan; Sol. H. Eisler, 220 2d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Dowling—

Thomas J. Kilgallen, 365 W. 25th st., Manhattan; Samuel Proskauer, 257 W. 25th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Francis B. Clark, 181 Remsen st., Brooklyn; Albert A. Smith, 41 Greene ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Gilbert Elliot, 44 Court st., Brooklyn; Benjamin Abrams, 141 Grand st., Brooklyn; Albert Levy, 2641 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn; Joseph Gaster, 1727 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn; A. Gottlieb, 1567 Union st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wm. Drescher—

Giovanni Zingali, 112 W. Houston st., Manhattan; Muossa A. Daoud, 67 Washington st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Dujat—

James S. Hurwitz, 19 W. Parke ave., Corona, Queens.

By Alderman Ehntholt—

William Draemel, Jr., 582 2d ave., Long Island City, Queens; Michael Hirschthal, 127 Main st., Queens.

By Alderman Eichhorn—

Herman Lehman, 35 Buffalo ave., Brooklyn; Thester Ftelds, 136 Sumpter st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—

Charles T. Inglee, 194 S. Oxford st., Brooklyn; Roy F. Stahlberg, 181 Van Buren st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fagan—

Hyman Harper, 950 Leggett ave., The Bronx; James M. Barrett, 337 E. 138th st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Fink—

Donato Di Cairano, 97 Lafayette ave., New Brighton, Richmond.

By Alderman Finnigan—

Otto H. Von Damm, 12 Orient ave., Brooklyn; Peter Ottati, 15 Old Bushwick road, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Folks—

Michael J. Theodoropoulos, 233 E. 94th st., Manhattan; Milton S. Guiterman, 58 Central Park West, Manhattan; Henry J. Bigham, 65 E. 92d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaynor—

John Rayher, 220 Lee ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Grimm—

M. A. Coss, 185 Chrystal st., Brooklyn; David F. Price, 51 New Jersey ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hamilton—

Elsie Decker, 1020 Lind ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Hannon—

Ralph Simmons, 52 William st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Herbst—

Harry Hein, 63 E. 112th st., Manhattan; Leon A. Rains, 1118 Forest ave., The Bronx; Andrew R. Leggat, 754 E. 169th st., The Bronx; David Rosenthal, 1053 Prospect ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Hickey—

Frank V. Ceruy, 661 Bergen ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Hoertz—

Elihu S. Leschinsky, 924 Broadway, Brooklyn; George W. Schwille, 1154 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn; James M. Goodwin, 1144 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenneally—

J. Beauman, 12 E. 133d st., The Bronx; R. J. Tracy, 12 E. 133d st., The Bronx; D. M. Tracy, 12 E. 133d st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Kenney—

Benjamin T. Cooke, 1197 Bergen st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Levine—

Joseph A. Seidman, 137 E. Broadway, Manhattan; Benjamin Jaffe, 280 Broadway, Manhattan; Joseph H. San, 35 Nassau st., Manhattan; Abraham A. Kantor, 1353 5th ave., Manhattan; Isaac Siegel, 105 E. 116th st., Manhattan; Louis Soll, 126 Ludlow st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Loos—

Melville S. Forrester, 307 E. 33d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman McAleer—

Samuel Rubenstein, 302 Grand st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Markert—

Ben W. Slote, 39 Graham ave., Brooklyn; A. H. Walkley, Jr., 523 5th st., Brooklyn; Herman Lindenthal, 85 Johnson ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Marx—

Irving Simon, 23 W. 120th st., Manhattan; Ernest T. Bauer, 58 W. 128th st., Manhattan; Charles Goldstein, 136 W. 111th st., Manhattan; Morris Seiff, 217 W. 125th st., Manhattan; Harry Ira Bates, 230 W. 97th st., Manhattan; Julian Michael, 1049 2d ave., Manhattan; Isaac J. Silberstein, 2041 5th ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Meagher—

Charles I. Engel, 309 Broadway, Manhattan; James P. Phillips, 236 84th st., Brooklyn; James B. Fearon, 5722 6th ave., Brooklyn; E. G. Burke, 445 Monroe st., Brooklyn; Samuel Galitzka, 5814 5th ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Molen—

Edward Samuels, 541 Court st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—

Max Feldman, 677 Marcy ave., Brooklyn; Anna E. Graham, 672 Argyle road, Brooklyn; F. I. Bergen, 210 Parkside ave., Brooklyn; Edward Snyder, 283 Stratford road, Brooklyn; Robert H. Koehler, 275 Lefferts ave., Brooklyn; Louis E. Quick, 1516 Flatbush ave., Brooklyn; Theo. E. Larson, 179 Broadway, Manhattan; Melvin A. Gardner, 1055 E. 15th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Horace G. Knowles, 165 Madison ave., Manhattan; Francis T. Colby, 27 W. 44th st., Manhattan; Lotta Ruelberg, 45 W. 34th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Nugent—

Samuel Rosenstein, 308 E. 72d st., Manhattan; T. Louis A. Britt, 453 E. 57th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Potter—

Joseph Fennelly, 1404 ave. O, Brooklyn; Fred W. Shepheard, 2664 E. 27th st., Brooklyn; Peter Imperiale, Van Sicklen and 86th sts., Brooklyn; Otto Beller, 1448 E. 8th st., Brooklyn; Gilbert Lloyd, 502 E. 5th st., Brooklyn; I. Freudenheim, 1933 82d st., Brooklyn; Geo. A. Marshall, 1745 E. 12th st., Brooklyn; A. W. Dennen, 2636 E. 27th st., Brooklyn; Rolland R. Rasquin, 50 Bay 32d st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Reardon—

Milton Heller, 130 E. 82d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Ruff—

Mano Wallenstein, 122 E. 3d st., Manhattan; Samuel A. Fuchs, 129 W. 116th st., Manhattan; Isidor M. Katz, 110 Delancey st., Manhattan; Harry Rosenwasser, 308 2d st., Manhattan; Max Jacobs, 181 E. Houston st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Schloss—

Chas. R. Wendt, 27 W. 91st st., Manhattan; William Rebbe, 617 West End ave., Manhattan; Julian Michael, 1049, 2d ave., Manhattan; Joseph B. Haviland, 200 W.

99th st., Manhattan; Joseph Fennelly, 2 Rector st., Manhattan; Wm. S. Waddy, 94 W. 104th st., Manhattan; T. S. Rumney, Jr., 450 Riverside drive, Manhattan; Thomas E. D. Darling, 203 W. 103d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Sheridan—

George A. Spohr, 3749 Olinville ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Shipley—

H. E. Gahagan, 22 Beaufort st., Jamaica, Queens; Harry Jobes, Jamaica, Queens; Richard H. Ashby, South Ozone Park, Queens; Wm. R. Spencer, 457 Manor ave., Woodhaven Queens.

By Alderman Smith—

Chas. H. Herbst, 460 Grand st., Manhattan; Israel Sokolofsky, 40 E. 3d st., Manhattan; Louis Solomon, 208 Ross st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Snell—

L. P. Reilly, 166 Colden ave., Queens; James E. Willcox, 76 Cook ave., Elmhurst, Queens.

By Alderman Stapleton—

Louis H. Rose, 99 Nassau st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Towen—

Thos. E. Reynolds, 444 W. 43d st., Manhattan; William A. Neylan, 318 W. 34th st., Manhattan; James F. Roe, 371 W. 35th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Volkmann—

Nathan Finkelstein, 210 E. 85th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Van Nostrand—

George Brettell, 184 E. 123d st., Manhattan; Edward J. Schick, 313 E. 123d st., Manhattan; Joseph R. Damico, 158 E. 127th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Walsh—

Soldano Sacco, 231 E. 114th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman White—

Donato Di' Sesa, 114 Mulberry st., Manhattan; A. H. Shipper, 192 W. Broadway, Manhattan; Joseph Frockel, Jr., 581 Courtland ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman Willard—

Gottschalk Cohn, 271 W. 125th st., Manhattan; Max Altmayer, 212 W. 129th st., Manhattan; Thomas A. Garvey, 2204 7th ave., Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Barton, Becker, Bolles, Brady, Brush, Campbell, Carberry, Cornell, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, A. S. Drescher, W. Drescher, Dujat, Esterbrook, Fagan, Finley, Folks, Gaynor, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Hickey, Kenneally, Kenney, Levine, McAleer, McCann, Markert, Marx, Morrison, Mulhearn, Nugent, Reardon, Schloss, Stapleton, Towen, Volkmann, Van Nostrand, Walsh, Wendel, Weston, White; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—49.

No. 4591.

By Alderman Baldwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter J. Groth to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line on the 53d st. side of his premises on the southeast corner of 3d ave. and 53d st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4592.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. D. O'Connor to erect, place and keep a storm shed at the 3d ave. entrance, storm shed at the corner entrance and storm shed at the side entrance on 45th st., of his premises at the southeast corner of 3d ave. and 45th st., in the Borough of Manhattan; provided the said storm sheds shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, not to be used for advertising purposes. The work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough. Such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4593.

By Alderman Bolles—

Whereas, A large number of people daily use the 155th st. elevated railroad station on 8th ave., Borough of Manhattan; and,

Whereas, Said station is difficult of approach by reason of the very great height of the stairs leading both from the street level to the station level and from the station level to the viaduct; and,

Whereas, Action has been taken to force the company which operates said elevated railroad to install escalators or other similar mode of transportation, which action has been suspended owing to the unsettled condition of the transit situation. Now, therefore, in view of the current report that the said company now operating said elevated railroad will not extend its lines into The Bronx, be it

Resolved, That the Public Service Commission of this district be and hereby is requested to take this matter under consideration again with the view of forcing said operating company to install proper facilities at once, and that a public hearing be held thereon.

Which was adopted.

No. 4594.

By the same—

Be it resolved that the rules of this Board be amended by adding a new rule thereto to be known as section 13 of chapter 5 of the Rules of the Board of Aldermen, as follows:

Every member who shall be within the Aldermanic Chamber when a question is stated from the Chair shall vote thereon unless he is excused by the Board, or unless he is directly interested in the question; nor shall the roll of absentees be more than once called.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

No. 4595.

By Alderman Boschen—

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and it is hereby requested to make provision in the Sanitary Code to compel owners and drivers of motor vehicles propelled by explosive force to equip said vehicles with mufflers or such device as will stifle or deaden the unseemly noises which they emit, with requisite penalty for failing to observe such provision and particularly requiring that such muffler or device shall always be attached and in use while a motor vehicle is operated on the streets of the city.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 4596.

By Alderman Brush—

Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is given to Rizzo & Lewis to place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of 844 Amsterdam ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, provided that said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such case made and provided, not to be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4597.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be requested to place two lamp posts with lights in front of the Mt. Hope Baptist Church, at the northeast corner of 105th st. and Broadway.

Which was adopted.

No. 4598.

By Alderman Davis—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Leroy Wilkins, of 135th st. and 5th ave. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4599.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Margaret Lacy, of 171 E. 128th st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4600.

By Alderman Desmond—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Propper Bros. to place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of their premises 1664 Madison ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinances in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4601.

By the same—

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4602.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph M. Penzick to place and keep a barber pole within the stoop line in front of his premises, 256 E. Houston st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said barber pole shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided: the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4603.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the work of the Budgetary Publicity Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the chairman of the said committee may by requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set aside for the expenses of the said committee for the purposes of the budget exhibit for 1911; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, duly certified by the chairman of the said committee, to cover the expenditure of the money paid therefrom.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4604.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Gluck, of 384 8th ave., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4605.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the various political organizations and associations of The City of New York to erect stands for the purpose of holding political meetings on the sidewalks or carriageways of The City of New York, providing said stands shall be removed within twenty-four hours after having been used; and be it further

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to all political organizations and associations to erect, place and keep transparencies, erect poles and swing banners therefrom, the Presidents of the Boroughs consenting thereto, and where banners are swung from houses the property owners consenting thereto, the work to be done and material supplied at their own expense;

Resolved, further, That permission be and the same is also hereby given to all political organizations and associations to parade through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of The City of New York with vehicles containing bells or bands of music, the last privilege to be under the direction of Police Department, and the first two privileges to be under the direction of the Presidents of the Boroughs, respectively; the several permissions hereby given to continue only until November 11, 1911, any resolution or ordinance heretofore passed to the contrary notwithstanding;

Provided, however, that where a permit is issued and there is likelihood of any loss or damage to The City of New York through the exercise thereof, such permit shall take effect only upon the filing of a bond, in form and amount to be approved by the Corporation Counsel, indemnifying The City of New York against any loss or damage sustained thereby.

Which was adopted.

No. 4606.

By Alderman Downing—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. A. Knauber to erect, place and keep an awning or marquise of iron or glass in front of their premises at 19 Bond st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said awning or marquise shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4607.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Resolved, That, based upon the following statement of facts, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to enlarge the allowance for library work in the Brownsville section of the Borough of Brooklyn, so that the sum may be sufficient to meet the increased demands of the population:

"In the Brownsville section the growth in population has manifested itself in an increased use of the library beyond all expectations. When the site for a building in this section of the City was selected the branch library had a monthly circulation of only 6,000 volumes; before the new building was occupied, the circulation had grown to over 20,000 per month, and the circulation for the last month in 1910 was 39,249. From the date of opening the building has been taxed to the utmost, and an effort to induce the City to secure adjoining land for the purpose of erecting an addition to the present building has been unsuccessful. Even with this addition the present branch will not adequately meet the demands of this section of our City, and steps will have to be taken in the near future to provide other library facilities for this community (page 18, printed report for 1910).

"Since then, however, the crowding and congestion at this branch have necessitated the removing of all chairs from the children's rooms, during the winter months, in order to give the little borrowers standing room, and in order to make them go home quickly so that others would have room to come in. The line of borrowers waiting to return books often runs down the block in the busy season. This, of course, is a great delay and annoyance to busy men, to teachers and other adults. Moreover, the crowding has necessitated the curtailing of certain reading-room privileges. In January, 1911, this branch issued over 42,000 volumes, while the average Carnegie Branch issues but 20,000. Our total circulation for 1910 was over 370,000 volumes (will be over 380,000 in 1911), while the nearest competitor in Brooklyn circulated but 290,000 volumes.

"In proportion to its population the Brownsville District is not quite so well provided with library facilities as other districts. Of 26 branch libraries in the Borough there is only one here, where the population is nearly 150,000. Such a population should have at least two branches in comparison with Williamsburg's three.

"Moreover, the territory to be reached is so extensive that all sections are not

served with reasonable convenience. As matters stand to-day, readers have to come from as far east as Van Sicklen ave., as far north as Fulton st., as far west as Buffalo ave., and as far south as Vienna st.

"Another thing lacking is a lecture room, which would be of great benefit to the great mass who are anxious to receive this kind of instruction. All other libraries in Brooklyn have lecture halls but this."

Which was adopted.

No. 4608.

By Alderman W. Drescher—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hannaberry & Moran to erect, place and keep storm doors within the stoop line in front of their several premises, 211 and 214 Greenwich st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm doors shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4609.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Lorde to place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of 94 Watts st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4610.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Rowan to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of his premises, 221 West st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4611.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cohn & Davis to place and keep show cases within the stoop lines of their several premises, 223 and 225 Fulton st. and 201 Greenwich st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show cases shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4612.

By Alderman Fagan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to place transparent signs on the lamp posts at northeast corner of 143d street and Willis avenue, southwest corner of 149th street and 3d avenue, northwest corner of 143d st. and 3d avenue and southeast corner of Lincoln avenue and 138th street, Borough of The Bronx, to the Congregational Church of North New York, advertising the excursion of their sunday school, provided the said signs shall conform in all respects with the ordinance in such cases made and provided under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4613.

By the same—

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

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

No. 4614.

By Alderman Fink—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Max Schwartz to place and keep a watering trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Bergen and Henderson aves., West New Brighton, in the Borough of Queens; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4615.

By the same—

County of Richmond, Surrogate's Office, Richmond, .N Y., September 7, 1911.

WILLIAM FINK, Esq., West New Brighton, N. Y.:

My Dear Buck—I enclose herewith a draft of a resolution, which speaks for itself. The resolution to establish my salary was approved by the Mayor on the 31st of July, but, on account of the fact that no money is available in any account in this office, it will be necessary to have special revenue bonds voted for that purpose.

I would esteem it a favor if you would have this resolution, or a similar one introduced, if this does not meet with your approval. I would suggest that the enclosed be submitted to the fellow who draws up such resolutions, so that there will be no doubt about its phraseology.

I shall be at Richmond (235 New Dorp) every day from now on, so that if you wish to speak to me you can reach me here.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness in the matter, I am

Sincerely yours, THOMAS F. CURLEY.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of $62.50, the proceeds whereof to be used by the County Judge and Surrogate of the County of Richmond for the purpose of paying the increase in the salary of the Confidential Clerk to said County Judge and Surrogate, which said increase is authorized by a resolution approved by his Honor, the Mayor, July 31, 1911.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4616.

By Alderman Finley—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby requested to place lights in Clay ave., from Wendover ave. to 171st st., in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 4617.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lampposts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Church of Our Lady of Victory on the northeast corner of Webster ave. and 171st st., in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 4618.

By Alderman Gaynor—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Niekamp to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line on the Wythe ave. side of his premises, 564 Wythe ave., corner of Rush st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4619.

By Alderman Hamilton—

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby given to Joseph Nemesy to erect and keep a booth at the southeast corner of Webster ave. and Fordham road, in the Borough of The Bronx, said booth to be erected in conformity with the ordinances governing, at his own expense and under the jurisdiction of the Borough President, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4620.

By Alderman Hannon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Greenwich Village Club to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department, such permission to continue only for a period of 30 days.

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

No. 4621.

By Alderman Kenneally—

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars ($5,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of renovating and fitting up the premises, 207 E. 32d st., for uses of the 4th District Municipal Court.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4622.

By the same—

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars ($4,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of equipping and furnishing the premises, 207 E. 32d st., for uses of the 4th District Municipal Court.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4623.

By the same—

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to fit up, equip and furnish the premises 207 E. 32d st. for the uses of the 4th District Municipal Court, without public letting, at a cost not to exceed nine thousand dollars ($9,000).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 4624.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter F. Hayes to erect, plan and keep a storm door within the stoop line on the Sackett st. side of the premises, 188 5th ave., corner Sackett st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4625.

By Alderman Levine—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ressler & Langan to erect, place and keep storm doors within the stoop lines in front of their premises, 116 East Broadway, corner of Pike st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm doors shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4626.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York and providing that the same shall be licensed.

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

Section 260a. Any letter, word, model, sign, device or representation in the nature of an advertisement, announcement or direction attached to any building in The City of New York and illuminated by electricity shall be deemed to be an electric sign.

Section 260b. Electric signs may be hung or attached to buildings, and extend not to exceed six feet therefrom in said space, and to be 10 feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building, upon the payment of an annual license fee of 10 cents for each square foot of sign space or part of square foot of such sign space, to be collected by the City Clerk of The City of New York. The square feet of sign space on one side of an electric sign, however, shall be deemed to be the entire number of square feet of sign space for the purpose of computing the license fee herein referred to and required to be paid.

All electric signs shall be constructed entirely of metal, including the uprights, supports and braces for the same, properly and firmly attached to the building, and shall be so constructed as not to be or become dangerous.

Before any permit is issued by the City Clerk, plans and statements of the proposed sign and method of attachment to the building must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings having jurisdiction, as provided in part 2, section 4, of the Building Code, and his certificate of approval be obtained as to the sufficiency of the construction and method of attachment to the building. A certificate must also be obtained from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity certifying that the proposed electric wiring and electric appliances are in conformity with the rules and regulations of that Department.

Section 260c. No certificate shall be given by the Superintendent of Buildings, and no permit shall be issued by the City Clerk, for the erection of electric sign or signs on any building when such building adjoins a building occupied exclusively as a private residence, unless the written consent of the owner or owners of said private residence for the erection of such electric sign be first obtained.

Section 260d. No electric sign shall be placed, hung or maintained, except as in this ordinance provided, under a penalty of fifty dollars for each offense, and a further penalty of ten dollars for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

Section 260e. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 4627.

By Alderman Loos—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. Silverblatt to place and keep two show cases within the stoop line in front of his premises, 400 3d ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show cases shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4628.

By Alderman Markert—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Shampan & Shampan to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of the theatre building on the northwest corner of Broadway and Varet st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4629.

By Alderman Marx—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Jacobovitch to place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of his premises, 8 W. 125th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said show case shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4630.

By the same—

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4631.

By Alderman Morrison—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. V. Murtha to erect, place and keep two storm doors within the stoop line in front of his premises, 1295-7 Nostrand ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm doors shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4632.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and thee same is hereby given to J. Oetjen to erect, place and keep storm doors within the stoop line in front of his premises, 1371 Rogers ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm doors shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4633.

By the same—

Resolved, That Charles E. Marshall, of 1521 Union st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4634.

By Alderman Mulhearn—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby requested to place lights at suitable distances along the following thoroughfares of the Borough of The Bronx: Commonwealth ave., from Tremont to Westchester ave; Story ave., east of Olmstead ave.; Herschel ave., from Westchester ave. to Halsey st. and on Leland ave.

Which was adopted.

No. 4635.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. Denbitzer, of the Little Fur Shop, 132 West 34th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; said permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4636.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John P. Coyle, of the Wanamaker Parisian Beauty Parlors, northwest corner of Broadway and 34th st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only during the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4637.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the proprietor of The Webster (a hotel) to place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of 40 West 45th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4638.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Klaw & Erlanger to erect, place and keep an awning or marquise of iron and glass in front of the Liberty theatre, 234 West 42d st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning or marquise shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of this ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4639.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Klaw & Erlanger to erect, place and keep an awning or marquise of iron and glass in front of the New Amsterdam theatre, 214 W. 42d st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning or marquise shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4640.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry F. Mouquin to erect, place and keep an awning or marquise of iron and glass in front of his premises, 67 and 69 W. 44th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning or marquise shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4641.

By the same—

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

Which was adopted.

No. 4642.

By Alderman Nugent—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry James, of 200 E. 65th st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 4643.

By Alderman Shipley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. Pitasch to place and keep a show case within the stoop line in front of 490 Fulton st., Jamaica, Borough of Queens, provided the said show case be erected so as to conform in all respects with the ordinance in such cases made and provided; not to be used for advertising purposes, and work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4644.

By Alderman Shipley—

Resolved, That Leonard E. Conklin, of Springfield, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4645.

By the same—

Resolved, That Stephen Foppiani, of 105 Prospect st., Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 4646.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Herman Fischer to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of 6 Jackson st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4647.

By Alderman Walsh—

Resolved, That pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed $3,000, for the purpose of purchasing an additional supply of coal for the College of the City of New York.

Which was adopted.

No. 4648.

By Alderman White—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Empire Film Co. to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of 150 E. 14th st., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at said company's own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 4649.

By Alderman A. S. Drescher—

Whereas, The Board of Health has passed an ordinance prohibiting the use of common drinking cups, and

Whereas, Any person using such a public drinking cup is liable to arrest, be it

Resolved, That in order to comply with the law and in the interest of public health, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be required to remove the public drinking cups and furnish each member of this Board with an individual drinking vessel.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Alderman Towen moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, October 10, 1911, at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held at the Offices of the Commission on Thursday, June 27, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Rules by changing the fourth paragraph of subdivision 4 of Rule XI. (certification and appointment) to read as follows:

"An eligible who has declined appointment by reason of the insufficiency of the compensation offered shall not be again certified for a position at the same or any less compensation unless by order of the Commission, and when such declination results in the appointment of an eligible not originally entitled to certification, the compensation of such appointee shall not be increased within one year thereafter or beyond the amount offered to any person so declining unless the appointee, if not appointed, would have appeared at the time of the proposed increase as one of the first three upon the eligible list for the higher salary." There were no appearances.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the non-competitive class, for the Department of Public Charities, the following: Bandmaster, $720 per annum, with maintenance. Mr. J. McKee Borden, Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, appeared in behalf of the proposed amendment. There being no opposition, the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the non-competitive class for Bellevue and Allied Hospitals the following: Resident Obstetrician, $1,200 per annum, with maintenance. Dr. John W. Brannan, President of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, appeared in behalf of the proposed amendment. There being no opposition, the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the classification by including in the non-competitive class for the Department of Health the following: Hospital Clerk, with knowledge of Italian, Tuberculosis Clinic, $600 per annum, without maintenance. Dr. Waters, of the Department of Health, appeared in behalf of the proposed amendment. There being no opposition, the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Municipal Civil Service Rules be and the same hereby are amended by changing the fourth paragraph of subdivision 4 of Rule XI. (certification and appointment), to read as follows:

"An eligible who has declined appointment by reason of the insufficiency of the compensation offered shall not be again certified for a position at the same or any less compensation unless by order of the Commission, and when such declination results in the appointment of an eligible not originally entitled to certification, the compensation of such appointee shall not be increased within one year thereafter beyond the amount offered to any person so declining unless the appointee, if not appointed, would have appeared at the time of the proposed increase as one of the first three upon the eligible list for the higher salary."

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing for Thursday, July 6, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the proposed revision of the entire Non-Competitive Classification.

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

Transfers Approved—Andrew Daly, Laborer, from the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan to the Department of Bridges; George M. Sykes, from the position of Dock Builder to that of Dock Laborer, in the Department of Docks and Ferries; Charles J. Hamacher, from the position of Driver to that of Stableman, in the Department of Street Cleaning; Thomas Toker, from the position of Driver to that of Stableman, in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Reinstatements Approved—Henry P. Martin, Laborer, in the Board of Water Supply; Wilhelm E. Klusmann, Laborer, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan; Givolamo Messina, Sweeper, in the Department of Street Cleaning;

Fred Brockmeyer, Sweeper, in the Department of Street Cleaning; James P. Reily, Driver, in the Department of Street Cleaning; John P. Busby, Driver, in the Department of Street Cleaning; Ambrose Donnerlein, Driver, in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Reassignments Noted—Patrick Shea, Park Laborer, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond; Richard Smead, Park Laborer, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens; Robert L. King, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; James McInerney, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning; Charles Lindelof, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning; Rocco L. Manzo, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Applications Approved—Request of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, under date of June 22, 1911, for approval of his action in rescinding the dismissal of William Ryan for the position of Driver.

Emergency Appointments—A. Kuhnemann and Charles Samuelson, Licensed Firemen, at the Children's Hospital and Metropolitan Hospital, respectively, for a temporary period of five days, to date, from June 12, 1911.

The report was approved.

The action of the Fire Commissioner in rescinding the dismissal of John J. Kirby, First Grade Fireman, and reinstating him, to take effect May 18, 1911, was noted.

A letter was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated June 24, requesting the certification of an eligible list from which to fill two vacancies in the position of Assistant Fire Marshal in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, and Richmond, at a salary of $1,500 per annum. There being no eligible list in existence for the position, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the Secretary be, and he hereby is, directed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Assistant Fire Marshal.

A letter was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated June 23, stating that the legislature had amended section 740 of the Charter of the City of New York, relating to the uniformed force, by providing that one of the medical officers of the Fire Department should be appointed Chief Medical Officer at a salary of not more than $6,000 per annum, and requesting that such position be "properly classified." The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part XII (the Medical Service), the title "Chief Medical Officer."

A letter was presented from the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, Office of the Mayor, dated June 23rd, requesting that the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, at a salary of $1,200 per annum, established by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and the Board of Aldermen for his bureau, be exempted from competitive examination. The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing in accordance with Rule III.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. Francis J. Oppenheimer be and he hereby is excepted from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII, to serve as Manager in connection with work of the Committee on Budgetary Publicity, appointed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed the sum of $1,500.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. John Manley, of 50 Pine street, Manhatttan, be and he hereby is excepted from examination, to serve as Expert Tabulator in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in connection with the investigation into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed $750.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. A. McLoughlin, of 341 Lexington avenue, Manhattan, be and he hereby is excepted from examination to serve as Expert Stenographer in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with the investigation into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education; provided, however, that his total compensatio shall not exceed $750.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Allen Abbott, of 400 W. 118th street, Manhattan, be and he hereby is excepted from examination, to serve as Special Examiner in the Board of Estimate and Apportionmeut in connection with the investigation into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed $750.

The appointment of the following named persons as Attendants in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of fifteen days was approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII:

John Heany, 363 Lincoln road, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Louis Reck, 207 15th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Thomas Grills, 432 7th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; James Kennedy, 363 20th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, dated June 21, requesting authority to extend the appointment of the following-named temporary Clerks for a period of three months: Alexander R. Baxter, William J. Murphy, George H. Behrman, Elizabeth Rinn, James Dougherty, William V. Elliott, William F. Farney, John V. O'Connor, G. W. Kiernan, Samuel V. Owen, Charles R. Davis, Elizabeth L. Reilly. The request was granted.

The emergency appointment of the following-named persons as Inspectors in the Department of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of fifteen days was approved under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII.: E. J. Slipper, 117 Remsen st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank Dodez, 153 6th ave., New York City; Adolph F. Keller, 1445 E. 10th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward A. Jackson, 2597 Webster ave., The Bronx.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to summon the following-named persons for non-competitive examination to qualify them for provisional appointment as Inspectors in the Department of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, with compensation at the rate of $100 per month: E. J. Slipper, 117 Remsen st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank Dodez, 153 6th ave., New York City; Adolph F. Keller, 1445 E. 10th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward A. Jackson, 2597 Webster ave., The Bronx; Vincent Natalish, 110 E. 54th st., New York City; Charles G. Wallace, 588 Park place, Brooklyn, N. Y.; John K. Lasher, Jr., 438 W. 116th st., New York City; George C. Korb, 1951 3d ave., Manhattan; William C. Mayer, 556 E. 21st st., Flatbush, N. Y.; Warren J. Taussig, 29 W. 184th st., The Bronx; Samuel M. Van Blarcom, 322 W. 30th st., Manhattan; John W. Leib, 2711 Decatur ave., The Bronx; Ernest W. Nette, 1605 2d ave., Manhattan; Austin Conroy, 132 W. 96th st., Manhattan; Theodore P. Scates, 331 W. 14th st., Manhattan; David A. Sealey, 1796 Mation ave., The Bronx.

Letters were presented from the Secretary of the Health Department, dated June 20 and 21, requesting approval of the appointment of Mrs. Alice Burke, of 132 W. 62d st., as Nurse's Assistant in the Division of Child Hygiene (Infants' Milk Stations), Borough of Manhattan, with salary at the rate of $480 per annum, in accordance with paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to arrange the necessary non-competitive examination.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, dated June 26, requesting approval of the appointment of Henry Goldman, of 925 Jackson avenue, as Draftsman, with salary at the rate of $1,200 per annum for a period of fifteen days, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Rule XII., also requesting that Mr. Goldman and Mr. Clifford D. Maxwell be given a non-competitive examination to qualify them for provisional appointment. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to arrange the necessary non-competitive examination.

The reports of the Boards of Examiners for positions in the Non-Competitive Class of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, dated January 9, April 24 and June 15, and of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, dated June 15, were approved on the recommendation of the Chief Examiner.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification as follows:

1. By including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Bellevue and Allied Hospitals," the following:

5 Assistant Superintendents of Training School, 1 Superintendent of Training School, 1 General Superintendent of Training Schools.

2. By including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Public Charities," the following:

8 Deputy Superintendents of Training Schools, 5 Superintendents of Training Schools.

3. By striking from Part 2 of the Labor Class the title "Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning."

The Secretary was authorized to permit the following-named candidates to amend their statements as to the date of birth to conform with the proof submitted:

Amelia Aarons, 560 Beck st., The Bronx; Stenographer and Typewriter.

Ray Taschman, 68 W. 114th st., New York City; Playground Attendant.

John M. Mason, 169 E. 83d st., New York City; Inspector of Masonry.

Mary F. Daly, 236 Broadway, Astoria, L. I.; Attendant.

James A. McNelis, 267 Oakland st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Herman Fischer, 1591 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Isaiah Jarcho, 22 E. 105th st., New York City; Inspector of Electric Lighting and Conductors.

James L. McCahill, Jr., 2130 Belmont ave., New York City; Playground Attendant.

Marion Vexler, 184 Delancey st., New York City; Playground Attendant.

Edward J. Horie, 259 Wyckoff st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving.

Anna E. Boyd, 245 W. 145th st., New York City; Attendant.

Arthur W. Pote, 173 E. 111th st., New York City; Inspector of Masonry.

Michael L. McManus, 96 Dikeman st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

The Secretary presented the application of Alfred Dooley, who had been appointed to the position of Axeman in the Board of Water Supply. It appeared from the date of birth given by Mr. Dooley in his appointment sheet that he had been under the minimum age of eighteen years at the time of filing his application. The Secretary was instructed to request Mr. Dooley to call upon the President and explain the discrepancy in his statements as to the date of birth.

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

Frank J. Mahoney, 1620 Madison ave., New York City; Clerk, First Grade, at $300 per annum. Declined appointment at that salary in January, 1911.

Ellen F. Kelly, 1082 Simpson st., Borough of The Bronx; Stenographer and Typewriter, Second and Third Grades, for appointment at $750 per annum. Declined appointment at that salary in the Department of Finance, January 6, 1911.

Walter J. Grew, 336 61st st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clerk, Second Grade. Failed to reply to notice from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx. May 3, 1911.

Walter G. Grafton, 502 W. 213th st., New York City. Attendant, Preferred, for appointment at $500 per annum. Statement of Department of Public Charities (May 11, 1911) that he failed to reply to notice, incorrect.

Irene Le Pard, 42 Vandam st., New York City; Typewriting Copyist, Second Grade. Declined appointment on account of temporary inability. April 12, 1911.

William R. Plaatje, 307 E. 58th st., Borough of Manhattan; Deputy Tax Commissioner, for appointment at $1,800 per annum. Declined appointment in the Department of Taxes and Assessments on account of salary. June 9, 1910.

Gertrude F. Skelling, 422 Pleasant ave., New York City; Attendant Preferred. Declined appointment in the Department of Parks on account of illness. June 12, 1911.

A communication was presented from George E. Ruoff, Jr., notifying the Commission of his change of address from 883 Freeman st., Borough of The Bronx, to 156 E. 116th st., New York City, and requesting that the change be noted on the eligible list of Court Attendant. The request was granted.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, June 28, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held at the Offices of the Commission on Wednesday, June 28, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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

The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

On motion, the minutes of the meetings held June 21 and 27 were approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted by the Commission on June 27, 1911, be and the same hereby is revoked:

"Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Rules be and the same hereby are amended by changing the 4th paragraph of subdivision 4 Rule XI. (Certification and Appointment) to read as follows:

"An eligible who has declined appointment by reason of the insufficiency of the compensation offered shall not be again certified for a position at the same or any less compensation unless by order of the Commission, and when such declination results in the appointment of an eligible not originally entitled to certification, the compensation of such appointee shall not be increased within one year thereafter beyond the amount offered to any person so declining unless the appointee, if not appointed, would have appeared at the time of the proposed increase as one of the first three upon the eligible list for the higher salary."

Harry Rosenberg, 1223 41st st., Brooklyn, appeared before the Commission, as directed to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Process Server under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII. The explanation of the candidate being satisfactory to the Commission, the Secretary was instructed to remove the disqualification appearing against him on the eligible list.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to remove the following names from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII. (Physical Disability): William J. Higgins, 176 E. 78th st.; Stephen D. Skidmore, 590 E. 3d st., Brooklyn.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to remove the name of Clarence C. Behr from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII., and to place it on the blacklist.

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

William Dierolf, from the position of Axeman, at a salary of $900 per annum, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, to a similar position, at the same salary, in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Harry T. Rogers, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $1,350 per annum, in the Department of Finance, to a similar position, at a salary of $1,500 per annum, in the Department of Bridges.

William Disch, Jr., from the position of Telephone Operator, at a salary of $900 per annum, in the Fire Department, to a similar position in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Charles J. Campbell, from the position of Inspector of Sewer Construction, at a salary of $4 a day, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, to a similar position, at a salary of $1,500 per annum, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

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

Nelson K. Jacobs, in the position of Patrolman on Aqueduct in the Board of Water Supply, he having resigned a similar position without fault or delinquency on May 8, 1911.

Francis G. Chiquette, in the position of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct, in the Board of Water Supply, he having resigned a similar position without fault or delinquency on February 8, 1911.

James Ryan, in the position of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct in the Board of Water Supply, he having resigned a similar position without fault or delinquency on May 18, 1911.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the following appeals were granted:

Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry—William J. Anderson, 425 W. 56th st., rerating on technical paper; George W. Cream, 461 Wyona st., Brooklyn, rerating on technical paper.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the following appeals were denied:

Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry—David F. Moore, 285 Weirfield st., Brooklyn, rerating on technical paper.

Second Grade Clerk—Joseph F. McPhee, 344 E. 87th st., general rerating.

Assistant Engineer, Bureau of Buildings, Grades D and E—Marrio J. Cafiero, 141 W. 9th st., Brooklyn, rerating on technical paper.

Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—Richard Cantwell, 414a 7th ave., Brooklyn, request for general rerating.

Promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grade D, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—John Maloney, 1529 Washington ave., Woodhaven, Queens, request to be permitted to make additions to his Experience sheet.

The following appeals were considered and referred to the Committee on Appeals:

Promotion to Assistant Engineer, Grade E, Bureau of Highways, Manhattan—Dennis Farrell, 82 E. 236th st.

Process Server—Robert Smith, 218 Penn st., Brooklyn; Michael J. Casey, 4 Columbia place, Brooklyn; Anthony Villone, 397 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn; August B. Schoenherr, 304 E. 110th st.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Mechanical Draftsman—Electrical, Sanitary, Heating and Ventilating.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Deputy Chief Thomas J. Ahearn be and he hereby is disqualified for the mental examination for promotion to the grade of Chief of the Fire Department, it appearing from reports of the Chief of the Bureau of Physical Examinations of the Commission and of E. B. Dench, an expert specially employed, that Mr. Ahearn's hearing is so defective as to render him physically unfit for the duties of Fire Chief.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to remove the name of Michael P. O'Connor, 99 Adelphia st., Brooklyn, from the eligible list of Attendance Officer, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII., and to place the same upon the blacklist.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated June 20, relative to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning for approval of the change of title of Michael A. Nash from Foreman of Painters to Foreman of Mechanics. The change of title was approved.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated June 21, stating that on June 21, the last ratings had been placed on the papers in the examination for Milk Inspector (County) held on March 9, 1911. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Milk Inspector (Country) be and the same hereby is established as of June 21, 1911, the date on which the rating of the papers was completed.

A communication was presented from the Chief Engineer, dated June 21, stating that on June 21 the last rating had been placed on the papers in the examination for Foreman Asphalt Worker held on May 25, 1911.

Resolved, That the eligible list of Foreman Asphalt Worker be and the same hereby is established as of June 21, 1911, the date on which the rating of the papers was completed.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated June 22, stating that on June 22 the last ratings had been placed on the papers in the examination for Inspector of Weights and Measures held on February 14, 16 and 21, 1911

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Inspector of Weights and Measures be and the same hereby is established as of June 22, 1911, the date on which the rating of the papers was completed.

A communication was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated June 20, relative to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities for the Commission's consent to the promotion of Dr. Charles B. Bacon from the position of Superintendent of Hospitals at $3,000 per annum to that of General Medical Superintendent at $5,000 per annum. The request was denied.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated June 27, relative to the request of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval of the promotion of John Ahearn, a First Grade Clerk in the Division of Public Improvements, to the Second Grade. The promotion was approved in accordance with Rule XV., paragraph 23.

A communication was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated June 26, nominating James Dixon, of 242 W. 48th st., New York City, for appointment as a Special Examiner of Wheelwrights.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Mr. James Dixon, 242 W. 48th st., New York City, be and he hereby is appointed a Special Examiner of Wheelwrights, with compensation at the rate of $10 a day while employed.

A communication was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 21, stating that the preliminary sheets used by the Commission in competitive examinations contained the direction that the candidate should place his examination number on each sheet of his examination; which was in direct contradiction to the oral instructions to the candidates, and recommending that it be changed to conform to the oral instructions. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 20, respecting his investigation of the statements made by Francis J. McGarry in his experience paper in the examination for Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption. The report was ordered filed.

A report was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 17, respecting his investigation of the statements made on their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names appeared at the head of the eligible list of Process Server. The report was ordered filed.

A report was presented from Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, relative to his investigation of the records of the following-named candidates for the position of Examiner of Charitable Institutions, and stating that he had instructed the Application Clerk to accept their applications subject to the approval of the Commission: Henry Young, 6 Columbia st., Manhattan; Samuel Sperling, 8675 Bay 36th st., Brooklyn. The action of the Examiner was approved.

A report was presented from Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated June 19, stating that Francis H. Throop, 217 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn, candidate for Process Server, had not responded to the request for a transcript of court records respecting an arrest mentioned in his application, and recommending that he be called upon to explain. The recommendation was adopted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated June 27, requesting authority to extend the emergency appointment of James Claire as Watchman, with salary at the rate of $500 per annum, pending the making of an appointment from an eligible list. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated June 20, requesting approval of the emergency appointment of James O'Rorke as Engineer at the City Hospital, for a period of fifteen days from June 12. The appointment was approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Horace Shimell, 100 Covert st., Brooklyn, be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed as an Investigator with special knowledge of personal loan agencies in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, provided that his total compensation shall not exceed $750.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated June 27, stating that since the promulgation of the promotion lists for Assistant Engineer, Grades D and E, many changes in the force had taken place and a new department had been organized, and requesting that such promotion lists be divided into new divisions and subdivisions. The request was denied for lack of power.

A communication was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated June 27, requesting approval of the appointment of Ellen C. Reilly, 571 Leonard st., Brooklyn, as Telephone Operator, with salary at the rate of $60 a month, for a period of fifteen days. The appointment was approved under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

The following appointments in the Board of Water Supply were approved pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 7 of Rule XII.:

Mining Muck Foreman—John F. St. John, Cornwall-on-Hudson, $4.50 per day.

Caretaker—Thomas J. Ward, Kensico, N. Y., $600 per annum; Michael Lyons, Nelsonville, N. Y., $600 per annum.

The Secretary was directed to restore to the eligible list of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct the name of Samuel McDougall and to recertify him to the Board of Water Supply to complete his probationary period.

A communication was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated June 16, requesting approval of the employment of John R. Wall as Apothecary during the absence on account of illness of one of the regular staff. The Secretary was directed to attach a special certificate to the voucher when presented.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller, dated June 27, requesting authority to employ Robert E. Heslin, 101 W. 87th st., as an Expert Plumber under the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Robert E. Heslin, 101 W. 87th st., New York City, be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed as Expert Plumber in the Department of Finance, for a period of one year, from May 1, 1911, at a compensation not to exceed $750.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated June 27, requesting approval of the voucher in favor of Thomas Drew, 61 Douglass st., Brooklyn, for services rendered as Stationary Engineer for a period of fifteen day ending June 4. The Secretary was directed to certify the voucher under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated June 21, transmitting a voucher in the amount of $30 in favor of the Underwood Typewriter Company for services of a Stenographer and Typewriter for a period of two weeks from February 6. The Secretary was directed to certify the voucher under paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated June 21, stating that Charles K. Hyde, Inspector in the Bureau of Buildings, who had been absent on sick leave from November 9, 1910, had returned to duty on June 15. The Secretary was directed to note the reassignment on the records.

The employment of George C. Williams as Laborer in the office of the Board of Coroners, Borough of Manhattan, was approved under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated June 26, stating that a leave of absence for a period of thirty days beginning June 21, 1911, without pay, had been granted Thomas E. Walsh, Driver, on account of illness, and transmitting the certificate of a physician. The Secretary was directed to note the leave of absence on the records.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated June 26, relative to an alleged violation of the Civil Service law in the assignment of one Eugene Morrisey, a Rammer, to perform the duties of a Foreman. The communication was ordered filed.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated June 23, requesting approval of the promotion of Mr. Berthold Scheiman from Topographical Draftsman, at $2,000 per annum, to Assistant Engineer, at $2,400 per annum. The request was denied for the reason that there was in existence a preferred list of Engineer containing two names.

Communications from the Civil Service Reform Association, dated March 6, 13 and 17, 1911, protesting against the appointment of Conrad Hogrefe and Joseph J. Marrin, Jr., as Foremen in the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, were again considered. The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Association and state that, after careful consideration of the matter, the Commission was still of the opinion that it was right in certifying Messrs. Hogrefe and Marrin for appointment as Foremen, although it had been wrong in placing them on a preferred list of General Foreman; and that in view of the fact that the certification for appointment to the position of Foreman corrected the error which had been made, the Commission felt that there was no further cause for complaint.

A communication was presented from John J. Howley, 340 E. 142d st., requesting that his name be removed from the blacklist upon which it had been placed as a result of his dismissal from the position of Inspector of Plumbing in the Bureau of Buildings, The Bronx, on August 4, 1910, and that his application for Inspector, Board of Water Supply, be accepted. The request was granted.

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

Raymond J. Reddy, 396 Richmond terrace, New Brighton, S. I.; Axeman. Declined appointment in the Board of Water Supply on May 11, 1911, on account of "temporary inability."

Frances M. Sullivan, 147 Greenwich st., New York City; Attendant, Preferred. Declined temporary appointment in the Department of Parks, Manhattan, on June 6, 1911, on account of illness. (Physician's certificate.)

Cora M. Smith, 291 South 5th st., Brooklyn; Attendant, Preferred. Declined temporary appointment in the Department of Parks, Manhattan, on June 13, 1911, on account of "temporary inability."

The Commission then adjourned to meet Thursday, July 6, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, held Thursday, July 6, 1911, at 10 a. m.

Present—President James Creelman and Alexander Keogh. The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class under the heading "Mayor's Office" the following title: Stenographer-Typewriter, Chief of the Bureau of Licenses. Mr. William B. F. Rogers, Deputy Chief of the Bureau, appeared in behalf of the proposed amendment, which was opposed by Mr. Elliot H. Goodwin, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by striking from Part 2 of the Labor Class the following: Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning. There were no appearances.

The public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Exempt Class under the heading "Bellevue and Allied Hospitals" the following: 5 Assistant Superintendents of Training School; 1 Superintendent of Training School; 1 General Superintendent of Training School. And under the heading "Department of Public Charities," the following: 8 Deputy Superintendents of Training School; 5 Superintendents of Training School, was adjourned for one week.

The public hearing on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Competitive Class, Part 12 (the Medical Service), the title "Chief Medical Officer" was adjourned for one week at the request of the Fire Commissioner.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by changing the Noncompetitive Class to read as follows:

The Noncompetitive Class.

Positions in the Department of Public Charities, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Ambulance Driver, $900 per annum; Apothecary, $900 per annum; Butcher, $1,050 per annum; Deckhand, $720 per annum; Dentist, $400 per annum; Hospital Helper, $600 per annum; Hospital Physician at Farm Colony, $500 per annum; Seamstress, $720 per annum; Watchman, $600 per annum.

With Maintenance—Ambulance Engineman, $1,200 per annum; Attendant, $480 per annum; Baker, $1,050 per annum; Baker-Foreman, $1,050 per annum; Bandmaster, $720 per annum; Barber, $480 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum; Farmer, $600 per annum; Head Pupil Nurse, $480 per annum; Hospital Helper, $420 per annum; Hospital Helper-Mechanic, $720 per annum; Housekeeper, Training School, $900 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Laundryman, $900 per annum; Orderly, $480 per annum; Post-Graduate Nurse, $300 per annum; Pupil Examiner, $480 per annum; Pupil Nurse, $180 per annum; Tailor, $720 per annum; Trained Nurse, $900 per annum; Waiter, $480 per annum; Waitress, $480 per annum; minor employees of whatever designation, $150 per annum.

Positions in the Department of Correction, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Apothecary, $900 per annum; Butcher, $1,050 per annum; Cleaner, $480 per annum; Deckhand, $720 per annum; Prison Helper, $600 per annum; Shoemaker, $900 per annum.

With Maintenance—Baker, $1,050 per annum; Baker-Foreman, $1,050 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum; Cutter, $1,050 per annum; Hospital Helper-Mechanic, $720 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Orderly, $480 per annum; Tailor, $720 per annum; Trained Nurse, $900 per annum.

Positions in the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Ambulance Driver, $900 per annum; Apothecary, $900 per annum; Butcher, $1,050 per annum; Hospital Helper, $600 per annum; Instructors in Anaesthesia, $750 per annum; Medical Bath Attendant, $480 per annum; Physician to Out-Patients, $600 per annum; Seamstress, $720 per annum; Watchman, $600 per annum.

With Maintenance—Three Admitting Physicians of two years' service in Bellevue Hospital, $1,000 per annum; Ambulance Engineman, $1,200 per annum; Barber, $480 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum; Head Pupil Nurse, $480 per annum; Hospital Attendant, $480 per annum; Hospital Helper, $420 per annum; Hospital Helper-Mechanic, $720 per annum; Housekeeper, Training School, $900 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Laundryman, $900 per annum;

Orderly, $480 per annum; Post-Graduate Nurse, $300 per annum; Pupil Nurse, $180 per annum; Resident Obstetrician, $1,200 per annum; Trained Nurse, $900 per annum; Waiter, $480 per annum; Waitress, $480 per annum; minor employees of whatever designation, $150 per annum.

Positions in the Department of Education, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Manhattan Truant School.

Without Maintenance—Physician, $600 per annum.

With Maintenance—Caretaker, $720 per annum; Cleaner, $720 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum.

Brooklyn Truant School.

Without Maintenance—Gardener-Driver, $900 per annum; Seamstress, $720 per annum.

With Maintenance—Cleaner, $480 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Laundryman, $900 per annum; Waitress, $480 per annum.

New York Parental School.

Without Maintenance—Gardener-Driver, $900 per annum; Physician, $1,000 per annum.

With Maintenance—Caretaker, $720 per annum; Cook, female, $720 per annum; Cook, male, $900 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Laundryman, $900 per annum; Waitress, $480 per annum.

Nautical School.

Blacksmith, Boatswain, Boilermaker, Cabin Boy, Cabin Steward, Captain of Hold, Carpenter, Chief Engineer, Coal Heaver, Coppersmith, Electrician, Executive Officer, Fireman, Instructor, Machinist, Master-at-Arms, Quartermaster, Sailmaker, Seaman, Ship's Cook, Ship's Cook's Assistant, Steward, Superintendent, Surgeon, Wardroom Boy, Wardroom Steward, Water Tender, Yeoman.

Positions in the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Cleaner, $480 per annum; Gardener-Driver, $900 per annum; Hospital Helper, $600 per annum; Investigator, $900 per annum; Manual Training Instructor, $900 per annum; Printer, $900 per annum; Seamstress, $720 per annum; Shoemaker, $900 per annum; Tailor, $900 per annum.

With Maintenance—Caretaker, $720 per annum; Cook, $720 per annum; Hospital Helper, $420 per annum; Laundress, $480 per annum; Orderly, $480 per annum; Principal, $1,200 per annum; Stableman, $480 per annum.

Positions in the Department of Health, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Hospitals for Contagious Diseases in New York City.

Without Maintenance—Attending Physician at Tuberculosis Clinics, $600 per annum; Hospital Clerk, with a knowledge of Italian, Tuberculosis Clinic, $600 per annum.

With Maintenance—Domestic, $960 per annum; Helper, $780 per annum; Hospital Physician, $1,800 per annum; Interne, $300 per annum; Nurse, $1,200 per annum; Orderly, $780 per annum.

Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y.

Without Maintenance—Blacksmith, $780 per annum; Carpenter, $936 per annum; Dairyman, $900 per annum; Fireman, $840 per annum; Laboratory Assistant, $600 per annum; Laborer, $1,020 per annum; Plumber, $900 per annum; Stationary Engineer, $900 per annum; Storekeeper, $780 per annum; Tinsmith, $900 per annum.

With Maintenance—Domestic, $960 per annum; Helper, $600 per annum; Hospital Clerk, $600 per annum; Hospital Physician, $2,400 per annum; Nurse, $900 per annum; Orderly, $600 per annum.

Positions in the Municipal Civil Service Commission, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Monitor, $5 per day.

Positions in the Department of Docks and Ferries, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Diver, $10 per day; Diver's Tender, $3.50 per day.

Positions in the Police Department (Steamer "Patrol"), at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Cook, $600 per annum; Steward, $360 per annum.

Positions in the Department of Street Cleaning, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Deckhand, $2 per day; Fireman, $2.50 per day; Marine Engineer, $30 per week; Marine Engineer's Assistant, $2.35 per day; Master, $3.33 per day; Mate, $2.50 per day; Scowman, $2.50 per day.

Positions in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below:

Without Maintenance—Lighter of Markets, $360 per annum.

Positions in the office of the Mayor: Telephone Operator.

Mr. Elliot H. Goodwin, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. Hon. Anthony J. Griffin opposed the placing of the position of Butcher, the Department of Correction, in the list of positions without maintenance. There being no other appearances, the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meeting held June 28 were approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Classification be and the same hereby is amended by striking from Part 2 of the Labor Class the following title: Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Mayor's Office," the following title: Stenographer-Typewriter, Chief of the Bureau of Licenses.

Joseph L. Goldman, of 362 Snediker avenue, Brooklyn, appeared before the Commission and requested that his name be removed from the blacklist, on which it had been placed as a result of his dismissal from the position of Bookkeeper in the Department of Finance on October 20, 1909. The request was granted.

Henry E. Schweitzer, of 318 E. 154th street, New York City, appeared before the Commission to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII for physical disability. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Henry E. Schweitzer be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII.

Otto D. F. Demuth, of 66 Orchard street, Astoria, L. I., having failed to appear, as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Patrolman for physical disability, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Otto D. F. Demuth be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII.

Francis H. Throop, of 217 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn, appeared before the Commission to explain the circumstances of an arrest mentioned in his application for Process Server. The application was accepted.

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

Sidney R. Kelf, from the position of Stenographer (Competitive Class), at $1,200 per annum, in the Bureau of Licenses to that of Executive Stenographer (Exempt Class), at $1,800 per annum, in the office of the Mayor, effective June 28, 1911 (paragraph 3 of Rule XIV).

John A. Conway, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Department of Finance, to a similar position, at $900 per annum, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brooklyn.

Daniel A. Carroll, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $1,200 per annum, in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, to a similar position, at $1,500 per annum, in the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Frederick F. Denzin, from the position of Rodman, at a salary of $1,050 per annum, in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to a similar position in the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Robert P. S. Hanley, from the position of Clerk, Second Grade, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Law Department, Brooklyn, to a similar position, at $750 per annum, in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael S. Finley, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $1,800 per annum, in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts to a similar position in the Department of Taxes and Assessments (Real Estate Bureau).

James F. Leahy, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $540 per annum, in the Tenement House Department, to a similar position in the Department of Street Cleaning.

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

Arthur O'Leary, from the position of Clerk, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Department of Public Charities, to a similar position, at $900 per annum, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Mr. O'Leary being ineligible for the higher salary under the provisions of Rule XI., paragraph 4.

Irene G. Lynch, from the position of Typewriting Copyist, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Bureau of School Buildings, Department of Education, to a similar position, at a salary of $750 per annum, in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, Miss Lynch being ineligible for the higher salary under the provisions of Rule XI., paragraph 4.

Annette Cullinan, from the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Department of Education, to a similar position, at $1,200 per annum, in the Department of Bridges, Miss Cullinan being ineligible for the higher salary under the provisions of Rule XI., paragraph 4.

Ronayne Sullivan, from the position of Inspector, at a salary of $1,000 per annum, to that of Examiner of Charitable Institutions, at a salary of $1,200 per annum, in the Department of Public Charities, for the reason that Mr. Sullivan was ineligible for the higher salary under the provisions of Rule XI., clause 4.

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

Frank X. O'Meara, in the position of Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at a salary of $900 per annum, he having resigned from a similar position on June 6, 1911.

Leo A. C. Burrows, Rodman, at a salary of $900 per annum, in the Board of Water Supply, for employment outside the City of New York, Mr. Burrows having resigned from a similar position, without fault or delinquency, on May 8, 1911.

Joseph F. X. Comba, Clerk, Second Grade, at a salary of not more than $900 per annum in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, he having resigned from a similar position, without fault or delinquency, on October 3, 1910.

William Forgo, Interpreter, in the City Magistrates' Court, with a salary at the rate of $1,500 per annum, he having resigned from a similar position, without fault or delinquency, on December 31, 1910.

The following appeals were denied on the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals:

Process Server—Robert P. Smith, 218 Penn street, Brooklyn, N. Y., rerating on Duties paper. Anthony Villone, 397 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., rerating on Duties paper.

Attendance Officer—Mary M. R. Medler, 71 Second street, Brooklyn, N. Y., rerating on Arithmetic and Experience papers.

Promotion to Architectural Draftsman, Board of Water Supply—Chester W. Allen, Dunwoodie street, Yonkers, N. Y., rerating on Technical paper.

Examiner of Charitable Institutions—L. Mary Morgan, 65 West 10th street, New York City, rerating on Experience paper.

The appeal of Frederick T. Drake, of 383 Prospect avenue, Brooklyn, candidate for Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, for a rerating of his Technical paper, was granted on the report of the Examiners that, in their opinion, the mark on the said paper should be increased from 68% to 69%.

The following appeals were presented and referred to the Committee on Appeals:

Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—Anthony Villone, 397 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Promotion to Captain, Police Department—Charles Becker, 569 West 185th street, New York City.

Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry—Thomas E. Keavy, 410 Amsterdam avenue, New York City.

Process Server—Abraham Weber, 1507 Southern boulevard. Joseph Lewis, 337 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Promotion to Assistant Engineer—Augustus T. Weisse. Winfrid E. Marrin, 122 West 190th street, New York City.

The Secretary was instructed to readvertise the examination for the position of Mate for a period of two weeks.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated July 6th, submitting the following statement of examinations held during the month of June:

June.	Examinations.	Number Candidates
1.	Promotion to Stationary Engineer, Borough of Brooklyn	11
2.	Promotion to Topographical Draftsman, Borough of Brooklyn	10
5.	Promotion to Third Grade Stenographer and Typewriter, various departments	4
5.	Promotion to Third Grade Building Inspector	6
6.	Supervising Nurse	15
7.	Patrolman on Aqueduct, Physical	3
7.	Promotion to Engineer, Grade E, Board of Estimate and Apportionment	1
7.	Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction, Bureau of Buildings (Non-Competitive)	1
8.	Pathologist	11
9.	Nurse's Assistant	182
12.	Deputy Director of Ambulance Service	63
13.	Patrolman on the Aqueduct, Physical	57
13.	Patrolman on the Aqueduct	633
14.	Assistant Electrical Engineer	135
15	Hospital Clerk with Knowledge of Italian, (Non-Competitive)	1
16.	Nurse's Assistant, Non-Competitive	1
16.	Laboratory Assistant, Non-Competitive	1
19.	Chemist, Non-Competitive (Fuel Engineering)	3
19.	Interpreter, Italian (Non-Competitive)	1
20.	Ticket Agent, Department of Docks and Ferries (Non-Competitive)	7
21.	Examining Physician	52
22.	Chemist	29
23.	Promotion to Clerk, Third Grade, various departments	49
23.	Keeper of Menagerie	22
24.	General Medical Superintendent, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals (Non-Competitive)	1
26.	Marine Engineer	93
27.	Instructor in Plumbing	72
28.	Promotion to Second Grade Clerk, Department of Health	55
28.	Veterinarian (Non-Competitive)	1
28.	Topographical Draftsman (Non-Competitive)	13
29.	Cable Tester	36
30.	Inspector of Iron and Steel Construction	147

Number Examinations.		Number Examined.
13.	Mental Competitive	890
7.	Mental Promotion	136
10.	Mental Non-Competitive	30
2.	Physical Competitive	60
32.		1,116

The report was ordered filed.

A communication was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 29th, requesting that the Commission purchase for his use a set of type for printing the experience affidavits. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 28th, making requisition for a $10 book of taxicab coupons, to be used in transporting examination papers from the examination rooms at 54 Lafayette street to

the Examining Division of the Commission at 299 Broadway. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Mr. Leonhard F. Fuld, Examiner, dated June 28th, submitting a supplementary report respecting his investigation of the statements made on their experience papers by the ten candidates whose names appeared at the head of the eligible list of Process Server. The letter was ordered filed.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated June 30, stating that in compliance with instructions of the Commission a practical examination for the position of Wheelwright had been held at the Fire Department repair shops on June 29 by Mr. James Dixon, who had been employed as special examiner; that six candidates had been notified to appear, but only three presented themselves for examination, two of whom passed, the other failing in the practical test. The report was ordered filed.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated July 1, recommending that the eligible lists of Cleaner (Women) and Cleaner (Women), Department of Education, be merged, thereby forming one list of Cleaner (Women) for each Borough; also that the same action be taken regarding the applications for Cleaner (Women) and Cleaner (Women), Department of Education, on file in the office of the Commission. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated July 1, recommending that the eligible list of Tinsmith and Roofer be separated into two parts—one for Tin Roofer and the other for Tinsmith, in order to conform with the new Classification, also that the same action be taken with respect to the applications on file for Tinsmith and Roofer. The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated July 1, calling attention to the fact that the new Classification provided for two titles of Horseshoer, viz.: **Fireman and Floorman, and recommending** that the persons on the eligible list of Horseshoer, who had qualified as Fireman be placed upon a list of Horseshoer (Fireman), and those who had qualified as Floorman be placed upon a list of Horseshoer (Floorman); and further, that the applications of candidates awaiting examination for the position of Horseshoer be subdivided under the titles of Horseshoer (Fireman) and Horseshoer (Floorman). The recommendations were adopted.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated June 30, informing the Commission that application for the positions of Electrician's Helper and Glazier in Part II., and Boilermaker's Helper and Sheet Metal Worker in Part III., would be received at the office of the Labor Bureau in the Criminal Courts Building on July 17; due notice of which would be given through advertisement. The action of the Labor Clerk was approved.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated July 3, relative to the additional leave of absence, without pay, for a period of six months, beginning July 1, 1911, granted John Reiner, a Stoker in the Fire Department. It appearing that Mr. Reiner had performed no duties since 1908, the Secretary was instructed to suggest that the Fire Commissioner should apply to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to the legality of granting further leave of absence.

A report was presented from Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated July 1, stating that in the cases of the following named candidates for the position of Inspector of Weights and Measures, who had been arrested at different times for trivial infractions of the law, he had marked the applications approved and returned them to the Clerk in charge of the Application Bureau:

W. H. Bendernagel, R. P. Moran, W. S. Warnock, L. V. Fleckles, J. J. Curry, Jr., W. J. Sheridan, A. J. Neuman, Jr., and M. A. Fee.

The action of the Examiner was approved.

After consideration of the matter, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the following names on the eligible lists specified be removed:

Inspector of Supplies and Repairs—Frank Nearing, 657 3d avenue, New York City.

Clerk, Second Grade—Joseph A. Tuohey, 893 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Inspector of Licenses—Joseph Komito, 23 Pitt street, New York City.

Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—William J. Lawler, 130 West street, New York City.

Clerk, Second Grade—Samuel Ackerman, 7 E. 98th street, New York City.

A report was presented from Mr. James A. Rafferty, Examiner, dated June 27, stating that Thomas E. Wynne, of 501 Bergen street, Brooklyn, an applicant for Fireman, had given as the date of his birth in his application January 31, 1887, and in the preliminary sheet of his examination papers January 31, 1883; that on January 13, 1910, a communication had been sent to him requesting that he produce a transcript of the record of his birth from the Department of Health or else from the Church in which he had been baptized; and that, inasmuch as it was possible that he had been under twenty-one years of age at the time of filing his application and ample opportunity had been given him to produce proof of his age, he should be called upon for an explanation. The Secretary was instructed to summon Mr. Wynne before the Commission at the meeting to be held on July 12th to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Fireman under the provisions of paragraph 14 of Rule VII.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated June 28, relative to the request of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, that an examination be held for promotion from the positions of Messenger and Office Attendant to that of Clerk, Third Grade. The request was denied for lack of power.

A report was presented from the Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated June 29, relative to the request of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that in order to conform with the new salary schedule of his office, the promotion of the following named persons be approved:

Stenographer and Typewriter, 4th to 5th Grade—John E. Kelly.

Stenographer and Typewriter, 3d to 4th Grade—John W. Meade.

Clerk, 3d to 4th Grade—John F. Conway.

The report stated that the last promotion examinations taken by Messrs. Kelly and Conway did not cover in their scope a higher grade than that held by them and that the same applied to the open competitive examination taken by Mr. Meade; that the request, so far as it related to promotion without examination should be denied, but that a non-competitive examination might be granted the said employees in accordance with Rule XV., paragraph 22, since it appeared that they had the necessary preliminary qualifications for examination. The recommendations were adopted.

A communication was presented from the Certification Clerk, dated July 5, stating that notification had been received from the Board of Water Supply that Mr. Charles B. Grant, of 169 E. 110th street, had been suspended from the position of Clerk, Second Grade, at $900 per annum, in accordance with the provisions of section 1543 of the Charter on account of lack of work; that Mr. Grant had been appointed on June 29, 1909, from the list of Clerk, Board of Water Supply, Second Grade at $900; that the notice of examination had stated that successful candidates would be required to serve outside The City of New York, and requesting instructions as to whether Mr. Grant's name should be certified from the preferred list for appointment within the City limits. After consideration of the matter, the Secretary was instructed to state that Mr. Grant was not eligible for reappointment within the City limits.

A report was presented from the Certification Clerk, dated June 28, stating that on June 24, 1911, the name of Frederick D. Walker, of 529 Monroe street, Brooklyn, had been certified from the appropriate list of Attendant for permanent appointment to the position of Bridge Tender for service on the bridges over Newtown Creek and in the Borough of Queens, at a salary of $900 per annum, but that Mr. Walker had declined appointment because of the fact that he was already employed in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and requesting to be instructed whether Mr. Walker's name was to be retained on the preferred list for permanent or temporary appointment. The Secretary was instructed to retain Mr. Walker's name on the preferred list of Attendant for both temporary and permanent appointment.

The action of the Secretary in authorizing the following named candidates to amend their statements as to the date of birth to conform with the proof submitted was approved:

Inspector of Sewer Construction—Harold A. Norris, 255 W. 92d street, New York City.

Axeman, Board of Water Supply—Samuel Goldsmith, New Paltz, N. Y.

Stationary Engineer—George W. De Reamer, 624 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Playground Attendant—Clarise Lithauer, 244 W. 104th street, New York City.

Nurse—Laura A. Gilleband, 745 President street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—Robert J. Sommers, 150 W. 62d street, New York City.

Stationary Engineer—John J. Hobert, 1261 Hancock street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—Philip Leib, 313 42d street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Marine Engineer—Walter H. Stuart, 77 John street, Elm Park, S. I.

Inspector of Sewer Construction—James J. Naylon, 41 Park place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Nurse—Fannie E. Witcher, 143 W. 53d street, New York City.

The Secretary was authorized to permit the following named candidates to amend their statements as to the date of birth to conform with the proof submitted:

Typewriting Copyist—Maud L. McIver, 374 Manhattan avenue, New York City.

Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption—Miles Goldberg, 415 E. 9th street, New York City.

Gymnasium Attendant—Lester A. Palmer, 1074 Lind avenue, High Bridge, N. Y.

Rodman, Board of Water Supply—George W. Gross, 2261 Loring place, New York City.

The action of the President in accepting the birth certificate submitted by Alfred M. Dooley, of 292 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn, who had been appointed to the position of Axeman in the Board of Water Supply on June 6, 1911, and authorized him to amend his statements as to the date of birth in order to conform with the said certificate, was approved.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission, dated July 1, notifying the Commission that at a meeting of that Board held on June 29 the following resolutions had been approved:

1. Excepting from examination Mr. R. S. Lundy for employment by the Municipal Explosives Commission (12-6).

2. Including in the Exempt Class one additional Clerk to the Board of Elections.

3. Including in the Exempt Class one additional Deputy Commissioner for the Department of Docks and Ferries.

4. Waiving the limitation of compensation ($750) fixed by clause 6 of Rule XII. in so far as the same applies to Mr. Albert D. Fell, expert on stores installation in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Manhattan, and authorizing his employment until December 31, 1911, with salary at the rate of $30 per week.

5. Excepting Miss A. G. Coonan from examination, pursuant to the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII., to be employed in the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission as Stenographer with special knowledge of sanitary subjects for one year, beginning June 16, 1911, at a compensation not to exceed $1,200.

6. Including in Part II. of the Labor Class the following positions: Carriage Painter and Coal Sampler.

7. Including in the Competitive Class, Part I., Group 3, the titles: Fuel Engineering Chemist and Engineering Chemist.

8. Suspending the limitation of compensation ($1,200) fixed in the case of Mr. Edwin G. Ostrander, who was excepted from examination under clause 6 of Rule XII. to render expert service as Stenographer and Typewriter in the Bureau of Licenses, office of the Mayor, and authorizing his employment until July 15, 1911.

9. Excepting from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr. Frank P. Bachmann, to be employed as Educational Expert in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in connection with an inquiry into the organization, etc., of the Department of Education at a compensation to approximate $3,000.

10. Suspending the limitation of compensation ($1,500) fixed in the case of Mr. William Haldane, a temporary expert Accountant in the Finance Department, and fixing his total compensation at the sum of $1,800.

The communication was ordered filed.

The Secretary requested instructions respecting the cases of Frank V. Bruno and Edward Schoen, who had been serving as Interpreters in the City Magistrate's Court, Second Division, under authority of paragraph 3 of Rule XII., pending the announcement of the eligible list of Interpreter which was canceled by the Commission on May 24, 1911. After careful consideration of the matter, the Secretary was instructed to continue to pass the payrolls of Messrs. Bruno and Schoen pending the preparation of a new list, with a special certificate setting forth the facts in the case.

A communication was presented from Mr. William H. Sinnott, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of the Department of Bridges, dated June 29, requesting that the Commission authorize him to grant a leave of absence to William A. Carsey, an Inspector of Masonry, for six months, beginning June 20, 1911. It appearing that Mr. Carsey had performed no services since May 1, 1910, the Secretary was instructed to suggest that the department apply to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion as to the legality of granting further leave of absence.

The emergency appointment of the following named persons as Gymnasium Attendants in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, were approved under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII., and the Secretary was instructed to summon said persons for non-competitive examination to qualify them for temporary appointment: Paul A. Dineen, 435 W. 34th street, New York City; James S. Gormly, 2048 7th avenue, New York City; Joseph A. Brady, 450 W. 57th street, New York City; D. C. Oldenborg, Jr., 349 E. 86th street, New York City; Peter Marx, 416 E. 9th street, New York City; Frank Hemmer, 417 E. 86th street, New York City; Francis Gallagher, 2264 Amsterdam avenue, New York City; Joseph F. Boehles, 296 Fairmount place, The Bronx; John F. Murphy, 205 W. 132d street, New York City; Peter C. Byrne, 1138 Simpson street, New York City; James W. Whitfield, 206 W. 12th street, New York City; Joseph Rice, 508 W. 34th street, New York City; William F. Payton, 529 W. 49th street, New York City; P. J. Rinn, 247 W. 35th street, New York City; Charles O'Connor, 425 Amsterdam avenue, New York City; Thomas J. McGann, 200 8th avenue, New York City; John Kelly, 341 E. 139th street, New York City; Charles A. O'Hare, 501 W. 174th street, New York City.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the provisions of paragraph 12 of Rule VII., to the effect that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed therein or has withdrawn therefrom, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, be and the same hereby is waived, in so far as it applies to the forthcoming examination for Inspector, Board of Water Supply.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated June 29, transmitting a request of the Committee on Buildings for approval of the transfer of Mr. B. F. Connolly from the position of Special Laborer, with knowledge of boiler and pipe covering, to Inspector of Pipe Covering. The request was denied for lack of power.

A letter was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated June 26, requesting approval of the promotion of Miss Catherine O'Donnell, Stenographer and Book Typewriter, the position of Stenographer and Typewriter of the Third Grade, with salary at the rate of $1,200 per annum, to take effect June 1, 1911, and submitted waiver from the person whose name appeared on the preferred list of Stenographer and Typewriter. The promotion was approved.

On motion, the following appointments in the Board of Water Supply were approved under the provisions of paragraph 7 of Rule XII., it appearing that the services were to be rendered outside The City of New York, and that appointment from an eligible list was impracticable:

Clerk, First Grade, at $480 Per Annum—Daniel B. Joseph, High Falls, N. Y.; Reginald S. James, Olive Bridge, N. Y.

Marine Engineman, at $80 Per Month—Thomas Brown, Cornwall-on-Hudson, N. Y.

A letter was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated June 27, requesting that the name of William F. Quinn, of 51 E. Houston street, be restored to the eligible list of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct and recertified. The Secretary stated that Mr. Quinn had been appointed from the list of Patrolman-on-Aqueduct on June 10, 1910, and had resigned, without fault or delinquency, on July 2, 1910. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated June 29, requesting approval of the promotion of Mr. Arthur S. Tuttle to the grade of Engineer as of June 1, 1911, and certifying that under the promotion Mr. Tuttle's duties as Chief of the Bureau of Public Improvements would remain unchanged. After consideration of the matter, the Secretary was instructed to ignore the preferred list of Engineer, Grade E, and to certify Mr. Tuttle's payroll at the increased rate from June 1st in order to confer to the salary schedule of the Department.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated July 1, with further reference to the proposed promotion of Mr. Barthold Scheiman to the position of Assistant Engineer, with salary at the rate of $2,400 per annum, and submitting waivers from the two persons on the preferred list of whatever rights they might have in the matter. The promotion was approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr.

Charles P. Berkey, Associate Professor of Geology in Columbia University, be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed for a period not to exceed twenty days in the Board of Water Supply, with compensation at the rate of $25 per day.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, Mr. George W. Fuller, 170 Broadway, New York City, be and he hereby is excepted from examination pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., to be employed as Consulting Expert on Filtration in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for a period of one year; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed $6,000.

A letter was presented from Mr. J. W. F. Bennett, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated June 28, requesting authority to employ five Stenographers and Typewriters from the Remington Typewriter Company for one month during the vacation period of the permanent employees of the Department. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to certify the vouchers, when presented, under the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII.

A letter was presented from Mr. J. W. F. Bennett, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated June 26, requesting authority to extend the temporary appointment of Pascal M. Geronimo, Typewriting Copyist, for a period of thirty days, beginning June 23. The Secretary stated that Mr. Geronimo had been appointed from the eligible list for a temporary period of three months, on January 18, 1911. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from Mr. Raymond B. Fosdick, Commissioner of Accounts, dated June 26, stating that he had restored Mr. George R. Hilty to the position of Accountant, with salary at the rate of $1,500 per annum, to take effect July 1, 1911. The Secretary was directed to note the reassignment on the records.

A letter was presented from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated June 29, stating that, subject to the approval of the Commission, he had extended the lease of absence, without pay, granted Thomas Coombs, Topographical Draftsman in the Bureau of Sewers, to February 16, 1912. It appeared that Mr. Coombs had been granted a leave of absence for one year from September 16, 1910, in order to accept temporary appointment in the Government Service. The Secretary was directed to note the extended leave on the records.

The emergency appointment of Joseph W. Armstrong, of 23 Park Row, Manhattan, and A. D. Proctor, of 507 W. 142d street, Manhattan, as Inspector of Foods (Milk) in the Department of Health was approved for a period of fifteen days under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

The appointment of Bertha M. Warren, of Leicester, Mass., as Laboratory Assistant in the Department of Health was approved for a period of fifteen days under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII., and the Secretary was instructed to summon her for non-competitive examination to qualify her for provisional appointment.

A letter was presented from the Assistant Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, dated June 29, stating that Miss Lucy T. Costello, who had been certified for appointment to the position of Nurse had notified the Department that she was out of town and was unable to present herself for appointment within the four days prescribed by the rules. The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

The emergency appointment of Louis Black, of 25 E. 18th street, Whitestone, L. I., and Joseph Rinaldo, of 306 E. 116th street, as Interpreters in the Court of Special Sessions on June 6, and from April 26 to 28, respectively, was approved under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XIII.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated June 23, requesting approval of the promotion of Annie Collimore and Annie E. Cunningham to the position of Supervising Nurse at the Kings County Hospital, at the rate of $750 per annum, to date from June 16, their names having been certified by the Commission on May 15 for such promotion, but the list of Supervising Nurse from which they were certified having been canceled by the Commission at its meeting of June 21. After careful consideration of the matter, it appearing that the names of Miss Collimore and Miss Cunningham had been certified before the cancellation of the list, the promotions were approved.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated June 30, requesting approval of the appointment of Dr. F. M. Wright, of 450 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn, as Deputy Medical Superintendent, Kings County Hospital, beginning July 1st, with salary at the rate of $1,800 per annum, in the absence of an eligible list for that position. The appointment was approved under the provisions of paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII., and the Secretary was directed to summon Dr. Wright for the necessary non-competitive examination.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, dated July 5, requesting authority to employ Dr. A. Walter Hermann as Dentist at Randalls Island, beginning May 2.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Dr. A. Walter Hermann be and he hereby is excepted from examination, to be employed as Dentist at Randalls Island, until such time as the amendment to the Classification placing the position of Dentist in the Non-Competitive Class is approved by the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed $750.

The emergency appointment of Joseph Magee as Engineer at the City Hospital, Blackwells Island, Department of Public Charities, for a period of two weeks was approved under the provisions of paragraph 4 of Rule XII.

A letter was presented from the Fire Commissioner, dated June 28, requesting approval of the appointment of William P. Masterson as Assistant Fire Marshall in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond in the absence of an eligible list for that position, pursuant to the provisions of paragraphs 3 and 4 of Rule XII. The appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days and the Secretary was instructed to arrange the necessary non-competitive examination at the earliest possible date.

A letter was presented from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated July 5, requesting permission to make an appointment from the promotion list of Second Grade Stenographer and Typewriter (Female) in the Bureau of Highways of his Department to date from June 1, and submitting a waiver from the person whose name appeared on the preferred list. The request was granted.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., Mr. Patrick Downey be and he is excepted from examination to be employed in the Armory Board as Clerk, with knowledge of Book Typewriting, Indexing, Tabulating, etc., at the rate of $70 a month; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed $750.

A letter was presented from G. L. Sterling, Esq., Acting Corporation Counsel, dated June 30 advising the Commissioner that pursuant to its request an appeal had been taken from the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the Second Judicial Department made June 23, 1911, affirming an order of the Special Term of the Supreme Court in Kings County, awarding a peremptory writ of mandamus commanding the Commission to certify the salary of the relator as Probation Officer in a proceeding entitled "In the matter of the application of Jacob Simons, respondent, for a peremptory writ of mandamus against John C. McGuire and others, appellants"; and stating that the appeal would operate as a stay and, until a final decision, the Commission would not be called upon to obey the command of the writ. The letter was ordered filed.

A letter was presented from the Acting General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital, dated June 29, submitting a voucher in payment of the following named persons as Nurses: Kathleen Bunker, Cecelia Coleman, Albert Diamond, Anna Ginty, William Marquette and Sophia Vuillemier. The Secretary was instructed to attach a special certificate to the voucher.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated June 26, calling attention to the resolution of the Commission adopted March 15, 1911, excepting Mr. William Lang from examination, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6 of Rule XII., to be employed as Master Mechanic for a period of three months, with compensation at the rate of $250 per month, and stating that Mr. Lang had been so employed until April 27, 1911, when his services were discontinued until June 26, when he had been again employed. On motion, the reassignment was approved upon the understanding that the total amount of compensation for Mr. Lang's services from the date of his original employment should not exceed $750.

On motion, the action of the President in allowing the promotion of Philip C. Hughes from First to Second Grade Clerk, at a salary of $600 per annum, in the Department of Finance, was approved.

A letter was presented from the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, Office of the Mayor, dated June 29, requesting approval of the change of title of Samuel Martin from Head Inspector of Complaints, at a salary of $1,500 per annum, to Chief Inspector of Complaints at the same salary. On motion, the change of title was approved in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 5 of Rule VI., in order to conform with the classification.

The following reports of Departmental Boards of Examiners for positions in the Non-Competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner: Department of Health, June 23; Department of Correction, June 27; Department of Education (Manhattan Truant School), June 15; Department of Education, N. Y., Nautical School, June 26; Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, June 19, 20, 21, 22, 23; President of the Borough of Brooklyn, June 22; Department of Public Charities, June 19, 20; Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, June 19.

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

Inspector of Masonry, Preferred, for service outside the City—Daniel F. McCort, 2638 Marion avenue, New York City.

Axeman. Declined appointment in the Board of Water Supply on account of temporary inability (5/25/11).—George Morris, 211 Lexington street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Laboratory Assitant, Chemical and Hospital Lists. Stated that his failure to reply to notice from the Department of Health was due to absence from City (10/26/1910.)—Isaac Victor Pearl, 660 Tinton avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Nurse. Stated that her failure to respond to notice from the Department of Health was due to absence from city (4/18/1911).—Janet A. Moir, 450 Throop avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, Preferred. Declined appointment in the Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn on account of illness. (5/18/11.)—Francis J. McGarry, 217 E. 96th street, New York City.

Temporary Clerk, Preferred. Declined appointment on account of temporary inability—Albert F. West, 213 Bowery, New York City.

The request of Henry J. Hinch, of 411 E. 88th street, Manhattan, that his name be restored to the list of Deputy Tax Commissioner for appointment at $1,800 per annum was denied for lack of power, he having declined appointment at that salary on May 22, 1911.

The application for Interpreter, Italian, of Frank Fiscella, of 20 Rose avenue, Jersey City, N. J., was accepted, it appearing from his communication of June 30 that his residence in the State of New Jersey was but temporary.

A letter was presented from Amedeo Pagliano, of 226 Broad street, Stapleton, S. I., dated July 1, protesting against the cancellation of the eligible list of Interpreter. The letter was ordered filed.

A letter was presented from Messe T. Davis, of 25 Hillside avenue, White Plains, N. Y., applying for admission to the examination for Inspector, Board of Water Supply. On motion, the request was granted subject to the filing of the usual form of application.

A letter was presented from Ralph Lewis, of 852 E. 169th street, inquiring as to his eligibility for certification from the preferred list of Transitman for appointment in the Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond. The Commission ruled that Mr. Lewis was eligible for such certification as the advertisement of the examination taken by him in November, 1905, for appointment in the Board of Water Supply had failed to state that certification would not be made to departments within The City of New York.

The application for Junior Mechanical Draftsman of Charles Eisenkoff, of 85 Orchard street, was accepted, he having satisfactorily explained the discrepancy in his name as set forth in the application and in the certification of naturalization furnished.

The application of Robert M. Leveridge, of 277 East Broadway, for appointment as Monitor was referred to the Chief Examiner.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Monday, July 10, 1911, at the examination rooms, 54 Lafayette street, for the purpose of preparing and conducting an examination for promotion to the rank of Chief of the Fire Department.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Held at the Offices of the Commission, 54 Lafayette Street, on Monday, July 10, 1911, at 10 o'Clock A. M.

Present: President James Creelman and Commissioner Alexander Keogh.

The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

The Commission met for the purpose of preparing an examination for promotion to the rank of Chief of the Fire Department.

After the questions had been prepared and copies printed for distribution to the candidates, the Commission adjourned, to meet Tuesday, July 11, at 10 o'clock a. m., and the examination proceeded under the direction of the Chief Examiner.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Held at the Offices of the Commission, 54 Lafayette Street, on Tuesday, July 11, 1911, at 10 o'Clock A. M.

Present: President James Creelman and Commissioner Alexander Keogh.

The President, Mr. James Creelman, presided.

The Commission met for the purpose of preparing questions for use in the examination for promotion to the rank of Chief of the Fire Department.

After the questions had been prepared and copies printed for distribution to the candidates, the Commission adjourned, and the examination proceeded under the direction of the Chief Examiner. F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

Police Department.

Report for the week ending September 30, 1911.

September 25.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the following fines were imposed:

Patrolmen—Joseph Horn, 5th precinct, August 30, sitting on newspaper stand, 1 day; Milton Alexander, 7th precinct, August 10, used vile language to Sergeant, 30 days; John Moroney, 8th precinct, August 26, (1) under influence of some intoxicating agent, (2) was arrested charged with intoxication and disorderly conduct, 30 days; James J. Bohans, 10th precinct, August 30, standing in barroom leaning against bar of liquor saloon, 5 days; James J. Palmer, 10th precinct, August 30, (1) did not properly patrol, coming from basement, (2) failed to report absence, (3) left post without permission, 5 days; Harry A. Welch, 10th precinct, August 28, did not properly patrol, 3 days; Edward J. Mack, 12th precinct, September 1, did not properly patrol, 5 days; Joseph H. King, 14th precinct, August 30, absent from fixed post, standing in doorway, 2 days; Samuel Brandwein, 16th precinct (2 charges), July 15, (1) did not properly patrol, (2) failed to enforce ordinance, (3) made false statement to Captain, 5 days; July 18, used disrespectful language to Captain, 15 days; Daniel Donohue, 17th precinct, August 31, did not properly patrol, 2 days; Henry A. Kratz, 29th precinct, August 27, failed to relieve Patrolman on fixed post, as ordered, 3 days; Simon P. Breen, 43d precinct, September 2, (1) absent from special post, coming from elevated station with Patrolman, (2) left post without permission, 5 days; William F. Gallagher, 43d precinct, September 3, absent without leave, 10 days; Carl E. Hoffman, 43d precinct, September 2, (1) absent from special post, coming from elevated station with Patrolman, (2) left post without permission, 5 days.

Probationary Patrolman Samuel P. Battle, 28th precinct, August 31, absent without leave, 2 days.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, were reprimanded:

Patrolmen—James B. Mitchell, 2d precinct, September 1, failed to promptly deliver morning returns; Michael W. Murphy, 14th precinct, August 16, failed to report as ordered; John A. Hyer, 29th precinct, August 21, (1) failed to promptly regulate traffic, (2) refused to give shield number; George Volmar, 43d precinct, August 17, (1) falsely testified before Magistrate, (2) falsely testified before Magistrate.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the charges were dismissed:

Patrolmen—William J. Baechle, 15th precinct, August 11, failed to give receipt for property taken from prisoner; Edward M. Leavey, 21st precinct, August 17, falsely testified before Magistrate; Michael F. Egan, 26th precinct, August 22, absent from special post, walking with Patrolman; Joseph McGuire, 31st precinct, July 28, 1910, (1) left post and entered brewery, (2) left special post without permission, (3) failed to report absence, (4) did drink a glass of lager beer while in brewery and in full uniform; Michael Clancy, 40th precinct, August 6, suffering from alcoholism; Ed-

ward A. Gallagher, 43d precinct, August 19, failed to promptly report breaking of plate glass windows; Thomas J. Elwood, 80th precinct, August 29, did not properly patrol; John J. Godfrey, 81st precinct, April 18, failed to pay debt.

The following death was reported: Patrolman Thomas Lynch, 10th precinct, at 12 noon, September 23, 1911.

James J. Davis, of 240 W. 40th st., was appointed for a temporary period of ten days, from 8 a. m., September 16, 1911, as Steward (non-competitive class), in accordance with Civil Service Rule XVIII., this being an emergency appointment.

Rose F. Taylor was appointed Matron of Police in the Police Department, her conduct and capacity while on probation being satisfactory.

Theatrical License Granted—Howard Hall Co., Bushwick Grand, Brooklyn, from September 23, 1911, to April 30, 1912, $500.

Concert License Granted—The Aeolian Company, Aeolian Hall, Manhattan, from October 1, 1911, to April 30, 1912, $350.

Amusement License Granted—Dreamland, Inc., Indian Village and Wild West Show, Brooklyn, from September 5, 1911, to October 4, 1911, $50.

September 26.

James J. Moran, of 493 E. 135th st., The Bronx, was employed as Marine Fireman for a temporary period of 16 days, with compensation at the rate of $2.48 per diem, for duty on steamer "Patrol," his name appearing upon eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission dated September 21, 1911.

Full pay was granted to Patrolman John J. Delaney for time while under suspension, from June 14 to August 10, 1911.

September 27.

The resignation was accepted of Patrolman Francis J. Carnelli, 32d precinct, at 12 noon.

Patrolman Joseph F. Stanton, 36th precinct, was dismissed from the force, in effect 6.25 p. m., September 26, 1911; charges, neglect of duty.

Accepted—Resignation of Joseph G. Carroll, Oiler, steamer "Patrol," to take effect 8 a. m., September 26, 1911.

Approved—Application of Acting Detective Sergeant, Second Grade, James W. McKittrick, Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to accept reward of $15 from United States Revenue Service, less usual deduction for Police Pension Fund, for arrest of a deserter.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted—L. L. Ganow, Mindland Park, Grant City, September 21, $10; A. Rosenberg, New Teutonia Hall, Brooklyn, September 30, $10.

Disapproved—Application of Patrolman Edwin W. Shield, 156th precinct, to be retired; not 55 years of age.

September 28.

The appointment of Gershom W. Tabor as Patrolman on probation was revoked, he having failed to qualify.

The resignation was accepted of Probationary Patrolman Peter Berkery, 32d precinct, in effect at 1.10 p. m., September 27, 1911.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the following fines were imposed:

Patrolmen—George W. Hackett, 144th precinct, August 15, (1) failed to properly patrol, (2) left post without permission, (3) failed to properly relieve, (4) failed to report absence, 5 days; John W. Brierton, 147th precinct (2 charges), August 13, failed to relieve Patrolman on fixed post, 5 days; August 13, (1) absent from fixed post, (2) failed to report absence, (3) failed to call Patrolman, (4) failed to notify Lieutenant, 5 days; Charles Stuckle, 147th precinct, August 13, absent from post, 10 days; William McCree, 149th precinct, July 27, standing at entrance to liquor saloon, drinking ale from glass, 15 days; Joseph J. Craig, 149th precinct, August 21, absent from fixed post, 15 days; Bernard Mellon, 149th precinct, August 3, (1) absent from post, leaning and in conversation with citizen; (2) failed to obtain permission to leave post, 2 days; Edward T. Rowley, 149th precinct (2 charges), August 2, absent from reserve rollcall, 3 days; August 5, (1) absent from fixed post, coming from hallway, (2) left post without permission, (3) failed to report absence, 10 days; James Conway, 150th precinct, August 15, (1) absent from relieving point, (2) absent from return rollcall, 5 days; Wilhelm H. Harrer, 150th precinct, August 3, (1) absent from fixed post, standing in doorway, (2) left post without permission, (3) failed to report absence, 5 days; Michael J. Dowd, 152d precinct, August 1, failed to properly patrol, seated on bench in park, 3 days; William Kempf, 152d precinct, August 1, failed to properly patrol, seated on bench in park, 2 days; Michael F. Scott, 155th precinct, August 15, absent without leave, 2 days; Patrick J. Mulvehill, 156th precinct, August 16, (1) failed to properly patrol, (2) absent from relieving point, 10 days; Nicholas C. Rogers, 156th precinct, August 17, on adjoining post, 5 days; Hugh McGuire, 157th precinct, July 8, (1) made improper statement in an application for transfer, (2) refused to answer question of Captain, 5 days; Charles J. Kemmer, 160th precinct, July 27, did not properly patrol, 1 day; John F. Carroll, 162d precinct, August 6, absent without leave, 10 days; Joseph P. Mulvey, 166th precinct, August 21, absent from special post, dismounted and in conversation, 3 days; James H. Brennan, 169th precinct, August 11, failed to pay debt, 1 day; William G. Armstrong, 275th precinct, July 21, while in uniform and off duty, without cause, discharged revolver, 5 days; James J. Coyne, 276th precinct, July 16, failed to properly patrol, sitting on bench in park, 3 days.

Probationary Patrolman John Reis, 166th precinct, August 21, loitering, in conversation, 2 days.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, were reprimanded:

Lieutenant John Strachan, 168th precinct, July 20, (1) was not quiet, civil and orderly, (2) used threatening language. Patrolmen: Joseph A. Murray, 167th precinct, August 18, absent from outgoing rollcall; William T. Riley, 278th precinct, July 17, (1) on adjoining post, (2) failed to report absence.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the charges were dismissed:

Patrolmen—William V. Puckhaber, 146th precinct, July 29, did not properly patrol; James Gleeson, 147th precinct, August 2, failed to discover Patrolman's absence from fixed post; Michael L. O'Connell, 148th precinct, June 1, was arrested charged with a criminal offense; Peter L. Heckel, 149th precinct, July 1, slapped girl in face; William F. Sullivan, 149th precinct, August 3, kicked citizen; Martin J. Hanley, 155th precinct, July 27, struck boy with his hand; Charles E. Carlton, 168th precinct (2 charges), July 30, absent from return rollcall; July 30, suffering from overindulgence in some intoxicating agent; Edward M. Willi, 167th precinct, July 30, (1) smoking and in conversation, (2) used loud and boisterous language to Lieutenant; Philip Uhlenbush, 170th precinct, August 1, (1) on adjoining post, (2) left post without permission, (3) failed to make entry in memorandum book; John M. Taylor, 174th precinct, July 14, while off duty, struck citizen; James H. Redmond, 278th precinct, July 11, struck Department horse with baton.

On reading and filing communication from the Life Saving Benevolent Association of New York, dated September 22, 1911, it was ordered that Patrolman Washington I. Hageman, 279th precinct, and Dennis O'Meara, 2d precinct, be permitted to receive a gold medal pin and $25, without the usual deduction, and that the following members of the Force: Captain Edward J. Bourke, Bridge Precinct A; Lieutenant James M. Wheelwright, 279th precinct; Lieutenant William T. Davis, Central Office Squad; Patrolman Gustav Gelderman, Harbor Squad; Patrolman Martin E. Zeidler, 163d precinct; Patrolman John S. E. McCaughan, 173d precinct; Patrolman James C. Hagerty, 17th precinct; Patrolman Henry G. Hoffman, 80th precinct; Patrolman Samuel Rosenfeld, 163d precinct; Patrolman James Geoghegan, 39th precinct; Patrolman Thomas A. Coughlin, 7th precinct; Patrolman Martin A. Conlin, 5th Precinct, Patrolman Arthur W. DeVoe, 145th precinct; Patrolman William P. Beecher, Traffic Precinct; Patrolman John W. Creamer, 169th precinct; Patrolman Daniel J. O'Leary, 1st precinct; Patrolman Edward A. Bracken, Traffic Precinct; Patrolman Edward A. Conrad, 36th precinct; Patrolman Joseph C. Coffey, 170th precinct, be permitted to receive each a bronze medal pin and $25, without the usual deduction; all the above in recognition of their services in saving persons from drowning.

Theatrical License Granted—Joseph Taddonio, Royal Italian Theatre, Manhattan, from September 21, 1910, to April 30, 1912, $500.

Runner's Licenses Granted—Harry Klein, 24 E. 118th st., Manhattan, from September 18, 1911, to September 17, 1912; fee, $20; bond, $300. Matt Kucher, 109 Greenwich st., Manhattan, from September 30, 1911, to September 29, 1912; fee, $12.50; bond, $300. Lazar Labowitz, 1410 Wilkens ave., The Bronx, from September 20, 1911, to September 19, 1911; fee, $12.50; bond, $300.

Granted—Application of Patrolman Harry L. Lobdell, Traffic precinct C, to accept $50 awarded as first prize at Westchester County Fair, September 23, 1911, without usual deduction; application of Patrolman Robert Hamilton, Traffic precinct C, to accept $25 awarded as third prize at Westchester County Fair, without usual deduction; application of Patrolman Edward Plagge, Traffic precinct C, to accept $15 awarded at Westchester County Fair as fourth prize, without usual deduction.

Masquerade Ball Permit Granted—Weber & Glatterer, Palm Garden, Brooklyn, October 7, $10.

Disapproved—Application of Herald Square Hotel requesting appointment of Thomas V. Liebers as a Special Patrolman.

September 29.

It was ordered that the site and building upon premises 178 Delancey st., Borough of Manhattan, heretofore occupied as a station house for the 13th precinct, be turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, being of no further use to the Police Department of The City of New York.

Concert Licenses Granted—Louis Stauch, Stauch's Assembly Rooms, Brooklyn, from October 3, 1911, to January 2, 1912, $150; Adolph Suesskind, Terrace Garden, Manhattan, from June 26, 1911, to September 25, 1911, $150. Permission granted to Adolph Suesskind, Terrace Garden, to sell strong or spirituous liquors during performances.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted—E. Weiden, Weiden's Hall, Queens, October 7, $10; Sol. Halseom, Star Casino, Manhattan, October 1, $25; Edw. Donlon, New Star Casino, Manhattan, September 30, $25; Paul C. Alnens, Mariendale Hall, Queens, October 14, $10; Herman Cohen, Harlem River Casino, Manhattan, October 7, $25; Beni. Spatt, Independence Hall, Brooklyn, November 18, $10.

September 30.

Advancements to Grades—Patrolmen: To $1,350 Grade, October 1, 1911: Thomas J. Henry, 2d precinct; William Cullen, 2d precinct; Frederick H. Symington, 6th precinct; John O'Connell, 7th precinct; Leo Stern, 9th precinct; John M. Kane, 10th precinct; Edward Fearon, 10th precinct; Michael J. Egan, 14th precinct; Thomas P. Marron, 14th precinct; Joseph Rosenstock, 15th precinct; Peter Mallen, 17th precinct; John Conley, 17th precinct; Adolph H. R. Brune, 23d precinct; William S. Burden, 25th precinct; Thomas A. O'Brien, 26th precinct; Edward D. Day, 28th precinct; Charles A. McDonald, 29th precinct; William B. Caputo, 29th precinct; James J. Barnes, 31st precinct; William P. Holmes, 32d precinct; Harry P. Shelley, 33d precinct; Frank Hasse, 32d precinct; James F. Curry, 35th precinct; Gustav Thomsen, 36th precinct; William D. Mildrum, 36th precinct; Louis P. Marshall, 36th precinct; John J. Flynn, 36th precinct; Thomas J. Ford, 36th precinct; John J. Hogan, 63d precinct; William B. Mott, 74th precinct; Thomas J. Elwood, 80th precinct; William Elliott, 80th precinct; John Vanderstar, 81st precinct; Frederick C. Mohrmann, 145th precinct; James J. Reilly, 147th precinct; John E. Bealler, 147th precinct; John Reider, 153d precinct; William Sachs, 155th precinct; Herman Schiefer, 158th precinct; Herman Weiss, 160th precinct; Charles E. Wilson, 163d precinct; John J. Bauerschmidt, 163d precinct; Simon V. Smith, 167th precinct; Charles H. J. Connor, 167th precinct; James V. Coffey, 170th precinct; John J. Lowery, 277th precinct; William O. Sheer, 285th precinct; Michael La Grua, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Frank E. Downey, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn; George Kauffmann, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn. To $1,250 Grade, September 27, 1911: James J. Chrystal, 164th precinct; Thomas V. Kelly, 147th precinct. To $1,350 Grade, September 27, 1911: David J. Foley, 1st precinct; William J. Verlin, 1st precinct; Elmer J. Kelly, 2d precinct; John J. Quinn, 5th precinct; Frank A. Daly, 6th precinct; Thomas J. Conroy, 6th precinct; Patrick J. Quinn, 7th precinct; Daniel J. Murphy, 7th precinct; John J. Walther, 8th precinct; Theodore Schreiber, 8th precinct; Dominic J. Roane, 8th precinct; John Hiney, 9th precinct; Daniel J. Prendergast, 9th precinct; John A. Gilmore, 9th precinct; Stanley Huida, 9th precinct; Martin Cullen, 9th precinct; William J. Hayes, 10th precinct; William Ornstein, 13th precinct; John White, 13th precinct; John Rogers, 14th precinct; Patrick Maguire, 14th precinct; John J. Edmonds, 14th precinct; Patrick Cahill, 14th precinct; William P. Ashe, 14th precinct; Leonard T. Wishart, 15th precinct; Peter P. Cahill, 15th precinct; James J. Donlin, 15th precinct; Edward Whalen, 15th precinct; Valentine Standing, 16th precinct; Frederick J. McKenna, 18th precinct; Louis J. Wiendieck, 19th precinct; Anthony Hoffman, 21st precinct; John W. Earl, 21st precinct; Henry Cernovsky, 21st precinct; Myles A. McDonnell, 23d precinct; William F. Barmbold, 23d precinct; William Ryan, 25th precinct; William H. Hughes, 25th precinct; Joseph Falke, 28th precinct; George Sperbar, 28th precinct; Walter F. M. Bishop, 29th precinct; Patrick F. Ryan, 29th precinct; John Durkin, 31st precinct; Stephen P. Hurley, 31st precinct; James V. Fitzpatrick, 31st precinct; Joseph E. Lorenz, 31st precinct; Robert H. Miller, 31st precinct; Richard R. Byrnes, 32d precinct; Henry Boshamer, 32d precinct; Frank A. Fitterer, 35th precinct; John E. Sauer, 35th precinct; James Walsh, 35th precinct; David O'Connor, 36th precinct; Frederick E. Best, 36th precinct; Michael G. King, 39th precinct; Harry O'Brien, 39th precinct; Joseph J. Wey, 39th precinct; Patrick Coggins, 43d precinct; Frank McGee, 43d precinct; George C. Geibel, 63d precinct; William L. Beck, 66th precinct; John J. McCarthy, 66th precinct; James M. Tubridy, 74th precinct; Henry A. Bowe, 80th precinct; Lester S. Rogers, 80th precinct; Arthur E. Johnson, 81st precinct; Maurice H. Gescheidt, 81st precinct; Elliot L. Suits, 81st precinct; Louis Bruggeman, 99th precinct; George H. Cole, 99th precinct; Cornelius F. Culkin, 143d precinct; Harry W. Evans, 144th precinct; Conrad W. Rohrlack, 144th precinct; Frederick W. Worst, 144th precinct; Charles Gifford, 145th precinct; John Herter, 145th precinct; Christopher F. Kenny, 145th precinct; Robert F. Roy, 145th precinct; Alexander W. Warnock, 145th precinct; Michael F. Cotter, 146th precinct; Denis O'Hara, 146th precinct; John Hines, 147th precinct; James E. McCarthy, 147th precinct; Michael Kennedy, 147th precinct; Charles A. Sheehan, 147th precinct; Jacob Storch, 147th precinct; James H. Devon, 149th precinct; Janiel J. Kennedy, 149th precinct; Frank Rockelein, 149th precinct; Peter Thornton, 149th precinct; Albert G. Swanson, 151st precinct; James Ratigan, 151st precinct; John J. Wixted, 154th precinct; Valentine A. Ebel, 154th precinct; James H. Fransen, 159th precinct; John F. Curran, 161st precinct; Edward L. Ratigan, 160th precinct; Arnold A. Titus, 162d precinct; William A. Gunser, 165th precinct; Francis A. Smith, 169th precinct; James Norton, 169th precinct; Thomas O'Loughlin, 170th precinct; George Zeiss, 172d precinct; Timothy J. Leddy, 174th precinct; Henry J. O'Sullivan, 274th precinct; Henry S. Lott, 278th precinct; Ernest E. Buckland, 281st precinct; Albert Kolson, 283d precinct; Herbert A. Bennett, 283d precinct; Henry F. Thiemann, 290th precinct; Matthew I. Wolf, Traffic precinct A; Thomas F. Coffey, 1st District; James C. White, Central Office Squad; James O'Connell, Central Office Squad; William S. Gibson, Central Office Squad; Walter M. Raleigh, Tel. Bureau; William M. O'Connor, Tel. Bureau; Grover C. Vaughan, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Martin S. Owens, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Michael Hegney, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; William M. Haley, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; John J. Gilligan, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; James Graham, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; James F. Fitzpatrick, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Frederick A. Buddemeyer, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Moses Bloom, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Louis F. Dittman, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the following fines were imposed:

Patrolmen—William Reilly, 8th precinct, August 26, (1) did not relieve Patrolman on fixed post, (2) did not patrol portion of post, 5 days; John McDermott, 14th precinct, August 30, absent from post, coming from hallway of liquor saloon, left post without permission and failed to report absence, 5 days; Bernard Hall, 18th precinct, September 6, did not properly patrol, 15 days; Alexander V. Matier, 21st precinct, August 22, absent without leave, 5 days; Frederick Finger, 23d precinct, September 5, absent from fixed post, sitting on fire hydrant, 3 days; John P. Shaughnessy, 29th precinct, September 3, failed to return to station house, 3 days; Jeremiah C. Brosnan, 31st precinct, September 2, without cause arrested a citizen, 5 days; Patrick G. Regan, 31st precinct, September 5, absent from outgoing rollcall, 3 days; Warren Leatherman, 36th precinct, September 5, absent from outgoing rollcall, 2 days; William E. Sheehan, 36th precinct, September 3, absent from return rollcall, 2 days; William P. Porter, 39th precinct, September 4, absent from outgoing rollcall, 2 days; Otto J. Boelsen, 40th precinct, August 18, (1) absent from post, sitting in shanty in vacant lot, (2) abandoned Department horse, (3) failed to make entry in memorandum book, (4) left post without permission, 5 days; Carl E. Hoffman, 43d precinct, September 6, absent without leave, 5 days; George A. Young, 43d precinct, September 3, absent without leave, 3 days; Joseph Siess, 61st precinct, August 3, (1) did not properly patrol, (2) absent from relieving point, 1 day.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the charges were dismissed:

Lieutenant Joseph T. Gorman, 22d precinct, September 6, lost shield. Patrolmen: Herman H. Grieme, 1st precinct, March 11, late in reporting for drill; Hugh D. J. Larkin, 9th precinct, September 2, failed to report as ordered; John V. Taylor, 33d precinct, August 5, used vile and indecent language; John J. Eller, 43d precinct, September 2, struck citizen; Henry Storjohan, 69th precinct, August 19, struck one Origene Barsalon with his hand and used profane and indecent language.

On approval of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated September 27, 1911, of the reinstatement as Patrolman in this Department of John F. Walsh, who resigned therefrom, without fault or delinquency, on February 28, 1911, it was ordered that the said John F. Walsh be reinstated as Patrolman, to take effect upon his being assigned to duty.

Approved—Request of William Feinberg, Columbia Casino, to withdraw application for amusement license; deposit of $500 to be refunded.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

Department of Parks.

Abstract of Proceedings of Park Board for Week Ending September 30, 1911.

Stated meeting, September 28, 3 p. m. Present: Commissioners Stover, President; Higgins, Kennedy, Eliot.

A communication from the Landscape Architect in relation to the statuary in the parks and outlining a general plan suggested for the future location of statues and works of art, was received and placed on file.

The preparation of a contract and advertising for proposals for erecting a winter house for pelicans in the New York Zoological Park, in Bronx Park, were authorized.

Contracts Awarded—1. For furnishing road gravel for constructing connecting driveway between the Grand boulevard and Mosholu parkway, The Bronx. 2. Completing brick drain and constructing inlet basin in Van Cortlandt Park, The Bronx. 3. Furnishing playground supplies at Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

Contracts Executed—September 25: John Gelshion, 232 6th ave., Brooklyn, repairs to shelter house in Bushwick Park, Brooklyn; amount, $699; surety, Empire State Surety Co. September 27: James I. Newman, 243 Euclid ave., Brooklyn, painting interior of large palm house, Prospect Park, Brooklyn; amount, $731; surety, Empire State Surety Co.

CLINTON H. SMITH, Secretary.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

In compliance with section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending June 24, 1911:

Statement of Collections, Bureau of Water Register, all Boroughs, $282,932.60.

Contracts Entered Into—Section 11: Furnishing all materials and labor for constructing pitometer vaults at Ridgewood and Millburn pumping stations, dated June 21, 1911; contractor, the Masonry Construction Co.; surety, the Bankers' Surety Co.; estimated cost, $2,210. Furnishing, delivering and laying water mains, etc., in E. 135th, E. 149th, E. 161st, E. 162d st. and other streets and avenues, Borough of The Bronx, dated June 20, 1911; contractor, William F. Norton; sureties, National Surety Co., Illinois Surety Co. and the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co.; estimated cost, $420,-003.50. Furnishing, delivering and laying water mains, etc., in Academy, Amity, Bragaw, Cherry, Crescent, W. Grove and other streets and avenues, Borough of Queens, dated June 22, 1911; contractor, Peace Bros.; sureties, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Title Guaranty and Trust Co.; estimated cost, $78,142.50.

Changes in the Working Force, Manhattan—Appointed: John E. Loughran, Clerk, at $900 per annum; John R. Doran, Clerk, at $900 per annum; Joseph H. Mensing, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, at $1,100 per annum; Abraham Grallo, Clerk, at $900 per annum; Samuel H. Goldberg, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; William C. Buschner, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Alfred Duschatko, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Harry Riegal, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Maxwell Goldstein, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Harry McCann, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Sheperd Simonson, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum.

Manhattan—Resigned: Henry Zlot, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption; John J. Mahoney, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Brooklyn—Appointed: Walter C. Spault, Stationary Engineer, at $4.50 per day; Michael J. Lynch, Stationary Engineer, at $4.50 per day.

Deceased: Thomas Campbell, Licensed Fireman; John Lynch, Valveman.

J. W. F. BENNETT, Deputy Commissioner.

Report of transactions for the week ending July 1, 1911.

Statement of Collections, Bureau of Water Register, all Boroughs, $288,315.55.

Contracts Entered Into: Furnishing and delivering well driving machines, dated June 26, 1911; contractor, the Cyclone Drill Co.; surety, American Surety Co. of New York; estimated cost, $3,374.98.

Changes in the Working Force. Manhattan—Appointed: Jacob W. Schwartz, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,200 per annum; Joseph E. O'Connor, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,200 per annum; Frederick Cappell, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,200 per annum; Isidon M. Katz, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,200 per annum; John D. Maher, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Otto Hochholz, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Wm. J. Disch, Telephone Operator, at $900 per annum; John A. Conniff, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; John W. Cluen, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; John F. Maher, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Chas. S. Oates, Temporary Inspector, W. and M. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Wm. A. Marks, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Neil D. Baker, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; George Koeppel, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; James P. Maher, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Michael A. Waters, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Thomas A. Healey, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Wm. McCarthy, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Harry Schock, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Bernard G. Weiss, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Peter Johnson, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Thomas J. Flood, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Louis McConnell, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Michael F. Kennedy, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; E. J. Farnon, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Joseph A. Carey, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Eugene T. Lenihan, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum; Wm. J. Halleran, Temporary Inspector, M. and W. Cons., at $1,000 per annum.

Resigned: James F. Clark, Ferdinand Schoch, J. P. Jennings, Temporary Inspectors, M. and W. Cons.; Alfred Duschatko, Harry Riegel, Temporary Clerks.

Removed: Charles R. Davis, F. J. Reynolds, Temporary Inspectors, M. and W. Cons.; James J. Pierse, S. Simonson, J. Doran, Temporary Clerks.

Brooklyn—Appointed: 1 Mason's Helper, at $3 per diem.

Deceased: James J. Harkins, Telephone Operator; John T. Campbell, Inspector, M. and W. Cons.

J. W. F. BENNETT, Deputy Commissioner.

Report of transactions for the week ending July 8, 1911.

Statement of Collections, Bureau of Water Register, all Boroughs, $266,893.49.

Changes in the Working Force. Manhattan—Appointed: George D. R. Norman, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Martin Creegan, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Frederick Greenfield, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; William Pope, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, at $1,000 per annum; Charles A. Beatty, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, at $1,000 per annum; Charles Kogut, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, at $1,000 per annum.

Reinstated: Frank A. Swanton, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Resigned: Samuel H. Goldberg, Temporary Clerk; William A. Marks, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption; John J. Ryan, Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Removed: Patrick Carroll, Jr., Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.

Deceased: 1 Assistant Foreman.

Brooklyn—Resigned: Cornelius D. Crowley, Axeman.

Deceased: 1 Machinist's Helper.

J. W. F. BENNETT, Deputy Commissioner.

Report of transactions for the week ending July 15, 1911.

Statement of Collections, Bureau of Water Register, all Boroughs, $486,857.16.

Changes in the Working Force. Manhattan—Appointed: Charles P. Berkey, Expert Geologist (temporary), 20 days, at $25 per day; Reuben Friedel, Temporary Clerk, at $900 per annum; Jacob W. Schwartz, Stenographer and Typewriter, at $1,050 per annum; Samuel Kaufman, Clerk, at $900 per annum; Harold R. Jackson, Clerk, at $900 per annum; Joseph F. X. Comba, Clerk, at $600 per annum.

Deceased: Edward L. Halstead, Clerk.

J. W. F. BENNETT, Deputy Commissioner.

Borough of Manhattan.

Offices, Commissioner of Public Works.

Report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending September 2, 1911.

General Office—Orders Nos. 2825 to 2939, inclusive, were issued; 115 requisitions were received and acted upon; 117 requisitions, including 99 vouchers amounting to $61,532.04, were drawn on the Comptroller.

Cashier's Office—For restoring and repaving, Special Fund (water, sewer openings, etc.), $1,393.86. General Fund: For redemption of obstructions seized, $29; for shed permits, $90; for sewer connections, $686.24; for bay window permits, $5.10; for prints, $7.33. Sinking Fund: For vault permits, $2,284.34.

Permits Issued—Permits to construct street vaults, 5; permits for subways, steam mains and various connections, 270; permits for railway construction and repairs, 8; permits for lamps, 14; permit for footbridge, 1.

Inspection Division, Bureau of Highways—Complaints received, 1,083; repairs made, 413; police complaints received, 130; cubic yards of pavemeut repaired, 5,384.5.

Repairs to Sewers—New sewer connections, 8; linear feet of sewer cleaned, 19,510; linear feet of sewer examined, 1,670; basins cleaned, 243; basins examined, 417; old sewer connections (repairs), 22; linear feet of sewer built by contract, 107; manhole heads and covers set, 20; number of basin hoods put in, 2; basin covers put on, 1; basins relieved, 9; manholes cleaned, 11; basin covers put on, 2; manhole covers put on, 21; cubic feet of brickwork built, 163; linear feet of sewer relieved, 16,283; basin grates put in, 6; square yards of pavement relaid, 37; cuts opened and refilled, 19; cartloads of dirt removed, 546.

Laboring Force Employed During the Week—Repaving and Renewal of Pavements: Mechanics, 64; Laborers, 128; teams, 7; carts, 64. Division of Streets: Mechanics, 6; Laborers, 10; teams, 1; carts, 2. Sewers, Maintenance, Cleaning, etc.: Mechanics, 53; Laborers, 97; carts, 40.

Inspections—148 complains of obstructions reported on, 196 defective sidewalks reported on, 104 reinspections of obstructions made (63 of which were found to have complied with our notice), 93 reinspections of sidewalks made (47 of which were found repaired by the owners), 13 defective street signs reported.

Work Performed—10 locations visited by the incumbrance truck, 85 removals of obstructions made, 4 redemptions of obstructions, 276 notices to remove obstructions, 199 notices to repair defective sidewalks sent out, 237 enamel street signs cleaned, 17 enamel street signs installed, 2 enamel street signs removed, 110 opal glass removed, 127 opal glass installed, 405 opal glass cleaned, 2 blue (blank) glass cleaned, 2 blue (blank) glass installed, 63 stencils installed, 1 stencil reset, 73 stencils removed, 1 electric frame removed, 44 electric frames reset, 1 Welsbach frame removed, 1 Welsbach frame reset, 1 crosscross erected, 1 triangle street sign box erected, 1 triangle street sign box painted, 1 sidewalk cemented, 5 hospital signs cleaned, 1 hospital sign removed, 1 post erected, 1 post reset, 1 post painted.

Contracts Entered Into During the Week—Sewer, 141st st., between Riverside drive and Broadway, Frank De Micco, 303 E. 148th st.; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $4,097.02. Regulating and grading 129th st., from Amsterdam to Convent ave., P. J. Duffy, 132d st. and Amsterdam ave.; surety, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co.; estimated cost, $3,236. Regulating and grading 142d st., from west of Broadway to Riverside drive, P. J. Duffy, 132d st. and Amsterdam ave.; surety, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co.; estimated cost, $1,212. Regulating and grading 141st st., from Broadway to Riverside drive, Ciavanni & Cavaluzzo Co., 678 Morris ave.; surety, the Bankers' Surety Co; estimated cost, $2,026.50. Repaving 9th ave., from 31st to 34th st., Rafferty Bros., 624 W. 52d st.; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $14,912.35. Repaving 40th st., from 10th to 11th ave., Rafferty Bros., 624 W. 52d st.; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $10,303.20. Repaving Spring st., from Hudson to Greenwich st., Rafferty Bros., 624 W. 52d st.; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $5,578.50. Repaving Spring st., from Sullivan to Clarke st., Rafferty Bros., 624 W. 52d st.; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $5,240. Repaving Bayard st., from Mulberry to Baxter st., Thos. Tarpey Co, 277 Broadway; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $2,534.20. Repaving Mulberry st., from Park row to Park st., Thos. Tarpy Co., 277 Broadway; surety, National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $2,-802.50. Repaving 40th st., from 8th to 10th ave., United States Wood Preserving Co., 165 Broadway; sureties, Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co. and Title Guaranty and Surety Co.; estimated cost, $23,792.70. Repaving Sullivan st, from Canal st. to Washington Square South, United States Wood Preserving Co., 165 Broadway; sureties, Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co. and Title Guaranty and Surety Co.; estimated cost, $42,547.90. Repaving 129th st., from Broadway to Manhattan st., Atlanta Contracting Co., 434 E. 91st st.; surety, the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $4,469. Repaving Mott st., from Canal to Hester st., Atlanta Contracting Co., 434 E. 91st st.; surety, the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $4,525.50. Repaving Hester st., from Mulberry to Centre st., Atlanta Contracting Co., 434 E. 91st st.; surety, the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $4,798.10. Repaving Mott st., from Park row to Canal st., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co., estimated cost, $11,009.40. Repaving Suffolk st., from Division to Houston st., Barber Asphalt Paving Co, 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $21,-940.40. Repaving Mulberry st., from Park to Broome st., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $20,-696.60. Repaving Bayard st., from Bowery to Mulberry st., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $6,952.60. Repaving 12th st., from 5th to 6th ave., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $9,943. Repaving 21st st., from 4th to 5th ave., Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $9,472.80. Maintaining pavement, 80th st., from Avenue A to 1st ave., Vulcanite Paving Co., 30 Church st.; sureties, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. and the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $18,884. Repaving Baxter st., from Park row to Worth st., Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park row; sureties, National Surety Co. and Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co.; estimated cost., $3,309. Repaving Baxter st., from Grand st. to Worth st., Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park row; sureties, National Surety Co. and Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co.; estimated cost, $19,141. Repaving Hester st., from Bowery to Mulberry st., Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co., 41 Park row; sureties, National Surety Co. and Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co.; estimated cost, $6,594. Repaving 70th st., from Exterior st. to Avenue A, Harlem Contracting Co., 2 Rector st.; sureties, the Title Guaranty and Surety Co. and American Surety Co. of New York; estimated cost, $6,787.50. Repaving Madison ave., from 50th to 72d st., Asphalt Construction Co., 208 Broadway; sureties, Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co. and National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $38,620.40. Repaving 12th st., from St. Nicholas ave. to Lawrence st., and Lawrence st., from 126th st. to Amsterdam ave., Asphalt Construction Co., 208 Broadway; sureties, Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co. and National Surety Co.; estimated cost, $11,885.50. Repaving Lawrence st., from Amsterdam ave. to Broadway, Uvalde Contracting Co., 1 Broadway; surety, the Empire State Surety Co.; estimated cost, $9,813.

W. R. PATTERSON, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Board of Education.

New York, September 30, 1911.

The Board of Education has entered into contracts with the following-named contractors:

H. C. Hallenbeck, 497 Pearl st., City, for printing statistical report, etc., of the Board of Education; surety, American Surety Co.

The Bottsford-Dickinson Co., 1170 Broadway, City, for general construction of additions, etc., at Public School 78, Manhattan; sureties, National Surety Co. and Maryland Casualty Co.

The Bottsford-Dickinson Co., 1170 Broadway, City, for general construction of additions, etc., at Public School 20, The Bronx; sureties, National Surety Co. and Maryland Casualty Co.

William G. Hill, 70 Wall st., City, for furniture, Item 2, for addition to Public School 7, Queens; surety, Empire State Surety Co.

Joseph Ohlhausen, 443 Stanhope st., Brooklyn, for fire protection work at Public Schools 12 and 14, Richmond; surety, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co.

FRED N. JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary.

Department of Correction.

Abstract of Transactions for the Week Ending September 16, 1911.

Communications were received as follows: From City Prison, Manhattan—Report of fines received during week ending September 9, 1911: Court of Special Sessions, $25; City Magistrates' Court, $85; total, $110. From District Prisons—Report of fines, week ending September 9, 1911: City Magistrates' Courts, $871. From Penitentiary, Blackwells Island—List of prisoners received at Penitentiary during week ending September 9, 1911: Men, 18; women, 1. From Workhouse, Blackwells Island—Reporting that fines paid at Workhouse during week ending September 9, 1911, amounted to $42. From City Cemetery, Harts Island—List of interments made during week ending September 9, 1911. From City Prison, Brooklyn—Report of fines received during week ending September 9, 1911: City Magistrates' Courts, $94.

Contracts Awarded—Ordered that the following proposals of August 10, 1910,

of William Gleichmann, 244 Howard ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., for 1,000 pounds of oil meal, at $2 per cwt., $20; 6,000 pounds of corn, ground, at $1.50 per cwt., $90; 3,000 pounds of bran, at $1.40 per cwt., $42; 100,000 pounds of hay, at $1.29 per cwt., $1,290; 5,000 pounds of straw, at 79 cents per cwt., $39.50; 130,000 pounds of oats, clipped, at $1.74 per cwt., $2,262; total, $3,743.50; bond, $1,875; surety, American Bonding Company of Baltimore. Of August 8, 1911, of Beakes Dairy Company, 206 E. 12th st., 37,000 quarts of fluid milk, at $0.05⅞ per quart, $2,173.75; 22,000 quarts of condensed milk, at $0.18¾ per quart, $4,125; total, $6,298.75; bond, $3,150; surety, Empire State Surety Company. Of June 29, 1911, of Charles Hvass & Co., 509 E. 18th st., for 40 rope-wound cylinder blocks, at $11 each, $440; 20 rope-wound cylinder blocks, at $12 each, $240; total, $680; bond, $340; surety, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. Of July 13, 1911, of James Bellman, 61 Hudson st., for 250 pounds of macaroni, at $0.0455, $11.38; 20 dozen peaches, canned, at $2.81, $56.20; 20 dozen pears, canned, at $3.10, $62; 20 dozen sardines, canned, at $2.43, $48.60; 20 dozen tomatoes, canned, at $1, $20; 1,500 pounds of chicory, at $0.0455, $68.25; 21,000 pounds of oatmeal, at $0.0324, $680.40; 300 pounds of tapioca, at $0.047, $14.10; 4,000 pounds of prunes, at $0.12, $480; 6,000 pounds of rice, at $0.0436, $261.60; 1,200 barrels of flour, No. 1, at $4.11, $4,932; 75 dozen of sapolio, at $0.3269, $24.52; total, $6,659.15; bond, $3,330; surety, United States Guarantee Company. Of August 10, 1911, of James A. Miller, 368 Greenwich st., for 6,000 pounds of chloride of lime, at $0.0457, $88.20; 30,000 pounds of white lead, at $0.0724, $2,172; 200 gallons of boiled oil, at $0.87, $174; 600 gallons of raw oil, at $0.85, $510; total, $2,944.20; bond, $1,500; surety, the Title Guaranty and Surety Company, be accepted, the same being the lowest bids, the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller, the contracts for the delivery of above supplies be and the same are hereby awarded to the aforesaid parties.

Salaries Increased—In accordance with rule regulating salaries of Keepers by length of service in the Department of Correction: Salary of John M. Faas, Keeper at Penitentiary, Blackwells Island, increased from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum, to date from September 1, 1911; of William F. Moore, Keeper at Workhouse, Blackwells Island, from $1,050 to $1,200 per annum, to date from September 1, 1911. The continuance of above increases is subject to the future good conduct and the efficiency of said Keepers.

Leave of absence, without pay, granted to Edward E. Dealing, Hospital Helper at City Prison, Brooklyn, as requested by him, for one week, from September 14, 1911; salary, $480 per annum.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.

Department of Street Cleaning.

An Abstract of the Transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the Week Ending July 9, 1911.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Removal of incumbrances: Unredemmed incumbrances on hand, July 1, 757; unredeemed incumbrances omitted, 13; incumbrances redeemed, 45; unredeemed incumbrances on hand July 8, 1911, 725.

Moneys transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows: Privileges at Clinton st. dump, week ending July 1, 1911, $35; redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 1, 1911, $71; recovered damages to scow 26, $81.46.

Bills and payrolls transmitted to Comptroller, as follows (Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn): Schedule No. 50, bills, contracts, $1,589.40; Schedule No. 113, payrolls, $46.67.

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending July 9, 1911 (July 3 to 9, inclusive): Ashes, Manhattan and The Bronx, 28,034¾; Brooklyn, 8,750. Rubbish, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,161½; Brooklyn, 3,208. Garbage, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,173½; Brooklyn, 2,794¾; total, Manhattan and The Bronx, 38,369¾; Brooklyn, 14,752¾.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

An Abstract of the Transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the Week Ending July 16, 1911.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Removal of Incumbrances: Undedeemed incumbrances on hand July 8, 725; incumbrances seized during the week, 48—773; incumbrances redeemed, 44; unredeemed incumbrances on hand July 15, 729.

Money transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows: Privilege at Clinton st. dump, week ending July 8, 1911, $35; redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 8, 1911, $57.30.

Borough of Brooklyn—Redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 8, 1911, $5.

Bills and payrolls transmitted to Comptroller, as follows (Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn): Schedule No. 51, bills, contracts, $25,748.24; Schedule No. 52, bills, contracts, $54,533.26; Schedule No. 49, bills, open market orders, $7,467.52; Schedule No. 114, payrolls, $85,652.55; Schedule No. 115, payrolls, $52.50; Schedule No. 116, payrolls, $86,832.16.

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending July 16, 1911 (July 10 to 16, inclusive): Ashes, Manhattan and The Bronx, 28,983¾; Brooklyn, 9,006. Rubbish, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,479¼; Brooklyn, 3,276. Garbage, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,196¼; Brooklyn, 2,864¾; total, Manhattan and The Bronx, 39,659¼; Brooklyn, 15,146¾.

Contracts Executed—July 14, 1911, P. J. Langler, 91 Grand ave., Brooklyn, for furnishing iron and steel, Classes I. and II., $2,416.59; surety, the Title Guaranty and Surety Co., $1,210. July 14, 1911, Cavanagh Bros. & Co. (Inc.), 143 Chambers st., miscellaneous supplies, $1,536.43; surety, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co., $770. July 13, 1911, Gasteiger & Schaefer, 25 Johnson ave., Brooklyn, forage, Brooklyn, $55,519.48; surety, American Fidelity Co., $27,760. July 7, 1911, W. P. Youngs & Bros., 35th st. and 1st ave., lumber, Class IV., $1,270; surety, United States Guarantee Co., $635.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

An Abstract of the Transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York for the Week Ending July 23, 1911 (Section 1546, Greater New York Charter).

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Removal of Incumbrances (section 545, Greater New York Charter): Unredeemed incumbrances on hand, July 15, 729; incumbrances seized during the week, 253—982; incumbrances redeemed and released, 64; unredeemed incumbrances on hand, July 22, 918.

Moneys transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows: Privileges at Clinton st. dump, week ending July 15, 1911, $35; redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 15, 1911, $52.30.

Bills and payrolls transmitted to Comptroller, as follows: Schedule 53, bills, contracts, $1,709; schedule 54, bills, contracts, $1,673.46; schedule 50, bills, open market orders, $9,866; schedule 117, payrolls, $28,-158.62; schedule 118, payrolls, $11,979.96; schedule 119, payrolls, $88,308.50.

Contracts Executed—July 19, 1911, Thos. Lenane, doing business as P. Lenane & Bro., 307 West st., for furnishing forage, Borough of Manhattan, $69,460.50; sureties, Fidelity and Casualty Co., $9,735; International Fidelity Insurance Co. of Jersey City, N. J., $25,000. July 19, 1911, Thos. Lenane, doing business as P. Lenane & Bro., 307 West st., for furnishing forage, Borough of The Bronx, $11,076.70; surety, International Fidelity Insurance Co. of Jersey City, N. J., $5,540. July 20, 1911, A. C. Jacobson & Sons, 81 Bridge st., Brooklyn, for furnishing lumber, Classes I., III., VI., VII. and VIII., $9,704.08; surety, National Surety Co., $4,860.

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending July 23, 1911 (July 17 to 23, inclusive): Ashes, Manhattan and The Bronx, 28,969¼; Brooklyn, 8,882; rubbish, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,552; Brooklyn, 3,092; garbage, Manhattan and The Bronx, 5,231¼; Brooklyn, 2,853¾; total, Manhattan and The Bronx, 39,753; Brooklyn, 14,827¾.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.

Bureau of Buildings.

September 27, 1911.

Report of operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending September 23, 1911—Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, $228,825), 20; plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, $11,350), 13; unsafe cases filed, 15; violation cases filed, 103; fire escape cases filed, 4; unsafe notices issued, 37; violation notices issued, 135; fire escape notices issued, 8; complaints lodged with the Bureau, 30; number of pieces of iron and steel inspected, 1,087.

JAMES A. HENDERSON, Superintendent of Buildings.

Minutes of the Local Board of Van Cortlandt. Twenty-fifth District.

Wednesday, September 13, 1911.

Present—President Miller and Alderman Hamilton.

413. Paving with granite blocks on a sand foundation Burnside ave., from Aqueduct ave. to the westerly side of Sedgwick ave., setting curb where necessary and all work incidental thereto. Length, 1,326 linear feet; $8 per front foot, or about $200 a lot. Resolution in favor adopted.

416. Furnishing and erecting guard rail, flagging and relaying old flagging at northeast corner of 186th st. and Washington ave. Resolution in favor adopted.

418. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Aqueduct ave., between Burnside ave. and Tremont ave., and all work incidental thereto. Total estimated cost, $9,045. Title vested and outlet built. $90 per lot. Resolution in favor adopted.

419. Constructing a receiving basin and appurtenances at the southwest corner of W. 238th st. and Broadway. Total estimated cost, $375. Title vested and outlet built. Cost per 25-foot lot, about $20. Resolution in favor adopted.

358. Amend Cedar ave. paving with granite blocks, from Sedgwick ave. to W. 179th st., and in W. 177th st., from Cedar ave. westerly to bridge over Central Railroad, on a sand foundation, setting curb, and all work incidental thereto, by omitting "W. 179th st., from Cedar ave. to Sedgwick ave.," thereby reducing the cost of the work from $24,000 to $19,400. Estimated cost per lot of 25 feet, $83 (excluding the cost of paving the railway area). Laid over to September 26, 1911.

359. Constructing sewer and appurtenances in Waldo ave., between W. 242d st. and W. 236th st., with branches in W. 236th st., between Waldo and Riverdale ave.; in Riverdale ave., between W. 236th st. and W. 238th st.; in Greystone ave., between W. 236th st. and 500 feet north of W. 238th st.; W. 238th st., between Waldo ave. and Riverdale ave.; also with temporary connections at the intersection of Waldo and Greystone aves.; at W. 236th st., and at intersection of Greystone ave. and Fieldston road with W. 238th st., and at intersection of W. 236th st. with Riverdale ave. and Fieldston road. Total estimated cost, $58,700. Lots directly benefited will probably be assessed $115, and those indirectly benefited about $20 each per 25-foot lot. Resolution in favor adopted.

421. Furnishing and laying 160 linear feet of flagging and erecting 175 linear feet of guard rail on north side of 184th st., between Park ave. and Webster ave., and all work incidental thereto. Total estimated cost is $210. Resolution in favor adopted.

422. Reregulating and regrading, setting curb, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in Hull ave., between Mosholu Parkway North and Woodlawn road, at Old Jerome Park railroad crossing, and all work incidental thereto. Total estimated cost, $1,000. 235 linear feet. $2.13 per front foot, or about $53.25 for a 25-foot lot. Resolution in favor adopted.

424. Constructing receiving basin, etc., at the northeast corner of Villa ave. and E. 205th st., and all work incidental thereto. Estimated cost, $400. $14 a 25-foot lot. Resolution in favor adopted.

414. Paving with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation the roadway of Aqueduct ave., from W. 181st st. to Fordham road, setting curb, and all work incidental thereto. Total estimated cost, $38,600. Assessed value of real estate, $772,910. Sewer, water main and gas main in the street. Title vested April 20, 1897. Total length, 2,181 linear feet. $6.09 per front foot, or $152.25 for a 25-foot lot (excluding the cost of paving the railway area).

If 414 is favorably acted upon, consider it as an amendment of petition 174, adopted October 19, 1910, which provided for bituminous pavement. Resolution in favor of amendment adopted.

Adjourned to meet September 26, 1911.

GEO. DONNELLY, Secretary.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

October 2—Change in this Department: Edward H. McGurk, a Clerk in the office of the City Paymaster, has been retired under the provisions of chapter 669 of the Laws of 1911, such retirement taking effect September 30.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

October 3—The compensation of John Killans, 36 Wierfield st., Brooklyn, Foreman Riveter, is fixed at $2,100 per annum, to date from September 1.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

October 3—Appointments as Inspectors of Tenements, at $1,200 Per Annum: Walter N. Walsh, 59 Anderson ave., Port Richmond; James Irvin Tennant, 693 Henderson ave., West Brighton, S. I.; Joseph B. Murtha, 475 E. 143d st.; Edward V. Auger, 562 Park place, Brooklyn; Frank Mescia, 143 Sullivan st.; Eugene S. Kelly, 406 E. 8th st., Brooklyn; all to take effect October 2, 1911. Louis Rosenbluth, 2 Pitt st., to take effect October 3.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

October 3—Cleaners Discharged, to take effect October 2: Mrs. Emma Smith, 1040 St. Peters ave., Westchester; Margaret Degnon, 154 E. 88th st.; Annie Capitain, 1554 Minford place; Annie Smart, 576 E. 169th st.; Martha Reitt, 1304 Washington ave.

The compensation of Christian Paulus, 908 E. 141st st., Driver with Wagon and Team, has been fixed at $5 per diem, to take effect September 23.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

October 3—The Commissioner has authorized the employment of Christian F. Danielsen as a Marine Draftsman to assist in the preparation of general plans and specifications for a new municipal ferryboat, with compensation at $150 per month, the total compensation not to exceed $750.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

October 3—New York Nautical School employees discharged September 30: Ben Halversen, Ship's Cook, own request; George Kroesien, Fireman, services not required; Irwin C. Gillespie, Electrician, First Class, own request; Charles Magnusson, Water Tender, own request.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The services of John W. Lawlor, Laborer, have been dispensed with, to take effect October 4. 1911.

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PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

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President's Office, Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City; 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 1900 Greenpoint.

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President's Office, New Brighton, Staten Island.

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Borough of The Bronx—Corner of Third avenue and Tremont avenue. Telephone, 1250 Tremont and 1402 Tremont.

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Borough of Brooklyn—Office, Rooms 1 and 3, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4004 Main and 4005 Main.

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Open all hours of the day and night.

Borough of Manhattan—Office, Criminal Courts Building, Centre and White streets. Open at all times of the day and night.

Coroners: Israel L. Feinberg, Herman Helenstein, James E. Winterbottom, Herman W. Holtzhauser.

Telephones, 1094, 5057, 5058 Franklin.

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

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Office hours from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m., excepting Sundays and holidays; office open then from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Borough of Richmond—No. 175 Second street, New Brighton. Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.

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COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Thomas Allison, Commissioner.

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Telephone, 241 Worth.

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Office, Hall of Records.

William S. Andrews, Commissioner.

James O. Farrell, Deputy Commissioner.

Telephone, 3900 Worth.

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

During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

COUNTY CLERK.

Nos. 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court House.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

William F. Schneider, County Clerk.

Charles E. Gehring, Deputy.

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Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Building for Criminal Courts, Franklin and Centre streets.

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

Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.

Henry D. Sayer, Chief Clerk.

Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Max S. Grifenhagen, Register.

William Halpin, Deputy Register.

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

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John B. Cartwright, Under Sheriff.

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Telephone, 3900 Worth.

KINGS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

5 County Court-house.

Thomas R. Farrell, Commissioner.

Michael J. Trudden, Deputy Commissioner.

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

Office hours during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 1454 Main.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Charles H. Graff, Commissioner.

William F. Thompson, Deputy Commissioner.

Telephone, 1114 Main.

Telephone, 1082 Main.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Henry P. Molloy, County Clerk.

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Telephone call, 4930 Main.

COUNTY COURT.

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

Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.

Thomas F. Wogan, Deputy Clerk.

Telephone, 4154 and 4155 Main.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

John F. Clarke, District Attorney.

Telephone number, 2953-6-7 Main.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Charles E. Teale, Public Administrator.

Telephone, 2840 Main.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Frederick Lundy, Register.

Owen J. Murphy, Deputy Register.

Telephone, 2830 Main.

SHERIFF.

Temple Bar Building, 186 Remsen street, Room 401, Brooklyn, N. Y.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.

Patrick H. Quinn, Sheriff.

John Morrissey Gray, Under Sheriff.

Telephone, 6845, 6846, 6847 Main.

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Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.

John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except during months of July and August, when office hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 3954 Main.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.; Queens County Court-house, Long Island City

George H. Creed, Commissioner of Jurors.

Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner.

Telephone, 455 Greenpoint.

COUNTY CLERK.

No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Office open, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Martin Mager, County Clerk.

Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.

County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August and first Saturday of September.

Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.

Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.

Fred. G. De Witt, District Attorney.

Telephone, 2986 and 2987 Greenpoint.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.

John T. Robinson, Public Administrator, County of Queens.

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SHERIFF.

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

Thomas M. Quinn, Sheriff.

John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.

Telephone, 2741 and 2742 Greenpoint (office).

Henry O. Schleth, Warden.

Telephone, 372 Greenpoint.

SURROGATE.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

Office, No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica.

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

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

Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.

Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.

Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1911:

County Court—Sidney Fuller Rawson, County Judge.

First Monday of April, Grand and Trial Jury

First Monday of October, Grand and Trial Jury.

On Wednesdays of each week at Richmond (except during August) without a Jury.

Surrogate's Court—Sidney Fuller Rawson, Surrogate.

Court days: Mondays, at the Borough Hall, St. George, and Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., on which citations and orders are returnable, except during August, and except on days when Jury terms of County Court are held.

Telephones, 235 New Dorp and 1000 Tompkinsville.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.

Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Office, Port Richmond.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

SHERIFF.

County Court house, Richmond, S. I.

John J. Collins, Sheriff.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

THE COURTS.

APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. (Friday, Motion day, Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m.

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

Clerk's Office opens 9 a. m.

Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room 16.

Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.

Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.

Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.

Special Term, Part V., Room No. 6.

Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.

Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.

Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 32.

Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.

Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.

Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 18.

Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. —.

Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 23.

Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 35.

Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 26.

Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 27.

Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. —.

Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part XIV., Room No. 28.

Trial Term, Part XV., Room No. 37.

Trial Term, Part XVI., Room No. —.

Trial Term, Part XVII., Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 29.

Appellate Term, Room No. 29.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.

Assignment Bureau, room on mezzanine floor, northeast.

Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motion), Room No. 15.

Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.

Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, ground floor, south.

Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.

Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.

Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).

Criminal Court-house, Centre street.

Justices—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James Fitzgerald, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Joseph E. Newburger, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzek, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Lehman, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Bijur, John J. Delany, Francis K. Pendleton, Daniel F. Cohalan.

Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. Special Term *ex parte* business.

James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Telephone, 5460 Main.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.

Court opens at 10.30 a. m.

William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.

Court opens at 10.30 a. m.

Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalsky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.

William F. Schneider, Clerk, Supreme Court.

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

During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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

Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finelite, Thomas F. Donnelly, John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. La Fetra, Richard H. Smith, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Court opens at 10 a. m.

Isaac Franklin Russell, Chief Justice; Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, Joseph F. Moss, Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Morgan M. L. Ryan, James J. McInerney, Arthur C. Salmon and Henry Steinert, Justices. Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

Part I., Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan. John P. Hilly, Clerk. Telephone, 2092 Franklin.

Part II., County Court House, Room 7, Borough of Brooklyn. This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III., Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

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

CHILDREN'S COURT.

New York County—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan. Ernest K. Coulter, Clerk. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.

Kings County—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk. Telephone, 627 Main.

Queens County—No. 19 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk. This court is held on Thursdays.

Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Bldg., St. George, S. I. William J. Browne, Clerk. This court is held on Tuesdays. Office open every day (except Sundays and holidays) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m On Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

First Division.

Court opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate; Robert C. Cornell, Lerey B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton, Daniel F. Murphy, John J. Freschi, Francis X. McQuade, City Magistrates.

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

First District—Criminal Courts Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—Second avenue and First street.

Fourth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.

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

Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.

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

Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth avenue.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.

Eleventh District—Domestic Relations Court—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.

Second Division.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Office of Chief Magistrates, 44 Court street, Rooms 209-214. Telephone, 7411 Main.

William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

Archibald J. McKinney, Chief Probation Officer.

Courts.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Fourth District—No. 6 Lee avenue.

Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.

Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.

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

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

Domestic Relations Court—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph Fitch, Eugene C. Gilroy.

Courts.

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

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

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

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

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

Courts.

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

Second Division—Village Hall, Stapleton Staten Island.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.

Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-60 Lafayette street. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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

Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

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

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

James J. Devlin, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

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

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

Michael Skelly, Clerk.

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

Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

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

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

Abram Bernard, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

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

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

John H. Servis, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwells Island and excluding any portion of Wards Island.

Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.

Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

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

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

John P. Burns, Clerk.

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

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

Joseph P. Fallon and Leopold Prince, Justices.

William J. Kennedy, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

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

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

William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

Peter A. Sheil, Justice.

Stephen Collins, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 457 Westchester.

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

John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher Clerk.

Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets. Parts I. and II.

Court-house, northwest corner of State and Court streets. Parts I. and II.

Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.

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

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

Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

John R. Farrar, George Freifeld, Justices.

Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest to the centre line of Suydam street, between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

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

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

Court opens at 9 a. m.

Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

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

Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

Jacob S. Strahl, Justice. Joseph P. McCarthy, Clerk.

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

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

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

Cornelius Furgueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.

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

Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Lucien S. Bayliss and W. Seward Shanahan, Justices. William R. Fagan, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 236 Duffield street.

Telephone, 6166-J Main.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.

Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.

Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).

Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8.45 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Telephones, 904 and 905 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the canal, Rapelye avenue, Jackson avenue, Old Bowery Bay road, Bowery Bay, East river and Newtown creek. Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. John F. Cassidy, Clerk.

Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

Second District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, East river, Bowery bay, Old Bowery Bay road, Jackson avenue, Rapelye avenue, the canal and Newtown creek. Court-room in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.

John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.

Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Fridays for Jury trials only.

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

Telephone, 87 Newtown.

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

Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nuhn, Clerk. 1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.

Telephone, 2252 Bushwick.

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

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

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, the boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandeveer avenue.

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

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

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

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

Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

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

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

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

Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

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

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

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

Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 9 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., at the above office on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING PUMPS, ERECTING COAL RAILWAY AND FOR PIPE FITTING WORK, ETC., FOR THE POWER HOUSE, METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELLS ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty consecutive working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated October 4, 1911. o4,17

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSAL FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2,30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING OLD AND INSTALLING NEW LAUNDRY MACHINERY AND APPLIANCES AT THE KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days. The surety required will be Forty-five Hundred Dollars ($4,500).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated September 30, 1911. s30,o13

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF AN ADDITION AND FOR CERTAIN ALTERATIONS TO THE RECEIVING HOSPITAL AND WAITING ROOMS ON DOCK AT FOOT OF E. 70TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars ($1,200).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated September 22, 1911. s23,o5

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF AN ADDITION TO AND THE ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND PAINTING OF THE INTERIOR OF THE STRECKER MEMORIAL LABORATORY AT THE CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELLS ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The surety required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated September 22, 1911. s23,o5

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF AN ADDITION TO AND THE ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND PAINTING OF THE INTERIOR OF THE STRECKER MEMORIAL LABORATORY AT THE CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELLS ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The surety required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Dated September 22, 1911. s23,o5

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BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 107 WEST 41ST STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections of The City of New York at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OFFICIAL AND SAMPLE BALLOTS FOR ELECTION PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the ballots, etc., and the performance of the contract is twenty calendar days after the execution of the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000).

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Board of Elections, 107 West 41st street.

Dated October 2, 1911.

J. GABRIEL BRITT, President; MOSES M. McKEE, Secretary, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON, Board of Elections.

MICHAEL T. DALY, Chief Clerk. o3,14

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1911,

Borough of Manhattan,

CONTRACT NO. 1,300.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING A PORTION OF THE NORTHERLY HALF OF THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST 51ST ST., NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 90 calendar days.

The amount of security required is thirty-three and one-third per cent. (33 1-3%) of the amount of the bid.

Bidders shall state both in writing and in figures a price for furnishing all of the labor and material and doing all of the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job and if awarded will be awarded to the bidder whose price for doing all of the work is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

The attention of bidders is called to Article F of the contract, which permits the Commissioner to increase the amount of work called for to an extent not to exceed five per cent.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated October 3, 1911. o5,18

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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 4, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACcordance with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements requesting the paving with asphalt of W. 176th st., between St. Nicholas and Wadsworth aves., has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 4, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACcordance with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of Yorkville District for Local Improvements requesting the construction of receiving basins at 77th st. and new street, between Exterior st. and Avenue A, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Yorkville District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 11.15 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 4, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACcordance with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Harlem District for Local Improvements requesting the alteration and improvement to sewer in 119th st., between 1st and 2d aves.; and in 1st ave., between 119th and 120th sts., has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Harlem District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 11.10 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 4, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACcordance with Section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Harlem District for Local Improvements requesting the regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving of the widened part of 138th st., at its junction with 5th ave., has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Harlem District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 11.10 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

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

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1911,

RENEWING WORN AND DEFECTIVE PARTS OF THE ELEVATOR SYSTEM IN THE CRIMINAL COURTS BUILDING, LOCATED AT CENTRE, FRANKLIN, WHITE AND LAFAYETTE STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be ninety (90) consecutive calendar working days.

The security required will be Six Hundred Dollars ($600), and such additional amount necessary to equal an amount not less than one-third of the amount bid.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, 18th floor, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

City of New York, September 30, 1911.

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

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1911,

REPAIRS TO THE CRIMINAL COURTS BUILDING, LOCATED AT CENTRE, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be ninety (90) consecutive calendar working days.

The security required will be one-third (1-3) of amount of bid.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, office of the Commissioner of Public Works, 18th floor, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

City of New York, September 30, 1911.

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

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1911,

1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DELANCEY ST., FROM A POINT 83 FEET WEST OF WEST CURB LINE OF CHRYSTIE ST. TO EAST SIDE BOWERY.

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

1,380 square yards of wood block pavement, including sand cushion, except the railroad area.

170 square yards of wood block pavement in the railroad area, including sand cushion (no guarantee).

280 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

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

40 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.

1,510 square yards of old stone blocks to be purchased and removed by contractor.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be $1,500.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Room 1611, Borough of Manhattan.

GEORGE McANENY, President.

The City of New York, September 28, 1911.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 3, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORdance with Section 432 of the Greater New York Charter, that a petition signed by residents of the Staten Island District for Local Improvements to construct sidewalks on Brehant ave., Ward 5, has been presented to me and is on file in this office for inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board will be held in Richmond Borough Hall, at St. George, Borough of Richmond, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting said petition will be submitted to said Board.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 3, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORdance with Section 432 of the Greater New York Charter, that a petition signed by residents of the Staten Island District for Local Improvements: Fence on the south side of Innis st., between Morningstar road and Sand st.; and on the west side of Sand st., between Innis st. and Sherman ave.; and on the north side of Sherman ave., between Sand st. and Morningstar road, Ward 3, has been presented to me and is on file in this office for inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board will be held in Richmond Borough Hall, at St. George, Borough of Richmond, on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting said petition will be submitted to said Board.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

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

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1911,

Borough of Richmond,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND TONS OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS IN STONE DISTRICT NO. 1.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1911.

The amount of security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars ($1,800).

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

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

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 o'clock m., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

Borough of Richmond,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE MASON, CARPENTER, PAINTING, ROOFING, IRON WORK, HEATING, ELECTRIC WORK AND FIXTURES REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 160 days.

The amount of security required is to be not less than 50% of bid or estimate.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimate upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which may be procured at the office of the Borough President, where also a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in form approved by Corporation Counsel, may be examined, together with plans and drawings. Additional information may be obtained from the Architect, Mr. William H. Mersereau, 32 Broadway, New York, who will also furnish sets of plans and specifications to intending bidders upon payment of such fees as he may require to cover the cost of their preparation.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

Borough of Richmond,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO SET CURB AND TO LAY VITRIFIED BRICK GUTTER FOUR FEET WIDE ON MANOR ROAD, WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE, BETWEEN COLUMBIA ST. AND RICHMOND TURNPIKE; AND TO SET CURB AND LAY VITRIFIED BRICK GUTTER FOUR FEET WIDE ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION ON THE WEST SIDE OF BEMENT AVE., BETWEEN RICHMOND TERRACE AND HENDERSON AVE., WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE; AND TO SET CURB AND LAY VITRIFIED BRICK GUTTER FOUR FEET WIDE ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION ON BEMENT AVE., FROM CARY AVE. TO FOREST AVE., WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE; AND TO CONSTRUCT BLUESTONE CURB ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ANDERSON AVE., CORNER OF SIMONSON PLACE, IN FRONT OF LOT NO. 843½, 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:

200 linear feet of 5-inch by 16-inch bluestone curbstone for corners, furnished and set.

322 linear feet of 5-inch by 16-inch straight bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

3,060 linear feet of 4-inch by 16-inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

1,610 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, including sand bed and laid with cement grout joints, with one (1) year maintenance.

23 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, to be relaid.

378 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

3 cubic yards of concrete for basins and culverts.

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

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars ($3,500).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer. The plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

The City of New York, September 25, 1911.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 m., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

Borough of Richmond,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) GALLONS OF MACADAM ROAD BINDER WITH ASPHALT AS BASE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 15, 1911.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars ($1,200).

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

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

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn,

1. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF LOUISA ST., FROM CHESTER AVE. TO 36TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

300 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.

1,475 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars ($200).

2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION A PORTION OF THE ROADWAY OF 7TH AVE., FROM 58TH ST. TO 60TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,390 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.

195 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars ($800).

3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT AND GRADE NO. 1 GRANITE ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 60TH ST., FROM 6TH AVE. TO FORT HAMILTON PARKWAY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,660 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.

4,860 square yards grade No. 1 granite pavement with grouted joints, no maintenance.

2,160 cubic yards concrete for pavement foundation.

5,490 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.

40 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

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

The amount of security required is Thirteen Thousand Dollars ($13,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear feet, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated October 3, 1911. o5,18

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

Borough of Brooklyn,

1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BANKER ST., FROM MESEROLE AVE. TO NASSAU AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,540 cubic yards earth excavation.

1,070 cubic yards earth filling, not to be bid for.

2,300 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.

11,400 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

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

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars ($1,200).

2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BLAKE AVE., FROM SHEFFIELD AVE. TO PENNSYLVANIA AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

830 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years' maintenance.

25 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF COURT SQUARE, FROM FULTON ST. TO LIVINGSTON ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

475 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area, 5 years' maintenance.
155 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area, no maintenance.
65 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area.
20 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.
500 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.
100 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.
465 square yards present asphalt pavement to be removed outside railroad area.
115 square yards present asphalt pavement to be removed within railroad area.
3,800 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars ($800).

4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON DOBBIN ST., FROM MESEROLE AVE. TO NASSAU AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

690 cubic yards earth excavation.
390 cubic yards earth filling, not to be bid for.
2,320 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.
11,800 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Eleven Hundred Dollars ($1,100).

5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FAIRVIEW PLACE, FROM MARTENSE AVE. TO CHURCH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

920 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.
130 cubic yards concrete.
170 cubic yards earth excavation.
10 cubic yards earth filling, not to be bid for.
520 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars ($700).

6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GRAFTON ST., FROM SUTTER AVE. TO BLAKE AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,970 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.
275 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Eleven Hundred Dollars ($1,100).

7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NEW YORK AVE., FROM CLARKSON AVE. TO HAWTHORNE ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,280 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance .
600 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-four Hundred Dollars ($2,400).

8. FOR LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON ST. JOHNS PLACE, FROM UTICA AVE. TO SARATOGA AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

26,650 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirteen Hundred Dollars ($1,300).

9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WEST 23D ST., FROM MERMAID AVE. TO SURF AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,650 square yards asphalt pavement, 5 years maintenance.
375 cubic yards concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1,500).

10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AVENUE O, FROM EAST 15TH ST. TO CONEY ISLAND AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

40 cubic yards earth excavation.
1,570 cubic yards earth filling, to be furnished.
1,020 linear feet cement curb, 1 year maintenance.
3,300 square feet cement sidewalk, 1 year maintenance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars ($600).

11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 6TH AVE., FROM ST. MARKS AVE. TO 3D ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

14,860 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area, 5 years maintenance.
30 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area, no maintenance.
20 square yards old stone pavement, to be relaid.
1,630 cubic yards concrete, ouside railroad area.
5 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.
5,540 linear feet new curbstone, set in concrete.
700 linear feet old curbstone, reset in concrete.
31 noiseless covers and heads complete for sewer manholes.
14,620 square yards present asphalt pavement to be removed.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Eleven Thousand Dollars ($11,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per cubic yard, square yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated September 23, 1911. s29,o11

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,
Borough of Brooklyn,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING AN OUTLET SEWER IN 19TH AVE., BETWEEN 79TH AND 85TH STS.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

500 linear feet of 36-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $5.10	$2,550 00
780 linear feet of 30-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $4.25	3,315 00
260 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $3.40	884 00
840 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.85	714 00
7 six-inch house connection drains, re-connected complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per re-connection, $5	35 00
13 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $57	741 00
11 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $135	1,485 00
5,000 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, $18	90 00
8,000 feet, Board Measure, of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, $25	200 00
One (1) sewer basin re-connected complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per re-connection, $10	10 00
Total	$10,024 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be seventy (70) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000).

2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN EAST 35TH ST., FROM AVENUE J TO KINGS HIGHWAY.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

140 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.90	$266 00
2,300 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.60	3,680 00
2,890 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.80	2,312 00
24 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50	1,200 00
One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $135	135 00
Total	$7,593 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be seventy-five (75) working days.

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

3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 12TH AVE., BETWEEN 67TH AND 68TH STREETS.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

285 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.65	$470 25
400 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.80	320 00
3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50	150 00
One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $140	140 00
Total	$1,080 25

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 12TH AVE., BETWEEN 49TH AND 50TH STS.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

195 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $1.65	$321 75
200 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $0.80	160 00
3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50	150 00
Total	$631 75

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Dollars ($300).

5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER AND SOUTHWEST CORNER OF UNION ST. AND BROOKLYN AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Two (2) sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basins, $155	$310 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($150).

6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF BARBEY ST. AND JAMAICA AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Two (2) sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $155	$310 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($150).

8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN OUTLET TO THE SOUTH 6TH ST. SEWER.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

240 linear feet of 48-inch brick and concrete sewer, section "C," laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $13.80	$3,312 00
93 linear feet of 48-inch brick and concrete sewer, section "B," laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, $11.50	1,069 50
3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, $50	150 00
4,000 feet, Board Measure, of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, $25	100 00
15,800 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, $18	284 40
5 cubic yards of concrete, laid in place complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, $6	30 00
Total	$4,945 90

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500).

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. Proposals 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 the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage, as bid for this contract, shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, the Borough of Brooklyn, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn. ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated September 23, 1911. s29,o11

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH ST. AND 3D AVE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at the above office, until 10.30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911.

1. FOR CONSTRUCTING THE TRANSVERSE ROAD AT E. 174TH ST. IN CONNECTION WITH THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

9,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.
32,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.
12,100 cubic yards of filling and back-filling.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber.
100 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
435 square yards of face concrete.
4,100 cubic yards of Class "A" concrete.
210 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
130 cubic yards of reinforced concrete.
24,000 square feet of waterproofing.
215 linear feet of balustrade.
200 linear feet of cornice.
165 square yards of paved gutters.
32,000 pounds of reinforcing steel.
100 linear feet of cast iron sewer pipe, 12 inches in diameter.
1,100 linear feet of new bluestone curb.
210 linear feet of old bluestone curb.
11,500 square feet of cement flagging.
1,700 square feet of old bluestone flagging.
160 square feet of new bridge stone.
1,300 square yards of asphalt pavement.
800 square yards of macadam pavement.
Maintenance of traffic and cleaning up.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be three hundred fifty (350) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000).

2. FOR REPAVING WITH REDRESSED GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 3D AVE., FROM E. 150TH ST. TO TREMONT AVE., AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

71,700 square yards of granite blocks to be taken up, redressed and relaid on a concrete foundation, with cement grout joints, and keeping the same in repair for one year from date of acceptance.
10,870 cubic yards of concrete.
22,710 linear feet of new granite curbstone, furnished and set.
13,780 square feet of new granite bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.
4,895 square feet of old bridgestone, rejointed and relaid.
1 double road-box complete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be two hundred fifty (250) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Sixty-five Thousand Dollars ($65,000).

3. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 167TH ST., FROM JEROME AVE. TO ABOUT 124 FEET EAST OF GERARD AVE. AND FROM ABOUT 94 FEET WEST OF SHERMAN AVE. TO THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

14,700 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with cement grout joints, and keeping the same in repair for one year from date of acceptance.
2,230 cubic yards of concrete.
1,500 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.
4,550 linear feet of old curbstone, rejointed, recut on top and reset.
1,000 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.
4,900 square feet of old bridgestone, rejointed and relaid.
910 square feet of old flagging, rejointed and relaid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred twenty-five (125) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000).

4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, RESETTING CURBSTONES AND PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROWN PLACE, BETWEEN E. 132D ST. AND E. 133D ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

700 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
100 linear feet of new curbstone.
360 linear feet of old curbstone.
112 square feet of new bridgestones.
125 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
730 square yards of completed granite block pavement on a concrete foundation, laid with cement grout joints, and keeping the same in repair for one year from date of acceptance.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

5. FOR COMPLETING THE CONTRACT FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN W. 231ST ST., FROM BAILEY AVE. TO RIVERDALE AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

100 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
2,200 cubic yards of filling.
230 linear feet of new curbstone.
810 square feet of new bluestone flagging.
560 square feet of new bridgestone.
230 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry
30 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber and lumber.
250 linear feet of guard rails.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars ($800).

6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN WEIHER COURT, FROM 3D AVE. WESTERLY TO THE EXISTING PART OF WEIHER COURT, A DISTANCE OF 144.78 FEET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

150 cubic yards of earth excavation.
75 cubic yards of filling.
330 linear feet of new curbstone.
120 square feet of old flagging.
970 square feet of cement flagging.
60 square feet of new bridgestones.
115 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
25 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
20 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
150 linear feet of gaspipe railing.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars ($400).

7. FOR REREGULATING, REGRADING SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING AND RELAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN SEDGWICK AVE., FROM VAN CORTLANDT AVE. TO THE CHANGE OF GRADE ABOUT 430 FEET WESTERLY THEREFROM, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

30 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.
6,660 cubic yards of filling.
250 linear feet of new curbstone.
700 linear feet of old curbstone.
750 square feet of new bluestone flagging.
3,100 square feet of old flagging.
320 square feet of new bridgestones.
95 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry.
50 linear feet of vitrified pipe, 12 inches in diameter.
1,000 feet B. M. of timber and lumber.
550 linear feet of guard rails.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($1,500).

8. FOR PAVING WITH WOOD BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 158TH ST., FROM CAULDWELL AVE. TO EAGLE AVE., AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

650 square yards of completed wood block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.
110 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.
400 linear feet of old curbstone, rejointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR CUTTING GRASS, WEEDS, BRUSH, ETC., ON THE EXPOSED BASIN OF THE NEW CROTON RESERVOIR.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work on any section or on any number of sections will be thirty-five (35) working days.

The security required is as follows:

For Section I, Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

For Section II, Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

For Section III, Seven Hundred Dollars ($700).

For Section IV, Three Hundred Dollars ($300).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested.

Bids will be received for any one section, or for any number of sections, but in comparing the bids the bids for each section will be compared separately, and the contract awarded by sections.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to 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, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

Dated September 22, 1911. s26,o11

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1903, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn,

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES UNDER THE FOLLOWING CLASSIFICATIONS: BOILERS, ETC., OIL SUITS, CORDAGE AND ROPE, MACHINERY, ETC., METALS AND ALLOYS, SCREWS, BOLTS, ETC., RUBBER GOODS, ETC., CHEMICALS, DRUGS, CONTAINERS, FURNITURE AND FIXTURES, LUMBER, CEMENT, MISCELLANEOUS, PACKING YARN, TOOLS AND IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and the completion of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security required is twenty-five (25) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder on each item.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to 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, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

Dated September 22, 1911. s26,o11

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Notices of Sale.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF THE BRONX TAX SALE.

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

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1911.

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

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated September 11, 1911. s12,n13

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF BROOKLYN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Brooklyn, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sales of July 27; August 3, 24; September 7, 21; October 5, 19; November 2, 16, 30; December 14 and 28, 1910; January 11, 25; February 8; March 1, 15, 29; April 5, 19, 26; May 10; June 14, 21, 28, July 12, 1911, and September 6, 1911, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1911.

at 2 p. m. pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 2, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, as heretofore.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated September 6, 1911. s7,o18

Corporation Sales.

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum price stated for each parcel, certain buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Church avenue, from East 8th street to Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel, of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1911,

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

Parcel 1.—Part of two story brick building on the northeast corner of Church avenue and East 8th street. Cut 7.6 feet on front by 7.3 feet on rear. Upset price, $100.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 23d day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 23, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1911. o4,23

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO 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 at the upset or minimum price stated for each parcel, certain buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Queens,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Himrod street, from Grandview avenue to Metropolitan avenue, in the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—Part of two story frame building, 415 Grandview avenue. Cut 14.92 feet on front and rear. Upset price, $400.

Parcel 2—Two story frame building, 417 Grandview avenue. Upset price, $700.

Parcel 3—Part of two story frame building, 419 Grandview avenue. Cut 20.11 feet on front and rear. Upset price, $500.

Parcel 65 and 66.—One story frame stable on Himrod street, about 150 feet southwest of Metropolitan avenue. Upset price, $5.

Parcel 68—Two story frame building, 1498 Metropolitan avenue. Also shed (13 feet by 13 feet) in rear of same and part of one and one-half story frame building. Cut 10.5 feet on west side by 0.33 feet on north side from northeast corner. Upset price, $25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 20th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 20, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1911. o4,23

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

Borough of Brooklyn,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Avenue L, from Coney Island avenue to East 15th street and from East 16th street to Ocean avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—Two story frame house on the west side of East 17th street at Avenue L. Upset price, $400.

Parcel 2—Fence, shed and corner of house on Avenue L, east of East 17th street. Cut corner of house 1.5 feet on front and north side.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 19th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 19, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 25, 1911. o2,19

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO 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 at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

Borough of Queens,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Harman st., from Grandview ave. to Forest ave., in the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—Part of two stroy frame building, 467 Grandview ave. Cut 4.4 feet in front and rear. Upset price $100.

Parcel 2—Two story frame house, 469 Grandview ave. Upset price $1,000.

Parcel 3—Two story frame house, 471 Grandview ave. Upset price, $1,000.

Parcel 16—Part of two story frame octagonal building at the southeast corner of Ricard st. and Cottage place. Also frame sheds, about 25 feet by 11 feet, in rear of same. Upset price, $150.

Parcel 35—Two story frame house with one and one-half story extension, 7 Cottage place. Upset price, $100.

Parcel 37—Rear part of one story frame building with extension and shed, 9 Cottage place. Cut 20.8 feet on west side by 5.37 feet on east side, from rear of building. Upset price, $50.

Parcel 38—Rear part of one story frame building, 11 Cottage place. Cut 11.37 feet on west side by 1.13 feet on east side from rear of building. Upset price, $20.

Parcel 41—Frame dancing pavilion in the rear of 23 Forest ave. Upset price, $25.

Parcel 42—Shed and part of shed and rear part of two one story frame buildings adjoining Parcel 41. Upset price, $10.

Parcel 52—Part of two story frame building on Forest ave., near Metropolitan ave. Cut 2.89 feet on rear by 18.17 feet on front by 25.25 feet. Upset price, $40.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 18 day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 18, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 25, 1911. s30,o18

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, all the encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

Borough of Brooklyn,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Lincoln avenue, from Jamaica ave to Ridgewood ave, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel, of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1911,

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

Parcel 1.—Part of a two story and attic frame house and fences at the northwest corner of Havens place and Lincoln ave. Cut house 12.8 feet on north and south ends by 26 feet. Upset price, $250.

Parcel 2—Shed and fences on Lincoln ave., between Jamaica avenue and Etna street. Upset price, $5 .

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 17th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 17, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s29,o17

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, all the encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Carroll st., from Nostrand ave. to New York ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—One story and attic frame building and sheds on Carroll street, about 100 feet east of Nostrand ave. Upset price, $20.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 14th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 14, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s28,o14

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO 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, at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, all the encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Queens,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Trautman street, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Metropolitan ave., in the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,

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

Parcels 39 and 40—Shed and part of shed in the rear of 1502 Flushing ave. Cut large shed 26.41 feet on south side by 25.2 feet on north side. Upset price, $10.

Parcels 41 and 42—Part of greenhouse in the rear of 1512 Flushing ave. Upset price $5.

Parcels 43 and 44—Part of two story frame hotel and sheds at Trautman st. and Flushing ave. Upset price, $150.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 16th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 16, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s28,o16

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO 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, at the upset or minimum prices stated for each parcel, all the encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Queens,

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Stephen st., between Wyckoff st. and Myrtle ave., in the Second Ward of the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel, of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1911,

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

Parcel 59 and 60. Part of open shed and bowling alley, within the lines of Stephen st., north of Cypress ave. Cut bowling alley 4.94 feet on southerly side by 5.06 feet on northerly side by 38.3 feet. Cut shed 48.05 feet on north and south sides. Also two sheds (8 feet by 8.13 feet), (14.23 feet by 12.02 feet), part of shooting gallery (cut 4 feet on north and south sides by 30 feet), and part of ice-cream stand (cut 11.13 feet on north and south sides by 15.6 feet). Upset price, $25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 13th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 13, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s27,o13

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

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

Borough of Brooklyn,

being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., lying within the lines of East 35th street, from Tilden avenue to Snyder avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1911,

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

Parcel 1—On East 35th street, at Snyder avenue. Part of one story frame shed and glass hot houses. Cut 27.7 feet on north side of shed by 13 feet on south side of hot houses. Also shed (11 feet by 18 feet), hot house (12.3 feet by 30 feet), frame stable and shed (21.6 feet by 63.9 feet). Also part of seven hot beds on east side of East 35th street. Cut 21.2 feet on north side by 22.2 feet on south side. Also part of hot house on west side of East 35th street, cut 1.5 feet and 1.3 feet on south end. Also part of six hot beds, cut 10.5 feet on north side by 11.9 feet on south side. Also part of one hot bed cut 5.4 feet. Also part of three hot beds, cut 1.6 feet by 1.2 feet. Upset price $25.

Parcel 2—Part of hot house on northeast corner of Tilden avenue and East 35th street. Cut 6 feet on south side by 5.5 feet on north side by 16 feet. Also part of frame stable and shed, about 300 feet north of Tilden avenue. Cut 37.6 feet on north side by 40.5 feet on south side. Also shed and hot bed. Upset price, $10.

Parcel 3—Two story frame building and hot house and two sheds on East 35th street at Tilden avenue. Upset price, $25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 13th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 11, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s26,o13

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

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Richmond, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum price stated for each parcel, all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Richmond,

Being the building on Damage Parcel 92, standing within the lines of Targee street, from Laurel avenue to Clove avenue, in the Borough of Richmond, which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the Office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held September 20, 1911, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum price named in the description of this parcel of the above building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

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

Parcel 92—One story frame building on the north side of Irving place, about 30 feet east of Garden street. Upset price, $250.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the Office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 11th day of October, 1911, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of $50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of $500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for; (2) the amount of the bid; (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened October 11, 1911," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 21, 1911. s25,o11

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPanies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to $50,000.

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

Construction.

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

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

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

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.

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

Dated January 3, 1910.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON NOVEMBER 1, 1911, on registered 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 85) in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

The coupons that are payable in New York or in London for the interest due on November 1, 1911, on assessment bonds and corporate pany, 28 and 30 Nassau st., New York City, in stock of The City of New York, will be paid on that day, at the option of the holders thereof, either at the office of the Guaranty Trust Com- United States money, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England, in sterling, at the rate of $4.8780 to the pound.

The coupons that are payable only in New York for interest due on November 1, 1911, on bonds and stock of the present and former City of New York, and of former corporations now included in The City of New York, except the former County of Queens, will be paid on that day at the office of the said Guaranty Trust Company.

The coupons that are payable on November 1, 1911, for interest on bonds issued by the former County of Queens, will be paid on that day at the Queens County Bank, Branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, Borden ave. and Front st., Long Island City.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable November 1, 1911, will be closed from October 10 to November 1, 1911.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 15, 1911. s18,n1

Notices to Property Owners.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT at the southeast corner of AUDUBON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Audubon avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-Seventh street, known as Lot 18, in Block 2132.

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

—that the same was entered on September 26, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before November 25, 1911, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1911. s29,o10

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 QUEENS:

SECOND WARD.

SEWER IN SCOTT AVENUE, from Newtown Creek, north of Metropolitan avenue, to St. Nicholas avenue; and in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Troutman street and the Borough Line; also in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between St. Nicholas avenue and Gardner avenue; and SEWER in GARDNER AVENUE, between Johnson avenue and Flushing avenue; and SEWER in WYCKOFF AVENUE, between Myrtle and Flushing avenues; and in JOHNSON AVENUE, between Gardner and Knickerbocker avenues; and a LATERAL SEWER in FLUSHING AVENUE, between Irving avenue and Gardner avenue, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; and SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Myrtle avenue, and in MYRTLE AVENUE, from St. Nicholas avenue to Tesla place, in the SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS. Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, as amended 1901.

Area of assessment affects block numbers located in the Borough of Queens From Nos. 1 to 6, inclusive; 6B and 6E; from 7 to 79, inclusive; 79A, 79B, 79C, 79D, 79E, 79F, from

80 to 115, inclusive; 115A, 115B, 115C, 115D, 115E, 115F, 115G, 115H, 115J, 115K, 115L, 115M, 115N, 115P, 115Q, 115R and 115S; 116 and 116A; from 117 to 191, inclusive.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors September 26, 1911, and entered September 26, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before November 25, 1911, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's office, September 26, 1911. s28,o9

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10; and TWENTY-SEVENTH and TWENTY-EIGHTH WARDS, SECTION 11.

SEWER IN SCOTT AVENUE, from Newtown Creek, north of Metropolitan avenue, to St. Nicholas avenue; and in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Troutman street and the Borough Line; also in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, between Troutman street and Flushing avenue, and in FLUSHING AVENUE, between St. Nicholas avenue and Gardner avenue; and SEWER in GARDNER AVENUE, between Johnson avenue and Flushing avenue; and SEWER in WYCKOFF AVENUE, between Myrtle and Flushing avenues; and in JOHNSON AVENUE, between Gardner and Knickerbocker avenues; and a LATERAL SEWER in FLUSHING AVENUE, between Irving avenue and Gardner avenue, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; and SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, in ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Myrtle avenue, and in MYRTLE AVENUE, from St. Nicholas avenue to Tesla place, in the SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS. Chapter 378, Laws of 1897 as amended 1901.

Area of assessment affects the following Block numbers in the Borough of Brooklyn: Blocks Nos. 2960, 2966, 2979, 2981, 2985, 2987, to 2990, 2992 to 2996, inclusive, 2999, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3010, 3011, 3015, 3167, 3168, 3169, 3176, 3177, 3178 to 3181, inclusive, 3188 to 3192, inclusive, 3199, 3200 to 3203, inclusive, 3210 to 3213, inclusive, 3221 to 3224, inclusive, 3237 to 3240, inclusive, 3248 to 3251, inclusive, 3259 to 3262, inclusive, 3270 to 3272, inclusive, 3280 to 3282, inclusive, 3290 to 3292, inclusive, 3301 to 3303, inclusive, 3310, 3311, 3312, 3319, 3320, 3328, 3329, 3337, 3338, 3346, 3347, 3355, 3356, 3365, 3379, 3386, 3393, 3400, 3407, 3413, 3419, 3425 and 3431.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 26, 1911, and entered September 26, 1911, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before November 25, 1911, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 26, 1911. s28,o9

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:

THIRTY-FIRST AND THIRTY-SECOND WARDS, SECTION 20.

AVENUE J—PAVING, between Coney Island avenue and Ocean avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue J, from Coney Island avenue to Ocean avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before November 21, 1911, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s26,o6

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE following named street in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 23, 24 AND 25.

PAERDEGAT BASIN—OPENING AND EXTENDING, between Flatbush avenue and Jamaica Bay. Confirmed March 29, 1911. Entered September 22, 1911. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly side of East Eighty-sixth street and the bulkhead line of Jamaica Bay; running thence in a westerly direction and along the bulkhead line of Jamaica Bay to where said bulkhead line intersects the Grand esplande; running thence northwesterly along the Grand esplande to where the same intersects the northerly side of Avenue N; running thence southwesterly and along the northerly side of Avenue N to the easterly side of East Sixty-eighth street; running thence northwesterly and along the easterly side of East Sixty-eighth street and its prolongation to the point where said prolongation of the easterly side of East Sixty-eighth street would intersect the prolongation of the southerly side of Foster avenue (Avenue E), if such Foster avenue were prolonged; running thence northeasterly and along the prolongation and southerly line of Foster avenue (Avenue E), to the westerly side of East Eighty-sixth street; running thence southeasterly and southerly and along the westerly side of East Eighty-sixth street to the bulkhead line of Jamaica Bay, the point or place of beginning.

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

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before November 21, 1911, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, September 22, 1911. s26,o6

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,
Borough of The Bronx,

1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF BROWN PLACE, BETWEEN 135TH AND 136TH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 200 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is $40,000.

Borough of Manhattan,

2. FOR ITEM 3, INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATORS AND ASH HOIST; AND ITEM 4, INSTALLING BINDERY EQUIPMENT IN THE WASHINGTON IRVING HIGH SCHOOL, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF IRVING PLACE, BETWEEN 16TH AND 17TH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete each item will be 100 working days as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 3, $10,000; Item 4, $500.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On No. 1, the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On No. 2, the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the Office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and 59th street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated October 3, 1911. o3,16

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 p. m., on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DIRECTORY OF TEACHERS, OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CITY OF NEW YORK, 1911.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before November 15, 1911.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The Board of Education reserves the right to award the contract for samples "A" or "B" and 3,500 or 4,500 copies.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

Dated September 29, 1911.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies. s29,o10

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1911,
Borough of Brooklyn,

1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., ITEMS 1 AND 2, OF A LOCKER, DRESSING AND TOILET BUILDING, TO BE PLACED ON THE ATHLETIC FIELD, ON AVENUES K AND L, BETWEEN EAST 17TH ST. AND THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, FLATBUSH, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 working days each, for Item 1 and Item 2, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, $16,000; Item 2, $12,000.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

The bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, 9th floor, Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, 131 Livingston st., Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated September 27, 1911. s27,o9

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1911,
Borough of The Bronx,

2. FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 7, 20, 32 AND 34, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 75 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 1, Five Hundred Dollars ($500); P. S. 7, Five Hundred Dollars ($500); P. S. 20, Five Hundred Dollars ($500); P. S. 32, Four Hundred Dollars ($400); P. S. 34, Four Hundred Dollars ($400).

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

The bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

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., Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated September 27, 1911. s27,o9

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (9,500) FEET OF TWO AND ONE-HALF (2½) INCH CIRCULAR SOLID WOVEN MULTIPLE COTTON RUBBER LINED FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

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

2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (18,500) FEET OF THREE (3) INCH CIRCULAR SOLID WOVEN MULTIPLE COTTON RUBBER LINED FIRE HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

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

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner. o3,16

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

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

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

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE CO. 147, LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF 16TH ST, EAST OF 13TH AVE., AND ENGINE CO. 137, 55 MORGAN AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($2,750).

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item; *or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.*

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Dated September 7, 1911. s28,o10

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

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

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1911,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO MAKE REPAIRS TO THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE CO. 109, 159 TAAFFE ST.; ENGINE CO. 130, 59 ELLERY ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item; *or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.*

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, 157 and 159 East 67th st., Manhattan.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Dated September 7, 1911. s28,o10

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

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO (2) GAS ELECTRIC CHASSIS TO BE USED AS TRACTORS ON WATER TOWERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

Dated September 27, 1911. s27,o9

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE LEAD TO THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

The time for the delivery of the materials and for the performance of the contract will be 60 calendar days after the receipt by the Contractor of a written order to deliver the materials, from the Commissioner of Bridges.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Commissioner.

Dated September 27, 1911. s29,o11

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 3, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911, to 4 P. M. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1911.

for the position of

ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. Friday, October 20, will be accepted.

The examination will be held on Wednesday, November 15, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Duties, 6; Experience, 3; Report, 1. 70 per cent. is required on the Duties paper, and 70 per cent. on all.

Candidates must be thoroughly competent to prosecute investigations for the purpose of discovering delinquency in the performance of duty or violation of discipline on the part of any agent, officer or employee of the Fire Department, or any supposed case of arson or incendiarism brought to his notice. For that reason he should be familiar with the laws relating to the duties of Fire Marshal and the provisions of the Penal Code relating to arson. He should know some rules of evidence, have experience as an investigator and a knowledge of the way books are kept so as to be able to extract evidence therefrom.

Salary, $1,500 per annum. Vacancies, two. Minimum age, 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
o5,20

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 3, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be received from

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, TO 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1911,

for the position of

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN—ELECTRICAL, SANITARY, HEATING AND VENTILATING.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. October 18 will be accepted.

The examination will be held on Monday, November 13, 1911, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 5; Experience, 2; Mathematics, 2; Neatness, 1; 75 per cent. required on the Technical paper and 70 per cent. on all.

Salary: $1,200 per annum, and up. Vacancies: None at present. Minimum age, 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
o3,18

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, October 2, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2, TO 4 P. M. TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1911,

for the position of

DIETITIAN.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. October 17, will be accepted.

The examination will be held on Thursday, November 9, 1911, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Duties, 6; Experience, 4. Seventy per cent. required on each subject.

Candidates must have had a two years' course in an approved school of domestic science, or its equivalent, and should also have had some experience in the administration of the dietary department of an institution.

The examination is not limited to residents of the State of New York, and the rule that the four vouchers on applications shall be residents of The City of New York is waived for this examination.

Vacancies, 1 in Department of Public Charities; salary, $720 per annum; minimum age, 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
o2,17

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER, 30, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be received from

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, to 4 p. m. MONDAY, OCTOBER, 16, 1911,

for the position of

STOREKEEPER, ENGINEERING SUPPLIES (DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY).

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., October 16, will be accepted.

The examination will be held on Wednesday, November 1, 1911, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Duties and Report, 5; Experience, 3; Arithmetic and Elementary Knowledge of Accounts, 2; 70 per cent. will be required on the total.

Candidates for this examination will be tested on their knowledge of fittings and machinery in use at the various water works pumping stations which will include a limited knowledge of electrical machinery and apparatus, of machine supplies and recording gauges. They will also be tested in their knowledge of the best methods of storing and classifying materials, keeping accounts of such materials and the making of reports.

Candidates will be required to have an experience of three years in a machine shop or at pipe fitting or analagous trades or occupations. A like experience as salesman or purchasing agent for a machine supply concern will be accepted as a preliminary requirement.

Vacancies: Two. Salary: $1,200 per annum. Minimum age, 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
s30,o16

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER 28, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, TO 4 P. M., FRIDAY, OCTOBER, 13, 1911.

for the positions of

MEDICAL OFFICER, FIRE DEPARTMENT, and POLICE SURGEON.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. October 13 will be accepted.

A physical examination will precede the mental.

The date of the examination will be announced later.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 6; Experience, 4.

The percentage required is 75 on the Technical paper and 70 on all.

Candidates must be licensed to practice medicine in the State of New York, and must have been medical practitioners for three years at least.

Vacancies in either of the above positions will be filled from this list, and candidate will be eligible for appointment to either position by filing one application.

Salary: Police Surgeon, $3,500 per annum; Medical Officer, Fire Department, $3,300 per annum.

Vacancies: None at present. Minimum age, 25 years; maximum age, 45 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
s28,013

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER 27, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, to 4 p. m. WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

for the position of

INSPECTOR OF REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING.

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. October 11 will be accepted.

A physical examination will precede the mental.

The date of examination will be announced later.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 5; Experience, 2; Mathematics, 1; Report, 2.

75 per cent. will be required on the technical paper, and 70 per cent. on all.

Vacancies: None at present. Salary: $4 a day, or $1,200 per annum. Minimum age, 21 years; maximum age, 50 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
s27,o11

(Corrected Notice.)

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER 22, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received from

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, to 4 p. m., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1911,

for the position of

INSPECTOR OF MASONRY CONSTRUCTION

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., October 6, will be accepted.

A physical examination will precede the mental.

The dates of examinations will be announced later.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 5; Experience, 2; Mathematics, 1; Report, 2.

The percentage required is 75 on the Technical paper and 70 on all.

Candidates should be acquainted with technical marks and terms as used in connection with tunnels, arches and stone masonry, and familiar with the quality of materials used in stone, concrete and brick masonry.

There will probably be many appointments.

Salary: For open trench work, $4.50 a day when employed, and $5 a day for tunnel work.

Minimum age, 21 years; maximum age, 50 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.
s22,06

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

Borough of The Bronx,

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE ROCK CUT ON THE BROADWAY SIDE OF VAN CORTLANDT PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is eighty (80) consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.
s25,05

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OFFICE OF DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

Borough of The Bronx,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR REBUILDING AND WIDENING CITY ISLAND ROAD, FROM BARTOW STATION TO CITY ISLAND BRIDGE, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.
s25,05

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1911,

Borough of Manhattan,

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A COMFORT STATION IN THE QUEENSBORO BRIDGE PLAYGROUND, LOCATED AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF E. 60TH ST. AND SUTTON PLACE.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand dollars ($4,000).

The time allowed to complete the work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

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

Plans may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks.
s23,o5

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: 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.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT — CITY OF NEW YORK. BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 269 State street, Borough of 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.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1911,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn,

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL FOR HEATING PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1911.

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

The bidder will state the price per gross ton of 2,240 pounds avoirdupois contained in the specifications annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class; each of the Boroughs constituting a class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, 13-21 Park Row.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated September 27, 1911. s29,o11

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BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesdays, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

HENRY J. WALSH, Deputy Chamberlain Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Franchise Matters.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Union Railway Company of New York City, has under date of October 27, 1910, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate a double track street surface railway as an extension to its existing system, from the intersection of Aqueduct and Boscobel avenues in the Borough of The Bronx, and thence upon and over the Washington Bridge and its approaches, and upon and along 181st street to Broadway, Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, Section 172 of the Railroad Law and Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on November 11, 1910, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as December 9, 1910, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least fourteen (14) days in the "World" and "The New York Times," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the CITY RECORD for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, In further pursuance of such laws this Board adopted a resolution on March 2, 1911, entering on the minutes of the Board the proposed form of contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for, ordering said contract advertised and fixing April 13, 1911, as the date for the final public hearing thereon; and

Whereas, This Board on April 13, 1911, at the request of the Company, adopted a resolution rescinding the resolutions adopted March 2, 1911, and

Whereas, The counsel for the Company has in a communication dated September 11, 1911, stated the terms and conditions on which the Company will accept the grant; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for, and proposed to be granted to the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the adequacy of the compensation to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Union Railway Company of New York City the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made this ..... day of..... 191.., by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Union Railway Company of New York City (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a double track extension to its present street surface railway with the necessary wires and equipment, for the purpose of conveying passengers only in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in The City of New York, upon the following route, to wit:

Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in Boscobel avenue, at or near its intersection with Aqueduct avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx; thence upon and along Boscobel avenue to Aqueduct avenue; thence westerly upon and over the easterly approach to the Washington Bridge and upon and over the said bridge and its westerly approach to the intersection thereof with 181st street, Borough of Manhattan, and thence upon and along 181st street to the easterly side of Broadway, and to cross such other streets and avenues, named and unnamed, as may be encountered in said route.

The said route, with turnouts, switches and crossovers, hereby authorized is shown upon a map entitled:

"Map showing proposed extension of the Union Railway Co. of New York City, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York, to accompany petition dated October 27, 1910, to the Board of Estimate and apportionment."

—and signed by F. W. Whitridge, Receiver; Edward A. Maher, General Manager, and T. F. Mullaney, Chief Engineer, a copy of which is attached hereto, is to be deemed a part of this contract, is to be construed with the text thereof and is to be substantially followed, provided that deviations therefrom and additional turnouts, switches and crossovers which are consistent with the foregoing description and the other provisions of this contract may be permitted by resolution of the Board.

Nothing in this contract shall be construed as permitting the construction of more than one double-track street surface railway upon the route hereinabove described.

Section 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and avenues to the construction and operation of said railway shall be obtained by the Company within three (3) months from the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and a copy of such consents shall be filed with the Board within such time, or in the event that such consents cannot be obtained within such time, the Company shall within said three (3) months or within one (1) month thereafter, make application to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners in the manner provided by the Railroad Law, to determine if said railway ought to be constructed; otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

Second—The said right to construct, maintain and operate said railway shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor until March 1, 1924, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of twenty-five (25) years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two (2) years and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five (25) years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, but in no case shall the annual rate so fixed be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three (3) months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may

base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of the original term of this contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company each paying one-half thereof.

Third—The Company shall pay to the City for the privilege hereby granted the following sums of money:

(a) The sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) in cash on or before the date on which operation over any portion of the route hereby authorized is commenced.

(b) During the first term of five (5) years an annual sum which shall in no case be less than one thousand dollars ($1,000), and which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross annual receipts if such percentage shall exceed the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000).

During the second term of five (5) years an annual sum which shall in no case be less than seventeen hundred dollars ($1,700) and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of seventeen hundred dollars ($1,700).

During the remaining term expiring March 1, 1924, an annual sum which shall in no case be less than nineteen hundred dollars ($1,900), and which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts if such percentage shall exceed the sum of nineteen hundred dollars ($1,900).

The gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be that portion of the gross receipts of the Company from all sources within the limits of the City as shall bear the same proportion to its whole gross receipts as the length of the extension hereby authorized shall bear to the entire length of the railway of the Company in operation within the limits of the City.

The annual charges shall commence from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

(c) For the use of the Washington Bridge and its approaches during the term expiring March 1, 1914, an annual sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000); during the succeeding term of five (5) years expiring March 1, 1919, an annual sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ($1,250); and during the remaining term of five (5) years expiring March 1, 1924, an annual sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500). The compensation herein reserved shall commence from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

All annual charges as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on November 1 of each year and shall be for the amount due to September 30 next preceding. Provided that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual charge as the time between the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and September 30 following shall bear to the whole of one year.

Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, then such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid on or before November 1 in each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding.

The annual charges herein provided are intended to include the percentages of gross receipts now required to be paid by railway companies to the City pursuant to the Railroad Law as amended, and such charges as are required under chapter 340 of the Laws of 1892 to be paid by the Company for this extension if said act applies to or controls the Company in relation to the right and privilege hereby granted.

The City does not and shall not demand or require the payment by the Company of a percentage of gross receipts under the provisions of chapter 340 of the Laws of 1892 on the gross receipts earned on the extension constructed pursuant to this contract.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company, shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract (whether original or renewal), notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railway or railroad company providing for payment for railway or railroad rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted (whether original or renewal), or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fifth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual or other corporation a similar right or privilege, upon the same or other terms and conditions, over the route hereinbefore described.

The use of the railway constructed by the Company under this contract, including the tracks, wires and other equipment, or any structures used in connection therewith, in streets and avenues hereinbefore described, shall be permitted by the Company to any individual or corporation to which the City may have granted, or may hereafter grant, the right or privilege to use such streets and avenues for street railway purposes, upon payment of an annual sum by such individual or corporation to the Company which shall equal the legal interest on such proportion of the actual cost of the construction of such railway and structures, and additions and betterments thereto, as the number of cars operated by such individual or corporation shall bear to the number of cars operated by the companies then using the same; and also such proportion of the cost of keeping the tracks and electrical equipment in repair, and the cost of additions and betterments thereto, such proportion of laying and repairing of pavement and removal of snow and ice, and all other duties imposed upon the Comapny by the terms of this contract in connection with the maintenance or the operation of said railway so used, as the number of cars operated by such individual or corporation shall bear to the number of cars operated by the companies then using the same, together with the actual cost of the power necessary for the operation of the cars thereon of such individual or corporation. Provided, however, that if, in the opinion of the Company, the legal rate of interest upon the cost of such railway shall be an insufficient sum to be paid for the use of such tracks, it may appeal to the Board and the Board may fix a percentage upon the cost to be paid to the Company, at a sum in excess of the legal rate of interest, if, in its opinion, such action is justified.

The Company shall not at any time oppose but shall upon the request of the Board, consent to the construction or operation of any street surface railway which may necessitate the use of any portion of the railway which shall be constructed by the Company, pursuant to this contract.

Sixth—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Seventh—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and equipments of the Company constructed, pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues and upon the bridge shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at the termination of this contract as above, the Board shall so order by resolution, the Company shall, upon thirty (30) days' notice from the Board, remove any and all of its tracks and other equipment constructed pursuant to this contract and the said streets and avenues and the bridge shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Eighth—The Company shall commence construction of the railway herein authorized within three (3) months from the date upon which the consents of the property owners are filed with the Board or from the date of the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, made pursuant to section 174 of the Railroad Law, confirming the determination of the Commissioners apopinted thereunder that such railway ought to be constructed, and shall complete the construction and place the same in full operation within six (6) months from the date of filing such consents or the date of such order, otherwise this right shall cease and determine, and all sums paid, and the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided that the period for commencement and the period for completion and placing the railway in full operation may be extended by the Board, but the total extension of time for either of such periods shall not exceed in the aggregate six (6) months; and provided further that when the commencement or completion of said construction shall be prevented by legal proceedings in any Court, or by works of public improvement, or from other causes not within the control of the Company, the time for the commencement or completion of such construction may be extended for the period of such prevention, but no delay shall be allowed for unless the Court proceedings shall be diligently prosecuted by the Company, and provided further, that in no case shall such delay be deemed to begin until the Company shall have given written notice to the Board of any such Court proceedings or other occasion of delay, and deliver to the Board copies of any injunction or other orders, and the papers upon which the same shall have been granted, and unless upon the request of the Board the Company shall, in writing, consent that the Board, either in its own name as a party or in the name of the City as a party, may intervene in any such proceedings.

Ninth—Said railway shall be constructed and operated in the latest approved manner of street railway construction and operation, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to the railway equipment, including rolling stock and railway appurtennces, from time to time, as such additions and improvements are necessary, in the opinion of the Board. Upon failure on the part of the Company to comply with the direction of the Board within a reasonable time, the rights hereby granted shall cease and determine.

Tenth—Said railway shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City.

No construction upon said railway shall be commenced until written permits have been obtained from the proper City officials.

In any permits so issued such officials may also impose such conditions, as a condition of the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures, in the streets and avenues and upon the bridge, over which such officials have jurisdiction and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

The electrical equipment to be installed by the Company for the operation of the railway within the limits of the City, whether the same be upon streets and avenues, or upon the bridge and its approaches, or upon private property, shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Eleventh—Said railway may be operated by overhead electric power substantially similar to the overhead electric system now in use by street surface railways in the Borough of The Bronx, or by any other motive power, except locomotive steam power or horse power, which may be approved by the Board, and consented to by the abutting property owners, in accordance with the provisions of law, and by the Public Service Commission for the First District of the State of New York.

Provided, however, that the Board, upon giving to the Company one (1) year's notice, may require the Company to operate its railway upon the whole or upon any portion of the route herein authorized to be constructed, except upon the Washington Bridge structure, by underground electric power substantially similar to the system now in use on the street surface railways in the Borough of Manhattan, or upon the whole or any portion of said route by any other practical motive power then in use which does not require the use of poles and overhead wires in the streets and avenues and upon the bridge and its approaches, and thereupon to discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets, avenues and bridge of the City upon said route.

Twelfth—Upon six (6) months' notice by the Board to the Company, all wires for the transmission of power, except trolley wires, for the operation of the railway, upon all or any portion of the route hereby authorized, shall be placed in conduits beneath or alongside of the railway. The Company shall provide in such conduits two (2) ducts not less than three (3) inches in diameter for the exclusive use of the City. Such ducts shall be used only by the Company for the operation of its railway and by the City, as above.

Thirteenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railway shall not exceed five (5) cents and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than five (5) cents for one continuous ride, from any point on its road or on any road, line or branch operated by it or under its control to any other point thereof, or any connecting branch thereof within the limits of the City.

The Company shall carry free upon the railway hereby authorized during the term of this contract all members of the Police and Fire Departments of the City, when such employees are in full uniform.

Fourteenth—No cars shall be operated upon the railway hereby authorized, other than passenger cars and cars necessary for the repair or maintenance of the railway, and no freight cars shall be operated upon the tracks of said railway.

Fifteenth—The Company shall attach to each car run over the said railway proper fenders and wheel guards, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Sixteenth—All cars which are operated on said railway shall be heated during the cold weather, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Seventeenth—All cars operated on said railway shall be well lighted by electricity, or by some lighting system equally efficient, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Eighteenth—Cars on the said railway shall run at intervals of not more than thirty (30) minutes both day and night, and as much oftener as reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by the Board.

Nineteenth—The Company, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and avenues or bridge in or upon which said railway shall be constructed, shall cause to be watered at least three (3) times every twenty-four (24) hours when the temperature is above thirty-five (35) degrees Fahrenheit, the entire width of the streets, avenues and bridge, except when the width of such streets, avenues and bridge shall exceed sixty (60) feet between curb lines, in which case the Company shall cause to be watered only sixty (60) feet in width of such roadway, and the Company shall provide for such purpose at least one tank car, the capacity of which shall be sufficient to water such streets, avenues and bridge in a satisfactory manner.

Twentieth—The Company shall at all times keep the streets, avenues and bridge, upon which the said railway is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails, on either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow provided, however, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of street surface from house line to house line.

And provided further, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Bridges, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of roadway upon the bridge and its approaches.

Twenty-first—As long as said railway, or any portion thereof, remains in any street or avenue, or upon the bridge, the Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or bridge in or upon which the said railway is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails on either side thereof, under the supervision of the local authorities, whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe.

In case of the neglect of the Company to pave or repair the pavement on the streets after the expiration of thirty (30) days' notice to do so from the President of the Borough having jurisdiction, or in case of the neglect of the Company to pave or repair the pavement on the bridge after the expiration of thirty (30) days' notice so to do from the Commissioner of Bridges, said President or said Commissioner, as the case may be, may pave or repair the same at the expense of the Company. And the City shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any street or avenue, and in that event the Company shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper City official, at its own expense, and the provisions as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewed or altered pavement.

Twenty-second—Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage systems, or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets, required on account of the construction or operation of the railway, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Twenty-third—It is agreed that the right hereby granted to operate a street surface railway shall not be in preference or in hinderance to public work of the City, and should the said railway in any way interfere with the construction of public works in the streets and avenues, or upon the bridge, whether the same is done by the City directly or by a contractor for the City, the Company shall, at its own expense, protect or move the tracks and appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public work.

Twenty-fourth—Should the grades or lines of the streets and avenues in which the railway is hereby authorized be changed at any time after the railway has been constructed and during the term of this contract, the Company shall, at its own expense, change its tracks and appurtenances to conform with such new grades and lines, and during the construction of any public improvement upon said streets and avenues the Company shall take care of and protect the tracks and appurtenances at its own expense, all to be done subject to the direction of the City official having jurisdiction over the construction of such change.

Twenty-fifth—Upon one (1) year's notice from the Board the Company shall, if the Board shall so determine by resolution, cease the operation of the stub-end terminal at East 181st street and Broadway, and shall within sixty (60) days from the date of such notice make application to the Board for the right to construct, maintain and operate a loop terminal upon streets to be designated by the Board and shall on or before the expiration of said one (1) year enter into a contract for such loop terminal in substitution for the stub-end terminal hereby authorized.

Twenty-sixth—The Company shall keep and maintain the tracks and the electrical equipment upon the bridge and its approaches necessary for the operation of cars thereon in good order and repair and in such manner as shall be approved and directed by the Commissioner of Bridges, and shall furnish all motive power required by the Commissioner of Bridges for the operation of its cars. If deemed necessary by the Commissioner of Bridges, the Company shall install and operate a system of signals to insure the safe and efficient operation of cars, such system to be approved by the Commissioner of Bridges. In the event of any necessity for changing the layout of tracks, curves, switches, sidings or platforms on the bridge in order to facilitate operation of cars by the Company, said Company must do all the work and furnish all the labor and tools necessary for effecting such changes, which shall all be made under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Bridges, and no such changes or construction connected therewith, or relating thereto, shall be made unless the plan or plans for the same have been first submitted to the Commissioner of Bridges and approved by him.

Twenty-seventh—Before beginning the operation of cars, the Company shall file with the Commissioner of Bridges a statement for his approval and assent as to the type of car which it proposes to operate and a sketch showing clearance dimensions, weight on axles and wheel spacing or such other information as may be required by said Commissioner. All cars operated over the bridge by the Company and all equipment and appliances relating to such operation shall be subject at all times to the inspection of the Commissioner of Bridges or his authorized representatives, who shall have power to forbid the entrance to the bridge of cars which may for any reason be unsatisfactory, and who shall have power to direct the removal of any old or inadequate appliance and the substitution therefor of appliances of approved character.

Said Commissioner may adopt rules and regulations in regard to the number of cars to be operated over the bridge, the rate of speed of said cars, the movement and headway thereof, the type and weight of cars to be used and the condition thereof, the switching of cars and the use of platforms and the control of the electrical current used by the Company, and the said Commissioner may alter and amend any such rules and regulations so as to secure the safety and comfort of persons using the bridge and preserve the purposes for which the bridge was constructed, and, upon serving notice upon the Company that such rules and regulations have been made, amended or altered, the Company shall comply with all the requirements thereof.

Twenty-eighth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the Commissioner of Bridges to make alterations or changes in the construction, operation or management of the bridge or to affect in any way the control of such Commissioner over such bridge, as provided by the Charter of the City.

Twenty-ninth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report not later than November 1 of each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding, and at any other time, upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued, for cash, for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year.
11. The total amount expended for same.
12. The names of the directors elected at the last meeting of the corporation held for such purpose.
13. Location, value and amount paid for real estate owned by the Company as by last report.
14. Location, value and amount paid for real estate now owned by the Company.
15. Number of passengers carried during the year.
16. Total receipts of Company for each class of business.
17. Amounts paid by the Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation.
18. Total expenses for operation, including salaries—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Thirtieth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross receipts from all sources within the limits of the City, and shall, on or before November 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company, for the year ending September 30 next preceding, in such form as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of such gross receipts, the total miles in operation within the limits of the City and the miles of railway constructed and operated under this contract, and such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Thirty-first—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board or of the Commissioner of Bridges acting under the powers herein reserved, the franchise or consent herein granted may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railway constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Thirty-second—If the Company shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures and equipment as herein provided in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may effect the surface of the streets or of the bridge shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided for.

Thirty-third—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the railway authorized by this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Thirty-fourth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which sum together with any and all sums of money or any securities heretofore deposited with the Comptroller by the Company under and pursuant to franchises heretofore granted to it by the City for the faithful perform-

ance by the Company of the several franchises so granted, shall form a fund for the performance by the Company of all of the terms and conditions of this contract and compliance with all orders of the Board or of the Commissioner of Bridges acting under the powers herein reserved, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the rendering of efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, the repairs of the street and bridge pavement, the repair and maintenance of tracks and equipment upon the bridge and its approaches, and the removal of snow and ice and the quality of construction of the railway and the maintenance of the property in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions or compliance with such orders, or either or any of them, the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company; or in case of failure to observe the said terms and conditions of this contract and orders of the Board hereunder, relating to the headway, heating and lighting of cars, fenders, wheel guards and watering of street pavements, the Company shall pay a penalty of fifty dollars ($50) per day for each day of violation, and the further sum of ten dollars ($10) per day for each car that shall not be properly heated, lighted or supplied with fenders or wheel guards, in case of a violation of the provisions relating to those matters.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows:

The Board, on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President, or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, said Board shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to the Board to be just, and without legal procedure direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount, and in default thereof this contract shall be cancelled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

Thirty-fifth—The words "notice" or "direction," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Thirty-sixth—The words "streets or avenues," and "streets and avenues," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean "streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, concourses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement," encountered in the route hereinabove described, and upon or in which authority is hereby given the Company to construct a railway.

Thirty-seventh—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers, shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Sec. 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the laws of the State of New York.

Sec. 4. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of Article 5, and the other provisions of the Railroad Law pertinent hereto shall be strictly complied with by the Company.

Sec. 5. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By.....Mayor.

[CORPORATE SEAL]
Attest: ..... City Clerk.

UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY,
By.....Receiver.

By.....President.

[SEAL]
Attest: ..... Secretary.
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Thursday, October 26, 1911, in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, October 26, 1911, in two daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor therefor, and published in the City of New York, at the expense of the Union Railway Company of New York City, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, October 26, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, September 21, 1911. o2,26

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company has under date of June 13, 1911, made application to this Board for a modification of the terms and conditions of the contract dated October 29, 1909, granting said Company a franchise for the construction, maintenance and operation of railroad tracks upon, across and under certain streets and avenues in the Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on July 6, 1911, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 21, 1911, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "New York Herald" and "New York Press," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the CITY RECORD for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the proposed modifications and amendments of said contract of October 29, 1909; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the consent or right applied for by The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such right, be hereby introduced, and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby consents to certain modifications in the terms and conditions of the said contract of October 29, 1909, such modified terms and conditions being fully set forth and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying such terms and conditions as modify or alter said contract of October 29, 1909, which said contract otherwise remains unchanged as to all the other terms and conditions expressed therein, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract, made this ..... day of..... 1911, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

Whereas, The City did by contract dated October 29, 1909, grant to the Company the right to construct, maintain and operate railroad tracks upon, across and under certain streets and avenues in the Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, The Company has by a petition verified June 13, 1911, applied to the Board for a modification of said contract by extending for three (3) years the time within which to commence and complete the construction of one of said tracks, namely, across and upon Richmond Terrace in the Third Ward of the Borough of Richmond, authorized by said contract of October 29, 1909; now, therefore,

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby consents to such modification or amendment in and to said contract subject to the following conditions:

First—All the terms and conditions contained in the said contract dated October 29, 1909, shall remain unchanged except as follows:

Section 1, paragraph Sixth, is hereby amended so as to read:

Sixth—"The Company shall commence the construction of the tracks herein authorized under South street, First Ward, within three (3) years, and complete the same within five (5) years from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor, and shall complete the construction of the track herein authorized across Richmond terrace within five (5) years from such date, and shall commence and complete the construction of the other tracks herein authorized within two (2) years from such date, otherwise the rights herein granted shall cease and determine as to such tracks not so constructed. In the event of the rights so ceasing, the Company shall not be required to make any further payments for the privilege of constructing and maintaining said tracks under this contract, but shall continue paying to the City the sum fixed by this contract for each crossing which it constructs within the time limit herein fixed."

Section 2. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By....., Mayor.

(CORPORATE SEAL)
Attest: ....., City Clerk.

THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILWAY COMPANY,
By ....., President.

(SEAL)
Attest: ....., Secretary.
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the proposed franchise and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, are as specified and fully set forth in the said contract dated October 29, 1909, as amended by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the censent to such modifications and alterations.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the consent of The City of New York to the modifications and alterations as applied for by The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Thursday, October 26, 1911, in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, October 26, 1911, in (2) daily newspapers to be designated by the Mayor therefor, and published in The City of New York at the expense of The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the consent of the City to certain modifications and amendments in the terms and conditions of the said contract of October 29, 1909, such modifications and amendments being fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Ccuncil Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, October 26, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.
Dated New York, September 21, 1911. o2,26

Public Improvement Matters.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to discontinue East 16th street, from a point 485 feet easterly from Avenue C to the bulkhead line of the East River, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by discontinuing East 16th street, from a point 485 feet easterly from Avenue C to the bulkhead line of the East River in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon an undated map or plan bearing the signature of the Acting President of the Borough.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out Grace Court Alley, from Hicks street to a point 304 feet easterly therefrom, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out Grace Court alley, from Hicks street to a point 304 feet, more or less, easterly therefrom in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated July 13, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place to be published in the CITY RECORD and the Corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a public place, bounded by Meeker avenue, Engert avenue and Monitor street, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out a public place bounded by Meeker avenue, Engert avenue and Monitor street in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated December 8, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the Corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

PH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 Holland avenue, from East 214th street to East 215th street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of Holland avenue, between East 214th street and East 215th street in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated June 28, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 modify the street plan for the territory bounded by Broadway, West 261st street, Riverdale avenue and the City Line, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Riverdale avenue, the northern boundary of The City of New York, Broadway and West 261st street, establishing the lines and grades of certain streets within the above limits, changing the grade of Riverdale avenue, between West 260th street and West 261st street, and changing the grade of West 261st street, between Riverdale avenue and Netherland avenue in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated July 21, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 East 174th street, between Boone avenue and Bronx River avenue, and of the intersecting streets affected thereby, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades of East 174th street, between Boone avenue and Bronx River avenue, and the grades of the intersecting streets affected thereby in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated April 26, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 East 174th street, between Southern boulevard and West Farms road, and of the intersecting streets affected thereby, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the

Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of East 174th street, from Southern boulevard to West Farms road, and the lines and grades of the intersecting streets affected thereby in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated June 20, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of Roosevelt avenue, from Woodside avenue to 20th street, and from Peartree avenue to Wateredge avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of Roosevelt avenue, from Woodside avenue to 20th street, and from Peartree avenue to Wateredge avenue in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 25, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of a portion of Section 76 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of a portion of Section 76 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, bounded approximately by Norwood place, Franconia avenue, Pinford place, California avenue, Quaker place, Station road, Stiles place, Jackson avenue, Cemetery lane and Queens avenue, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated May 18, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of Jackson avenue (Broadway), from Cemetery lane to the City Boundary Line, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of Jackson avenue (Broadway), from Cemetery lane to the City Boundary Line in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated January 25, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of Section 67 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of the street system included within Section 67 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, bounded approximately by Ziegler avenue, Beech street, Wentworth avenue, Ash street, Murray street, Marston avenue, Clarence street, State street, Ormond street, Crocheron avenue, 30th street, California avenue, Pinford place, Franconia avenue, Ormond street, Queens avenue, Dutchess street and Georgia street, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated May 18, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of Rockaway boulevard, from Ocean avenue to the Conduit, and changing the lines of Rockaway boulevard, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Ocean avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of Rockaway boulevard, from Ocean avenue to the Conduit, and changing the lines of Rockaway boulevard, from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Ocean avenue in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 14, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

ADJOURNED HEARING IN THE MATTER of changing the map or plan of The City of New York by widening Fulton avenue, between Mills street and Welling street; widening Main street, between Grand avenue and Van Alst avenue; extending Grand avenue, from Main street to Stevens street, and widening Stevens street between Fulton avenue and Main street, Borough of Queens.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish the lines of the street system bounded by Mills st., Franklin st., the Boulevard, Fulton ave., Main st., Van Alst ave., Clark st., Hopkins ave., Taylor st., Welling st., Grand ave., Main st., and the East River, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan hearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated February 21, 1911, was adjourned until October 19, 1911.

The hearing will be held in the old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway; Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 the lines and grades of Sanford street, from Vernon avenue to the United States Pier and Bulkhead Line of the East River, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 28, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the lines and grades of Sanford street, from Vernon avenue to the United States Pier and Bulkhead Line of the East River, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated August 4, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

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 South Side boulevard, from Monument No. 37 to Rosebank avenue, Borough of Richmond, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on September 21, 1911, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines and grades of South Side boulevard, from Monument No. 37 (about 1,000 feet south of Parkinson avenue), to Rosebank avenue in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Acting Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated April 28, 1911.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Avenue Q, from Stillwell avenue to the westerly line of East 12th street, excepting the right-of-way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad; of West 7th street, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway; of West 8th street, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway; and of West 9th street, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between Avenue P and Avenue Q, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of East 12th street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East 12th street; on the south by a line midway between Avenue Q and Avenue R as these streets are laid out adjoining Stillwell avenue, and by the prolongations of the said line; and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Stillwell avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Stillwell avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the Corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Room 1406, Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of West 254th street, from Broadway to Fieldston road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Newton avenue, midway between West 253d street and West 254th street and running thence northwesterly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Sylvan avenue distant 100 feet southerly from its intersection with the southerly line of West 254th street; thence westwardly and parallel with West 254th street and the prolongation thereof, as this street is laid out where it adjoins Sylvan avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fieldston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fieldston road; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Fieldston road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West 254th street and West 256th street, as these streets are laid out between Valles avenue and Sylvan avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the westerly line of Sylvan avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Sylvan avenue, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West 254th street and West 256th street, as these streets are laid out between Newton avenue and Broadway; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Broadway to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West 253d street and West 254th street, as these streets are laid out between Newton avenue and Broadway; thence westwardly along the said line midway between West 253d street and West 254th street and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Spuyten Duyvil road, from West 230th street to West 242d street; and of Riverdale avenue, from West 230th street northwardly to its junction with Spuyten Duyvil road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the former northerly bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West 227th street and West 230th street, as these streets are laid out between Netherland avenue and Johnson avenue, and running thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Johnson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Johnson avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Johnson avenue to the intersection with the northerly line of West 232d street; thence northeastwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Oxford avenue where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West 232d street and West 234th street, as these streets are laid out between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Spuyten Duyvil road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Spuyten Duyvil road to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West 238th street, the said distance being measured at right angles to West 238th street; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West 238th street to the intersection with a line parallel with Greystone avenue and passing through a point on the northerly line of West 238th street midway between Greystone avenue and Waldo avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Greystone avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 200 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly line of West 242d street; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of West 242d street, the said point being on a line at right angles to West 242d street and passing through a point on its westerly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road and the westerly line of Broadway, as these streets are laid out adjoining West 240th street on the north; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to West 242d street to its westerly side; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue, as these streets are laid out adjoining West 240th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West 238th street; thence westwardly and parallel with West 238th street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West 232d street and West 234th street as these streets are laid out between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Corlear avenue and Kingsbridge avenue, as these streets are laid out between West 230th street and West 231st street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Corlear avenue and Kingsbridge avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the former northerly bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek; thence generally westwardly along the said former bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The

City Record for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Queens boulevard, from Vandam street to Hillside 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 lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended, hereby gives notice that the following are the proposed areas of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Local area of assessment A to bear 20 per cent. of the cost of the proceeding and to comprise the following territory:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Manly street and Mount street distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Skillman avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Skillman avenue, and running thence eastwardly along a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Skillman avenue to the intersection with a line always distant 800 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Queens boulevard; thence generally eastwardly along the said line parallel with Queens boulevard and along the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Jamaica avenue as this street is in use and commonly recognized, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jamaica avenue; thence westwardly along a line always parallel with and distant 100 feet from Jamaica avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line always distant 800 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Queens boulevard; thence generally westwardly along the said line parallel with Queens boulevard and along the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the line midway between Manly street and Mount street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Manly street and Mount street and the prolongation thereof to the point or place of beginning.

Assessment Area B to bear 30 per cent. of the cost of the proceeding, and to comprise the entire Borough of Queens.

Assessment Area C to bear 50 per cent. of the cost of the proceeding, and to comprise the entire City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway. Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Polk avenue, from Leverich avenue to Pell street; and of Pell street, from Polk avenue to Jackson 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 lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Edson street and Ferguson street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of 51st street and running thence northwardly and parallel with 51st street to the intersection with a line midway between Darvall street and Edson street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Darvall street and Edson street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between 46th street and Alburtis avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 46th street and Alburtis avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Sackett street and Polk avenue as these streets are laid out between 44th street and 45th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between 43d street and 44th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 43d street and 44th street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Polk avenue and Siboutsen street as these streets are laid out between 42d street and 43d street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Polk avenue and the northerly line of Roosevelt avenue as these streets are laid out between Leverich avenue and Hone street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between 35th street and 36th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between 35th street and 36th street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Fillmore avenue and Polk avenue as these streets are laid out between Alburtis avenue and 48th street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Dyer place and French place; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Dyer place and French place, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the westerly line of Lent street; thence eastwardly along a straight line passing through a point on the easterly line of Wilcox street midway between Pell street and Hayes avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Peartree avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Peartree avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Peartree avenue to the intersection with the line at right angles to Peartree avenue and passing through a point on its easterly side distant 100 feet northerly from the prolongation of the northerly line of Bayard place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bayard place; thence easterly along the said line at right angles to Peartree avenue to its easterly side; thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Bayard place and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverside avenue as this street is laid out where it adjoins Bayard place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverside avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Riverside avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverside avenue as this street is laid out between Jackson avenue and Berrian avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverside avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Riverside avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Jackson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jackson avenue; thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Jackson avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Rudder street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rudder street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Rudder street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 500 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Pell street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Jackson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Pell street; thence southwestwardly and always distant 500 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Pell street and the prolongotions thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Edson street and Ferguson street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Edson street and Ferguson street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406; Telephone 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Suburban street from Epsilon place to Myrtle avenue, excluding cemetery lands; of Copeland avenue from Myrtle avenue to Proctor street; and of Central avenue from Edsall avenue to Woodhaven avenue, excluding cemetery lands, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Olmstead place and Tompkins place where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of Copeland avenue and the southerly line of Central avenue as these streets are laid out between Edison place and Olmstead place, and running thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Montague avenue and Proctor street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Montague avenue and Proctor street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 800 feet northerly from the northerly line of Central avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Central avenue; thence generally eastwardly and always distant 800 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Central avenue and the prolongtion thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Manse place and Nansen place; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Manse place and Nansen place, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Selfridge street and Orville street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Selfridge street and Orville street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 800 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Central avenue as this street is laid out where it adjoins Woodhaven avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Central avenue; thence generally westwardly and always distant 800 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Central avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Copeland avenue and the northerly line of Myrtle avenue as these streets are laid out between Ridgewood place and Tesla place; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Copeland avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Copeland avenue; thence southwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly lines of Copeland avenue and of Suburban street to the intersection with a line midway between Olmstead place and Tompkins place; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Olmstead place and Tompkins place to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Luther place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Luther place; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Luther place and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Surburban street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Suburban street; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Suburban street and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Epsilon place and Lotus avenue as these streets are laid out immediately adjoining Millwood avenue; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of Suburban street and the southerly line of Myrtle avenue as these streets are laid out between Beta Place and Gamma place; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of Suburban street and the southerly line of Myrtle avenue as these streets are laid out where they immediately adjoin DeBoe place; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northwesterly line of Suburban street and the southerly line of Myrtle avenue as these streets are laid out between Lafayette street and Fosdick avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Suburban street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Suburban street; thence northeastwardly and always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly lines of Suburban street and of Copeland avenue to the inttersection with a line midway between Olmstead place and Tompkins place; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Olmstead place and Tompkins place to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for a public park bounded by Barclay street, Hoyt avenue, the bulkhead line of the East River and Ditmars 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 lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended, hereby gives notice that the following are the proposed areas of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Local area of Assessment A to bear 40 per cent. of the cost of the proceeding and to comprise the following territory:

Beginning at a point on the westerly bulkhead line of Steinway Creek where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between 4th avenue and 6th avenue, and running thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between 4th avenue and 6th avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Wolcott avenue and Winthrop avenue; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Wolcott avenue and Winthrop avenue to the intersection with a line midway between 7th avenue and 8th avenue thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between 7th avenue and 8 avenue to the intersection with a line widway between Wolcott avenue and Ditmars avenue; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Wolcott avenue and Ditmars avenue to a point midwy between 8th avenue and 9th avenue; thence southwestwardly along a line always midway between 8th avenue and 9th avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of Van Deventer avenue and the southerly line of Flushing avenue as these streets are laid out between 7th avenue and 8th avenue; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between 5th avenue and 6th avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between 5th avenue and 6th avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Van Deventer avenue and Grand avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Van Deventer avenue and Grand avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between 3d avenue and 4th avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between 3d avenue and 4th avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Grand avenue and Jamaica avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Grand avenue and Jamaica avenue to the intersection with a line midway between 1st avenue and Academy street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between 1st avenue and Academy street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Lincoln street and Camelia street, thence westwardly along the said line midway between Lincoln street and Camelia street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Ely avenue and the westerly line of Crescent street as these streets are laid out between Broadway and Camelia street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Broadway and Ridge street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Broadway and Ridge street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the bulkhead line of the East River; thence generally northeastwardly along the bulkhead lines of the East River, Berrians Creek and of Steinway Creek to the point or place of beginning.

Assessment Area B to bear 60 per cent. of the cost of the proceeding and to comprise the entire Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 227 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the Board postponed until October 19, 1911, the hearing on the proposed area of assessment in the matter of acquiring title to Woodhaven avenue (Trotting Course lane), from Queens (Hoffman) boulevard to Jamaica avenue, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on October 19, 1911, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The following is the proposed area of assessment in the proceeding:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Selfridge street and Orville street where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Fleet street and Goldington street and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between Selfridge street and Orville street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southwesterly righ-of-way line of the Rockaway Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence southeastwardly along the said right-of-way line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Ridgewood avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ridgewood avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Ridgewood avenue to a point midway between Canal avenue and Boyd avenue; thence northwardly and always midway between Canal avenue and Boyd avenue to the intersection with the northerly line of Ashland street; thence northwestwardly in a straight line to a point on the southerly line of Copeland avenue midway between Francis street and Ella street; thence northwardly along a line midway between Francis street and Ella street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Hendricks street and Corbett street; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Hendricks street and Corbett street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Flemming place and Ames place; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Flemming place and Ames place to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Gwydir street and Cornbury place; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Gwydir street and Cornbury place and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Phelps avenue and Remsen avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Phelps avenue and Remsen avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Bloomfield street and Blaine place; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Bloomfield street and Blaine place and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Howe place and Bowne place; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Howe place and Bowne place and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Seabury street and Van Horn street; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Seabury street and Van Horn street to the intersection with a line midway between Laconia street and Caldwell avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Laconia street and Caldwell avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Martense street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Martense street; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Martense street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Junction avenue and Hanover avenue as these streets are laid out south of Martense street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Junction avenue and Hanover avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Palmer street and Rodman street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Palmer street and Rodman street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hanover avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Hanover avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Jupiter avenue as this street is laid out where it adjoins Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jupiter avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Jupiter avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Booth street and Austin street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Booth street and Austin street to the intersection with a line midway between Perego place and Marion avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Perego place and Marion avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southwesterly right-of-way line of the Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence southeastwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line midway between Marion avenue and Penelope street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Marion avenue and Penelope street to the intersection with a line midway between Alderton street and Burns street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Alderton street and Burns street to the intersection with a line midway between Penelope street and Modjeska street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Penelope street and Modjeska street to the intersection with a line midway between Bourton street and Carlton street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Bourton street and Carlton street to the intersection with a line midway between Modjeska street and Mount Holyoke street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Modjeska street and Mount Holyoke street to the intersection with a line midway between Carlton street and Dartmouth street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Carlton street and Dartmouth street to the intersection with a line midway between Mount Holyoke street and Vassar street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Mount Holyoke street and Vassar street to the intersection with a line midway between Everton street and Fleet street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Everton street and Fleet street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Vassar street and Cornell street; thence southwestwardly along the said prolongation of a line midway between Vassar street and Cornell street to the intersection with a line midway between Fleet street and Goldington street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Fleet street and Goldington street and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. o5,17

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on September 21, 1911, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on May 8, 1908, initiated proceedings for acquiring title to an unnamed street to extend from the northerly terminus of Gray street to Gordon street in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, which proceeding was amended April 23, 1909, so as to include that portion of Gray street from Hudson street to an unnamed street distant about 350 feet to the north in the Second Ward, as shown upon a map approved by a resolution adopted by said Board on April 23, 1909; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering the advisability of further amending the said proceeding so as to relate to Boyd street (the unnamed street) from Gordon street to Wright street as shown upon a map or plan adopted by said Board June 29, 1911, and approved by the Mayor July 11, 1911.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Ap-

portionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Pine street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Pine street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Targee street, and running thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Pine street and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Gray street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gray street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Gray street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Boyd street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boyd street; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Boyd street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Henry street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Henry street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Henry street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Boyd street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boyd street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Boyd street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Gray street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gray street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Gray street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Hudson street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Hudson street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Hudson street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Gray street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Gray street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Gray street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line at right angles to Gordon street, and passing through a point on the easterly line of Gordon street midway between Hudson street and the unnamed street northerly therefrom; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Gordon street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Gordon street; thence northwardly and parallel with Gordon street to the intersection with a line midway between Pine street and Elm street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Pine street and Elm street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line parallel with Targee street, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Targee street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 10:30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby, to be published in The City Record for ten days prior to the 19th day of October, 1911.

Dated October 5, 1911.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone 2280 Worth. o5,17

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Brooklyn,

937. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 29th st., between Foster ave. and Avenue F, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

1800. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Gravesend ave., from Fort Hamilton ave. to 20th st., together with a list of awards for damage caused by change of grade.

1907. Paving W. 23d st., from Surf ave. to its southerly end, about 530 feet south of Surf ave.

1917. Paving 56th st., between 6th and 7th aves.

1918. Paving 14th ave., between 65th st. and Bay Ridge ave.

1932. Paving 50th st., between 8th and 10th aves.

1933. Paving Hart st., between Irving and Wyckoff aves.

1942. Paving Albemarle road, between Nostrand and Bedford aves.

1943. Paving and curbing Blake ave., between Van Sicklen ave. and Logan st.

1946. Curbing, recurbing and repaving East New York ave., from Pitkin ave. to Douglass st.

1947. Paving New York ave., between Avenue H and the southerly line of the Flatbush Water Works.

1971. Paving Dean st., between Troy and Schenectady aves.

The area of assessment of the above mentioned lists extends to one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

1904. Sewer in 8th ave. between 40th and 42d sts., and between 43d and 44th sts.

Affecting Blocks 732, 733, 919 and 920.

1865. Sewers in 17th ave., between 45th and 46th sts., between 47th and 48th sts., and between 53d and 54th sts.; outlet sewer in 45th st., between 17th ave. and West st.

Affecting Blocks 5404, 5430, 5431, 5432, 5433, 5434, 5435, 5443, 5444, 5478, 5479, 5612, 5618 and 5379.

1959. Sewer in 70th st., between 14th and 16th aves., tributary sewers both sides of New Utrecht ave., between 69th and 70th sts., and in 15th ave., between 69th and 70th sts.

Affecting Blocks 6157, 6158, 6168 and 6169.

1961. Sewer basins in Shepherd ave. at the southeast corner of Glenmore ave., at northwest and southeast corners of Belmont ave., and at the southeast corner of Sutter ave.

Affecting Blocks 4005, 4020, 4037, 4053.

1962. Sewer in Sutter ave., from Howard ave. to Grafton st.

Affecting Blocks 3511, 3512, 3533 and 3534.

1964. Sewer in Winthrop st., between Nostrand and New York aves.

Affecting blocks 4819 and 4827.

1965. Fencing vacant lots on northeast side of Wyckoff ave., between Hart st. and DeKalb ave., south side of St. Marks ave.., between Kingston and Albany aves., northwest corner of Glenmore and Schenck aves., southwest corner of Pilling st. and Evergreen ave., east side of Montauk ave., between Pitkin and Belmont aves., south side of Livonia ave., between Watkins and Osborn sts., east side of Osborn st., between Livonia and Riverdale aves., south side of Somers st., between Rockaway and Stone aves., north side of Chauncey st., between Patchen and Ralph aves.

1975. Curbing and flagging 85th st., between 13th and 15th aves.

Borough of The Bronx,

1851. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building steps, etc., on E. 171st st., from Webster ave. to Clay ave.

1855. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, etc., on Wyatt st., from Devoe or Tremont ave. to Morris Park ave.

1967. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, etc., on Faile st., from Seneca ave. to Lafayette ave.

The area of assessment of the above mentioned lists extends to one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

1760. Sewer in E. 140th st., between Park ave. and Canal place; in E. 141st st., between Park ave. and Canal place, and in Canal place, between E. 138th st. and E. 144th st.

Affecting Block 2340.

1928. Sewer and appurtenances in Walton ave., from E. 168th to E. 167th sts.

Affecting Blocks 2465, 2466 and 2480.

Borough of Richmond,

1889. Regulating, grading Curtis place, between Westervelt and Hamilton aves.

The area of assessment extends to one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, 320 Broadway, New York, on or before October 31, 1911, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, September 30, 1911. s30,o11

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, 320 Broadway, on or before October 10, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

Borough of Brooklyn,

2056 Bay Ridge ave., between 15th and New Utrecht aves.

2060 43d st., between 10th ave. and West st.

2062 Junius st., between Belmont and Blake aves.

2069 West 5th st., from Surf ave. to a point 840 feet southerly.

2071 Willoughby ave., from Wyckoff ave. to St. Nicholas ave.

Borough of Richmond,

2048 new street (extension of Castleton ave.), between Columbia st. and Jewett ave. and bridge across Palmer's Run.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, September 29, 1911. s29,o10

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, HALL OF RECORDS, SEPTEMBER 22, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 455 of the Laws of 1911, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond," comprising The City of New York, will be open for public inspection, examination and correction, as follows:

The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real Property will be open from the first day of October, not a Sunday or legal holiday, until the sixteenth day of November, 1911; and The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Personal Estate will be open from the first day in October, not a Sunday or legal holiday, until the first day of December, 1911.

During the time that the books are open for public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Hall of Records, 31 Chambers street.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, Tremont avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Court House square, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.

Applications for the reduction of real estate assessments must be made in writing and should be upon blanks furnished by the Department.

Applications for the correction of the personal assessment of corporations must be filed at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the Borough where such person resides, and in case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

LAWSON PURDY, President; CHAS. J. McCORMACK, JOHN J. HALLERAN, CHAS. T. WHITE, DANIEL S. McELROY, EDWARD KAUFMANN, JUDSON G. WALL, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments. s23,d1

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

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

Dated New York City, July 26, 1911.

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

LAMONT MCLAUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AS REQUIRED, FIFTEEN HUNDRED BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK.

Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is within one year.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated October 2, 1911. o2,16

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AND APPARATUS TO THE WILLARD PARKER, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1911.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated October 2, 1911. o2,16

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER 55TH ST. AND 6TH AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1911,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO INSTALL AND COMPLETE FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS THROUGHOUT THE PREMISES OF THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, KINGSTON AVE. AND FENIMORE ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THROUGHOUT THE PREMISES OF THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) consecutive working days.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on classes A and B.

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

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

Dated October 2, 1911. o2,16

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SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, at its junction with Fifth avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 2d day of October, 1911, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 2d day of October, 1911, J. Metcalf Thomas, Rastus S. Ransom and George E. Weller were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding and that in and by the said order J. Metcalf Thomas was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said J. Metcalf Thomas, Rastus S. Ransom and George E. Weller will attend at a Special Term, Part II, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of October, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, and any other person having an interest in said proceeding as to their qualification to act as such Commissioners in the above entitled proceeding.

Dated New York, October 4, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. o4,16

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening of the PUBLIC PARK, located on the easterly side of Boulevard Lafayette, distant about 1,300 feet north of West 181st street; and the PUBLIC PARK, located easterly of the northerly end of the Parcel before described, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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 9th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 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 New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 3, 1911.

CHARLES W. DAYTON, JR., SAMUEL SANDERS, Commissioners.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. o3,7

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NORTH WASHINGTON PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Willow street to Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 13th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 5, 1911.

LEONARD RUOFF, JOHN W. DAYTON, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN W. DAYTON, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. o5,10

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of PEARSALL STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from The Long Island Railroad to Hunters Point avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a 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 10th day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 2, 1911.

EDWARD T. ALLEN, ANDREW J. McTIGUE, PATRICK J. WHITE, Commissioners.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. o2,6

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, so as to make it relate to EIGHTEENTH AVENUE, from Jackson avenue to Berrian avenue.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of October, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for an order amending the proceeding entitled "In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of 18th avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York," so as to make it relate to 18th avenue, from Jackson avenue to Berrian avenue.

Eighteenth avenue, extending from Jackson avenue to Berrian avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as shown upon the Commissioners' Map of Long Island City, filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 25th day of April, 1873, and amendments thereto adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 20th day of April, 1911, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of June, 1911, and in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens on the 12th day of June, 1911, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the same day.

Eighteenth avenue, extending from Jackson avenue to Berrian avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, is bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Jackson avenue with the easterly line of 18th avenue.

Running thence westerly for 63.54 feet along the northerly line of Jackson avenue to the westerly line of 18th avenue.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 109 degrees 13 minutes 15 seconds for 1,927.40 feet along the westerly line of 18th avenue to the southerly line of Jamaica avenue.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 89 degrees 46 minutes 40 seconds for 60 feet along the southerly line of Jamaica avenue to the easterly line of 18th avenue.

Thence southerly for 1,906.72 feet along the easterly line of 18th avenue to the northerly line of Jackson avenue, the point or place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Jamaica avenue with the easterly line of 18th avenue.

Running thence westerly for 60 feet along the northerly line of Jamaica avenue to the westerly line of 18th avenue.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 3,885.66 feet along the westerly line of 18th avenue to the southerly line of Flushing avenue.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 8 degrees 41 minutes 29 seconds for 90.90 feet along the westerly line of 18th avenue to the northerly line of Flushing avenue.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 2 degrees 41 minutes 31 seconds for 4,502.53 feet along the westerly line of 18th avenue to the northerly line of Berrian avenue.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 70.00 feet along the northerly line of Berrian avenue to the easterly line of 18th avenue.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 90 degrees for 4,460.43 feet along the easterly line of 18th avenue to the northerly line of Flushing avenue.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 6 degrees 21 minutes 10 seconds for 100.68 feet along the easterly line of 18th avenue to the southerly line of Flushing avenue.

Thence southerly for 3,907.07 feet along the easterly line of 18th avenue to the northerly line of Jamaica avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 29, 1911.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Corner of Chambers and Centre Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. s29,o10

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MONTGOMERY STREET, from Franklin avenue to the former City line west of Bedford avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 11 o'clock, a m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 16th day of October, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 3d day of December, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on a line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Franklin avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Franklin avenue and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street to the intersection with the westerly line of Bedford avenue; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Bedford avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Montgomery street and Sullivan street, as these streets are laid out between Franklin avenue and Bedford avenue; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the easterly line of Franklin avenue; thence westwardly at right angles to Franklin avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Franklin avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Franklin avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 25th day of October, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, September 26, 1911.

JOHN E. EASTMOND, Chairman; HARRY H. DALE, AARON POTRUCH, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN E. EASTMOND, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. s26,o13

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PRESIDENT STREET, from Rogers avenue to New York avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 19th day of October, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 20th day of October, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 2d day of July, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between President street and Union street; on the east by the westerly line of New York avenue; on the south by a line midway between President street and Carroll street; and on the west by the easterly line of Rogers avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 25th day of October, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, September 26, 1911.

HORATIO C. KING, Chairman; HARRY L. LEGGATT, CHARLES S. SIMPKINS, Commissioners of Estimate; CHARLES S. SIMPKINS, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. s26,o13

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RADDE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Payntar avenue to Ridge street in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 16th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of October, 1911, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 17th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of February, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Radde street and Academy street, distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Ridge street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ridge street, and running thence southwestwardly along the said line and always midway between Radde street and Academy street and the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Payntar avenue; thence northwestwardly and parallel with Payntar avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Radde street and Prospect street, as laid out between Beebe avenue and Wilbur avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Radde street and Prospect street to the intersection with a line which is the bisector of the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Prospect street and Radde street, as laid out northeast of Beebe avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the centre line of Webster avenue; thence northwestwardly along the centre line of Webster avenue to the intersection with a line which is the bisector of the angle formed by the intersection of prolongations of the northwesterly line of Radde street and the southeasterly line of the Crescent, as laid out between Ridge street and Webster avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Ridge street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ridge street; thence southeastwardly and parallel with Ridge street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 16th day of October, 1911.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of December, 1911, 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 Lawws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, September 20, 1911.

GEORGE A. GREGG, Chairman; CHAS. H. GEORGI, WM. W. KENERSON, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE A. GREGG, Commissioner or Assessment.

JOSEPH J. MYERS, Clerk. s23,o10

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of $50, the sum of $50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beamholes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resoved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioner of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department, and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a Department, chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.