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## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

### Notice of Public Hearings on Standard Specifications for Personal Service.

The second of a series of special meetings of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to consider the Final Report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades on the STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR PERSONAL SERVICE for The City of New York will be held in the Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1916, at 10.30 a. m.

Informal meetings on the original draft of the specifications have been held by the Bureau of Standards. These meetings were attended by representatives of almost all groups of City employees and by representatives of civic organizations. The specifications as modified after these conferences have been the basis of current reports on personal service to the Budget Committee and Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board of Estimate during the years 1915 and 1916. The decisions of the Board of Estimate, suggestions made by heads of departments and employees, and changes in wage and trade conditions have brought about a number of amendments in the original specifications which have recently been republished in a single volume for final consideration.

The Committee on Salaries and Grades suggests that, so far as possible, criticisms and suggestions for amendments to the plan be filed with the Secretary for consideration by the Board.

Copies of the specifications are available for consultation in the Municipal Reference Library, Room 512, Municipal Building.  
Dated September 13, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

### Budget Hearings on Departmental Estimates for Year 1917 Before the Sub-Committee of the Committee on Tax Budget of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

CALENDAR FOR PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 15, 1916.

#### COMMITTEE ROOM, CITY HALL.

Thursday, September 14, 1916, 9.30 A. M.  
Commissioner of Records, New York County.  
Commissioner of Records, Kings County.  
Commissioner of Records, Surrogates' Court, New York County.  
Supreme Court Library, Brooklyn.  
Supreme Court Library, Queens.

Friday, September 15, 1916, 9.30 A. M.  
Board of Coroners, Manhattan.  
Board of Coroners, The Bronx.  
Board of Coroners, Brooklyn.  
Board of Coroners, Queens.  
Board of Coroners, Richmond.  
Staten Island Association of Arts and Sciences.  
SAMUEL C. HYER, Clerk to Sub-Committee.

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.  
Calendar for the Week Commencing September 11, 1916.  
Thursday, Sept. 14, 1916—2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1715—Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company—"Application for approval of refunding mortgage and issue of \$560,000 Series "B" bonds and \$2,240,000 Series "C" bonds"—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2120—Electrical Corporations—"Rate for service to receiver or trustee of insolvent"—Commissioner Hayward.  
Regular Meeting of the Commission will be held on Thursdays at 11 a. m.  
Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Wednesdays at 10.30 a. m.

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, September 12th, 1916, 1.30 o'Clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, pursuant to call of the Chair, in accordance with resolution adopted July 7, 1916.

#### Present:

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

#### Aldermen

Alexander Bassett.	Thomas M. Farley.	Robert L. Moran.
Francis P. Bent.	James R. Ferguson.	Frank Mullen.
William H. Burns.	August Ferrand.	John J. O'Rourke.
Samuel J. Burden.	Samson Friedlander.	Charles A. Post.
James J. Browne.	John S. Gaynor.	William F. Quinn.
Lauren Carroll.	Edward V. Gilmore.	Harry Robitzek.
Louis F. Cardani.	George G. Goetz.	John J. Ryan.
Edward Cassidy.	Isaac Gutman.	Frank J. Schmitz.
Charles P. Cole.	Joseph M. Hannon.	Peter Schweickert.
William T. Collins.	Charles H. Haubert.	Michael J. Shields.
William W. Colne.	Harry Heyman.	Emanuel I. Silberstein.
Edward W. Cox.	George Hilkemeier.	Fred Smith.
S. Clinton Crane.	Michael J. Hogan.	Arnon L. Squiers.
Frank A. Cunningham.	William P. Kenneally.	Patrick H. Sullivan.
Edward W. Curley.	Francis P. Kenney.	Michael Stapleton.
Henry H. Curran.	John McCann.	Frederick H. Stevenson.
William J. Daly.	John F. McCourt.	Moritz Tolk.
Charles Delaney.	William P. McGarry.	Frederick Trau.
John Diemer.	Charles J. McGillick.	William K. Walsh.
Bernard E. Donnelly.	John McKee.	Thomas A. Williams.
Frank Dostal, Jr.	Charles A. McManus.	John Wirth.
Alexander S. Drescher.	Thomas W. Martin.	Augustus M. Wise.
John T. Eagan.	Charles J. Moore.	

Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond.  
Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works.  
Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works.  
Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan.  
The President announced that Alderman Palitz was excused from attendance. The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the Stated Meeting of July 7th, 1916. On motion of Alderman Silberstein, further reading was dispensed with, and the Minutes were approved as printed.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR.

No. 576.

### Disapproval by His Honor the Mayor of an Ordinance to Amend Section 3, Chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Bathing in Public.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, August 8, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:  
Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed Ordinance, Introductory No. 576, entitled: "Ordinance to amend section 3, chapter 27 of the Code, relating to bathing in public."

This ordinance would prohibit any one from riding or walking on any highway or street in a bathing suit, unless some outer garment was also worn. If bathing suits do not properly cover the persons that wear them, sections of the Penal Law are available for the prosecution of offenders. To require an outside wrap or bathrobe would mean that everyone going to the beaches from their residence would be required to check such article before entering the water. It appears to me that such an ordinance not only would require an unnecessary checking expense, would fail to prohibit the wearing of immodest suits, but would tend to establish a monopoly in the bathing house establishments on the beach. Respectfully yours,

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on May 23, 1916 (Minutes, page 744), the annexed ordinance to amend section 3 of chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to bathing in public, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That this matter was considered at a public hearing held in the Aldermanic Chamber, Friday, June 2nd, 1916, at which appeared Aldermen Ryan and Drescher, ex-Aldermen Schloss and Potter, and the Reverend J. F. Kutzmeyer, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Coney Island. They unanimously endorsed the proposed ordinance, citing the vulgar and indecent exhibitions which are daily occurrences at sea shore resorts, particularly at Coney Island. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 3 of chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to bathing in public.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:  
Section 1. §3 of chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

§3. Bathing in public; floating baths. No person shall swim or bathe in any of the waters within the jurisdiction of the city, except in public or private bathing houses, unless covered with a bathing suit so as to prevent any indecent exposure of the person; nor shall any person dress or undress in any place exposed to view; nor shall any person when so dressed in such bathing suit, walk, ride or otherwise appear in or upon any public or private highway, street, alley, or thoroughfare, except upon the beach or ground immediately abutting upon the place of bathing, unless the body of the person wearing such bathing suit shall be fully covered by some other proper outer garment. The president of the borough, in which the same are situated, is authorized to perfect and promulgate all suitable rules and regulations governing the use of the free floating baths of the city, and breaches of said rules and regulations shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$5 for each offense, or by imprisonment not exceeding 1 day.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

LOUIS WENDEL, JR., HARRY ROBITZEK, JAMES R. FERGUSON, FRANK T. DIXSON, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, JOHN T. EAGAN, JOSEPH M. HANNON, WILLIAM T. COLLINS; Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over, ordered printed in the Minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

No. 622.

### Disapproval by His Honor the Mayor of an Ordinance to Amend Article 2, Section 1 of the Code of Ordinances, in Relation to the Cutting of Stone, Etc., for Municipal Work.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, August 8, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:  
Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed Ordinance, Introductory No. 622, entitled: "Ordinance to amend article 2, section 1 of the Code in relation to the cutting of stone, etc., for municipal work."

This proposed ordinance would require the cutting or dressing of stone used in municipal work to be done by labor within the city limits, except paving blocks and crushed stone. The ordinance would further require that such a provision for local labor be incorporated in all contracts for stone work.

It has been brought to my attention that such ordinance would violate the interstate commerce clause of the United States Constitution.

I held a public hearing on this ordinance and the matter was frankly discussed by those in favor and those in opposition to the amendment. It was admitted that



the purpose of this ordinance was to aid stone cutters, residents in The City of New York, by prohibiting the use on Municipal work of any stone dressed in the New England States. It was also stated that in the Maine quarries, stone cutters received \$3.75 per day, and for the same work in The City of New York \$5 per day. Estimates of an increased cost of public buildings were given me, and, taking such a structure as the new Municipal Building as an example, those advocating the amendment estimated a ten per cent. increase in cost and those opposing stated that at least fifty per cent. would have to be added to the expense.

Taking up the objection based on the prohibition against the use of stone dressed in the New England States, I am constrained to follow the decision of the Court of Appeals in *People vs. Hawkins*, 157 N. Y., 1, where this Court held a statute unconstitutional, under the interstate commerce clause, that prohibited the introduction into this state of goods made in an Ohio Prison unless the same were stamped as prison made goods.

On this particular point the Court, at page 16, said:

"This statute manifestly discriminates against the sale of goods made in a prison in the State of Ohio by a certain class of workmen, and in favor of the same articles when made outside a penal institution and by free labor. In some of the states labor is much cheaper than in others. But the state where labor commands the highest price cannot make discriminating regulations for the sale of the goods made in the state where it is cheapest in order to favor the interests of its own workmen. One state may have natural advantages for the production of certain goods by reason of location, climate or the rate of wages over another state where it costs more to produce them, but the latter cannot by hostile legislation drive the cheaper made goods of the former out of its markets, even though such legislation would increase the wages of its own workmen. Trade and commerce between the states must be left free. The Constitution intended that it should be affected only by natural laws and the ordinary burdens of government imposed through the exercise of the taxing power equally on all property."

The Court of Appeals again had this question presented in *People ex rel. Treat vs. Coler*, 166 N. Y., 144. This case was almost similar to the one now before me. A statute had been passed that prohibited the use of any stone on state or municipal work unless the same were dressed within the limits of the State of New York. Holding such a statute unconstitutional because of the interstate commerce clause in the Constitution of the United States, the Court, at page 150, said:

"We think that this statute is void, not only for the reasons stated in our decision in the case cited, but for the further reason that it is in conflict with the commerce clause of the Federal Constitution. It is a regulation of commerce between the states which the legislature had no power to make. The citizens of other states have the right to resort to the markets of this state for the sale of their products, whether it be cut stone or any other article which is the subject of commerce. The citizens of this state have the right to enter the markets of every other state to sell their products, or to buy whatever they need, and all interference with the freedom of interstate commerce by state legislation is void. Under the Constitution of the United States, business or commercial transactions cannot be hampered or circumscribed by state boundary lines, and that is the effect of the statute in question."

Because of these decisions, it is my duty to return this proposed ordinance disapproved. Respectfully yours, JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 6, 1916 (Minutes, page 828), the annexed ordinance to amend article 2 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to miscellaneous regulations, by adding thereto a new section to be known as "§12. Cutting of stone, etc., for Municipal work," respectfully

#### REPORTS:

There was no opposition to this ordinance and its adoption was very strongly urged by representatives of the Central Federated Union, the Granite Cutters' Union and of the Flaggers' and Curb Setters' Union of The City of New York. It was urged that any legislation which would result in enlarging the local field of employment for stone cutters should receive favorable consideration. The committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE to amend article 2 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to miscellaneous regulations, by adding thereto a new section.

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

Section 1, article 2 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to miscellaneous regulations, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

§12. Cutting of stone, etc., for municipal work.

The cutting, carving, polishing, sawing or dressing of all stone, excepting paving blocks and crushed stone, to be used in municipal work, whether on buildings or other public work, shall be done by labor performed within the limits of the city. The foregoing provision shall apply whether such work be performed by the municipality or others, shall be contained in all advertised plans and specifications for such municipal work, and shall also be contained in all final contracts entered into.

Sec. 2. The table of section headings of article 2 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

- Section 2. City Seal.
3. Official city flag.
4. Mayor's flag.
5. Flags and decorations on city hall.
6. Publication of general ordinances.
7. Designation of acting head of a department.
8. Office hours.
9. Meetings of boards.
10. Municipal reference library to have reports, etc.
11. Sales of waste material.
12. Cutting of stone, etc., for municipal work.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

HARRY ROBITZEK, CHARLES H. HAUBERT, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, JOHN T. EAGAN, JOSEPH M. HANNON, Committee on General Welfare.

The Granite Cutters' International Association of America, Headquarters, Quincy, Mass., Branch, New York, June 17, 1916.

Dear Sirs—At our meeting held on Friday, June 16, 1916, New York Branch of the Granite Cutters' International Association of America indorses the ordinance presented to the Board of Aldermen by Alderman James Delaney on June 6, 1916, to have the cutting and dressing of all granite used in Municipal work cut in the boundaries of the City, I am, Fraternally yours, JAMES B. DONOHUE.

Which was laid over, ordered printed in the Minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

No. 638.

Disapproval by His Honor the Mayor of an Ordinance Providing for the Transfer of the Provisions of Section 149 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Stands Within Stoop-lines and Under Elevated Railroad Stations, to Chapter 14 Thereof.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, August 8, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed Ordinance No. 638, entitled: "Ordinance to transfer provisions of section 149 of chapter 23 of the Code relating to stands, to chapter 14."

This proposed ordinance would nullify Ordinance No. 577, which I signed on July 13, 1916. It will, therefore, be necessary to re-pass the transferring ordinance with the sections amended. Respectfully,

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 6, 1916 (Minutes, page 836), the annexed resolution providing for the transfer of the divisions of section 149 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to stands within stoop lines and under the elevated railroad stations, to chapter 14 thereof, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be desirable, as it concludes these divisions properly belong under chapter 14. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the transfer of the provisions of §149 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to stands within stoop-lines and under elevated railroad stations, to chapter 14 thereof.

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

Section 1. The provisions of §149 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances are

hereby transferred to chapter 14 thereof, to constitute a new article therein, to be numbered article 17 and to read as follows:

#### Article 17.

Stands within stoop-lines and under elevated stations.

Section 200. Stands within stoop-lines and under elevated stations.

§200. Stands within stoop-lines and under elevated stations.

1. *General provisions.* No persons shall have or use any boothblack stand outside of any building, and there shall be no booth or stand erected or maintained within the stoop lines of any building, or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations, without first procuring a license therefor, as hereinafter provided. (C. O., §361.)

2. *Licenses.* Stands within stoop lines may be permitted and licensed, with the consent of the owner of the abutting premises, for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruits and soda water and the blacking of boots. All licenses for such stands shall be granted and issued by the commissioner of licenses for a term of 1 year from the date thereof, unless sooner suspended or revoked by the commissioner. Any person desiring to erect a stand or booth for the sale of newspapers and periodicals, underneath the stairs of any [of the] elevated railroad station, shall file an application in the department of licenses, in which the applicant shall specify the location for such stand. (C. O., §362.)

3. *Conditions.* Every license granted pursuant to this section for a stand under the stairs of an elevated railway station shall contain the following reservation: "It is expressly agreed and understood that this permit is given subject to the right of the elevated railway company affected, its agents, employees, successors or assigns, of the owner of said stairway, at any time properly to inspect, paint, repair, renew, reconstruct or remove said stairway, or any portion thereof, and without claim on the part of said licensee, as against said company, its agents, employees, successors or assigns, or the owner of said stairway, for damages to or interference with said booth or stand, or the business therein conducted, occasioned by such inspection, painting, repair, renewal, reconstruction or removal." (C. O., §366.)

4. *License fees.* The annual license fee for a stand under the stairs of an elevated railway station shall be \$10. All stands within the stoop-line shall be classified, and the annual license fee therefor shall be fixed and collected as specified in the schedule following:

- a. Stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, \$5;
- b. Stands for the sale of fruits, or soda water or both, \$10;
- c. Stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, and also fruits or soda water or both, \$15;
- d. Boothblack stands, each chair, \$5.

No license fee shall be required for stands within stoop lines for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, in cases when such stands are conducted by dealers who are the owners or occupants of the premises or stores in front of which the same are situated. Licenses for stands within stoop lines or under the stairs of any elevated railway station shall be issued as of December 1, and shall expire on the 30th day of November next succeeding the date of issuance thereof.

All stand licenses now in force, which shall not sooner expire, shall expire on the 30th day of November next succeeding the date on which this ordinance takes effect. All licenses now in force, the terms of which would otherwise bring their expiration to a period beyond the 30th day of November next succeeding the date this ordinance takes effect, may be renewed by the licensees for another term if presented on or before the said November 30th, and for each full calendar month of the unexpired term of the old license a pro rata amount of the fee paid therefor shall be applied toward the payment of the new fee. All stands licensed between the time this ordinance becomes effective and the following November 30th shall be charged the full fee mentioned above, but may be renewed if presented on or before such November 30th at the pro rata rates heretofore prescribed in this paragraph. (C. O., §§263, 264; ord. effective March 14, 1914. Amended by ord. effective July 16, 1915.)

5. *Construction of stand or booth.* No stand or booth under the stairs of an elevated railway station, and no projection therefrom, shall be erected that is wider than the width of the stairs under which it is placed, nor that extends along the sidewalk a greater distance than to a point where the under surface of the stairs is not over 7 feet from the level of the sidewalk. The stand shall be constructed, erected and maintained at the expense of the applicant, under the direction of the president of the borough in which it is located, and upon plans to be approved by the chief engineer of the elevated railroad company affected, so as to permit of a ready removal of so much thereof as may be necessary to enable the said company, its agents or employees, to get convenient access to any part of the stairways, for the purpose of inspecting, painting or repairing the same. Each such stand shall be painted the same color as the stairs of the elevated railroad, and no advertisement shall be painted or displayed thereon. (C. O., §365.)

6. *Restrictions.* a. Every stand, other than a stand or booth under the stairs of an elevated railway station, must be strictly within the stoop line, and shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public. It shall not exceed the space of 10 feet long by 4 feet wide; except that, in the case of boothblack stands, a space not more than 3 feet wide and 4 feet long may be occupied by each chair of the stand. The enforcement of the provisions of this paragraph is hereby suspended until October 1, 1915, in the case of stands erected and maintained prior to March 14, 1914, where the restriction of the dimensions of the stands would, in the opinion of the commissioner, entail a severe burden on the owners thereof, but this provision shall not be construed to permit the erection of any new stand of dimensions exceeding those hereinbefore specified; (C. O., §364; amended by ord. effective January 26, 1915.)

b. No person shall be permitted to sleep in any portion of a stand; nor to hold more than one license; (C. O., §364.)

c. No boothblack stand shall be provided with more than 3 chairs. (C. O., §364.)

7. *Licenses to be displayed.* The license for a stand or booth, issued under any provision of this section, must be displayed thereon, so as to be easily visible at all times. (C. O., §368.)

8. *Licenses not transferable.* No license issued under any provision of this section shall be transferable, with or without consideration. Any license transferred to another person shall immediately thereupon cease and determine, and the privileges thereunder come to an end; provided that the commissioner of licenses may transfer a license to another location for the period of its unexpired term, in case the application for such transfer shall be accompanied by the consent of the owner of the premises to which the proposed transfer is to be made. Any person who shall be guilty of a violation of the provisions of this subdivision shall not thereafter be granted a license, permit or other privilege to keep a stand within the stoop lines, or under an elevated railroad station, for the sale of newspapers, or periodicals, or both; of fruits or soda water, or both; or of any of the foregoing items, nor for the blacking of boots. Further, any person found guilty of violating any provisions of this subdivision, by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500. The commissioner of licenses shall have the language of this subdivision printed in bold type on all applications for licenses and on all licenses granted, under the provisions of this article. (C. O., §372a; amended by ord. effective Dec. 28, 1915.)

9. *Revocation of consent of property owner.* Upon the written revocation by the owner, in front of or adjoining whose property any such booth or stand shall have been erected, of any consent that shall have been given therefor, signed by such owner or owners and filed in the office of the commissioner of licenses, the commissioner shall revoke the license or permit for such booth or stand, and the same shall thereupon cease, determine and become null and void. (C. O., §372.)

10. *Report to police department.* The commissioner of licenses shall furnish the police commissioner with a list of all unexpired licenses issued under any provision of this section, containing the names of all persons to whom licenses have been issued, the place and business for which issued and the date of the expiration of each license. Thereafter, during the first week of each month, the police commissioner shall send to each police precinct commander a list of all such licenses issued in his precinct, which shall contain the name of each licensee, the location of his stand or business and the date of the expiration of his license, and also a list of all licenses expiring during the month for which the report is sent. (C. O., §371.)

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

LOUIS WENDEL, JR., HARRY ROBITZEK, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, JOHN T. EAGAN, JAMES R. FERGUSON, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JOSEPH M. HANNON, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over, ordered printed in the Minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.



No. 694.

**Disapproval by His Honor the Mayor of Resolution in Relation to Materials and Supplies Used in the Construction of Public Buildings in The City of New York.**

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, August 8, 1916.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

Gentlemen—I return herewith disapproved proposed resolution No. 694, in relation to materials and supplies used in the construction of public buildings in the City of New York.

This proposed ordinance is to the effect that in the opinion of the Board of Aldermen, heads of city departments and borough presidents should give a preference for materials and supplies that are manufactured in the State of New York.

It is my duty to return this resolution disapproved, because of the reasons set forth in the message accompanying Ordinance No. 622. I feel warranted in stating that in so far as the law permits, all possible aid is now given to State manufacturers. To carry out the purpose of this resolution it would be necessary to insert clauses in contracts which, I fear, would be unconstitutional. Respectfully yours,

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 20, 1916 (Minutes, page 1232), the annexed preamble and resolution relative to materials and supplies to be used in connection with the construction of public buildings, preference to be given by productions manufactured in the State, respectfully

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The purpose of this resolution is salutary and in accord with home rule principles. The effect of the ordinance is merely to put the board upon record in favor of the purchase of materials and supplies manufactured in the State of New York, always keeping in view the best interests of the City of New York. The committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Whereas, Manufacturers of materials and supplies required for the construction of buildings and who manufacture the aforesaid material in the State of New York, when submitting bids for contracts to supply materials or supplies for the construction of all public buildings erected in the City of New York, under the supervision of the heads of borough departments and bureaus, desire a fair and equitable opportunity to obtain such contracts; and

Whereas, The prevailing rate of wages paid to employees by manufacturers of materials and supplies for the construction of buildings in the State of New York is higher than the rate of wages paid by manufacturers of similar materials and supplies outside of the State of New York, an unfair inequitable advantage is created between bidders on such contracts; and

Whereas, All contractors are entitled to an equal opportunity in their efforts to secure contracts to supply materials and supplies required in the construction of public buildings erected in the City of New York and to encourage the home industries in the State of New York; it is therefore

Resolved, That it is the opinion of the Board of Aldermen that in making contracts for materials and supplies to be used in the construction of public buildings in the City of New York, or any department thereof, the heads of boroughs and bureaus should give the preference, wherever possible, to such materials and supplies as are manufactured in the State of New York, provided said preference may be in the best interest of the City of New York and shall meet with the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

HARRY ROBITZEK, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JAMES R. FERGUSON, JOHN. T. EAGAN, JOSEPH M. HANNON, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over, ordered printed in the Minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.**

No. 776.

**Resignation of Earl A. Smith as Commissioner of Deeds.**

Earl A. Smith, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, 206 Broadway, New York, August 26th, 1916.

*Board of Aldermen, New York City:*

Dear Sirs—I hereby tender my resignation as a Commissioner of Deeds of the City of New York, the same to take effect immediately. Respectfully yours,

EARL A. SMITH, Commissioner of Deeds for the City of New York, residing in New York County. New York County Clerk's No. 1112; New York County Register's No. 17002. Kings County Register's No. 7000. Bronx County Clerk's No. 216; Bronx County Register's No. 7001. My commission expires January 12, 1917.

Which was accepted.

No. 777.

**Resignation of Abner Greenberg as Commissioner of Deeds.**

Abner Greenberg, Counsellor at Law, August 23, 1916.

*City Clerk of the City of New York:*

Dear Sir—I hereby resign the office of Commissioner of Deeds of the City of New York, and I sincerely request that you file the same.

This resignation is to take effect at once. Yours truly,

ABNER GREENBERG.

Which was accepted.

No. 778.

**Petition of William H. Hale for Change of Name of Sterling Place, Borough of Brooklyn.***To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:*

This petition respectfully requests that the name of Sterling place, Brooklyn, be changed to Stirling place, spelling it with the letter "i" instead of "e" in the first syllable, for the following reason:

It was named in honor of General Alexander, Lord Stirling, who commanded the Maryland regiment, which was almost entirely massacred at the battle of Gowanus, commonly called the Battle of Long Island, on August 27th, 1776.

The time seems opportune for this correction, and the undersigned takes this initiative in proposing it for the following reason, viz.:

The paramount importance of this battle in which Great Britain employed the largest force, both naval and military, ever gathered against this country, has never till very recently been recognized by any memorial celebrations held on that anniversary.

The first attempt to recognize this day was made by me on Aug. 27th, 1913, when I recited in the theatre at corner of 5th Ave. and 4th St., Brooklyn, near where the Maryland soldiers were slain, my poem entitled "The Trilogy of Gowanus," a copy of which is published in the Kings County Historical Society. I hereto append.

The first elaborate celebration was held this year in Prospect Park, under the direction of the president of that society, and many historic sites were marked with suitable inscriptions.

I am also especially interested herein for the reason that my great grandfather, Gideon Deming 3d, who was engaged in that battle as a member of a Connecticut regiment, and "narrowly escaped capture," as the record says, died at my home in Albany, after having survived so long that I knew him personally.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. HALE.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 779.

**The Fifth Avenue Association—Tabulations of Count of Pedestrians on Transverse Roads at 65th, 79th and 97th Streets, in Connection with Petition to Have Roadways Widened.**

The Fifth Avenue Association, July 21, 1916.

*Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:*

Gentlemen—In connection with the resolution passed by the Executive Committee of The Fifth Avenue Association and transmitted to you by our Secretary, Mr. Hoppin, I enclose for your perusal, tabulations of the count of pedestrians on the transverse roads at 65th, 79th and 97th Streets, as taken on July 18th, in connection with our petition to have the roadway on these transverse roads widened by the removal of the sidewalk.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT GRIER COOKE, President.

Count of Pedestrians on the Transverse Road Through Central Park at Fifth Avenue and 65th Street, Taken on July 18, 1916, by The Fifth Avenue Association.

Hour.	North Sidewalk.		South Sidewalk.	
	Eastbound.	Westbound.	Eastbound.	Westbound.
6 to 7 a. m.	11	14	19	17

Hour.	North Sidewalk.		South Sidewalk.	
	Eastbound.	Westbound.	Eastbound.	Westbound.
7 to 8 a. m.	14	13	24	18
8 to 9 a. m.	17	9	17	12
9 to 10 a. m.	8	6	9	4
10 to 11 a. m.	11	8	7	5
11 to 12 a. m.	7	3	3	7
12 to 1 p. m.	5	6	5	9
1 to 2 p. m.	4	2	7	6
2 to 3 p. m.	7	9	9	8
3 to 4 p. m.	12	14	11	13
4 to 5 p. m.	9	7	7	5
5 to 6 p. m.	8	12	4	9
6 to 7 p. m.	12	14	17	15
7 to 8 p. m.	10	9	9	3
8 to 9 p. m.	9	7	4	2
9 to 10 p. m.	6	3	7	4
Total	150	136	159	137

Total of pedestrians on both sidewalks in both directions during 16 hours, 582.  
Count of Pedestrians on the Transverse Road Through Central Park at Fifth Avenue and 79th Street, Taken on July 18, 1916, by The Fifth Avenue Association.

Hour.	North Sidewalk.		South Sidewalk.	
	Eastbound.	Westbound.	Eastbound.	Westbound.
6 to 7 a. m.	14	12	11	18
7 to 8 a. m.	18	19	17	21
8 to 9 a. m.	17	12	14	13
9 to 10 a. m.	12	9	9	11
10 to 11 a. m.	8	3	8	4
11 to 12 a. m.	3	7	3	5
12 to 1 p. m.	5	4	4	2
1 to 2 p. m.	2	9	3	6
2 to 3 p. m.	4	5	5	3
3 to 4 p. m.	11	4	9	11
4 to 5 p. m.	9	7	8	7
5 to 6 p. m.	8	9	6	5
6 to 7 p. m.	14	12	10	14
7 to 8 p. m.	12	17	12	8
8 to 9 p. m.	5	3	6	4
9 to 10 p. m.	2	4	3	2
Total	144	136	128	134

Total of pedestrians on both sidewalks in both directions during 16 hours, 582.  
Count of Pedestrians on the Transverse Road Through Central Park at Fifth Avenue and 97th Street, Taken on July 18, 1916, by The Fifth Avenue Association.

Hour.	North Sidewalk.		South Sidewalk.	
	Eastbound.	Westbound.	Eastbound.	Westbound.
6 to 7 a. m.	9	8	12	14
7 to 8 a. m.	5	7	11	17
8 to 9 a. m.	3	5	8	7
9 to 10 a. m.	2	4	7	6
10 to 11 a. m.	5	3	5	8
11 to 12 a. m.	3	2	4	6
12 to 1 p. m.	10	14	8	2
1 to 2 p. m.	9	8	6	3
2 to 3 p. m.	6	7	4	7
3 to 4 p. m.	7	5	5	9
4 to 5 p. m.	4	3	4	3
5 to 6 p. m.	2	4	8	11
6 to 7 p. m.	14	12	14	12
7 to 8 p. m.	9	4	9	7
8 to 9 p. m.	4	3	5	3
9 to 10 p. m.	5	2	4	2
Total	97	91	114	117

Total of pedestrians on both sidewalks in both directions during 16 hours, 419.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 780.

**Resignation of Patrick J. McMahon as Commissioner of Deeds.**

Patrick J. McMahon, Attorney and Counselor at Law, 2 Rector Street, New York, N. Y., July 28, 1916.

*Mr. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, Municipal Building, New York City:*

Dear Sir—I hereby tend you my resignation as Commissioner of Deeds, New York City. Said resignation to take effect immediately. Very truly yours,

PATRICK J. MCMAHON.

Which was accepted.

No. 781.

**Resignation of Henri Schwob as Commissioner of Deeds.**

Henri Schwob, Counselor at Law, 60 Wall Street, New York, August 12, 1916.

*Hon. J. P. SCULLY, City Clerk of the City of New York, Municipal Building, New York:*

Dear Sir—I hereby tender my resignation as Commissioner of Deeds of the City of New York, the same to take effect immediately. Very truly yours,

HENRI SCHWOB.

Which was accepted.

No. 782—(G. O. No. 178).

**An Ordinance to Designate a National Republican Newspaper to Publish Election Notices and the Official Canvass in the Borough and County of Richmond.**

Republican County Committee, Richmond County, New York, July 27, 1916.

*P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall Building, New York:*

Dear Sir—I hereby certify that the Staten Islander, a newspaper published at St. George, in the Borough and County of Richmond, has been designated by the Republican Party of the County of Richmond as the official paper of said party in said County, and that I have heretofore sent a notice containing such designation to the Secretary of State of the State of New York, which is on file in his office, and I hereby certify, as above stated, that said paper is designated to print such notices as may be required by law to be printed in the County of Richmond, which issue from your office. Very truly yours,

GEORGE S. SCOFIELD, Chairman.

The Staten Islander, Worrell & Kane, Publishers and Proprietors, July 27, 1916.

*Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:*

My dear Mr. Scully—Enclosed you will please find a clipping from the CITY RECORD showing the ordinance that was adopted relative to advertising the election notices and official canvass, naming the Staten Island World as one of the papers to be designated for said publication. This clipping was taken from the CITY RECORD published July 13th and which contains a report of the meeting of the Board of Aldermen held July 7th, at which this ordinance was adopted, and was approved by the Mayor on July 20. I have prepared a copy of this resolution naming the Staten Islander as the Republican national paper for the publication of same notices, as the law requires the publication in at least two papers, representing the Democratic and Republican parties.

Mr. Scofield, chairman of the Republican County Committee, informs me that he mailed you a letter relative to the Staten Islander being the official paper for the Republican party of the Borough of Richmond, and which no doubt has reached you by this time. Will you kindly place these papers on file in your office so that as a matter of record in case any advertising would be placed before the Board of Aldermen would have meeting again this summer.

Will you kindly have this matter brought before the next meeting of the Board



of Aldermen, and if necessary I will request one of our Aldermen to offer this resolution at the proper time when you think it advisable.

Thanking you in advance for anything you may do for us in this matter, which we will greatly appreciate, believe me to be, very truly yours,

THE STATEN ISLANDER, by M. J. KANE, General Manager.

AN ORDINANCE to designate a National Republican newspaper to publish election notices and the official canvass in the Borough and County of Richmond.

*Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, pursuant to the power vested in it by Section 22 of the County Law and Section 1586 of the Greater New York Charter, as follows:*

Section I. The Staten Islander, published at Tompkinsville, in the Borough and County of Richmond, representing the National Republican Party, is hereby designated as one of the newspapers in which shall be published the election notices hereafter issued by the Secretary of State and in which shall be published the official canvass of votes cast at any general or special election held in said Borough or County.

Section II. The compensation for the publication of the election notices and official canvass of votes cast at any general or special election held in said Borough or County is hereby fixed at twenty cents per line.

Section III. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which, on motion of Alderman Curran, was made a General Order for next meeting.

No. 783.

**Public Administrator, New York County—Monthly Statement of Accounts.**

Bureau of the Public Administrator, New York, July 31, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, of the Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

*A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.*

Name of Deceased and Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses.	Com-mis-sions Paid Into the City of Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid Into City Treasury.
Catharine Blackman .....	\$221 76	\$210 67	\$11 09	.....	.....
Ellen Bunnan .....	144 62	116 33	7 23	.....	\$21 06
John H. Mehitons .....	152 98	145 33	7 65	.....	.....
Lena Weinmann, June 19, 1916 (costs, \$15) .....	1,546 85	378 05	77 34	1,076 46	.....
Margaretha B. Thorpe, June 26, 1916 (costs, \$20) .....	2,456 57	160 64	.....	2,275 93	.....
Clovis Miot, June 26, 1916 (costs, \$25) .....	4,873 34	4,664 00	184 34	.....	.....
Joseph Taaffe, June 19, 1916 (costs, \$25) .....	3,069 29	72 01	139 23	2,833 05	.....
Frank O. Creed .....	18 90	.....	95	17 95	.....
Mary Loewe, June 19, 1916 (costs, \$5) .....	962 24	768 98	48 36	139 90	.....
Arthur E. Henderson (costs, \$25) .....	7,258 97	556 04	243 80	6,434 13	.....
Martin Gotz .....	600 14	242 93	30 00	327 21	.....
Hans Meyer .....	417 82	161 95	20 84	235 03	.....
Louis Seube .....	349 77	9 31	17 30	323 16	.....
Maggie A. Duffy, June 20, 1916..	2,996 96	448 77	126 21	2,421 98	.....
Rosa Weiss, July 1, 1916 .....	176 10	14 92	8 81	152 37	.....
Abraham Schmulwitz .....	35 72	29 81	1 79	4 12	.....
Joseph Badabin .....	224 00	212 80	11 20	.....	.....
Clara Heller (costs, \$5) .....	942 23	144 31	47 11	745 81	.....
Gathro Felice .....	75	.....	.....	75	.....
Joseph Petral .....	93	.....	05	88	.....
Mary Cleary .....	136 66	121 94	6 83	7 89	.....
Patrick J. Byrne .....	50 73	8 46	.....	42 27	.....
Eliza Day .....	46	.....	02	44	.....
Tillie Reich .....	60	.....	03	57	.....
Walter Graham .....	1 87	1 05	09	73	.....
Annie Gidon .....	52 33	51 15	1 18	.....	.....
Bridget Black .....	82	20	04	58	.....
Mary Powers .....	52 20	.....	2 51	47 69	.....
Bridget Collins .....	2 40	.....	12	2 28	.....
Annie Markey .....	70	.....	04	66	.....
John A. Mattson .....	27 53	1 10	1 39	25 04	.....
Thomas Allen .....	72	.....	04	68	.....
William Keeling .....	120 23	118 85	1 38	.....	.....
Michael Foley .....	111 54	105 75	5 77	22	.....
James St. Clair .....	97 00	81 50	4 85	10 65	.....
Luke Brennan .....	2 07	.....	10	1 97	.....
Unknown man .....	36	.....	01	35	.....
Hugh Higgins .....	123 75	41 35	4 12	78 28	.....
James Cullins .....	299 37	260 86	.....	30 83	7 68
Joseph Suarez .....	32 12	.....	1 61	30 51	.....
Annie Artell .....	109 99	66 30	5 50	38 19	.....
James W. Moore .....	72 08	.....	3 60	68 48	.....
Leonard Metzger .....	146 04	117 35	7 30	21 39	.....
Angus McDonald .....	48 75	10	2 40	46 25	.....
Margaret Keane .....	36 52	10	1 82	34 60	.....
Michael Lowery .....	6 50	6 25	.....	25	.....
William Rader .....	1 41	40	07	94	.....
Mary J. McCleary .....	05	.....	05	.....	.....
August Plainview .....	40 95	37 50	2 05	1 40	.....
Len Foon .....	83 78	82 15	1 63	.....	.....
John Richter .....	26 00	.....	1 30	24 70	.....
Mary A. Herbert .....	4 60	14 90	23	4 37	.....
Carl Loos .....	15 60	.....	70	.....	.....
Commissioner of Charities—					
Estates received Mar. 2, 1916 ..	36 28	.....	1 81	34 47	.....
Estates received Mar. 3, 1916 ..	36 15	.....	1 81	34 34	.....
Estates received Mar. 9, 1916 ..	91 36	.....	4 57	86 79	.....
Sale, June 22, lists attached ...	39 63	.....	1 98	37 65	.....
Bellevue Hospital—					
Estates received Mar. 15, 1916 ..	76 39	.....	3 82	72 57	.....
Sale, June 22, lists attached ...	6 09	.....	30	5 79	.....
Coroner—					
Estates received Mar. 6, 1916 ..	74 63	.....	3 73	70 90	.....
Sale, June 22, lists attached ...	20 66	.....	1 03	19 63	.....
Total .....	\$28,534 86	\$9,454 11	\$1,058 93	\$17,017 93	\$883 89

*A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.*

A. Helene Magrath, \$72.11; Wm. H. H. Moore, \$125; Michael F. Laffan, \$12,575; Bertha Speck, 31 cents; Mark S. Holmes, \$330.50; Solomon Solomon, \$10; Julius McKenna, \$2.61; Alex. Ernst, \$15; William Koettgen, \$100; Mary Komack, \$310; Commissioner of Charities, July 10, list attached, \$118.29; Margaret Shay, \$82.92; Mary B. Doyle, \$51,735.70; Mary Byrnell, \$510; Alice Kennelly, \$242.77; Ellis M. Wilson, \$2,166.79; Nellie F. Keena, \$411.79; Margaretha Waldman, \$678.51; Selma Stuckenholz, \$491.33; Marie Harazin, \$1,211.13; Thomas Smollen, \$1,297.57; Sandra

Farsyckker, \$529.54; Otto Henze, \$110.12; Katie Galvin, \$768.16; Aubrey Haywood, \$1,220.50; John Turnbull, \$3,015.55; Mary J. Keating, \$611.77; Lucy Benzec, \$1.00; Gottlieb Burglecher, \$24.28; Mary Gimmartin, \$202.51; Jennie Fountain, \$1,052.32; Bridget Ward, \$81.40; Mary Cross, \$391.79; Boyce Pokol, \$238.23; John V. McCully, 60 cents; Chaim Katz, \$180.88; Minnie Greiner, \$477.58; Wilhelm Horst, \$310.32; Arno Otto Pohle, \$328.94; Robert E. Dearberg, \$92.75; Herman Schultze, \$390.82; Belle Elliott, \$21.03; Solomon Copeland, \$75; Billy Van Name, \$136.30; M. Javorsky, \$5; William Harvey, \$11,737.35; John Fournell, \$24.06; John J. Conlan, \$15; Ragna Sorensen, \$300.25; Anton Breitsamer, \$504; Bellevue Hospital, July 18, as per list attached, \$89.52; Lizzie Buschbaum, \$6.25; Augusta Sanchez, \$50; Mary Beres, \$200.00; Moses A. Lander, \$18.89; Robert A. Conacher, \$15.50; Annie Fleming, \$89.04; Martin McGlynn, \$237; M. Kalonsky, \$196.85; Edw. Stamm, \$100; Commissioner of Charities, July 22, as per list attached, \$24; Lena Walker, \$940.29; Margaret Callahan, \$501.60; Ellen Hancock, \$75.85; William Antenried, \$1,057.10; Catharine Lunan, \$1,215.78; Catherine Connor, \$507.29; Mary E. Quigley, \$1,155.05; Bertha Foule, \$240.55; Coroners' office, July 20, as per list attached, \$191.14; Emma Holberg, 4 cents; Michael Micas, \$20.75.

Cash Received from Bellevue Hospital July 18, 1916.

Frances Baena, \$2.55; Mary Allen, 22 cents; Warren Davis, \$2.19; Samuel Scott, 65 cents; Zacharia Mitchell, 95 cents; Droversy Gregara, \$5; Catherine Brady, 41 cents; Annie Adams, 35 cents; Grace Harris, 37 cents; John Gercken, \$4.52; Frank Granahan, \$100.1; Thomas Leonard, \$1.52; John Johnson, 15 cents; John Cox, 14 cents; Herbert Santard, 2 cents; James Hogan, \$16.15; Harry Richardson, \$1.55; David Salisberg, \$2; Wm. Hendrick, \$2.40; Michael Walsh, \$9.45; Thomas Finnerty, 87 cents; Farrell O'Gara, 15 cents; Harris Benner, 15 cents; Bennie Lumer, \$1; Michael Gannon, 90 cents; Charles Hodder, 23 cents; Joseph Kelly, \$1.05; John Coughlin, 65 cents; Fred McLurney, 10 cents; Patrick Donerty, 2 cents; Edward Sheridan, 10 cents; William McNally, \$8.31; Martin Heddingler, 4 cents; David Coughlin, 25 cents; Michael Schankhamer, 15 cents; James Higgins, 5 cents; George Chesterheld, 3 cents; Joseph Weiss, \$2; William Thomas, \$2; Isaac Fisher, \$3; John Turnbull nothing; Thomas Anderson, 66 cents; William Matsin, \$4; John Cooper, \$1; Steir Mackotich, 29 cents; William Mead, 58 cents; Dora Schreid, 40 cents; Nicholas Pappados, 16 cents. Total, \$89.32.

Cash Received from Department of Charities July 22, 1916.

William Painter, \$24. Total, \$24.

Cash from Coroners of Manhattan, July 20, 1916.

Max Braun, \$3.60; John Carlson, 95 cents; William Conroy, 75 cents; Charles Clark, \$3.65; Peter Gallagher, 2 cents; Carmella Gambo, 77 cents; Michael Gentile, 44 cents; Paul Herman, \$4.73; Rudolph Kaspar, \$1.49; Johann Luidiberg, 15 cents; John Lescher, 13 cents; John Murphy, 35 cents; William Murray, 5 cents; Sarah McKay, \$1; Richard Power, 25 cents; Ruben Sternagass, 31 cents; Frank Watson, \$2.10; John Whittle, 85 cents; William Winters, 3 cents; Frank Zetiline, 76 cents; unknown woman, 336 W. 31st st., \$8.11; John Allen, \$3.05; John Brennan, 30 cents; Lucy A. Hoffman, \$7.30; John Heinlein, 77 cents; — Hahn, 21 cents; Katherine Joyce, 52 cents; Isaac Korn, 44 cents; William H. Kell, \$42.15; Mark Murphy, 92 cents; Nora O'Reilly, \$2.42; James Reilly, 30 cents; William Smith, 10 cents; Charles Wilson, 17 cents; Den Wilker, \$13.18; unknown woman, Annie Kelly, 35 cents; unknown man, 480 Washington st., 50 cents; unknown man, James Daly, 3 cents; Louis Burnett, \$1; Pietro Chabinowitz, 5 cents; David Chase, 30 cents; Charles Callas, 30 cents; Owen Fogarty, 80 cents; Nickola Fries, 8 cents; Nellie Flat, 12 cents; Sury Fong, 63 cents; George A. Ireland, 10 cents; Peter Kochanney, 71 cents; James Kelly, 86 cents; Thomas R. Kendall, 2 cents; Kazamas Lewinsky, 90 cents; William T. Morrison, \$2.65; Paul Miller, 65 cents; James McLoughlin, 55 cents; Robert Reidman, \$2.15; James T. Sommers, \$3.93; Edw. St. Clair, \$2.85; Thomas Wilson, 12 cents; Edward Walsh, 15 cents; Beverly Barnes, 5 cents; Michael J. Brennan, \$2.08; Jake Conrady, \$1.47; Matthew Collins, \$24.77; Louis Dellefeno, 41 cents; John Dempsey, 85 cents; Julius Demorest, 64 cents; James Foran, 32 cents; William Golast, 27 cents; Charles Hancock, \$1.35; Frank Karpate, \$6; John Lydon, 17 cents; Christina Nest, 17 cents; Kate Quirk, 41 cents; Frederick Hyer, 7 cents; William Remman, \$1.02; William H. Smith, \$1.12; John Stapleton, \$29.95; May Taylor, 19 cents; James Woods, 2 cents; John Wechnesky, 63 cents; unknown man, 95 Attorney st., 15 cents; Jeremiah Martrivitch, 1 cent; William Casey, 5 cents—\$193.64; cartage, \$2.50; total, \$191.14.

Cash from Dept. of Charities July 7th, 1916.

Zilda Perchet, 11 cents; Charles O. Nelson, 60 cents; James Wilson, \$2.39; Jane Joyce, \$1.37; John Shea, \$1.82; Annie Higgins, 25 cents; Adolph Siebrecht, \$3; Rose Hakkaramen, \$1.45; Carmelo Mattino, 32 cents; Osep Carale, \$1.36; Cornelius McCoy, 75 cents; Sonio Kaufman, 61 cents; Constance Burnett, 17 cents; Adelaide Brooke, 10 cents; Rachel Shinariski, 55 cents; Anna Dymeke, \$8.65; William Etling, 7 cents; Mary Golach, 4 cents; James J. McLaughlin, 43 cents; Abbie Robinson, 10 cents; John Hilderbrand, 5 cents; Mary Shea, 29 cents; Timothy Hays, 60 cents; Robert McKinney, 19 cents; Mary Cempeola, 92 cents; Frederick J. Smith, 75 cents; Dennia Nolan, \$2.05; John C. Windel, \$1.25; William Murray, \$6.40; Frank Burtis, 52 cents; John Jaehnewicz, 64 cents; Louis Bruno, \$14.25; Peter Peters, \$6; Bessie Levine, \$2; Mary Denz, \$4; Mary Moonan, \$3; John Curran, 85 cents; Hugh Hopkins, \$1.27; Edwin Hall, 69 cents; Lucy Hayes, 52 cents; Linda Klinger, 4 cents; William Morris, \$30; Samuel O'Sullivan, 45 cents; Salvatore, \$2.12; August Wiesensvitz, 30 cents; Henry Tillinghast, \$4.14; John Vollmer, \$7; John Weber, \$3.85. Total, \$118.29.

Cash Received from Department of Charities March 2, 1916.

Emily Vogel, \$5.62; Robert Smeltz, \$8.08; Peter Marz, 35 cents; Thomas McGrath, 81 cents; Catherine Bennett, \$1; Bridget McGregor, \$6.62; Eliza Bingham, \$4.55; Thomas Fanning, 15 cents; Ellen Tierney, \$9.10. Total, \$36.28.

Cash from Department of Charities March 3rd, 1916.

Frank Bradley, 22 cents; Mary Carroll, \$14.10; William Drennan, 30 cents; Moses Hamilton, 46 cents; Thomas Kelly, \$9; Herbert Lawford, \$7; P. O. Sullivan, 1 cent; Catherine Regina, 1 cent; Joseph Somel, \$4.09; Richard Vowltz, 59 cents; Charles Wadhe, 37 cents. Total, \$36.15.

Cash Received from Department of Charities, March 9th, 1916.

Karl Walters, 15 cents; George Bienlein, \$1.62; Samuel Delshaw, 1 cent; Mary Moriarity, 7 cents; Wasil Beleich, \$1; Samuel Young, \$1; Christopher Kulos, \$10; Joseph E. Porsch, 5 cents; Anthony Dodkin, 35 cents; Louis Marino, 35 cents; Enos H. Higgins, \$17.11; John Kraustuk, \$4.23; John McCauley, 5 cents; John O. Connelly, 28 cents; John Cole, \$5.41; Michael Donovan, \$4; Matthew Katink, \$1.35; Christopher Coffey, 17 cents; Angela Vasscue, 15 cents; Augustine Morrissey, \$2; Joseph T. Stevens, 91 cents; Kate King, \$1.55; Joseph Painter, 2 cents; Jeremiah Bradford, 64 cents; Joseph H. Baker, \$15.50; Herman Grabonsky, \$1.51; Emma Graham, \$15.86; Bert Butler, 70 cents; Antonio Marfatona, \$1; Kate Lawlor, 24 cents; Andrew Schultz, \$4.08. Total, \$91.36.

Sale of Effects Received.

From Charities, Feb. 9, 1916—Mary Kouloulas, 23 cents; Michael Shish, 47 cents; Kosy Somatano, \$2.35; Carmine Moffo, 70 cents; John or Mack Martin, 47 cents; John C. Dearden, 47 cents; Nick Conti, 47 cents; Madeline Bandistel, 47 cents; James Cody, 56 cents. Total, \$6.19.

From Charities, Jan., 1916—Annie Woods, \$1.41; Rose Hogan, \$1.41; Lawrence Hollenius, 59 cents; Gertrude Bauerle, 47 cents; Bridget Callahan, 94 cents; Elizabeth Loeber, \$1.41; Thomas Harris, 47 cents; Chin Lou, 70 cents; Minnie Sparks, 94 cents; Lazzaro Furcucci, 70 cents; Robert Haw, 23 cents; Robert Robertson, 47 cents; Margaret Smith, \$1.41; Maurice Smith, \$1.41. Total, \$12.56.

From Charities, March 3, 1916—Theresa Roberts, \$1.88; Robert Smeltz, \$1.88; Edith Phillips, \$3.76; Sarah Moore, \$3.05; Senda Samachita, 70 cents; Wasil Beleich, 47 cents; Murat Ghazarian, \$1.17. Total, \$12.91.

From Charities, April 5, 1916—Max Krailsheimer, 70 cents; Walter Jenkins, \$1.41; Antileno Forenzano, 70 cents; Marcella Costigan, 70 cents; Annie Stafford, \$1.88; Robert Souer, 23 cents; Mary Sinnett, \$1.88; Andrew Wilson, 47 cents. Total, \$7.97.

Cash Received from Bellevue Hospital March 15, 1916.

William Armstrong, 3 cents; Lee Hing, \$3.66; Johann Bozet, 51 cents; David Fried, \$2.35; Margaret Conly, 5 cents; James Hamilton, \$1.75; Julius Philman, \$19.01; Gus Paxton, 30 cents; Edward Markley, \$2.85; Jerry Dollard, \$2.83; George Meyer, \$4.88; Lena Koerper, 64 cents; M. Miller, 70 cents; Stephen Lupika, 10 cents; John Dermody, 15 cents; William Phillips, \$1.19; William Mosky, \$4.80; Bernard McCabe, 3 cents; Bessie Mulligan, \$6.97; George Middleton, 20 cents; Michael Rooney, \$1.05; Anna Carter, 50 cents; Hamilton, \$1.15; Thomas Melvin, 16 cents; Daniel Bloomke, 5 cents; Dominick Davina, \$1.30; Charles Mullin, \$1.33; Michael Carroll, 2 cents; Walter Wyley, \$2.62; Joseph Martin, 20 cents; Kosmer Duvlanitz, \$1; Unknown Man, 1 cent; James Fealy, 10 cents; William Weston, 10 cents; Mary



Clark, \$1.06; Pasquale Alteri, \$1.85; Caspar Hommiker, \$1.10; John Reilly, 3 cents; Duncan Bryce, \$1.04; Peter Martin, 30 cents; Alex. Johnson, \$2.03; Frank Middleton, 19 cents; Thomas McNeil, 20 cents; Edward Butler, \$2.80; Hyman Abalone, 3 cents; Peter Melstesuk, 20 cents; John Kernacowiz, 27 cents; Charles Demtre, \$2.70. Total, \$76.39.

From Bellevue Hospital March 13, 1916.

George Meyer, 70 cents; Hamilton, 70 cents; Kate Gamble, \$2.82; Grace Walsh, 70 cents; Giovanni Suciito, 47 cents; Lizzie Millard, 70 cents. Total, \$6.09.

Cash from Coroners of Manhattan, March 6, 1916.

Louis Dipple, \$1.50; Frank Fribben, 8 cents; Adolph Frakas, \$10.14; Emil Kummel, 4 cents; Agnes Knapp, \$1.01; Joseph Ludwig, \$7.80; Frank McNulty, 20 cents; Dennis McCarthy, 5 cents; Rosari Peruso, 90 cents; Adam Steiner, 3 cents; William Sinnerman, \$1.06; Unknown Man, Pier 14, N. R., 13 cents; Unknown Woman, 323 E. 12th St., \$1.10; Unknown Man, Pier 57, N. R., 20 cents; Unknown Man, 647 W. 158th St., \$7.04; Unknown Man, E. R., off 22nd St., 41 cents; Arthur Appleby, \$1; Rose Aillotti, \$1.33; Peter Christian, 10 cents; Michael Dallas, \$5.16; Michael Dodley, 2 cents; Jeremiah Dwyer, 1 cent; H. D. Drake, \$1.50; Joseph Espin, 25 cents; James Fox, 11 cents; Manuel Gayuzo, 10 cents; Mary Hadden, 30 cents; George Kruger, 25 cents; John Mullin, 5 cents; Fritz Mauch, 89 cents; Edward Stephenson, 35 cents; James Sturn, 81 cents; Thomas L. Walters, \$9.80; William Watson, 5 cents; John Wagner, 4 cents; Unknown Man, 50th St., N. R., 75 cents; Unknown Man, 202 East 35th St., \$5.25; Unknown Man, 18th St. and 4th Ave., 3 cents; William Boyd, 25 cents; August Bartal, 20 cents; George Bailey, 50 cents; Bertha Dittman, 11 cents; Harry Ellis, 82 cents; Martin Kelly, 25 cents; Edw. Maher, 75 cents; Seigfried Maus, 3 cents; Joseph Miller, \$1.35; Felix McManus, 5 cents; Herman Pencil, 10 cents; Pat Reddington, 68 cents; Rhode Ryan, 11 cents; William Schneider, 37 cents; John Sweeney, 60 cents; John Smith, 50 cents; Adolph Thompson, \$4.20; John Wendt, 46 cents; John Wilson, \$1; William Wunderlich, 10 cents; Unknown Man, 48th St., N. R., 5 cents; Vasilios Petridis, 5 cents; Helen Walsh, \$1.25; Joseph Murray, 1 cent; William Smith, \$1. Total, \$74.63.

From Coroners, March 15, 1916.

William Schneider, \$6.47; Adolph Frakas, \$1.88; Unknown Man, Oct. 29, 1915, \$2.11; Oliver G. Hall, \$2.11; John Lau, \$1.41; Manuel Gayuzo, \$1.17; Helen Toth, \$1.88; Frank W. Miller, \$5.87; Annie Cullen, \$3.76. Total, \$20.66.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 784.

Public Administrator, New York County—Monthly Statement of Accounts.

Bureau of the Public Administrator, New York, June 30, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, of the Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report. Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.

Name of Deceased and Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Paid		Com- for Funeral Expenses	mis- sions Paid Into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid Into City Treasury.
	Total Received.	Adminis- tration and Claims of Creditors.				Next of Kin.
John V. Miller .....	\$142 44	.....	\$142 44	.....	.....	.....
Ellen O'Regan (costs, \$25) ..	2,749 84	\$445 21	131 24	\$1,612 05	.....	.....
Albert H. Stainton (costs, \$10) ..	1,313 04	221 22	65 65	1,016 17	.....	.....
John Mackey (costs, \$25) .....	3,047 14	222 80	138 68	2,660 69	.....	.....
Michael Hanrahan .....	336 39	122 43	16 82	.....	\$197 14	.....
Narcisse Gilenes .....	396 27	325 95	19 81	.....	50 51	.....
Joseph Healy .....	436 47	94 47	21 82	.....	320 18	.....
Marie Haubrick .....	44	.....	44	.....	.....	.....
Josephine Irving .....	09	.....	09	.....	.....	.....
Marie Ogris .....	669 11	113 85	32 20	523 06	.....	.....
Elizabeth J. Black .....	378 56	359 63	18 93	.....	.....	.....
Annie Heany .....	715 07	308 16	35 75	371 16	.....	.....
Carl Sperber (costs, \$20) .....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fred Siemer .....	224 86	203 69	11 24	9 93	.....	.....
Henrietta Case .....	216 02	126 34	10 80	78 88	.....	.....
Harry Preminetes .....	145 26	93 00	7 26	45 00	.....	.....
Joseph Von Lossberg .....	21 87	19 25	1 09	1 53	.....	.....
George Schmidt .....	78	50	04	24	.....	.....
Isadore E. Shearer .....	126 32	86 97	6 31	33 04	.....	.....
Albert James .....	179 40	100 80	8 97	69 63	.....	.....
Ellen Beim .....	171 40	135 49	8 57	27 34	.....	.....
Mary Smith .....	90	50	05	35	.....	.....
Mary Price .....	4 95	50	25	4 20	.....	.....
Joseph Huttel .....	6 46	5 50	32	64	.....	.....
John E. Schmidt (costs, \$10) ....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elizabeth Raab .....	162 57	154 44	8 13	.....	.....	.....
Robert H. Glover .....	200 00	190 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....
Josephine G. Gabaudau .....	82 18	78 07	4 11	.....	.....	.....
Charles Drake .....	92 80	88 16	4 64	.....	.....	.....
Charles M. Lyman .....	5 52	5 24	28	.....	.....	.....
John Muller .....	157 44	128 40	7 87	21 17	.....	.....
Mary O'Brien .....	50 26	50 00	26	.....	.....	.....
Franz Kohsel .....	67 12	63 76	3 36	.....	.....	.....
Agnes Hughes .....	298 36	266 67	14 92	16 77	.....	.....
Anna Miller .....	6 25	.....	.....	6 25	.....	.....
Conrad Klajber .....	108 50	68 50	5 43	34 47	.....	.....
	\$12,544 08	\$4,079 60	\$737 77	\$6,255 54	\$844 86	

A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.

Kate Larkin, \$1; Wm. E. Murch, 25 cents; John Thornley, \$2.36; Michael F. Laffan, \$7.50; Catharine Luman, \$140.21; Lena Walker, 14 cents; Sylvester Mitchell, \$494.86; James Enfield, \$10; Bridget Crowley, \$1,433.38; Henry Armour, \$543.02; Abraham Belschuk, \$496.20; Mary Byrnell, \$180; Catharine Delaney, \$1,749.89; Estelle Monin, \$1,519.80; Patrick McCaul, \$363.37; Edward Stamm, \$175.92; Joseph Krenn, \$205.66; Michael F. Laffan, \$46.50; Sam Zanderer, \$1; Joseph Krenn, \$2.79; Louis Winters, \$248.67; Paul Mahinsky, \$210.60; Stauros Zouridisti, \$6.35; Robert McAlister, \$282.35; James Enfield, \$339.06; Patrick McCaul, \$927.31; Estelle Monin, \$1; Robert E. Dearberg, \$542.50; Lina Wieser, \$53; Mary Gilmartin, \$606.81; Matilda F. Smyth, \$66.32; J. Watson Jones, \$83.93; Laura Wilson, \$480; Patrick McCaul, \$401.87; Mary Sulton, \$550.29; Catharine Gotsch, \$256.60; Mary Byrnes, \$400; Commissioner of Charities Estates to June 5, 1916, \$162.22; Esmonds Isai, \$10.23; Thomas Barry, \$37.32; Otto Hinze, \$4.54; David Wards, 23 cents; Estelle Monin, \$44.32; Edward Stamm, \$100; Ludwig Patersky, \$8; Richard E. Enright, \$6.25; Albert H. Stainton, \$564; Angelo Purello, \$304; John A. Mattson, \$20.40; Eliza Huber, \$278.20; Wm. McAuliffe, \$500; John J. Conlon, \$15; Henry Asmers, \$63; Abbie D. Sheley or Whipple, \$90.11; Robert A. Dearberg, \$2,505.50; Erich Wallen, \$21.20; Paul Jacobowitz, \$16.72; Rose Williams, \$5.92; Bellevue Hospital Estates received June 14, 1916, \$94.95; Anna Muller, 10 cents; Annie Clear, \$8.95; John Meller or Miller, \$34; Stephan O'Donnell, \$18.65; Frederike Miller, \$105; Mary E. or Bridget Boyer, \$6.25; Mary Stack, \$47; Annie Adams, \$8; Arthur Berrall, \$3.60; Alexander Lorenz, \$127.50; Mary E. McCord, \$57.30; Deliah Bagner, \$57.78; John A. Long, \$15; James Enfield, \$183.58; James Enfield, \$147.65; Olivia Broun, \$2,554.42; Edward Stamm, \$100; Bessie Goodwin, \$378.60; Charles Simmons, \$95; Anna Fischer, \$1.56; Charles J. Modke, \$308.06; Kate Larkin, \$82.80. Total, \$22,765.92.

Cash from Bellevue Hospital, June 13th, 1916.

Henry Auffarth, 67 cents; John Finn, \$2.93; Joseph Sheffsky, 1 cent; John Devlin, \$4.45; Thomas Taylor, \$4.30; Robert Keogh, 30 cents; Victor Paul, 41 cents;

Patrick McMahon, \$147.5; Henry W. Pratt, 44 cents; Charles Jefferson, 62 cents; Mary West, \$1.10; Margaret Penderville, 4 cents; John Raggash, 25 cents; Emily Nishales, \$2; Charles Knowles, 13 cents; Hannah Maher, 2 cents; Laura Savage, 25 cents; Michael Queenie, \$4.07; Alonzo Ewell, 40 cents; Frances Bird, 40 cents; Alice Maher, 46 cents; Gertrude Lawrence, 51 cents; James O'Hara, 25 cents; Michael Devanny, 10 cents; Christopher Nagy, 7 cents; John Crawford, 1 cent; Sam Reeman, \$2.18; Floyd Robertson, 63 cents; Fred Thompson, \$1.46; Harry Landman, \$3.04; Joafino Bassern, 50 cents; James Slaneras, \$14.75; Benjamin Brown, 5 cents; William Weille, \$1.95; Mike Karpoik, \$1.05; Prisky Martin, \$2.25; William Jordan, 30 cents; Flora Marks, 15 cents; Carl Raudstrom, 41 cents; Mary West, 70 cents; John Murphy, 5 cents; Thomas Gibbons, 5 cents; David Rothmann, 30 cents; Fred Christy, \$1.21; Cape Derrica, 40 cents; Max Huber, \$1.05; Isaac Cornussah, \$4.25; Edward Verdis, \$10.75; John Hannigan, 63 cents; Oreich Wheeler, \$1.40; Herman Jewell, \$2; James Brady, 75 cents; Rose Brown, 3 cents; Charles Wanker, 18 cents; Thomas Conley, \$3; Patrick McLoughlin, 16 cents; David Prescott, 63 cents. Total, \$94.95.

Cash from Department of Charities, June 5th, 1916.

Anna Chandler, 20 cents; John Cicchetti, \$3.17; Conrad Heiderich, \$28; Nicholas Lattimore, \$24; Edward McMahon, \$3.42; Charles Nischler, 58 cents; Rockland Noyes, 87 cents; Jacob Peters, 49 cents; Christopher Steel, \$5; Cordelia Taggart, \$1.01; Fidelia Brown, 15 cents; William Brown, \$1.38; Emil Zeuzino, 24 cents; Joseph Damiano, \$2.16; Michael Kustner, 96 cents; Harry Woodroffe, \$5.15; Joseph Mlynasczyk, \$6.75; Thomas Kenny, 12 cents; Kate Harveyh, 41 cents; Michael Swezeka, \$7; Lee Park, \$5; Peter McCormack, 16 cents; Frank Geist, \$5; Rebecca Goldstein, 10 cents; Henry Keller, 26 cents; David F. Flavin, 75 cents; Charles Justet, 15 cents; Carlo Rolla, \$20; James Curio, \$2.37; Samuel Kaufner, 30 cents; Charles Reale, \$2.58; Charles Cartess, 44 cents; Monroe Jackson, 5 cents; James P. Burns, 51 cents; Patrick Casino, \$5; Alice Curley, \$2.46; Etta Kirby, 25 cents; James Donohue, \$1.50; Giovanni Ascocoi, \$9; Hugh Logan, \$1; Elizabeth Siebert, 57 cents; Joseph J. Lee, 2 cents; Mary J. Irving, 67 cents; Henry Abrahams, \$10; Bernard Widmann, 1 cent. Total, \$162.22.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 785.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified Copy of Resolution Amending Resolution Authorizing Issue of Corporate Stock for Construction and Equipment of Laundry at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, August 7, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of four resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 27, 1916, relative to the issue of corporate stock, as follows:

Cal. No. 43A. Amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, which authorized the issue of \$80,000 corporate stock for the construction and equipment of a laundry at the New York City Farm Colony, Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, by reducing said amount to \$74,000.

Cal. No. 43B. Amending resolution adopted June 26, 1913, which authorized the issue of \$20,000 corporate stock for the installation of water mains, hydrants and electric wiring at the above institution, by reducing said amount to \$15,000.

Cal. No. 45B. Amending resolutions adopted at various meetings of the Board on dates specified in the enclosed resolution, for purposes of the Department of Education, by rescinding from the authorizations of corporate stock issued therefor, the amounts set under the column entitled "Amount to Be Rescinded."

Cal. No. 54. Authorizing the issue of \$200,000 corporate stock for the City's share of the cost of the improvements made in connection with the abolishment of grade crossings of highways and railroads pursuant to chapter 507 of the Laws of 1903, as amended, said amount being a portion of the amount which was requested by the Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission.

I also enclose copies of reports of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget relative thereto. Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, which reads 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 eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000), to provide means for the construction and equipment of a laundry at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, 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 by making the amount authorized seventy-four thousand dollars (\$74,000), thereby rescinding six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 786.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified Copy of Resolution Amending Resolution Authorizing Issue of Corporate Stock for Installation of Water Mains, Hydrants and Electric Wiring at New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 26, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 15, 1913, which reads 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 twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), to provide means for the installation of water mains, hydrants and electric wiring at New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Charities, 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 by making the amount authorized fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), thereby rescinding five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

July 25, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On February 25, 1916, the Commissioner of Public Charities requested the transfer of \$5,606.42 from Code "C. C. H. 41 D—Construction and Equipment of Laundry, City Farm Colony, Richmond," and \$6,143.58 from Code "C. C. H. 41 E—Construction and Equipment of Kitchen, etc., City Farm Colony, Richmond," to Code "C. F. M. 24—Moneys Available for Permanent Improvement, for Which Corporate Stock May be Lawfully Issued," and the application of \$11,750 from Code "C. F. M. 24" for the purpose of installing water mains and appurtenances in and around the grounds of the Farm Colony and Sea View Hospital on Staten Island, Borough of Richmond.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision, to which this matter was referred on February 28, 1916, reports thereon as follows:

"It was proposed to install about 1,200 feet of 12-inch pipe, 6,600 feet of 8-inch pipe and 800 feet of 6-inch pipe, together with 26 double nozzle fire hydrants and the necessary gate valves and other appurtenances, at an estimated cost of \$11,750 for labor and materials, exclusive of the necessary excavation, back filling and restoration of roads and pavements, all of which was to have been done by inmate labor.

"After investigation by this Bureau, it was determined that an adequate supply of water and ample protection against fire can be afforded the various buildings at a cost of \$9,180. This expenditure would also make provision for extending the system at a future time should the growth of the institution demand it.



"The proposed extension to the existing water supply system are necessary on account of the new buildings that have been erected, including Dormitories, Shops and other buildings to which the street mains have not been extended. It is also required to supplement the present supply for household purposes and to provide an interrupted supply for the Sea View Hospital.

"The Commissioner of Public Charities has agreed that unencumbered balances in funds "C. C. H. 41 F" to the extent of \$5,000, and in "C. C. H. 41 D" to the extent of \$6,000 may be rescinded, provided the sum of \$9,180 required for the above work be obtained from other sources."

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolutions, one of which will reduce the amounts authorized for the funds "C. C. H. 41 D," and "C. C. H. 41 F" to the extent of \$11,000, and the other will approve the transfer of \$4,590 from the account "C. F. M. 24" for the purpose of the request, being one-half of the appropriation, and authorizing the inclusion of the remaining half, \$4,590, in annual tax levies, pursuant to sections 169 and 189 of the Charter. Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 787.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified Copy of Resolution Amending Resolutions Adopted at Various Meetings for Purposes of the Department of Education.**

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, certain resolutions authorizing the issuance of corporate stock of The City of New York, which were adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen upon the dates and for the accounts and purposes of the Department of Education, stated hereunder, be and they are each hereby amended by rescinding from each of such authorizations the respective amounts relating thereto, as set forth in the column hereunder entitled "Amount to be Rescinded":

*Statement of Unencumbered Balances of Corporate Stock Authorizations to Be Rescinded by the Foregoing Resolution, Subject to Concurrence Herewith by the Board of Aldermen.*

Date Adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	Date Concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.	Code No.	Title of Account and Purpose.	Amount to be Rescinded.
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE100C	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Manhattan, Sub-title 3." Public School 115	\$21,000 00
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE100E	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Manhattan, Sub-title 5." Public School 102	4,000 00
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE100F	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Sub-title 6." Public School 51	989 38
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE38E	"School Building Fund, Interior Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn. Sub-title 43." Bay Ridge High School	528 18
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE120G	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 7." Public School 50	9,138 10
July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911	CDE130A	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 1." Public School 71.	4,199 21
June 13, 1912	Oct. 15, 1912	CDE141A	"School Buildings, Site, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 1." Public School 95	267 38
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE100H	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Manhattan, Sub-title 8." Public School 52	25,579 23
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE110K	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Sub-title 10." Public School 54	24,037 70
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE110L	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Sub-title 11." Public School 55	15,725 20
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE110P	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, The Bronx, Sub-title 14." Public School 12	14,537 90
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE120L	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 11." Public School 48	33,338 15
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE120O	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 13." Public School 169	35,305 13
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE120M	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 12." Public School 170	35,012 18
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE120J	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 9." Public School 178	65,052 91
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE120K	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Brooklyn, Sub-title 10." Public School 179	86,596 02
June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913	CDE130J	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 9." Public School 91	19,089 28
June 12, 1913	Aug. 20, 1913	CDE130K	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 10." Public School 93	40,000 00
Oct. 3, 1912	Oct. 29, 1912	CDE130H	"School Buildings, Construction and Equipment, Queens, Sub-title 8." Public School 96	377 65

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 27, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, New York, June 26, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 24, 1916, the Board of Education requested the rescindment of balances in various corporate stock funds heretofore authorized, and the additional authorization of corporate stock for various other school improvements.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision, to which the request was referred on May 26, 1916, in co-operation with the Secretary of the Committee on Education, reports thereon as follows:

The items to be rescinded, which are detailed hereinafter, aggregate \$488,106.54.

The amounts to be rescinded are such as have been determined to be unnecessary by reason of the completion of the work for which the appropriation was made, with certain exceptions in which sufficient balances have been retained in the respective funds to provide for work necessary for the completion of the buildings.

The amounts requested to be appropriated are as follows:

Borough.	Public School.	Amount.
Manhattan...	Manhattan Trade School for Girls	\$195,873 25
The Bronx...	53	47,989 00
The Bronx...	Evander Childs High School	42,198 16
The Bronx...	45	37,685 00
The Bronx...	32	28,750 00
The Bronx...	52	285 00
Brooklyn...	36	2,461 38
Brooklyn...	89	4,603 00
Brooklyn...	Commercial High School	10,000 00
Brooklyn...	Bushwick High School	32,554 39
Brooklyn...	16	46,410 00
Queens...	40	3,920 00
Queens...	92	950 00
Queens...	94	98 85
Queens...	Flushing High School	20,389 12
Queens...	Parental School	3,954 33
Queens...	3	4,399 30
Richmond...	8	2,916 00
Richmond...	Curtis High School	2,000 00
Manhattan...	Washington Irving High School	669 76
Total amount requested to be appropriated.....		\$488,106 54

The Bureau of Contract Supervision has examined into these requests in detail. Most of the increases requested are due to the advances which have been made in prices of materials and labor since the original estimates were prepared. Some of the increases are due to the acquisition of sites for playground purposes in connection with the work-study-and-play plan, which are larger than originally estimated, thus necessitating large expenditures for improvement.

The Department of Education has agreed to cancel requests totaling \$9,368.15. The sum of \$14,001.75 has been added to the original requests with the approval of the Department of Education, to provide for certain items which had been omitted. The total amount recommended, \$492,740.14, is therefore \$4,633.60 in excess of the requested submitted.

The items for which funds are requested, with the facts relating thereto, are as follows:

*Manhattan Trade School for Girls, Borough of Manhattan.*

On June 6, 1915, your Board approved an appropriation of \$275,000 for the construction and equipment of this building. To accommodate the various branches of instruction given in this school, it has been found necessary to design a building ten stories in height on the plot 75 feet by 99 feet on the northwest corner of Lexington avenue and 22d street, Borough of Manhattan. Giving consideration to the advanced cost of materials and labor and the special character of the equipment required a reasonable estimate of the cost of the construction and equipment of this building is as follows:

Foundation work (cost to date).....	\$40,000 00
General construction and sanitary work.....	28,000 00
Heating and ventilating .....	63,000 00
Electric equipment .....	27,000 00
Elevators .....	12,000 00
Furniture .....	55,000 00
Shop machinery .....	4,000 00
Ash hoist and dumbwaiter .....	2,000 00

Amount of original appropriation..... 275,000 00

Amount required to complete ..... \$208,000 00

This is \$12,126.75 in excess of the additional amount requested for this building. The request was based on computations made by the Bureau of Buildings in April, 1916. Since then, the cost of the foundation work has been increased from \$29,000 to \$40,000, owing to unforeseen difficulties encountered in the prosecution of the work. The prices of materials have also advanced considerably. The Superintendent of School Buildings requests that the increased amount be granted. It is recommended that \$208,000 additional be granted for the completion of this building.

*Public School 53, Borough of The Bronx.*

This is a new building which was completed in 1914. A plot of ground 280 by 200 feet has been acquired on the north side of 168th Street, between Findlay and Teller Avenues, opposite the school building, to be used for playground purposes in conjunction with Public School 53, which is one of the schools included in the reorganization on the work-study-and-play plan. It is proposed to excavate earth and rock and grade the property, provide under-surface drainage, lay sidewalks, construct a fence around the property, provide a wading pool, gardens and outside shelter, construct a toilet and storage building and provide playground equipment. The estimated cost of this work is \$47,989. This request was referred to Mr. William Wirt, Educational Consultant of the Committee on Education, who recommends that the appropriation be granted, provided the fund be made available for playgrounds at Public Schools 6, 2, 28, 44 and 45, as well as 53, Borough of The Bronx. He states that "the proposed elaborate equipment of the playground at Public School 53, The Bronx, is not wise at present. The public school playgrounds at 2, 6, 28, 44, 45 and 53 should be properly graded, surfaced and fenced. Only a limited amount of apparatus and equipment should be installed in the beginning. Too elaborate equipment has a tendency to destroy the value of the playground. If it is desired to make equipment more elaborate in the future, it should be planned as the result of experience." This is agreed to and the requested appropriation of \$47,989 for grading, surfacing and fencing playgrounds of the six Bronx schools is recommended.

*Evander Childs High School, Borough of The Bronx.*

The total of appropriations to date, made for the construction and equipment of this building, is .....	\$624,361 00
Total of contracts awarded to date.....	578,624 16

Balance now in the fund..... \$45,736 84

The total of the contracts awarded is in excess of what was anticipated due to the installation of an electric generating plant, a swimming pool with showers and locker rooms, and the advanced prices of materials and labor. In order to completely equip the building for school purposes, it will be necessary to provide the following:

Shop equipment .....	\$12,000 00
Elevators .....	12,000 00
Air compressor and tanks .....	750 00
Modifications .....	101 00
Additional sanitary work .....	934 00
Furniture .....	52,150 00
Organ .....	10,000 00

Total .....	\$87,935 00
Balance remaining in the fund.....	45,736 84

Additional amount necessary ..... \$42,198 16

The appropriation of this amount is recommended.

*Public School 45, Borough of The Bronx.*

The amount of the original appropriation, June 25, 1915.....	\$150,000 00
The contract for General Construction has been let for.....	108,959 00

Balance now in fund ..... \$41,041 00

The estimated cost of the work required to complete the building is as follows:

Plumbing and drainage .....	\$14,000 00
Heating and Ventilating and Temperature Regulation.....	34,600 00
Electric equipment .....	7,000 00
Shop equipment .....	16,226 00
Furniture .....	6,900 00

Total .....	\$78,726 00
Balance in fund .....	41,041 00

Additional amount necessary ..... \$37,685 00



This request has been approved by Mr. Wirt, the estimates are reasonable and the appropriation of this additional amount is recommended.

*Public School 32, Borough of The Bronx.*

The original appropriation as approved July 1, 1915, is \$115,000. No contracts have been let for any part of this work. In connection with the reorganization of this school on the work-study-and-play plan, a large site has been acquired, on part of which the new building will be erected and the remainder of the plot graded and paved to provide a large outdoor playground. Owing to the grades of the three street fronts around the new site, it will be necessary to construct retaining walls and a survey of the property shows that considerable rock will have to be excavated.

These conditions which were not anticipated when the original appropriation was granted, together with the advanced prices of materials, will bring the total cost up to \$143,750 and will render necessary additional funds to the extent of \$28,750. Mr. Wirt approves the request for this amount and the appropriation is recommended.

*Public School 52, Borough of The Bronx.*

The balance remaining in the appropriation for the construction and equipment of this building is ..... \$15 00  
The work is completed with the exception of wire guards, necessary to protect the electric light globes on the roof playground. The estimated cost of these guards is ..... 300 00

The additional amount required is ..... \$285 00

Which amount is recommended.

*Public School 36, Addition, Brooklyn.*

The original appropriation for this building approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 12, 1913, was \$131,900. There is a balance in the fund of \$38.62. Owing to the insufficiency of funds items aggregating \$2,500 were omitted from the heating contract. An additional appropriation of \$2,461.38 is necessary to complete these items, which amount is recommended.

*Public School 89, Borough of Brooklyn.*

On May 7, 1915, your Board approved an appropriation of \$50,000 for the construction of an addition to this building. Contracts have been awarded for general construction, plumbing and drainage, heating and ventilation, temperature regulation, at a total cost of \$49,103. The balance remaining in the fund is \$897.

Owing to the lack of sufficient funds certain items were omitted from the plumbing and heating contracts, which are estimated to cost..... \$1,500 00

Furniture for this building is estimated to cost..... 4,000 00

In investigating this request it was found that the flooring for the gymnasium and library was omitted from the construction contract because of lack of sufficient funds. The estimated cost of this omitted work is ..... 1,875 00

The Superintendent of School Buildings asks that this amount be added to the request for additional funds.

Total estimated cost of work to be done..... \$7,375 00  
Balance remaining in the fund..... 897 00

Additional amount necessary..... \$6,478 00

Mr. Wirt has approved the request for additional funds necessary to complete this building. An appropriation of \$6,478 is recommended.

*Commercial High School, Borough of Brooklyn.*

This building has been completed for several years, with the exception that the organ has not been installed in the auditorium. The estimated cost of the organ is \$10,000, which appropriation is recommended.

*Bushwick High School, Borough of Brooklyn.*

The amount remaining of the funds heretofore authorized for the construction and equipment of this building is \$3,445.61. Owing to the regulating and grading of Woodbine Street, adjacent to this building, it will be necessary to provide a sidewalk and a retaining wall from Irving Avenue to the rear of the property. The space now occupied by the coal bin in the basement of the building is desired for use by the night school as shops for sheet metal work. In order to permit the use of this space for such shops, it is proposed to construct a new coal bin under the yard in the rear of the building. This work can be very economically done at the same time that the retaining wall along Woodbine Street is under construction, and will effect an annual saving in the cost of stevedore charges for the storage of fuel by permitting the coal to be dumped directly into the bin from the top.

The estimated cost of the retaining wall and coal bin is..... \$22,000 00

The shop equipment at this school has never been completed nor has the organ been installed in the auditorium because of lack of funds. The estimated cost of the equipment necessary for completion is..... 4,000 00

The cost of the organ is estimated at..... 10,000 00

Total amount necessary ..... \$36,000 00

Balance now in the fund..... 3,445 61

Additional amount necessary..... \$32,554 39

It is recommended that this amount be granted.

*Public School 16, Addition, Borough of Brooklyn.*

On June 12, 1913, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved an appropriation of \$112,300 for this building. None of this amount has yet been expended. When the appropriation was authorized it was proposed to erect a 12-classroom addition to Public School 16 on Wilson Street, between Bedford and Lee Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn. Upon further consideration and a careful analysis of the needs of this locality, which is developing into an apartment house centre, it was determined to be more advisable to erect on the site to the west of the building the first part of a new building designed to eventually contain 59 classrooms and an auditorium, thereby replacing the existing building, which was erected in 1858 and added to in 1887, 1906 and 1908. Some of the classrooms in this building have insufficient light, which, owing to the character of the building, cannot be remedied without the expenditure of a large amount for reconstruction on a modern basis. Certain of the classrooms located on the ground floor close to the toilet building in the yard should not be used for school purposes.

These rooms have been at times abandoned, but owing to the necessity of caring for the large number of children attending the school, these rooms have again been put into service. The building contains 43 classrooms. The register is 2,000 pupils. Five classes are on double sessions.

On December 23, 1915, your Board approved specifications and plans for the first part of the new building proposed. This part will be approximately 85 feet by 65 feet and will contain 16 classrooms. Bids were received in January, 1915, for the construction and sanitary work of this building. The lowest bids received for these two items totaled \$117,915, which is in excess of the appropriation. All bids were rejected.

Owing to advances in the cost of materials since January, 1916, the cost of construction and sanitary work is now estimated at..... \$123,810 00

Other items are estimated as follows:

Heating and ventilating ..... 22,000 00  
Electric equipment ..... 6,500 00

Furniture ..... 6,400 00

Total estimated cost ..... \$158,710 00

Amount previously appropriated..... 112,300 00

Additional amount necessary ..... \$46,410 00

The appropriation of this amount is recommended.

*Public School 40, Borough of Queens.*

The appropriation for the construction and equipment of this building has been exhausted. The sum of \$3,920 is requested for excavation, construction of retaining wall, iron fences, concrete sidewalks and steps on Pacific and Union Hall Streets, which will be necessary when the grade of Pacific Street is changed as proposed. A sidewalk has been laid and a wooden picket fence constructed along the two streets mentioned. It is not known when the change of grade of the street will be made. The cost of the changes to the school property should be met out of tax levy funds when the work becomes necessary. No additional appropriation is recommended in this instance. The Department of Education agrees to include the amount necessary in the budget request.

*Public School 92, Borough of Queens.*

The appropriation for the construction and equipment of this building has been exhausted. The sum of \$950 is requested to make changes in the grade of Randall street. These changes will require the excavation to the street grade, replacement of the sidewalk at the new grade, the construction of a retaining wall and the reconstruction of the existing iron fence along the street front.

The cost of these changes should be paid out of tax levy funds. This is agreed to by the Department of Education and will be included in the budget request. No appropriation of corporate stock is recommended for this work.

*Public School 94, Borough of Queens.*

There is a balance of \$151.15 remaining in the appropriation for the construction and equipment of this building. The sum of \$250 is required for the construction of a fireproof storage closet and a sawdust bin in the cellar. An additional appropriation of \$98.85 is requested. It will be proper to utilize the balance remaining in the construction account to pay the cost of the proposed items and to charge the balance of the cost to the fund provided for fire protection work in school buildings. No additional appropriation is recommended for this purpose. The Department of Education agrees to the withdrawal of this request.

*Flushing High School, Borough of Queens.*

The total of appropriations to date for the construction and equipment of this building is \$587,796. The balance remaining in the fund is \$6,260.88.

The following work is necessary to complete the building:

Doors to supply closets in drawing rooms..... \$300 00

Electric ash hoist ..... 900 00

Additional exhaust fans and ducts ..... 5,000 00

Shop equipment ..... 8,000 00

Dark shades for auditorium windows ..... 1,000 00

Pianos ..... 1,450 00

Organ ..... 10,000 00

Total required to complete ..... \$26,650 00

Balance in fund ..... 6,260 88

Additional amount necessary..... \$20,389 12

All the above items have been investigated and are found to be necessary to provide for the completion and equipment of the building. The appropriation is recommended.

*Parental School, Borough of Queens.*

The balance remaining in the fund for the construction and equipment of the building is \$1,045.67. The drainage from the power house and laundry is now run into cesspools. So much grease, starch and line collects in these cesspools that it has been found impossible to keep them operating properly. It is therefore necessary to pump and siphon the material out of the cesspool and allow it to run off on the surface of the ground. This has created an unsanitary condition, which is objected to by the Health Department. This drainage cannot be run into the existing sewage disposal plant without causing trouble, which it would be very expensive to remedy. It is proposed to instal a separate filter bed and aerating system to care for this drainage at an estimated cost of \$5,000. The balance in the fund is \$1,045.67. An additional amount of \$3,954.33 is therefore required, which amount is recommended.

*Public School 3, Borough of Queens.*

This is a two-room portable building, erected on a leased site at Forest Hills. An appropriation of \$4,399.30 is requested to erect sanitary toilets for teachers and pupils, with sewer connections to replace the present privy vaults, which are objected to by the Department of Health. It is also proposed to grade and pave the street alongside of the school. A new site has been acquired for school purposes within a few blocks of the location of this building. No improvement of the new site has been made, nor have funds been provided for such work. It is advisable that the portable building of Public School 3 be moved to the new site and set up with proper sanitary facilities. In view of this condition the expenditure of funds for work on the present leased site is not recommended. The Department of Education agrees to the withdrawal of this request.

*Public School 8, Borough of Richmond.*

The appropriation of \$105,000 approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 13, 1914, was estimated very closely. All contracts have been awarded except the furniture contract which is estimated to cost \$4,675. The balance remaining in the fund is \$1,759. An additional amount of \$2,916 is required, which appropriation is recommended.

*Curtis High School, Borough of Richmond.*

There are no funds now available for this building. The building was designed to accommodate 650 pupils. By the system of double sessions now in vogue, 300 additional pupils are accommodated for whom it is necessary to provide wardrobe facilities. The estimated cost of the additional equipment required is \$2,000, which appropriation is recommended.

*Washington Irving High School, Borough of Manhattan.*

There is a balance in the original appropriation for the construction and equipment of this building of \$110.24. Eighty new additional tables are required, to be distributed among all the classrooms of the building, to accommodate the pupils in excess of these originally provided for. The cost of these tables is estimated at \$780. An additional amount of \$669.76 is required, which appropriation is recommended.

*Rescindments.*

As will appear from the following schedule it is recommended that corporate stock balances in the sum of \$477,032.46 be rescinded as against \$488,106.54 requested. In Codes 100C and 100E cash balances in the sums of \$53.76 and \$9.81, respectively, were included in the request. It is, of course, not practicable to rescind cash balances. In Codes 130J, 130H and 130L the books of the Department of Finance show existing balances of \$19,089.28, \$377.65 and \$10,696.54, as against \$27,905.68, \$571.65 and \$12,696.65, respectively, in the request. Pending a reconciliation of these accounts it is impracticable to rescind more than the amount shown on the books of the Department of Finance

Fund C.D.E.	Date Authorized.				Amount Authorized.	Balance Unencumbered as Per Books of Department of Finance.		To Be Rescinded.	
	Est. and App.		Aldermen.			Cash.	Unissued.	Requested.	Recommended.
100C	Public School 115, Manhattan.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		\$385,630 00	\$78 76	\$21,000 00	\$21,053 76	\$21,000 00
100E	Public School 102, Manhattan.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		334,730 00	9 81	4,000 00	4,009 81	4,000 00
110F	Public School 51, Bronx.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		366,030 00	289 38	1,000 00	989 38	989 38
38E	Bay Ridge High School, Brooklyn.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		286,000 00	.....	22,385 48	528 18	528 18
120G	Public School 50, Brooklyn.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		385,630 00	.....	59,073 19	9,138 10	9,138 10
130A	Public School 71, Queens.....	July 17, 1911	July 25, 1911		226,140 00	132 31	5,000 00	4,199 21	4,199 21
141A	Public School 95, Queens.....	June 13, 1912	Oct. 15, 1912		218,240 00	.....	2,895 88	267 38	267 38
100H	Public School 52, Manhattan.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		317,050 00	.....	25,687 23	25,579 23	25,579 23
110K	Public School 54, Bronx.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		434,775 00	.....	36,337 25	24,037 70	24,037 70
110L	Public School 55, Bronx.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		434,775 00	.....	37,400 20	15,725 20	15,725 20
110P	Public School 12, Bronx.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		113,300 00	.....	16,520 45	14,537 90	14,537 90
120L	Public School 48, Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		317,050 00	.....	33,691 15	33,338 15	33,338 15



Fund C.D.E.					Date Authorized.		Amount Authorized.	Balance Unencumbered as Per Books of Department of Finance.		To Be Rescinded.	
			Est. and App.	Aldermen.	Cash.	Unissued.		Requested.	Recommended.		
120O	Public School	169,	Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		317,050 00	.....	36,055 13	35,305 13	35,305 13
120M	Public School	170,	Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		317,050 00	.....	35,012 18	35,012 18	35,012 18
120J	Public School	178,	Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		434,775 00	.....	77,944 25	65,052 91	65,052 91
120K	Public School	179,	Brooklyn.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		434,775 00	.....	86,896 02	86,596 02	86,596 02
130J	Public School	91,	Queens.....	June 12, 1913	July 15, 1913		317,050 00	.....	19,089 28	27,905 68	19,089 28
130K	Public School	93,	Queens.....	June 12, 1913	Aug. 29, 1913		434,775 00	.....	62,623 00	40,000 00	40,000 00
130H	Public School	96,	Queens.....	Oct. 3, 1912	Oct. 9, 1912		148,300 00	.....	377 65	571 65	377 65
110R	Public School	48,	Bronx.....	Mar. 13, 1914	.....		403,275 00	.....	50,259 50	29,562 32	29,562 32
130L	Public School	97,	Queens.....	Mar. 13, 1914	.....		239,550 00	.....	10,696 54	12,696 65	10,696 54
100J	Public School	3,	Manhattan.....	Sept. 21, 1914	.....		63,500 00	.....	6,909 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Totals .....										\$488,106 54	\$477,032 46

We recommend the rescindment of balances aggregating \$477,032.46 and the appropriation of additional funds in the total sum of \$492,740.14, for the following purposes:

*Borough of Manhattan—*

Manhattan Trade School for Girls:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... \$208,000 00

Washington Irving High School:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 669 76

*Borough of The Bronx—*

Public Schools 2, 6, 28, 44, 45 and 53:

Construction, Improvement and Equipment of Playgrounds..... 47,989 00

Evander Childs High School:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 42,198 16

Addition to Public School 45:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 37,685 00

Addition to Public School 32:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 28,750 00

Public School 52:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 285 00

*Borough of Brooklyn—*

Addition to Public School 36:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 2,461 38

Addition to Public School 89:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 6,478 00

Commercial High School:

Furnishing and Installing Organ..... 10,000 00

Bushwick High School:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 32,554 39

Addition to Public School 16:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 46,410 00

*Borough of Queens—*

Flushing High School:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 20,389 12

Parental School:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 3,954 33

*Borough of Richmond—*

Public School 8:

Construction and Equipment (additional)..... 2,916 00

Curtis High School:

Additional Equipment ..... 2,000 00

Total of Appropriations Recommended..... \$492,740 14

The adoption of the attached eighteen resolutions will effect the recommendations stated above. Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 788.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified Copy of Resolution Authorizing Issue of Corporate Stock for City's Share of Cost of Improvements in Connection with Abolishment of Grade Crossings of Highways and Railroads, Requested by Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission.**

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 507 of the Laws of 1903, and acts amendatory thereof, and the requisition of the Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission made by resolution adopted February 15, 1916, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) to provide means for paying the proportionate cost of the improvements to be borne by The City of New York in connection with the abolishment of grade crossings of highways and railroads, pursuant to said laws, 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.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 27, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, March 10, 1916.

*To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Gentlemen—On February 18, 1916, you referred to the Corporate Stock Budget Committee a requisition of the Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission made pursuant to the provisions of chapter 507 of the Laws of 1903, and the acts amendatory thereof, for an issue of \$300,000 in corporate stock for the purpose of paying the City's share of the amount expended and about to be expended in the work of the Bay Ridge Improvement (Long Island Railroad Company) and the Brighton Beach Improvement (Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company) now under construction.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision to which the request was referred on February 19, 1916, reports thereon, as follows:

"The request is made pursuant to the provisions of sections 6 and 7 of the laws quoted which provides for payment for work done under the supervision of the Commission, as follows:

"Section 6. For the purpose of raising the sum of amount of the cost of said improvements to be borne by the said City, it shall be the duty of The City of New York from time to time, upon the requisition of said Board, to issue corporate stock of The City of New York under the provisions of chapter four hundred and sixty-six of the laws of nineteen hundred and one, not exceeding the amount above specified. The proceeds of said corporate stock shall be used for the purpose of paying the one-half part of all amounts called for by the certificate of the general superintendent, approved by said board, and provided for in the preceding section of this act.

"Section 7. The proceeds of the sale of the said corporate stock so sold as provided in the preceding section, shall be set apart, when collected, as a trust fund for the purposes of said improvements and for paying the portion of the cost thereof hereinabove imposed upon said city. The payment of the principal and interest upon said corporate stock shall be made in the same manner and under the same laws as in the case of other corporate stock of The City of New York."

"Section 5 of the same statute provides that the City's share of the cost of the Bay Ridge Improvement on the Long Island Railroad shall not exceed \$2,500,000, plus one-half the cost of bridging streets unopened across the railroad at the time of the passage of the act; and that the City's share of the cost of the Brighton Beach Improvement on the Brooklyn Heights Railroad shall not exceed \$1,000,000.

*"The Bay Ridge Improvement."*

"There have been 162 certificates issued, each for \$25,000, upon which the City's share has aggregated \$2,025,000, all of which has been paid, except \$10,000 withheld on account of pole, track and wire changes.

"The prospective expenditure on this improvement for the year 1916 is as follows:

Balance to be paid on West End Agreement..... \$36,237 63  
Land for slopes, already purchased by Railroad..... 100,000 00  
East 25th Street Bridge, now under contract..... 20,000 00  
East New York Tunnel, final payment and extras..... 50,000 00  
Regrading and repairing streets contiguous to tunnel work..... 19,000 00  
Commission (administrative) expenses ..... 20,000 00  
\*Additional Bridge ..... 25,000 00

\$270,237 63

One-half payable by City ..... \$135,118 81

\*This bridge will be built at either 6th, 12th or 14th Avenues, as the Commission may decide.

"This allowance will practically complete the Bay Ridge Improvement work unless additional street bridges are to be constructed.

*"The Brighton Beach Improvement."*

"There have been issued for this work, 67 certificates representing a City contribution of \$837,500.

"The request for this improvement is \$162,500, the full remaining amount of the City's legal obligation.

"An amount of \$197,812.59 was granted by your Board in an authorization in 1912, to close this account, but since the company did not present its bills for land purchases and for a final contract payment, with respect to which it was in dispute with the contractor, no certificates on these items could be issued by the Commission, and the funds made available for the joint account were largely used on the Bay Ridge Improvement work.

"The prospective expenditures on the Brighton Beach Improvement for the year 1916, are as follows:

Land purchases ..... \$145,000 00  
Cranford Contract ..... 39,050 00  
Cranford claim ..... 12,000 00  
\*Voorhies Avenue Bridge ..... 39,750 00  
Commission Expenses (administrative) ..... 4,000 00

\$239,800 00

One-half payable by City..... \$119,900 00

"This bridge is likely to be constructed in place of one proposed at East 14th Street, estimated to cost \$60,760.

"There is available in the corporate stock fund entitled 'C.C.M. 1, Abolishing Grade Crossings of Highways and Boulevards in the Borough of Brooklyn.' Authorization ..... \$63,000 00

Cash ..... 870 07

\$63,870 07

"This balance of \$63,870.07 will be largely needed to meet existing certificates that have not been paid. About \$40,000 was withheld from payment because of betterment charges on the Brighton Beach Improvement, which is now to be paid under a stipulation agreed to by the Comptroller, leaving the final settlement to be decided on the close of the work, without prejudice to the City's rights. On the Bay Ridge work, \$10,000 was withheld on account of pole, wire and track changes undertaken by the Commission, it being held by the Comptroller that such work was the obligation of the franchised companies.

"It is therefore established that there will be needed for the work of the Commission during 1916, the following:

For the Bay Ridge Improvement..... \$135,118 81  
For the Brighton Beach Improvement..... 119,900 00  
For the deferred payments, as above..... 50,000 00

\$305,018 81

Less balance on hand..... 63,870 07

\$241,148 74"

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution approving an authorization of corporate stock in an amount of \$240,000. Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 789.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Certified Copy of Resolution Establishing Grade of Position of Stenographer and Typewriter in the Office of the Examining Board of Plumbers.**

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, August 7, 1916.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 27, 1916, recommending the establishment of the grade of position of Stenographer and Typewriter at \$840 per annum, for one incumbent, in the office of the Examining Board of Plumbers.

I also enclose copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Respectfully,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	\$840 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 27, 1916. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

June 26, 1916.

*To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*

Gentlemen—On June 12, 1916, the Examining Board of Plumbers requested modification of Code No. 320 for 1916. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon as follows:

"Purpose—To increase a position of Stenographer and Typewriter from \$780 to \$840.



"Reason—To increase the salary of Louise W. Walter from \$780 to \$840. There is available an unassigned balance of \$60 in the schedule.

"Finding—Mrs. Walter performs the stenographic work of the office; in addition she performs clerical work in connection with the investigation of applications and of examinations of applicants. This work falls within Grade 3 of the specifications for Clerk with a minimum salary of \$840, the amount requested. The position at \$840 has not been fixed by the Board of Aldermen."

Recommendation—In view of the foregoing, the Committee recommends adoption of the attached resolution requesting the Board of Aldermen to fix the rate of \$840.

Respectfully, ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 790.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Notification of Failure of Adoption of Resolution Requesting an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for Purpose of Placing in Commission Two Free Floating Baths, Under Jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.**

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, July 11, 1916.

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

Sir—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 7, 1916, a resolution proposing concurrence by the Board in a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1916, and approved by the Mayor on June 29, 1916, requesting an issue of \$7,884 special revenue bonds for the purpose of placing in commission for use during the summer months of 1916 two free floating baths, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, failed of adoption, not having received concurrent vote of all the members of the Board.

Respectfully, JAMES MATTHEWS, Assistant Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Commissioner, Department of Public Charities:

No. 791.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Cover Employment of Additional Force of Mechanics at Sea View Hospital.**

*Re Additional Help for Sea View.*

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, July 11, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Your Honorable Board is hereby requested to issue revenue bonds to cover the employment of an additional force of mechanics at Sea View Hospital. The total sum required for the balance of the year will be \$2,900; the total being made up as follows:

1 Carpenter at \$1,020 .....	\$1,020 00
1 Painter at \$1,020 .....	1,020 00
1 Plumber at \$1,380 .....	1,380 00
1 Steamfitter at \$1,380 .....	1,380 00
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	\$4,800 00

Total for 5 months from Aug. 1 to Dec. 31.....	\$2,000 00
2 Firemen, 150 days each at \$3 per day.....	900 00
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	\$2,900 00

When the 1916 budget was made up it was assumed that there would be sufficient able-bodied help at the Farm Colony to do the work of coal passing and ash handling at the Sea View Power Plant. However, due to the extraordinary condition of the labor market men are not available from the Farm Colony, and it becomes necessary to get additional help to handle the work at hand.

It was also thought in the preparation of the 1916 budget that the force of carpenters, painters, plumbers and steamfitters provided jointly for Sea View and Farm Colony, would be sufficient to meet the needs of the two institutions provided the help thus provided could be supplemented by able-bodied mechanics, inmates of Farm Colony.

As already stated able-bodied men are not available and furthermore experience has proven that the force of skilled mechanics which the budget provided is not sufficient to properly care for the maintenance of such a large and costly plant as Sea View Hospital, together with Farm Colony.

The high rate of depreciation now taking place on this plant, due to the lack of proper attention, to my mind makes it imperative that this additional help be put to work at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. Oertner, our mechanical and fuel engineer, reports that it is absolutely necessary to have two (2) firemen to immediately take up the work of cleaning boilers at this institution.

I trust therefore that you will give this matter your early consideration. Yours very truly,

HENRY C. WRIGHT, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 792.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Permission to Enter Into Contract, Without Public Letting, with Merritt & Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Company.**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, July 27, 1916.

*Re Request to Expend \$1,172.50 Work on Steamer "Lowell."*

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

Gentlemen—We request permission of your Honorable Board to enter into a contract without public letting with Merritt & Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Co., in the amount of \$1,772.50.

On May 8, 1916, at about 9:20 a. m., a fire was discovered on the Steamer "Lowell" of this Department, lying at the foot of East 26th Street, East River. This fire, which started below deck, obtained such headway that it became necessary for the Fire Department of the City to sink the boat to prevent a total loss. It thus became imperative to have the boat raised to prevent the deckhouse from being torn away by the action of the waves due to a storm or passing vessels.

The Merritt & Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Co. were communicated with at once and directed to immediately begin the operations of floating the vessel and preparing it for transfer to dry dock. This they did and the boat was placed on the dock on the 10th of May. It was impossible to obtain a fixed price for the salvage work from the Contractors, as it was not possible to determine what were the hidden conditions which might materially change any price they would give.

They have rendered their bills to us for the amount above mentioned and it is to compensate them for this work that we request your permission for this expenditure. Very truly yours,

G. G. THOMSON, Third Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 793.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Issue of Revenue Bonds to Compensate Wrecking Company for Floating Steamer "Lowell."**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, July 31, 1916.

*Re Request of Revenue Bonds, \$1,772, Steamer "Lowell."*

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

Gentlemen—I request your permission for an issue of revenue bonds to the amount of \$1,772 to compensate the Merritt-Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Co. for floating the Steamer "Lowell" of this Department on May 9 and 10.

On May 8 at about 9:20 a. m. a fire was discovered on this steamer while lying at the foot of East 26th Street, East River. This fire, which started below deck, obtained such headway that it became necessary for the Fire Department of the City to sink the boat to prevent its becoming a total loss. It was imperative to have this boat raised at once to prevent the entire deckhouse from being torn away by the action of the waves due to storm or to passing vessels.

The Merritt-Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Co. were communicated with at once

and directed to proceed immediately with the floating of the vessel and preparing it for transfer to a dry dock. This they did and have rendered bills for the above amount for the work in question. It is to compensate them for this work that this request is made. Yours very truly,

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 794.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Permission to Purchase, Without Public Letting, Three Ambulances.**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, August 25, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully ask permission to purchase in the open market, without public letting, three ambulances, one for each of the following hospitals: Greenpoint, Kings County and Coney Island. The estimated cost is \$1,700 each.

The reason for this request is that there will be a great many infantile paralysis cases, which must be brought almost daily from their homes to our clinics for treatment. Others must be transferred to a hospital at Coney Island, which we are subsidizing for convalescent cases. Advertising for the ambulances would cause an unfortunate delay. Yours very truly,

HENRY C. WRIGHT, First Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 795.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Deficiency in Account 1950, Food Supplies, for the Year 1916.**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, August 30, 1916.

*Re Request for Special Revenue Bonds to the Amount of \$80,000.*

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

Gentlemen—I respectfully request that special revenue bonds to the amount of \$80,000 be issued pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to meet the deficiency in account 1950, Food Supplies, for the year 1916.

In spite of strictest economy, the Department finds it necessary to make this request. Food prices have advanced considerably, particularly the largest items, such as milk, meats and sugar. Contracts for the last quarter of this year for meats, eggs, flour and vegetables will have to be entered into by September 30. May I request that your Honorable Board give your prompt attention to this matter in order that the Department will not be embarrassed in caring for the City's poor.

Very truly yours,

HENRY C. WRIGHT, First Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 796.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Amendment of Resolution Authorizing the Department to Enter Into Agreement with James Tregarthen & Sons Company.**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, August 30, 1916.

*Re Request for Amendment of Resolution of March 30, Authorizing the Department to Enter Into an Agreement with Jas. Tregarthen & Sons Co.*

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—On March 30, 1915, your Honorable Board adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Charities of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to enter into an agreement with James Tregarthen, Son & Co., Shipwrights, foot of 7th and 8th Streets, East River, to make certain additional repairs on the Steamer "Fidelity" as required by the United States Steamboat Inspection Service to an amount of about \$8,000."

At the time this resolution was adopted, the exact cost of the work to be done on the Steamer "Fidelity" was not obtainable. It developed later that additional work required by the Department of Commerce, Steamboat Inspection Service, increased the estimate of cost from \$8,000 to an actual cost of \$10,841.75.

Request is hereby made to your Honorable Board for an amendment to your resolution of March 30th, 1915, authorizing the Department to enter into an agreement with James Tregarthen & Sons Co. for repairs made to the Steamboat "Fidelity" to the amount of \$10,841.75 instead of \$8,000 as authorized by the original resolution.

Your prompt action regarding this matter will be appreciated particularly in view of the fact that no payment has yet been made to the Contractor. Very truly yours,

G. G. THOMSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 797.

**Department of Public Charities—Request for Authority to Purchase Coal Without Public Letting.**

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, September 8, 1916.

*Re Purchase of Coal.*

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

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made to purchase \$5,000 worth of coal in the open market without public letting. A contract was advertised through the Central Purchase Committee for which bids were to be opened on April 29, 1916, but owing to the absence of one of the Commissioners (of some other Department) bids could not be opened on that date. A new proposal was then advertised and bids were formally opened on May 16th for supplying coal to this Department and other Departments.

It was absolutely necessary for the Department to secure coal before a contract could be executed, hence it was necessary for the Department to purchase \$5,000 worth of coal. May I ask that your Honorable Board act favorably on this matter so that the parties furnishing the Department with coal may not be forced to wait unnecessarily long for money that is due them? Very respectfully yours,

G. G. THOMSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 798.

**Department of Street Cleaning—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Deficits in Various Accounts.**

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Commissioner, Department of Street Cleaning:

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Municipal Building, 12th Floor, New York, August 4th, 1916.

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

Sir—I respectfully request that your Honorable Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 188, subdivision 8 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred nineteen thousand nine hundred thirty-four 72/100 dollars (\$119,934.72) to meet the estimated deficit in the following account:

*Allowed for 1916.*

Supplies—	
2348 Forage and Veterinary Supplies—	
Forage allowance per capita per diem, \$0.545 x 2,450 horses.....	\$488,701 50
Rubber hoof pads allowance per capita per month, \$0.35 x 2,450 horses	10,290 00
x 2,450 horses .....	10,290 00
Leather hoof soles allowance per capita per month, \$0.38 x 2,450	
horses .....	11,172 00
Tar and oakum for packing pads and soles.....	10 00
Veterinary supplies allowance per capita per month, \$0.165 x 2,450	
horses .....	4,851 00

Total, Forage and Veterinary Supplies.....	\$515,114 50
Amount expended to December 31, 1916 (estimated).....	635,049 22

Estimated deficit .....

\$119,934 72

The reason for this deficit is that the amount allowed for 1916 is insufficient, owing to the increased cost of forage over budgetary allowance.

I transmit herewith a statement showing the estimated expenditures for the year 1916. Yours truly,

A. E. KALBACH, Acting Commissioner.



*Estimated Condition of Code No. 2348, Forage and Veterinary Supplies, 1916.*

	Manhattan.	Brooklyn.	The Bronx.	Total.
Estimated Expenditures—				
Contracts—				
Forage—				
January, February, March,				
April, May .....	\$111,175 78	\$110,316 68	\$39,192 21	\$260,684 67
June, July, August .....	58,066 21	57,723 97	22,115 20	137,905 38
August shortage (proposed) ..	1,680 00	8,063 00	.....	9,743 00
September, October (proposed) ..	38,857 88	43,923 69	13,955 91	96,737 48
November, December (proposed) ..	45,475 96	51,122 64	15,473 19	112,071 79
Leather soles .....	.....	.....	.....	*2,000 00
Horseshoe pads .....	.....	.....	.....	*7,036 50
Open Market Orders—				
Forage .....	.....	.....	.....	*2,004 65
Drugs .....	.....	.....	.....	*4,119 92
Leather soles .....	.....	.....	.....	*1,718 83
Pine tar and oakum .....	.....	.....	.....	*227 00
Drugs for balance of year .....	.....	.....	.....	*800 00
	\$255,255 83	\$271,149 98	\$90,736 51	\$635,049 22
Appropriation for 1916 .....				515,114 50
Estimated deficit .....				\$119,934 72

\*All boroughs.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 799.

**Department of Street Cleaning—Request for Amendment of Resolution Authorizing Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Purchase Eight Ford Automobiles, so as to Provide for the Purchase of Twelve Automobiles.**

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, Municipal Building, 12th Floor, New York, August 8, 1916.

*Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:*

Sir—On July 7, the Board of Aldermen passed a resolution granting special revenue bonds, to the amount of \$5,271 to this Department, for the purpose of purchasing Ford automobiles. In this resolution it was stated that the number of cars to be purchased was eight, while the money allowed would cover twelve. On same date your Honorable Board passed a resolution allowing this Department to purchase in the open market, without public letting, twelve Ford automobiles, for the sum of \$5,271. As this sum will cover the twelve automobiles I respectfully request that said resolution be amended so as to read: Twelve Ford automobiles instead of eight, as now in said resolution.

It was the original intention to purchase from the appropriation of corporate stock of model district, four of these machines, but it is believed that corporate stock should not be used for this purpose, therefore, the amount of special revenue bonds requested included these four, making a total of twelve, in all.

Trusting that you will give this your kind attention, I am, yours truly,

A. E. KALBACH, Acting Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Examining Board of Plumbers:

No. 800.

**Examining Board of Plumbers—Request for Permission to Draw on Comptroller for Sum Not to Exceed \$100, to Be Charged Against the Appropriation for Supplies.**

Office, Examining Board of Plumbers, City of New York, 8th Floor, Municipal Building, New York, July 12, 1916.

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

Sir—I hereby respectfully request permission to draw upon the Comptroller, by requisition, a sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100) to be expended for postage necessary to circularize master or employing plumbers in New York in the matter of metal signs which they will be required, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 305, Laws of 1916, to display after October 1, 1916. This amount to be drawn against our budget appropriation for 1916, Code No. 322, Supplies, and to be accounted for to the Comptroller by voucher certified by the Chairman of the Board. Respectfully,

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS, JAMES M. MORROW, Chairman.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Alderman Kenney offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing for postage necessary to circularize Master or Employing Plumbers in New York City in the matter of metal signs which they will be required to display after October 1, 1916, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 305, Laws of 1916, the Chairman of the Examining Board of Plumbers may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100), and may, in like amount, renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary, to the extent of the budget appropriation for 1916, Code No. 322, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Chairman of the Examining Board of Plumbers, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

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 Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolp, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson by John G. Borgsted, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

No. 801.

**Examining Board of Plumbers—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Provide Compensation for Extra Work.**

Office, Examining Board of Plumbers, City of New York, 8th Floor, Municipal Building, New York, August 23, 1916.

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

My dear Mr. President—Having in mind our conversation of recent date, the Board is submitting herewith formal application to the Board of Aldermen for an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,200 to compensate it for extra time it will be required to give in connection with the work of issuing signs to master plumbers in The City of New York.

As I stated to you in our conversation, the Board receives very small compensation for the work it is required to do; namely, not to exceed \$25 per month per member, or at the rate of \$5 per day, and this notwithstanding the fact that the number of persons given examinations has increased four fold over former years, which requires that much additional time be spent by the Board in the rating of papers.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your efforts in our behalf, I am,

Yours very truly,

JOHN J. HANNEGAN.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Police Commissioner:

No. 802.

**Police Department—Request for Authority to Board and Stable Horses Without Advertising for Competitive Bids or Proposals.**

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, August 24, 1916.

*The Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York:*

Gentlemen—Request is respectfully made, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Charter, to authorize the Police Commissioner to purchase the necessary boarding and stabling of Department horses for the year 1916, where the

same cannot be cared for by the Department stables, without advertising for competitive bids or proposals.

Yours respectfully,

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 803.

**Police Department—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Anticipated Deficiency in Account General Repairs to Buildings.**

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, September 1, 1916.

*The Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York:*

Gentlemen—It is respectfully requested that an issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$3,400 be authorized to make up an anticipated deficiency in the appropriation to the Police Department for General Repairs to Buildings, Code No. 1625-C.

The expenditures to the above amount were incurred in connection with the establishment of a Traffic Court at No. 300 Mulberry street and were not provided for in our budget for 1916. The expenditures have been incurred from the Police Department appropriations because of the fact that the building at No. 300 Mulberry street is under the jurisdiction of this Department.

Very truly yours,

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 804.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Replenish the Fund, Repaving Street Pavements Between Railroad Tracks, in the Borough of Manhattan.**

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, July 19, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$10,000 for the purpose of replenishing the fund known as R. P. M. 32-A, Repaving Street Pavements between Railroad Tracks in the Borough of Manhattan.

This fund was established several years ago and is for the purpose of repairing street pavements within the railroad area for which various railroad companies are responsible. The amounts expended in such repairs are recoverable in actions brought by the Corporation Counsel and the fund is reimbursed by the moneys recovered. The fund, at the present time, is practically exhausted, and, as there are many repairs which are urgent and necessary, I respectfully request that additional funds be appropriated as soon as possible. Very truly yours,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 805.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Permission to Purchase Fuel Oil Without Public Letting.**

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, August 1, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made to purchase in the open market, without public letting, a quantity of fuel oil the cost of which will not exceed \$3,000.00.

The oil is required to operate Lutz heaters for the repair of street pavements and, in view of the unsettled condition of the oil market, the department believes a much better price can be obtained by purchasing at a time such quantities as may be needed instead of entering into a contract for a stated quantity. Very truly yours,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 806.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for Purchase of Material for the Repair of Street Pavements.**

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, August 1st, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$32,000 to provide additional funds to purchase materials that are required for the repair of street pavements in this Borough.

The appropriations allowed in the 1916 budget are totally inadequate to carry on the work to the end of the year and to enable the department to take care of the unprecedented number of repairs that are necessary.

The inadequacy of the appropriations is due to the increase in the market price of all materials and the additional quantities consumed in the repair of a much larger yardage than was anticipated. This condition is caused by the rapid wearing out of the pavements as they deteriorate with age.

The Municipal Asphalt Plant of this Borough has been working to its fullest capacity and, in order to keep pace with the defective conditions of the pavements as they develop, it is necessary to have the materials to perform the work.

Your early consideration will oblige, very truly yours,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 807.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Extension of Time in Incurring Obligations for Altering and Refurnishing the City Hall.**

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, August 11th, 1916.

*Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:*

Dear Sir—Under date of May 13th, 1915, a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$40,000 for the purpose of making alterations and refurnishing the City Hall.

By a subsequent resolution of your Honorable Board, the time for incurring obligations against the appropriation was extended until June 30th, 1916. In order that some additional furniture may be purchased for the Mayor's office, I respectfully request that the time for incurring obligations be again extended until December 31, 1916. Yours very truly,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 808.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Deficit in Account, Repairs and Replacements, Sewers.**

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, August 18, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—On February 9, 1916, a contract for repairs to sewer in 110th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues, was let. It was awarded on February 10, 1916, signed on February 18, registered on February 21, 1916, and on February 24th the contractor was ordered to commence work.

The total amount bid was \$17,327.55. To date \$16,202.72 has been earned on the contract, and it is estimated that, in order to complete the work as laid out in the contract, an additional payment of approximately \$5,215 will be necessary. This will bring the total amount of the contract up to approximately \$21,417.

It is, therefore, observed that the final estimate would be approximately \$4,090 in excess of the contract figures. This has been brought about by the fact that four items have exceeded the estimated quantities, namely, 3-foot 6-inch by 2-foot 4-inch brick and concrete sewer, timber and planking for bracing and sheeting, wedge rock excavated and removed, and rock excavated and removed. The principal reason for the excess, however, is due to the last two items. The estimated quantity for wedge rock excavated and removed was 10 yards, whereas the actual quantity to be removed is estimated to be approximately 300 yards. The estimated quantity of rock excavated and removed was one (1) cubic yard, whereas the actual quantity to be removed is estimated to be approximately 300 yards.

This contract is being provided for from Tax Levy Appropriation under the heading of Repairs and Replacement to Sewers, Budget Line 424H, and, as the unencumbered balance is not sufficient to provide for the deficit between the contract figure and the total amount necessary for the completed contract, it is, therefore, requested that Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$4,500 be issued.

Yours very truly,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.



No. 809.

**President of the Borough of Manhattan—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Replenish Various Appropriations That Have Become Exhausted.**

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, August 23, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, 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 \$21,000 for the purpose of replenishing several appropriations of this department that have become exhausted.

The amount allowed for 1916 in the various appropriations enumerated below has been found to be totally inadequate to properly carry on the work of this department for a period of twelve months.

Under date of June 6, 1916, a request was made to your Honorable Board for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$18,656 for the same purposes stated herein, and the amount allowed was \$5,400. Under these conditions the department is again compelled to request an additional issue of Revenue Bonds to purchase materials and supplies that are absolutely necessary to perform the work that the department is expected to do:

No.	Title.	Allowed.	Required.
394A	Cleaning Supplies, P. B. & O.....	\$3,140 00	\$1,000 00
396A	Motor Vehicle Supplies, Adm.....	3,000 00	500 00
398A	Gen'l Plant Supplies, Adm.....	2,000 00	300 00
398B	Gen'l Plant Supplies, Highways.....	100 50	100 00
398C	Gen'l Plant Supplies, Sewers.....	178 00	250 00
398F	Gen'l Plant Supplies, Asphalt Plant.....	730 00	500 00
412F	Plant Equipment, Asphalt Plant.....	1,000 00	5,000 00
420A	Building Material, P. B. & O.....	9,000 00	6,000 00
424A	Gen'l Repairs, Adm.....	400 00	150 00
424H	Gen'l Repairs, Sewers.....	21,830 00	2,500 00
424I	Gen'l Repairs, P. B. & O.....	34,400 00	4,000 00
422C	Plant Materials, Asphalt Plant.....	2,560 00	500 00
442A	Gen'l Plant Service, Adm.....	1,000 00	200 00
Total.....			\$21,000 00

Yours very truly,

RALPH FOLKS, Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 810.

**President of the Borough of Brooklyn—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Deficit in Fuel Appropriation.**

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, September 2, 1916.

To the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—The balance available in the appropriation of my office known as No. 583, Fuel, on September 1st, 1916, amounted to \$328.77.

The following articles chargeable to this appropriation will be needed to maintain the 7 Interior Public Baths, 7 Comfort Stations and various Public Buildings for the remainder of the year:

3,725,000 lbs. egg coal at \$3.12 per M.....	\$11,622 00
480,000 lbs. pea coal at \$2.68 per M.....	1,286 40
12,500 gals. kerosene at 9 cents per gal.....	1,125 00
7,000 gals. fuel oil at 6 cents per gal.....	420 00
Kindling wood .....	100 00
50 tons Cannel coal at \$10.....	500 00

Which will leave a deficit in this appropriation of..... 14,724 63

There are no available balances in any of our other appropriations from which we could transfer to meet this deficit.

I would, therefore, respectfully request that your Board adopt a resolution as early as possible providing for an issue of Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$14,724.63, in order to meet the deficit in the fuel appropriation for my office for the year 1916.

Yours very truly, E. W. VOORHIES, Acting Borough President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner, Department of Street Cleaning:

No. 811.

**President of the Borough of Richmond—Request for Authority to Purchase Two Motor Trucks Without Public Letting.**

Corporate Stock, Fld. No. 40, Motor Trucks.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, July 14, 1916.

Board of Aldermen, Municipal Building, New York:

Dear Sirs—Pursuant to Section 419 of the Charter of The City of New York, your Board is respectfully requested to sanction the purchase, on open market order, by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the Bureau of Street Cleaning, of two (2) motor trucks, each to cost in excess of one thousand dollars and the aggregate cost of the two trucks not to exceed \$3,700.00; said trucks are to be used for the conveyance of clinker from our West New Brighton and Clifton Destructors to outlying districts of Staten Island where it is very valuable in the repair of highways in swampy places, and in the collection of household refuse whenever the latter branch of Street Cleaning work requires it. Yours truly,

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the President, Borough of Richmond.

No. 812.

**President of the Borough of Richmond—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Increase the Wages of Various Employees in the Bureau of Street Cleaning.**

1916 Appropriation Fld. 47, Special Revenue Bonds for Wage Increases.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Bureau of Street Cleaning, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, August 9th, 1916.

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

Sirs—The Bureau of Street Cleaning of my office employs 95 sweepers and 27 laborers at the annual wage of \$720, one laborer at the rate of \$780 per annum and ten hired carts, horses and drivers who receive \$3.50 per diem.

It is proposed, on account of the rise in living expenses, to increase the wages of these employees, commencing September 10th, 1916, in the following manner:

The sweepers and laborers to \$840 per annum.

The hired carts, horses and drivers to \$4.00 per day. To consummate this plan, the sum of \$4,956.41 will be required, and I would respectfully ask your Board to authorize the issuance of special revenue bonds in the amount herein mentioned, pursuant to provisions of Section 188, sub-section 8 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Very respectfully yours, CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 813.

**President of the Borough of Richmond—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the Purchase of Fuel.**

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, July 7, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—As the money allowed for fuel for the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices is insufficient to heat and operate public buildings under my jurisdiction the remainder of the year, I herewith kindly request your Honorable Board to adopt the necessary resolutions instructing the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$1,081.50 in order that we will be able to purchase sufficient fuel to carry us through the remainder of the year 1916. Very respectfully,

HENRY P. MORRISON, Acting President, Borough of Richmond.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, Sept. 1, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Under date of July 7th, I forwarded a communication to your Honorable Board, calling your attention to the fact that insufficient money had been appropriated for purchasing fuel to heat public buildings under my jurisdiction, for the present year; and made a request upon you to adopt resolutions instructing the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to enable us to purchase the fuel needed to carry us through the remainder of the year 1916. And up to this time of writing nothing has been heard in the premises. Will you kindly give this matter your immediate attention and let me know whether anything has been done in the matter?

Yours very respectfully,

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President, Borough of Richmond.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Secretary, Board of Inebriety:

No. 814.

**Board of Inebriety—Request for Authority to Award Contract for Construction of a Barn at Warwick, N. Y., Without Public Letting.**

Board of Inebriety of The City of New York, 300 Mulberry Street, New York, July 5th, 1916.

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

Sir—I am instructed to request the Board of Aldermen for authority to award a contract without public letting for the erection of a barn at the City Farm at Warwick, New York, at a cost not exceeding \$10,000.

After the contract for the purchase of the New York City Farms was made, but before the acquisition of title, two barns were destroyed by fire, in consequence of which the City Farm lacks even the ordinary barn conveniences. It is imperative that storage facilities be provided for the crops now under cultivation and for the proper care of the machinery and farm implements, also for the horses now kept in a "makeshift" stable.

It is the intention of the Board to secure competitive bids, and every opportunity will be given to New York contractors to figure. The procedure as to the receipt and opening of bids by advertised letting will be followed so far as practicable, and the authority to award the contract without public letting is sought solely to avoid the delay and cost of printing specifications, advertising, etc. In view of the urgency it is hoped that it will be possible for the Board of Aldermen to act on the request before adjourning for the summer.

Respectfully,

CHAS. SAMSON, Executive Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Secretary, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals:

No. 815.

**Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Request for Permission to Contract, Without Public Letting, for Plumbing in New Building for Out-Patient Department of Gouverneur Hospital.**

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, August 23rd, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen for permission to enter into a contract, without public letting, in the amount of \$5,843, approximately, for the installation of the plumbing fixtures in the new building for the out-patient department of Gouverneur Hospital, which were omitted from the original contract in order to reduce the cost. Under the rules of the Master Plumbers' Association no plumber will contract to do the work in a building in which another plumber has an unfinished contract, and inasmuch as the City retains 2 per cent. of the contract price for one year after acceptance of the building this will prevent another plumber doing work in the building during that period, as a contract is completed only when the last payment is made. Respectfully,

J. K. PAULDING, Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries:

No. 816.

**Department of Docks and Ferries—Request for Authority to Enter Into Agreement with New York Central Railroad Company, Without Public Letting, for Repairs to Pier at Foot of West 36th Street, North River.**

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, September 11, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—The lease of the pier at the foot of West 36th Street, North River, provides that the City shall bear the expense of necessary repairs to the substructure of the inner 500 feet of the pier, the lessee to bear the cost of all repairs to the remaining portions of the pier. Examination showed repairs necessary to the substructure of the inner 500 feet of the pier, estimated by the lessee at \$4,400.

On June 20, 1916, I submitted to the Board of Aldermen a request for revenue bonds in the sum of \$4,400 to cover the repairs for which the City is liable under the lease.

The New York Central Railroad Company, the lessee of the pier, has progressed with its repairs to the point where it is now stopped from continuing until the City complies with the terms of its obligation.

The Chief Engineer of this Department states that the preliminary estimate of \$4,400, presented by the lessee, is fair and reasonable, and that to undertake the work by Department force would duplicate supervision and create confusion and without any question would mean additional cost if done in that way. The Department would not be able to do the work with its own force without entailing a much larger expense upon the City.

I request that if the application of June 20, 1916, for revenue bonds be granted a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen authorizing me to enter into an agreement with the New York Central Railroad Company, without public letting, whereby said Company will make the repairs to the substructure of the inner 500 feet of the pier, for which the City is responsible, at a cost not to exceed \$4,400.

Yours very truly,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner, Department of Street Cleaning:

No. 817.

**Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Request for Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Anticipated Deficits in Accounts for Final Disposition of Refuse.**

Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York, September 9, 1916.

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

Sir—I respectfully request that your Honorable Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 188, subdivision 8, of the Greater New York Charter, authorize an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of three hundred twenty-three thousand nine hundred sixty-one 15-100 dollars (\$323,961.15), the proceeds to be used to meet an estimated deficit in the accounts for the Final Disposition of Refuse, as follows:

Contract or Open Order Service, General Plant Service, Final Disposition.

2388 Manhattan .....	\$226,497 09
2389 Brooklyn .....	97,464 06

Total..... \$323,961 15

During the preparation of the Budget for 1916 there was in full force a Supreme Court decision, rendered in July, 1915, prohibiting the department from receiving and delivering on contractor's scows trade waste from buildings used for distinctively business purposes, and the sum of \$240,361.16 was deducted from the estimate because of this fact. In February, 1916, however, this Court order was modified so that most of the prohibited materials could be dumped on the contractor's scows, and, with the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, this work has since been done at the City's expense.

The hard winter, with low temperatures, caused the production of refuse in excess of the estimates to the extent of \$83,599.99.

I transmit herewith a statement showing the number of cart loads of ashes and rubbish disposed of in 1915, and the first eight months of 1916, and the estimated number of cart loads to be disposed of in the last four months of 1916, together with the amount expended in 1915, and the estimated expenditures for 1916. Yours truly,

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.



## Borough of Manhattan.

1915.										1916.									
Cartloads of Ashes of 1½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Paper Cartloads of Rubbish of 7½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Harbor Scows.	Blackwells Island.	Hire of Scow No. 32.	Rental Dumping Board.	Mooring Launch.	Hired Scows.	Towing and Shifting.	Cartloads of Ashes of 1½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Paper Cartloads of Rubbish of 7½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Harbor Scows.	Blackwells Island.	Hire of Scow No. 32.	Hired Scows.	Removing Dumping Board.	Towing and Shifting Scows.			
January.....	234,089.16	18,887.5	\$750 00	\$250 00	\$141 72	\$930 00	\$2 50	....	\$86 00	251,416.33	21,206.0	\$750 00	\$250 00	\$418 50	\$5,325 00	\$735 00	\$55 00		
February.....	215,832.16	16,697.0	750 00	250 00	128 00	840 00	2 50	....	....	231,953.50	17,771.5	750 00	250 00	391 50	505 00	....	5 00		
March.....	239,803.66	20,823.5	750 00	250 00	141 72	930 00	2 50	....	40 00	248,565.50	17,904.0	750 00	250 00	418 50	567 00	....	53 50		
April.....	190,213.16	21,514.5	750 00	250 00	137 14	900 00	2 50	....	20 00	213,579.66	19,934.5	750 00	250 00	405 00	430 00	....	....		
May.....	158,463.66	24,748.5	750 00	250 00	141 72	930 00	2 50	....	....	183,342.32	22,696.5	750 00	250 00	418 50	430 00	....	....		
June.....	142,991.99	25,224.0	750 00	250 00	137 14	900 00	2 50	....	10 00	151,500.66	22,893.0	750 00	250 00	405 00	430 00	....	....		
July.....	135,548.50	26,284.0	750 00	250 00	141 72	930 00	....	\$70 00	....	139,721.66	24,075.0	750 00	250 00	418 50	430 00	....	....		
August.....	133,046.32	24,549.0	750 00	250 00	141 72	930 00	....	....	130 00	136,745.49	23,435.0	750 00	250 00	418 50	250 00	....	....		
1,449,988.61										1,556,825.12									
September..	134,783.498	24,283.5	750 00	250 00	137 14	900 00	....	....	....	144,703.563	22,957.6	750 00	250 00	405 00	250 00	....	....		
October.....	160,488.166	25,492.5	750 00	250 00	141 72	930 00	....	52 26	....	172,300.095	24,100.6	750 00	250 00	418 50	250 00	....	....		
November...	196,724.66	24,387.5	750 00	250 00	137 14	90 00	....	180 00	35 00	211,203.594	23,055.9	750 00	250 00	405 00	250 00	....	....		
December...	235,523.00	22,240.0	750 00	250 00	141 72	....	....	411 77	80 00	252,857.492	21,025.7	750 00	250 00	418 50	250 00	....	....		
Total..2,177,507.934										2,337,889.864									
2,177,507.934 cartloads of ashes of 1½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.239 per cartload										2,337,889.864 cartloads of ashes of 1½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.239 per cartload									
Less blockades at dumps										Less hired scows, blockades, etc.									
\$520,091.696										\$558,755.68									
										5,404.67									
275,131 paper cartloads of rubbish of 7½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.239 per cartload										261,055.3 paper cartloads of rubbish of 7½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.239 per cartload									
65,756.428										62,392.22									
Harbor scows										Harbor scows									
9,000.00										9,000.00									
Blackwells Island										Blackwells Island									
3,000.00										3,000.00									
Hire of Scow No. 32										Hire of Scow No. 32									
1,668.60										4,941.00									
Rental of dumping board										Hired scows									
9,210.00										9,367.00									
Mooring launch										Towing and shifting scows									
15.00										113.50									
Hired scows										Removing dumping board									
714.00										735.00									
Towing and shifting scows																			
401.00																			
Total expended for 1915.....										Total for 1916, partly estimated.....									
\$609,856.724										\$642,899.73									

Appropriation allowed for the Borough of Manhattan for 1916	\$416,402 64
Estimated expenditure for the Borough of Manhattan for 1916	642,899 73
Estimated deficit for 1916.....	\$226,497 09
Amount expended in 1915.....	\$609,856 73
Estimated expenditures for 1916	642,899 73
Increase over 1915, due to increase of material.....	\$33,043 00
Appropriation for 1916	\$416,402 64
Expended in 1915	609,856 73
Increase due to insufficient appropriation for 1916 over expenditures for 1915.....	193,454 09
	\$226,497 09

## Borough of Brooklyn.

	1915.		1916.	
	Cart Loads of Ashes of 1½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Paper Cart Loads of Rubbish of 7½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Cart Loads of Ashes of 1½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.	Paper Cart Loads of Rubbish of 7½ Cu. Yds. Disposed of.
January .....	112,801.16	14,150.0	122,186.33	16,052.5
February .....	104,637.00	12,475.5	114,079.66	13,583.5
March .....	118,873.83	15,670.5	129,072.83	14,936.0
April .....	89,815.66	16,497.5	106,045.00	16,547.0
May .....	68,747.00	18,363.5	75,653.00	18,790.5
June .....	60,075.83	18,696.5	59,969.66	18,704.0
July .....	57,077.00	18,720.0	56,391.83	20,829.5
August .....	55,297.83	17,598.5	56,171.33	19,533.5
September .....	667,325.31	132,172.0	719,569.64	138,976.5
October .....	59,237.46	18,384.5	63,869.83	19,329.46
November .....	71,855.49	19,052.5	77,474.59	20,031.80
December .....	92,475.66	17,854.5	99,707.26	18,772.22
December .....	116,553.33	17,003.0	125,667.80	17,876.95
Totals .....	1,007,447.25	204,466.5	1,086,289.12	214,986.93

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1915.		1916.	
1,007,447.25 cartloads of ashes of 1½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.63 per cartload .....	\$634,691 77	1,086,289.12 cartloads of ashes of 1½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.63 per cartload .....	\$684,362 15
Less blockades at dumps .....	79 99	Less blockades at dumps .....	245 42
204,466.5 paper cartloads of rubbish of 7½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.10 per cartload .....	\$634,611 78	214,986.93 paper cartloads of rubbish of 7½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.10 per cartload .....	20,446 65
Total expended for 1915 .....	\$655,058 43	Total for 1916, partly estimated .....	\$705,615 42
1916.		1916.	
1,086,289.12 cartloads of ashes of 1½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.63 per cartload .....	\$684,362 15	Appropriation allowance for the Borough of Brooklyn for 1916 .....	\$608,151 36
Less blockades at dumps .....	245 42	Estimated expenditures for the Borough of Brooklyn for 1916 .....	705,615 42
\$684,116 73		Estimated deficit for 1916 .....	\$97,464 06
214,986.93 paper cartloads of rubbish of 7½ cubic yards disposed of at \$0.10 per cartload .....	21,498 69	Amount expended in 1915 .....	\$655,058 43
Total for 1916, partly estimated .....	\$705,615 42	Estimated expenditures for 1916 .....	705,615 42
Increase over 1915, due to increase of material .....		\$50,556 99	
Appropriation for 1916 .....	\$608,151 36		
Expended in 1915 .....	655,058 43		
Increase due to insufficient appropriation for 1916 over expendi- tures for 1915 .....		46,907 07	
		\$97,464 00	



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

Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$7,600, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of forage and veterinary supplies because of necessities beyond the appropriations made for the year 1916.

The condition of the accounts involved, as indicated on July 1, 1916, was as follows:

No. 1129. Forage and Veterinary Supplies, Care of Parks and Boulevards.	
Requirements for balance of the year 1916—	
Forage (estimate submitted to Central Purchase Committee):	
97th Street stables .....	\$5,035 00
Speedway stables .....	550 00
Drugs, etc. ....	50 00
Total requirements .....	\$5,635 00
Balance on hand, July 1, 1916.....	549 08
Deficit .....	\$5,085 92

No. 1130. Forage and Veterinary Supplies, Care of Menagerie.	
Requirements for the balance of the year 1916—	
Forage (estimate submitted to Central Purchase Committee).....	
Beef, 5 months .....	3,250 00
Milk, 5 months .....	62 50
Fish, 5 months .....	112 50
Bread, 5 months .....	337 50
Vegetables, 5 months .....	350 00
Seed (bird), 6 months .....	150 00
Mocking bird food .....	72 00
Drugs, etc. ....	25 00
Total requirements .....	\$6,659 50
Balance on hand July 1, 1916.....	4,202 58
Deficit .....	\$2,456 92

On January 1, 1916, the department had 79 horses, which it was anticipated would be reduced to 66, due to the partial motorization of the vehicular service of the department. Although every effort was made by me to transfer these horses to some other departments, the reduction to the final figure was not possible until the middle of May. Therefore, for a part of the year, the department was compelled to feed, from its forage accounts, 13 horses for which no provision was made.

Further, the cost of forage and food was largely in excess of the prices estimated in the preparation of the departmental estimate in the budget.

As this authorization will be absolutely necessary early in September, so that the horses in use in the department and the animals in the menagerie may be fed, you are hereby requested to make such examination and investigation as you deem necessary as soon as possible, so that there may be no delay in the final action on this matter.

Respectfully yours, CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 821.

#### Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the Purchase of Fuel.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, September 6, 1916.

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

Sir—Request is hereby made for an authorization of special revenue bonds, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$3,300, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of fuel necessary for the operation of this department for the last four months of the year 1916.

The estimated deficit in account No. 1131, Fuel Supplies, is \$3,226.67, as indicated in the following table:

Requirements for four months ending 1916:	
250 tons Broken Coal at \$6.60.....	\$1,650 00
370 tons Egg Coal at \$7.10.....	2,627 00
20 tons Stove Coal at \$7.20.....	144 00
10 tons Nut Coal at \$7.25.....	72 50
8 tons Cumberland Coal at \$6.50.....	52 00
	\$4,545 50
Balance September 1st.....	1,318 83
Deficit .....	\$3,226 67

The deficit in this account is mainly due to the present increased cost of fuel over the unit cost used in arriving at the departmental estimates for coal submitted in the fall of 1915. Yours very truly,

ROBERT F. VALENTINE, Acting Commissioner of Parks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 822.

#### Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the Purchase of Gasoline and Oil.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, September 6, 1916.

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

Sir—Request is hereby made for an authorization of special revenue bonds, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$2,000, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of gasoline and oil necessary for the operation of the motor apparatus in this department for the four months ending December 31, 1916.

The estimated deficit in account No. 1134, Motor Vehicle Supplies, to which this gasoline and oil are chargeable, is \$1,961.60, as shown in the following statement:

Requirements for four months ending December 31, 1916:

Gasoline—	
Trucks, Runabouts, and Lawn Mowers.....	5,000 gals.
Road Rollers—	
5 Rollers for 15 days.....	1,500 gals.
3 Rollers for 45 days.....	2,250 gals.
	8,750 gals.
Balance due on contract.....	810 gals.
Deficit (value \$1,905.60) .....	7,940 gals.

Lubricating Oil—	
6 Bbbls. (312 gals.) Keystone Oil—	
7,940 gals. Gasoline at 24 cents.....	\$1,905 60
312 gals. Keystone Oil at 50 cents.....	156 00
	\$2,161 60
Balance on hand September 1st.....	200 00
Deficit .....	\$1,961 60

In the departmental estimate for 1916, the cost of gasoline was estimated at 12 cents a gallon, while the actual cost during the year was about 24 cents a gallon. The estimate for 1916 did not include gasoline, the consumption of which was made necessary by the authorization of special revenue bonds for additional work on the repairs to roads. The Keystone Oil is necessary to take the place of gas engine oil which was purchased as a substitute on contract through the Central Purchase Committee, and has been found to be useless as far as our motor vehicles are concerned.

Yours very truly, ROBERT F. VALENTINE, Acting Commissioner of Parks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 823.

#### Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the Purchase of Kerosene, Toilet Paper and Miscellaneous Articles.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, September 7, 1916.

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

Sir—Request is hereby made for an authorization of special revenue bonds, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$660.

This amount is to be used for the purchase of kerosene and toilet paper and miscellaneous items for the four months ending December 31, 1916.

The deficit in account No. 1138B, General Plant Supplies, Care of Parks and Boulevards, from which expenditures for these items are made, is indicated in the following summary:

Requirements for four months ending December 31, 1916.	
936 gals. kerosene at 7 cents.....	\$65 62
60 cases toilet paper at \$10.50.....	630 00
Miscellaneous items .....	104 48
	\$800 00
Balance on hand .....	140 00
Deficit .....	\$660 00

The shortage in this account is due to the present increase in the cost of supplies over the unit cost used in figuring these allowances when the budget estimates were submitted in the Fall of 1915. Yours very truly,

ROBERT F. VALENTINE, Acting Commissioner of Parks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 824.

#### Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Request for Authority to Contract for Completing the Erection of the Artificial Granite Balustrade on the Speedway Bulkhead Wall, Without Public Letting.

City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, September 5, 1916.

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

Sir—Request is hereby made that, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, this department be authorized to enter into contract in the open market, without public letting, for completing the erection of the artificial granite balustrade on the Speedway bulkhead wall from the staircase up to Highbridge Pier, a distance of approximately 102 feet. The work of the present contractor, P. T. Cox, will terminate the staircase. He estimates and proposes to construct the necessary 102 feet for \$1,150, which estimate is based on the cost per linear foot, for furnishing and setting.

This estimate is deemed to be very reasonable and the work is necessary to a proper completion of this improvement. When this section of the balustrade is erected it will complete the balustrade from Highbridge Pier in one continuous line to the end of the newly constructed concrete wall opposite 182nd Street.

Yours very truly, ROBERT F. VALENTINE, Acting Commissioner of Parks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk, Borough of Richmond:

No. 825.

#### County Clerk, Richmond County—Request for Changes in Title of Two Employees.

County Clerk's Office, Richmond County, Richmond, N. Y., July 8th, 1916.

Hon. Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—I hereby request that your Honorable Board change the titles of two employees in my office, namely:

Mr. William A. Grieme from "Clerk" to "Chief Recording Clerk" and Mr. Walter Hurst from "Searcher" to "Chief Clerk."

My reason for requesting above changes can be briefly stated by saying, in the case of Mr. Grieme, that he has charge of the Recording Room and is responsible for the papers therein filed and recorded, in addition to his regular work as Recording Clerk. As for Mr. Hurst, I will say that in October, 1912, I assigned him to the Main Desk in the office, and he has really been Chief Clerk, Cashier, Bookkeeper and Searcher ever since. His position necessitates the examination of every Deed, Mortgage or other paper that comes into the office for record or to be filed, and to see whether or not the laws as written on the statute books have been complied with.

Thanking you in advance for your favorable consideration in the above matter, I beg to remain, Yours very truly,

C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.

Which was referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Secretary, pro tem., Department of Health:

No. 826.

#### Department of Health—Requesting an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds for Repairs to Dock at the Foot of West 39th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and the Buildings Thereon.

City of New York, Department of Health, Office of the Secretary, August 14, 1916.

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

Sir—On April 14, 1916, a report was forwarded by Tilden Adamson, Director, to His Honor the Mayor, of the condition of the dock at the foot of West 39th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and of the buildings thereon, which dock and buildings are operated by the contractors in connection with the transportation and disposal of offal, night soil, dead animals, etc., from the City of New York.

This report (a copy of which is herewith enclosed) was based upon a re-survey of the matter by an engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries in co-operation with an engineer of the Bureau of Contract Supervision of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and it is recommended therein that the sum of \$12,350 be made available for the necessary repairs to said dock and buildings.

Accordingly the matter was submitted to the Board of Health on July 28, 1916, and a resolution was adopted requesting the Board of Aldermen to petition the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$12,350 for the purpose of adequately repairing the dock and buildings, provided the Department of Docks and Ferries agrees to supervise the work and supply the force of laborers.

A copy of this resolution is herewith enclosed, together with a communication dated August 8, 1916, received from the Department of Docks and Ferries advising this Department that in the event of the funds being made available the Department of Docks and Ferries could organize a gang and proceed with the work.

It is requested that the matter be submitted to the Board of Aldermen at its next meeting for attention. Very truly yours,

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary Pro Tem.

City of New York, Department of Health, Office of the Secretary, August 14, 1916.

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

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held July 28, 1916, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, be and it is hereby respectfully petitioned to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding the sum of \$12,350, the proceeds whereof to be applied to provide means necessary to defray the expenses of the Department of Health to adequately repair the dock and buildings at the foot of West 39th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, operated by the Contractors in connection with the transportation and disposal of offal, night soil, dead animals, etc., from the City of New York; the Department of Docks and Ferries to supply a force of laborers to do the work required to put the dock and buildings in proper condition.

A true copy.

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary Pro Tem.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 14, 1916.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor:

Sir—On March 22, 1916, you forwarded to the Bureau of Contract Supervision a request of the Commissioner of Health, dated March 20, 1916, for your permission to apply to the Board of Aldermen for an issue of \$25,000 in special revenue bonds for repairing the pier and restoring buildings at the offal dock at the foot of West 39th Street, North River.

This pier is about 927 feet in length, by 60 feet in width. The inner portion of the pier for a distance of 577 feet, with the exception of passageway in the center, is occupied by tenants under leases or permits from the Department of Docks and Ferries, as follows:

North Side—New York Horse Manure Transportation Company; New York Butchers Dressed Beef Company.



South Side—John J. Mulligan, Public Dump; M. J. Sheehy, Ice Bridge; Joseph Stow & Son, Wharf.

The outer end having a length of about 350 feet, has been used as an offal dock since about 1901, and is now occupied by the "Produce Manufacturing Company" under contract with the Department of Health for the "removal of night soil, offal, dead animals, etc." from the several boroughs of The City of New York. The contract was entered into June 10, 1915, and will expire June 30, 1920.

Under this contract it is provided that "The City will designate direct, provide or procure to be set apart the dock at the foot of W. 39th street or some other dock in that vicinity to be used by the Contractor in the performance of this contract."

On this pier the following buildings were built and are maintained by the contractor:

One-story office, 20.8 feet by 13 feet; one-story frame storehouse, 63.7 feet by 13 feet; open frame shed, 17 feet by 144 feet; one-story frame stable, 177 feet by 26 feet.

The request of the Commissioner of Health for \$25,000 special revenue bonds is based on an estimate prepared by the Department of Docks and Ferries, as follows:

Repairs to the pier proper.....	\$16,000 00
Tearing down and restoring with new materials the buildings described above .....	9,000 00

The Commissioner of Docks upon being consulted with reference to the advisability of making these repairs, expressed an opinion favoring the removal of the contractor's work to some pier less valuable than the one at 39th street, and asked that a short time be given to find some other location.

On April 8th, Deputy Commissioner Harrison informed an engineer of this Bureau that the Department had found it impossible to locate the "offal" dock elsewhere at the present time.

It was then suggested to the Department of Docks and Ferries that it might be possible to repair the pier, so as to make it safe and satisfactory during the term of the present contract, without tearing down or disturbing the buildings, thereby saving the City the cost of restoring the same.

In accordance with this suggestion a resurvey of the pier has been made by an engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries in conjunction with an engineer of the Bureau of Contract Supervision and a revised estimate made, with amounts in round numbers to \$12,350.

The amount named is considered sufficient to renew all decking and sheathing over the area not occupied by buildings, to repair rangers where necessary; bench-cap bearing piles where necessary; renew about 75 per cent. of the fender system, renew vertical sheathing and clusters at the outer end of the pier and perform all other work necessary at the present time to adequately repair the pier.

The fund, if provided, should be subject to control of the Department of Docks and Ferries, so that work may be performed by the departmental labor force of that Department.

The character of the "offal" contractor's work on the pier and the nature of the repairs to be made would preclude the advisability of making the repairs by contract.

I recommend that the request be approved to the extent of \$12,350, the fund to be used by the Department of Docks and Ferries in making the repairs.

Respectfully, TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

A true copy. ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary, Pro. Tem.

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, August 8, 1916.

A. E. SHIPLEY, M.D., Secretary Pro Tem., Department of Health.

Dear Sir—Answering your communication of the 18th ultimo with reference to repairs to that portion of the offal dock at the foot of West 39th Street, North River, occupied by your Department, I beg to advise you that in the event of funds being made available this Department could organize a gang and proceed with the work.

The estimate heretofore furnished, \$12,350, included an overhead charge of 17½ per cent., as usual, to cover supervision, clerical work, etc., by per annum men. The actual repairs, including labor force and material, are estimated at \$10,525.80. The overhead charge could be eliminated and this would make a request for, say, \$10,600 sufficient. This figure does not contemplate any work whatever on the buildings, but simply covers repairs to the pier proper.

In order to proceed with the work, it will first be necessary to obtain material under contract. As the Board of Aldermen will not meet until the early part of September, and as it will be necessary to advertise, award and execute a contract for the material after the funds become available, it would be the latter part of November or the early part of December before the actual repair work could be commenced as a charge against a revenue bond fund.

This Department has included in the 1917 budget a request for \$10,525.80 to cover this repair work, and, if the money is allowed for 1917, as requested, the repairs could be undertaken as one of the first extensive jobs after the first of the year. Yours very truly,

RICHARD C. HARRISON, Acting Commissioner of Docks.

A true copy. ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary Pro Tem.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 827.

**Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn—Request for Permission to Contract for Repairs to Breeze Hill Bridge, Prospect Park, Without Public Letting.**

Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, July 19, 1916.

Hon. Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—In the Budget of this Department for the year 1916, an allowance of \$1,980 was provided for repairs to Breeze Hill Bridge, Prospect Park. The repairs contemplated are the taking up of the old pavement and waterproofing and the re-waterproofing and repaving of the bridge decking, which is in a very bad condition at this time.

Contract specifications and plans for the work were accordingly prepared and bids were opened by the Park Board on June 22nd, 1916. Only two bids were received, one in the amount of \$3,413, and the other in the amount of \$2,996.50. The lowest bid as shown as approximately \$1,000 in excess of the estimate cost, and as the prices appeared exceedingly high and unreasonable, the bids were accordingly rejected by the Park Board on June 29th, 1916.

The work to be performed in connection with the Bridge repairs has since been divided into two parts, and specifications have been prepared separately for each, and bids solicited under open market order. It has been found that by the latter method the work can be performed within the estimate amount which was provided, and this department accordingly requested the Comptroller to approve of the issuance of said open market orders. In reply we were informed by the Comptroller that it would be impossible for him to comply with our request and that the Board of Aldermen should be requested to adopt the necessary resolution covering the same.

In view of the above, request is hereby made for the adoption of the necessary resolution permitting this Department to have the above work performed without contract at public letting.

On account of the bad condition of the Bridge at this time, it is urgently requested that the adoption of the resolution be expedited as much as possible. Very truly yours,

RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 828.

**Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn—Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Deficits in Accounts for Supplies and Materials.**

City of New York, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Fifth Street and Prospect Park West, September 12, 1916.

To the Hon. Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, you are hereby respectfully requested to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars to meet deficiencies in the following accounts of this Department:

Code 1295. Fuel Supplies .....	\$2,000 00
Code 1308. Highway Materials .....	3,000 00

\$5,000 00

Additional funds are urgently needed for the balance of the year, owing to the actual prices exceeding the unit prices on which the budget for the current year was based, and to other unexpected developments. Very truly yours,

RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 829.

**Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.**

By the President—

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

Alderman Bassett—

Anna Elizabeth Lubbe, 274 Ainslie St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. J. Zeiger and F. Taylor.

Samuel Trager, 256 Seigel St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by L. C. Gosdorfer and S. Shaftel.

Benjamin Weigert, 754 Metropolitan Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by Sol Teller and Ed. Brett.

Alderman Bent—

Timothy A. Maher, 2045 East 15th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. J. Farrell and J. W. McGurtz.

Charles Frank Muendel, 284 Hamburg Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. H. Cross and P. McCormack.

Irving Herbert Schafer, 1072 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. B. Planty and P. V. Hoyler.

By Alderman Burden—

John F. Hicks, 507 First Ave., L. I. City, Queens.

Endorsed by W. B. Walsh and Wm. Wall.

John J. Lynch, 531 First Ave., L. I. City, Queens.

Endorsed by M. F. Lynch and C. H. Roszel.

By Alderman Burns—

Sam Geminder, 315 Stanton St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by Chas. Barban and A. Wasser.

Joseph D. McCaffrey, 356½ Madison St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. Henderson and N. G. Hewitt.

Moe A. Kafka, 500 Grand St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by S. Simon and M. Rothstein.

By Alderman Cardani—

Charles W. McCandless, 55 West 44th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by R. B. Aldcraft and M. Ely.

By Alderman Collins—

George Boden, 637 Second Ave., Manhattan, N. Y.

Endorsed by J. S. Shea and D. D. Thompson.

By Alderman Colne—

George F. Shiebler, 459 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. V. Sculley and J. J. Cleary.

William Andrew Keith, 588 Park Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. J. Doyle and J. Walsh.

Reginald D. Schlatter, 347 Grand Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. F. Adams and W. C. Burton.

Myron N. Rush, 327 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. L. Murray and J. A. Potts.

Philip Levy, 263 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. B. Wheeler and J. G. Murray.

George Edwin Wright, 250a Classon Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. McDermott and E. F. O'Loughlin.

By Alderman Cox—

Jacob S. Katzman, 4 Seaview Ave., Beach 41st St., Queens.

Endorsed by R. J. Merken and J. R. Brodsky.

Harry Tryon, 432 Woodland Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.

Endorsed by A. Kalstein and P. J. Young.

Charles F. Brucker, 720 Prospect Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by B. Urlaub and P. J. Bennie.

Owen F. Hughes, 20 Lott Ave., Queens.

Endorsed by T. R. Sheridan and J. F. Robertson.

Arthur Moritz Anders, 104 Halleck Ave., Ridgewood, Queens.

Endorsed by G. F. Simon and G. Eppler.

By Alderman Crane—

Florence Hinchcliffe, 502 West 167th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by R. S. Newcombe and A. E. Pressinger.

George Lansing Harvey, 50 Northern Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. D. Senftner and B. M. Barron.

Gertrude Lewis, 558 West 164th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. J. Falblapporter and E. D. Boyer.

Herman Blumkin, 547 West 158th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by S. Schuler and K. R. Kautch.

Jacob Menkes, 45 Pinehurst Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Stassman and H. W. Herman.

George Howard Wise, 742 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by P. L. Watkins and W. G. Green.

Stephen R. Byrne, 556 West 180th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. A. Close and J. V. Kelly.

Lewis Lyon Kayser, 835 West 179th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. J. Hambrecht and W. A. Fischer.

By Alderman Cunningham—

Dennis F. King, 46 Tompkins Place, Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. B. Moylan and T. H. Cullen.

By Alderman Curley—

Daniel Handler, 999 Simpson St., Bronx.

Endorsed by Chas. M. McCarter and J. A. Ahearn.

Robert E. Siskind, 854 Kelly St., Bronx.

Endorsed by L. Rosenthal and F. Danzig.

Sam Blechman, 591 East 141st St., Bronx.

Endorsed by J. B. Cenla and Felix A. Zacks.

Isaac Bier, 778 Hewitt Place, Bronx.

Endorsed by August Bischoff and Felix Badrian.

By Alderman Curran—

John Bird Quintin, 156 West 15th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by Chas. B. Mason and J. Nicchia.

By Alderman Daly—

Philip E. Brouillet, 2261 Ryer Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by A. F. Jacot and P. W. Mulroney.

Segonia T. Wood, 2068 Ryer Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by E. T. Hatch and P. McCormack.

Manfred H. Benedek, 224 East Tremont Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. A. Aron and A. Pollak.

James M. Ryan, 18 Clarke Place East, Bronx.

Endorsed by H. S. Tuthill and W. E. Ray.

Abraham Berman, 2753 Briggs Ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by E. Greenberg and S. J. Buzzell.

By Alderman Delaney.

Louis Wice, 1886 2d Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by L. Kaplan and H. E. Slusk.

By Alderman Diemer—

Edward Frederick Spitz, 265 Kosiusko St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. M. Stroock and H. Cullens.

Theodore Miller, 529 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Hinigin, Jr., and H. Diemer.

Fayette Sacoder, 176 Nostrand Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. Berg and L. F. Altkrug.

John T. Moehring, 127 Wyckoff Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. Bartscherer and O. Muhlbaier.

Isaac Franklin Russell, 422 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. Taylor and J. J. Zeiger.

Max H. Haft, 157 Pulaski St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. Abeloff and D. C. Abelov.



- Jacob Levy, 228 Vernon Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. Kelly and J. F. Andrews.  
Olive M. Edison, 980a DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. D. Atwood and C. E. Christensen.  
Louis Zirinsky, 641 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Zeitz and N. Bregstein.  
Noah C. A. Walter, 1691 Bergen St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. H. Lark and J. W. Crates.  
Charles M. Stein, 377 Irving Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Hy. Diemer and F. Roth.
- By Alderman Diemer—  
Rebecca Ruth, 332 Hart Street, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Mosson and R. Konin.  
Adelaide Foshay, 49 Pulaski st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Max Zaliels and I. Zion.  
Harry S. Hartstein, 250 Havemeyer st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by B. A. Harstein and I. Arfed.
- By Alderman Donnelly—  
Henry Heslan, 308 West Broadway, Manhattan.  
Endorsed by E. F. Kennedy and E. J. Dour.  
Amedeo A. Bertini, 154 Bleeker st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. W. Huson and M. W. Rossi.  
Reba Ullian, 154 Bleeker st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by W. A. Bertini and M. N. Huson.
- By Alderman Dostal—  
Joseph R. Brodsky, 51 East 7th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. S. Katzman and L. A. Shapiro.  
Mortimer Kaufman, 106 Second ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by L. Loeb and N. Fried.  
Joseph Weisberger & Co., 46 Avenue A, Manhattan.  
Endorsed by E. Demer and H. Frischman.  
Max Felner, 60 First st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. Cohn and W. Kaufman.
- By Alderman Drescher—  
Herbert Powell, 1402 Sterling place, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. W. Dil and M. Wagner.  
N. V. Rothenberg, 124 Amboy st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by C. A. Oberwager and B. Krauss.  
Joseph M. Lawles, 235 Hinsdale st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. H. Bearn and J. G. Snyder.  
Meyer Smith, 1863 Prospect place, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. J. Baumann and A. Wenter.  
Rae Thaler, 238 Sackman st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. Sosnusz and A. Greenman.  
Abraham H. Simon, 50 Thatford ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. A. Dempsey and I. M. Silberman.  
Louis Golumbek, 291 Christopher ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by P. E. Uhr and L. P. Goldberg.  
Irving B. Feinberg, 1474 East New York ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Wamerman and C. Gabay.  
Adolph Finkler, 2196 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Ancel and M. Greenberg.  
Julius Hochman, 357 Vermont st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. Rubenstein and S. Lerner.
- By Alderman Dunn—  
John B. Chinnery, 511 75th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by P. Ellair and J. P. Duffy.  
Francis Joseph Ryan, 255 Ovington ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by G. W. Weir and H. Clemens.  
Walter Krarup Tengelsen, 558 51st st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. J. Shay and S. V. Hude.  
Joseph Arcaro, 5710 4th ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. J. Dixon and R. A. Norris.  
Albert Edward Barette, 287 Fenimore st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by C. T. Mulligan and H. F. Earl.  
Richard W. Faughnan, 638 51st st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by P. E. Clair and J. P. Duffy.
- By Alderman Eagan—  
John Gibson Fruin, 898 3d Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by W. A. Rauh and C. A. Harnett.
- By Alderman Farley—  
Albert E. Schwartz, 313 East 72d St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by R. A. Fennelly and W. P. Perlmutter.  
John J. Kilbride, 309 East 69th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by D. Oggins and W. F. O'Connor.
- By Alderman Ferguson—  
Harry D. Hopping, 286 East 162d St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by H. Seebeck and S. Oppenheimer.  
Henry Alexander, 299 E. 161st St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by W. Gallagher and W. F. Sheehan.  
John J. Berlinghoff, 776 Forest Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by C. W. Dickerson and J. J. Lynch.  
Walter R. Holloway, 470 E. 161st St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by J. Newman and E. Arkowitz.  
Joseph Friedman, 708 Cauldwell Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by A. Bleece and G. H. King.
- By Alderman Ferrand—  
Joseph Edger Alexander, 110 Adelphi St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by T. F. Flaherty and H. C. Turner.  
Edward F. Watt, 588 Vanderbilt Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. J. Fanning and E. A. Williams.
- By Alderman Friedlander—  
Abraham Lillienthal, 37 West 114th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. C. Katz and F. E. Cramer.  
Abraham K. Fleschner, 92 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by A. A. Volk and M. M. Sstrosky.  
Lucy S. Wicker, 187 Lenox Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by G. S. Hess and H. Abrams.  
Matilda Landsman, 26 Lenox Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by H. Gettner and I. Simon.  
Felix Salerno, 117 West 116th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by S. A. Fuchs and S. L. Grad.  
Harold Herman Fallick, 59 West 117th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by W. F. Heffernan and D. Rothschild.  
Frederick David Menke, 133 West 113th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by R. Wolf and A. Hershfield.  
Lawrence I. Gerber, 65 West 115th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by A. Penerloy and J. Joffre.  
Benjamin B. Fridman, 130 W. 113th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. E. Weintraub and M. Weinberg.
- By Alderman Gaynor—  
Francis D. McGarey, 202 Lee Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by D. J. Dolan and J. E. O'Reilly.  
James Ossian Trybom, 270 S. 9th St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by D. C. Broderick and Bernard J. Vincent.  
Irving Kaiser, 282 S. 3d St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. Sobel and M. Gladstone.
- By Alderman Gilmore—  
Frederick V. Sottong, 542 East 86th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by F. O'Byrne and F. P. Simpson.  
Samuel Gross, 331 East 84th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. Kleinberger and L. J. Eisenstein.  
Paul Helfer, 1539 3d Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by L. Block and P. Roth.  
Henry F. Freck, 341 East 86th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. Block and F. J. Martin.
- By Alderman Goetz—  
Charles Edward Singer, 91 Forest Parkway, Woodhaven, Queens.  
Endorsed by D. M. Wolff and J. P. Slensby.  
David Michael Wolff, 138 Vandever St., Woodhaven, Queens.  
Endorsed by C. E. Singer and J. P. Slensby.  
Harold B. Scutt, 10025 West Point St., Hollis, Queens.  
Endorsed by B. J. Humphrey and E. R. Clark.  
Frederick F. Knauer, 85 Eads Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.  
Endorsed by J. Reimer and W. L. Hopkins.  
Anthony Moors, 618 Boyd Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.  
Endorsed by C. Voegel and A. Humm.  
Adele H. Briggs, 49 Briggs Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.  
Endorsed by L. B. New and C. F. Donnell.  
George F. Lebohner, Jackson Ave., and Walnut St., Queens.  
Endorsed by John Klein and M. H. Newman.
- By Alderman Gutman—  
Samuel Horowitz, 54 East 116th St., City.  
Endorsed by J. Houser and M. Rosenberg.  
Fannie G. Strashun, 19 East 98th St., City.  
Endorsed by H. Saealow and A. Strasbun.  
Sam Korman, 7 and 9 East 116th St., City.  
Endorsed by J. Lewis and S. A. Hyman.  
Samuel L. Weyl, 1559 Madison Ave., City.  
Endorsed by J. S. Tromjeter and E. B. Schwartz.  
Patrick J. Morrissey, 1507 Lexington Ave., City.  
Endorsed by W. J. Gallagher and S. Cleary.
- By Alderman Hannon—  
Thomas Joseph Murphy, 343 West 14th St., City.  
Endorsed by Allan E. Brosmeth and W. M. Geerp.  
John Joseph McCarthy, 132 Eighth Ave., City.  
Endorsed by R. M. Greenbank and A. Katz.  
Natale Sarbirana, 32 Gansevoort St., City.  
Endorsed by M. Da Parma and P. McCormack.
- By Alderman Haubert—  
Anna M. Ruedi, 28 Cornelia St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Thomas L. Hurley and W. F. Troy.  
Harry R. Bishinsky, 619 Barbey St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by V. S. Henderson and J. Eschmann.  
Samuel J. Goldberg, 489 Vermont St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Weintraub and M. Horowitz.  
Lewis W. Faubel, 100 Jamaica Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. R. Kays and George B. Keenan.  
William A. Strassel, 142 Hendrix St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. I. Wolff and Chas. H. Haubert.
- By Alderman Heyman—  
Klara Apat, 83 Johnson Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Samuel H. Slote and David Boker.  
Samuel Pines, 83 Manhattan Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. B. Disatrak and L. Mirabeau.  
Max M. Lasky, 58 Cook St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Spiegel and I. M. Rudelsohn.  
Joseph Solotovsky, 49 Graham Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by F. Riesenberger and H. J. Meyers.  
Harry Louis Grubman, 374 So. 5th St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Klein and M. H. Palin.  
Edward Baruch, 699 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. Heyman and H. H. Dale.  
Isaac Mendelsohn, 419 So. 5th St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Gru and D. Spero.
- By Alderman Hilkemeier—  
Jacob I. Simons, 319 Jefferson St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. J. Loeb and N. Lampie.  
Mary Antine, 369 Bushwick Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by L. Heyman and H. Heyman.
- By Alderman Hogan—  
Gustav Pius, 154 Dean St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. J. Hogan and G. A. Skizyneki.  
James F. Doyle, 125 Boerum Pl., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. G. Lockwood and E. F. Higgins.
- By Alderman Kenny—  
John J. Barrett, 397 President St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Joseph Coates and Edward Golden.
- By Alderman McCourt—  
Francesco Bonomolo, 419 W. 39th St., City.  
Endorsed by F. Mezzatesta and D. E. Sciemeca.  
Thomas E. Reynolds, 408 West 43rd St., City.  
Endorsed by J. T. Ross and J. T. O'Brien.
- By Alderman McGarry—  
William Joseph Dempsey, 191 Freeman St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. McKillop and J. W. Carpenter.
- By Alderman McGillick—  
Michael P. Auzolone, 349 East 124th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by L. A. Cunliffe and J. H. Smith.  
George B. Hartell, 154 East 121st St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by L. Lyman and T. McKnight.  
Charles Moore, 29 East 124th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by E. Badenhausen and F. C. Langley.  
Patrick J. O'Hagan, 204 East 118th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by B. Vorzimer and J. J. Brady.  
David Murray, 416 East 52nd St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by D. C. Koupal and P. Nehaing.  
Paul H. Nehaing, 255 Fort Washington Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by D. C. Koupal and D. Murray.
- By Alderman McManus—  
John Francis Smith, 445 West 50th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by G. S. Babich and T. A. McBain.
- By Alderman Martin—  
George Walter Hahn, 2735 Creston Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by Joseph M. Callahan and E. J. Gallagher.  
Frank Worsnopp, 387 East 200th St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by J. C. Stein and P. S. O'Hara.
- By Alderman Moore—  
Julius Gerber, 979 Hegeman Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by L. Lichtschein and B. H. Brumley.  
William Mehl, 342 Linwood St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. K. Abarams and R. Gresman.  
Grace A. Hardy, 108 Ridgewood Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. F. Lynch and F. E. Johnson.  
Oscar Sylvester Jones, 538 Glenmore Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. E. Woodbury and J. A. Dolan.
- By Alderman Moore—  
Morris Herman Mandel, 402 Miller Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by James C. Danzilo and M. Friedman.  
George Henry Boyce, 33 Ridgewood Ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. A. Mandeville and J. M. Kapps.  
Emanuel Mehl, 342 Linwood St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. Mehl and R. Gerhardt.
- By Alderman Moran—  
Edward Becker, 1065 Clay Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by J. B. Weisbeiner and J. J. Knewrtz.  
Alfred J. Taylor, 2041 Westchester Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by Charles E. Hally and John Keidel.  
Conrad Muller, Jr., 1522 Overing St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by H. P. Rose and J. J. Bentz.



By Alderman Mullen—  
Patrick J. Curley, 101 West 145th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. Gladstone and J. J. Jacobs.  
George L. Andrews, 2453 7th Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. H. O'Connell and E. H. Ferguson.  
George J. Rosenberg, 2441 7th Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by D. Abelov and S. Abeloff.  
Herzka (Rose M.), 216 West 140th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by S. Wolfson and J. M. Kram.  
Samuel J. Jacobs, 550 West 144th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by R. F. Kaeshie and L. Livingston.  
Albert Levine, 158 West 141st St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. A. Horwitz and L. M. Picker.

By Alderman O'Rourke—  
Alfred Keller, 830 Van Duzer St., Richmond.  
Endorsed by L. Buckbee and J. Auklin.

By Alderman Quinn—  
Nathan H. Weil, 655 West 160th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by H. Robitzek and J. J. Flaherty.

By Alderman Robitzek—  
Edgar Allen Burr Spencer, 1124 Tinton Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by S. S. Stilet and W. D. Ennisson.  
Joseph S. Klein, 893 Trinity Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by L. L. Settlet and A. J. Griffin.  
Eugene J. Busher, 651 East 164th St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by B. H. Greiner and J. Bostwick.  
Harry B. Chambers, 205 East 176th St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by G. R. Dunham and J. R. McMullen.  
John Baltes, 643 E. 170th St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by D. Kornbluh and J. Stiefel.  
Morris Horowitz, 1971 Mapes Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by S. J. Goldberg and M. Goldberg.  
Herman Margolis, 1079 Simpson St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by A. M. Pariser and P. Alpern.  
Fred. P. Rosenberg, 881 East 163rd St., Bronx.  
Endorsed by Dr. H. L. Balamuth and S. Lese.  
Herman B. Cohen, 1991 Washington Ave., Bronx.  
Endorsed by F. P. Redmond and R. Jacobson.

By Alderman Ryan—  
David Finkelstein, 1167 38th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. R. Dorman and E. Laudes.  
Raffaele Aievoli, 6410 New Utrecht ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by L. M. P. Scotto and A. E. Raitano.  
Ralph Charles Fiore, 1612 Neptune ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. E. Raitano and V. Coppola.  
Louis Michael Perenne Scott, 6323 14th ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by R. Aievoli and P. Leccia.  
Wilson W. Thompson, 2267 80th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. M. Bassett and N. Fishman.  
William Texter, Harway and 25th aves., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. J. Ryan and J. F. Murphy.  
Cornelius J. Sloat, 7210 14th ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by G. Head and W. C. Young.  
Louis Spadavecchia, 2024 Bath ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by C. Ferguson, Jr., and A. F. McNickle.  
Archie C. Ketchum, Lake st. and Ave. W., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. A. Riggvult and J. J. Ryan.  
Cornelius D. McNeerney, 1832 73d st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. F. Beamish and H. McG. Curren.  
Philip Simon, 19 Bay 23d st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. R. Greene and M. Jacobs.  
Nathan Zelmanovics, 4306 13th ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. Lekenall and C. H. Levy.  
Philip M. Bromberg, 2118 Voorhies ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by G. H. Leggatt and C. W. Cleal.  
Frederick Camelia, 260 Bay 11th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Cerf and J. B. Huott.  
John R. McDonald, 305 5th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. R. Kays and J. B. Scholl.  
Ralph S. Fisher, 1815 E. 21st st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. J. Atwood and J. H. Cross.  
Simon Fritz, 2150 84th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by N. Stavler and H. Becker.

By Alderman Schmitz—  
Frederick E. Fields, 512 6th st., College Pt., Queens.  
Endorsed by H. Spielberg and R. Burney.  
Patrick Joseph Connelly, 12 Toledo st., Elmhurst, Queens.  
Endorsed by W. P. Kinsella and J. M. Marzean.  
Otto W. Fredericks, 188 7th st., Woodside, L. I., Queens.  
Endorsed by W. J. Hofmann and J. H. Radigan.

By Alderman Schweickert—  
John Goergen, 739 E. 237th st., Bronx.  
Endorsed by J. H. Damm and B. H. Greiner.  
Samuel T. Shay, 668 E. 223d st., Bronx.  
Endorsed by T. F. Gilmore and J. J. Whitendin.

By Alderman Shields—  
Alfred George Prior, 2105 8th ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by H. F. O'Reilly and S. Sachs.  
Louis Bleier, 152 West 118th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. J. Weiss and F. H. Wilmot.  
William T. Lackey, 540 W. 113th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by A. J. Romlizer and L. J. Flashe.  
Morris Friedman, 292 Manhattan ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by E. Kilioe and M. F. Kenney.  
Thomas E. Leeman, 421 W. 117th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by P. McCormack and J. H. Cross.  
Joseph Shalleck, 292 Manhattan ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by A. L. Kenney and F. J. Connor.  
Peter Joseph White, 239 W. 105th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by W. R. Adams and A. W. Boyle.  
Albert W. O'Brien, 182 Claremont ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by E. A. Kingsley and P. W. Craig.  
Kenneth MacGregor Mayhew, 520 W. 124th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. P. Vail and J. W. Nicolls.  
Charles Jerome Thomson, 276 West 119th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by P. Enderly and F. J. Heive.

By Alderman Silberstein—  
Joseph Jacobs, 192 Stanton st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by R. Strass and S. Wohl.  
Benjamin F. Burkwith, 108 Lewist st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by C. A. Panaro and C. Goldberg.  
Solomon Ullman, 320 East 4th st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. Frackman and E. Friedman.

By Alderman Smith—  
Harold Lucas Godwin, 76 Halsey st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. J. McElhinney and B. Block.  
John Richard Manley, 822 Marcy ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Uhlmann and C. MacAran.  
Louis Stone, 759 Greene ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. Goetz and O. Emerson.  
Lola S. Tuckhorn, 653 Monroe st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by S. W. Chandler and C. A. Meier.  
Amelia J. Krauss, 493 Nostrand ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. H. Fust, Jr., and F. C. Williams.

By Alderman Squiers—  
John J. Leonard, 162 Sterling st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. J. Clancy and W. F. Hariblon.

Freeman Wells, 105 Kenilworth place, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by L. Freudenberg and L. Jakobson.  
Marguerite Loeffelhardt, 1195 President st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. J. Speth and N. E. Beeman.  
Charles Henry Scott, Jr., 516 Rugby road, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. F. Murray and R. M. McCormick.  
Frederick William Carruthers, Jr., 1206 New York ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. W. Lane and W. A. H. Bracken.  
Thomas J. Evers, 496 Second st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by C. A. Kenmore and W. H. O'Neal.  
Franklin Taylor, 1199 Ocean ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. E. Lubbe and J. J. Zeiger.  
Wade Hampton Warde, 713 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by R. B. Lawrence and F. Crothleul.  
Alexander E. Wilcox, 229 Troy ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by Wm. Buderus and J. F. Knudson.  
Ernest F. Fadum, 2621 Newkirk ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. H. Manning and H. C. Harris.  
Philip Thiel, 316 Beverly road, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. J. Fandrey and P. C. Van Zeuleu.  
John Baker, 571 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by E. Gallagher and E. L. Kessler.  
Julius Charnas, 964 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. B. Juditsky and H. L. Meyer.

By Alderman Squiers—  
Frederick W. Ronback, 1387 Dean st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by B. J. Curray and F. L. Williams.  
Anna J. Stevenson, 691 Park ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by C. Buermann and A. Buermann.  
Sadie Kaufman, 1863 Park place, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by U. M. Brook and J. Siluan.  
Mark Bridgeman, 233 Troy ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Lehrenkrauss & Sons and J. Watton.  
Martin Lippman, 1418 Persident st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by G. C. Stern and A. G. McLoughlin.

By Alderman Stapleton—  
Peter H. Hughes, 72 Madison st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. E. Gleason and J. A. Costuma.

By Alderman Stevenson—  
William Rickert, 313 13th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. Sheridan and C. F. Wilson.  
Anthony Edward Mauro, 357 13th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. B. Hunter and M. O. Williams.  
Sydney Howard Hannon, 411 Sixth ave., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. G. Huntington and J. T. Rafferty.  
Joseph J. Murtha, 459 First st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. Jonghmans and W. J. Wisert.  
George Gru, 158 Sterling place, Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by I. Mendelsohn and D. Spiro.  
James B. Flanagan, 482 7th st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by D. P. Conway and J. Macuiffly.  
P. H. Petry, 576 Fifth st., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by F. W. Walsh and A. Ruggiero.

By Alderman Sullivan—  
Giuseppe Bonomolo, 308 Mott st., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by F. Mezzatesta and A. S. Goldberg.

By Alderman Tolck—  
Benjamin Stein, 242 Broome St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by O. Goldstein and W. A. M. Friedland.

By Alderman Trau—  
Joseph M. Aimhauser, 135 East 110th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by F. H. Bluman and P. McCormack.  
Leonhard Felix Fuld, 130 East 110th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. H. Cross and P. McCormack.

By Alderman Walsh—  
John L. Rochford, 412 Cary Ave., West New Brighton, Richmond.  
Endorsed by D. J. Ryan and D. E. Rochford.  
Harold Minot Pitman, 15 Lenox Place, New Brighton, S. I., Richmond.  
Endorsed by M. Etsler and I. Lachendough.

By Alderman Williams—  
Irwin M. Berliner, 325 Central Park West, Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. H. Lang and L. Teszyuy.  
Joseph Irving Katsh, 330 West 95th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by Chas. Fischer and E. A. Kole.  
Samuel W. Goldberg, 310 West 99th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. Urkzin and I. Goldberg.

By Alderman Wirth—  
William A. Collins, 403 Decatur St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by H. McG. Curreuy and S. F. Sabbatina.  
Marie C. Milligan, 627 60th St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by W. M. Musgrave and W. L. Neu.  
August Charles Immig, 370 Bainbridge St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by A. W. Venino and E. A. Sidman.  
Beatrice M. Goldberg, 62 Bond St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by M. E. Lehman and L. B. Van Wach.  
Cornelius John O'Neill, 27 Chauncey St., Brooklyn.  
Endorsed by J. E. Pielgun and H. Glass.

By Alderman Wise—  
Samuel Duncan, 447 Lenox Ave., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. C. Thomms and W. D. Johnson.  
Wm. E. Heady, 60 West 128th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by G. W. Everett and W. Newell.  
Ellis V. Hirsh, 415 West 128th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by A. J. Kohn and J. Coleman.  
William M. Card, 358 West 124th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. Coleman and T. F. Morrissey.  
Richard Gaynor Sedgwick, 500 West 135th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by M. J. Moran and B. W. Moore.  
Anna Wexler, 624 West 139th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by J. Weiner and I. Beley.  
Jacob Kaplan, 525 West 138th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by L. J. Schwab and I. Loeb.  
John William Smith, 143 West 138th St., Manhattan.  
Endorsed by G. Stervart and H. S. Harris.

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 Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, Goetz, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolck, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

No. 830—Ord. No. 147.

**An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 6 of Section 215 of Article 16 of Chapter 23 and to Repeal an Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 6 of Section 211 of Article 16 of Chapter 23, Effective July 7, 1916, of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Signs and Show Bills.**

By Alderman Curran—  
AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 6 of section 215 of article 16 of chapter 23 and to repeal an ordinance to amend subdivision 6 of section 211 of article 16 of chapter 23, effective July 7, 1916, of the Code of Ordinances, relating to signs and show bills.



*Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:*  
Section 1. Ordinance No. 41, approved paper No. 331, adopted June 20, 1916 effective July 7, 1916, reading as follows, is hereby repealed:

"1. Subdivision 6 of section 211 of article 16 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

"6. Restrictions: No illuminated sign shall extend more than eight feet from the building line, except that on authorized marquis awnings the illuminated signs may extend the entire length and width of the awning, but not more than two feet above, nor one foot below said awning; nor shall any such sign be less than ten feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk beneath the same.

"2. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty days after approval thereof by the Mayor."

Sec. 2. Subdivision 6 of section 215 of article 16 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

6. Restrictions: No illuminated sign shall extend more than eight feet from the building line, except that on authorized marquis awnings the illuminated signs may extend the entire length and width of the awnings, but not more than two feet above, nor one foot below said awning; nor shall any such sign be less than ten feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk to meet the same.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after approval thereof by the Mayor.

Note—New matter in italics.

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 Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, Goetz, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

No. 831

**Resolution Appointing a Special Committee to Investigate Alleged Violations of the Railroad Law.**

By Alderman Curley—

Resolved, That, following out the provisions of section 54 of the Greater New York Charter, a Special Committee be appointed to investigate alleged violations of section 42 of article 2 of chapter 39 of the General Laws of the State of New York, the "Railroad Law," relating to "construction, operation and management."

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

No. 832.

**Resolution to Provide for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the Amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) for the Purpose of After Care of Children Suffering from Infantile Paralysis, Under Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.**

By the President—

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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the purpose of purchasing the necessary equipment and providing for the additional service needed for the after-care of children, at City institutions, who have been discharged as cured of infantile paralysis but who require strict attention, after the malady has run its course, to preserve or restore their normal physical condition. This fund to be disbursed by said department after consultation with the Comptroller as to its application and division.

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 Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—65.

No. 833.

**Resolution to Provide for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the Amount of Twenty-five Thousand dollars (\$25,000) for the Purpose of After Care of Children Suffering from Infantile Paralysis, Under Department of Public Charities.**

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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Public Charities for the purpose of purchasing the necessary equipment and providing for the additional service needed for the after-care of children, at City institutions, who have been discharged as cured of infantile paralysis but who require strict attention, after the malady has run its course, to preserve or restore their normal physical condition. This fund to be disbursed by said department after consultation with the Comptroller as to its application and division.

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 Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—65.

No. 834—Ord. No. 148.

**An Ordinance to Amend Article 2 of Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to "Railroads," by Adding Thereto a New Section.**

By Alderman Curley—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Article 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to "railroads," by adding thereto a new section.

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

Section 1. Article 2 of chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to "Street railroads," is hereby amended by adding a new section, to be designated as section thirty-five, to read as follows:

Section 2. Persons employed as drivers, conductors, motormen, or gripmen, on street railroads operating on the streets of the City of New York.

Section 3. All persons employed as drivers, conductors, motormen or gripmen, on street cars owned, or operated by any railroad corporation, under a franchise granted by the City of New York, shall be instructed in the care and management of such street cars, under the supervision of persons experienced in such care and management of street cars, for a period of time of fourteen days at least, before being placed in charge of a car to carry passengers.

Section 4. For every violation of this section by any railroad corporation, a fine of \$100.00, shall be recovered by the City of New York from the corporation so offending.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 835—Ord. No. 149.

**An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to "Restricted Streets," by Adding Thereto a New Sentence.**

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 13, of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York relating to "restricted streets," by adding thereto a new sentence.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13, of article 2, of chapter 24, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York relating to "restricted streets," is hereby amended, by adding thereto a new sentence to read as follows:

Section 2. No peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall be permitted to cry his or her wares, or stop or remain on 139th street, between Brook and St. Anns Avenues, or on St. Anns Avenue, between 133d and 140th Streets, in the Borough of the Bronx.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 836—Ord. No. 150.

**An Ordinance Prohibiting the Operation of Street Cars by Motormen or Conductors Having Had Less Than Fifteen Days' Instruction.**

By Alderman Daly—

AN ORDINANCE.

No person shall act as Motorman or Conductor on any street car, Elevated or Subway line operating in any of the boroughs comprising The City of New York, unless he shall have first received fifteen days' instruction upon the various lines in the city, the last day of such instruction to be under the supervision of a competent instructor, who shall certify to the fitness of any applicant for such employment prior to the employment of any such applicant.

Any violation of this section shall constitute a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), or by imprisonment not exceeding sixty (60) days or both.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 837—Ord. No. 151.

**An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Railroads.**

By Aldermen Gilmore and Robitzek—

AN ORDINANCE to amend Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to railroads.

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

Section 1. Chapter 19 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "Railroads," is hereby amended by adding thereto a new article entitled and to read as follows:

Article IV, Section 35. No person shall act as motorman or conductor on any railroad car, operated either underground, on the surface or on elevated tracks, unless such person shall have first received at least fifteen days' instruction upon another railroad line of either kind operated within the city limits, such instruction to be under the supervision of and certified to by a competent instructor whose certificate shall declare the fitness of an applicant for such employment prior to the employment of any such person.

Section 36. Any violation of the provisions of this article shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), or by imprisonment not to exceed sixty (60) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 838—Ord. No. 152.

**An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 12 of Section 373 of Chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Elevator Machinery Compartments.**

By Alderman Palitz—

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 12 of section 373 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances relating to elevator machinery compartments.

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

Section 1. Elevator machinery compartments. When any compartment which contains machinery for [opening] operating an elevator communicates with an elevator shaft, it shall be enclosed with partitions of the same material [ ] and construction as required for the shaft, and shall have fire doors on the openings.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 839—Ord. No. 153.

**An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 424 of Chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to the Construction of Skylights in Buildings.**

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 424 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to the construction of skylights in buildings.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 424 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. Glazing. Skylights placed over shafts of any kind shall be glazed with plain glass not more [less] than 3-16 of an inch in thickness. No pane of glass in any such skylight hereafter placed in any building shall exceed 720 square inches in area.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 840—Ord. No. 154.

**An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 3 of Section 376 of Chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to the Use of Wire Glass in Protectives for Openings of Buildings.**

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 3 of section 376 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to the use of wire glass in protectives for openings of buildings.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 376 of chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

3. Use of wire glass. When wire glass is required or permitted by this chapter[, ] or the rules authorized thereunder, for fire doors, fire shutters or fire windows, the pane shall not exceed 720 [728] square inches in area, and shall not be less than ¼ inch in thickness, and shall be set not less than ⅝ of an inch in the frame. When the use of glass is permitted in any fire door or fire shutter only wire glass shall be used. For the glazing of fire windows only wire glass shall be used.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 841.

**Resolution Amending Resolution Authorizing the Preparation, Printing and Distribution of "The Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as Amended to and Including July 17, 1916."**

By the same—

Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted July 7, 1916, be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom, wherever the same may appear, the word and figures JULY 17, 1916, and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures AUGUST 8, 1916:

A RESOLUTION authorizing and directing the compiling, printing and distribution of a volume entitled "The Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as amended to and including July 17, 1916."

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

Section 1. That there shall be compiled and printed by authority of the Board of Aldermen, a volume which shall contain the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted June 20, 1916, and approved July 7, 1916, and all amendments thereto adopted by the Board and approved by the Mayor on or before July 17, 1916, together with the Sanitary Code effective April 9, 1915, as amended to and including July 17, 1916, and an appropriate index and tables or other appropriate means for indicating the sources of the provisions of the Code of Ordinances and the Sanitary Code, as amended, and the disposition therein of the provisions of general ordinances thereby repealed.

Section 2. That the Committee on Codification of Ordinances be and it is



hereby directed to compile and otherwise prepare for printing and publication the volume referred to in the first section hereof, and that, thereupon, the President of the Board of Aldermen be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make requisition upon the Board of City Record for the printing in pamphlet form, bound in heavy manila covers, of 1,000 copies of such volume, which shall be entitled "The Code of Ordinances of The City of New York," as amended to and including July 17, 1916.

Section 3. That upon the printing thereof, five copies of the volume authorized by the resolution shall be delivered by the President of the Board of Aldermen to each member of the Board of Aldermen; the remaining copies thereof to be held for distribution among the respective courts, departments and bureaus of the City government, in each instance a receipt to be taken therefor.

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 Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, Goetz, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

No. 842—Ord. No. 155.

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

By Alderman Robitzek—

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

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

*Union Avenue, between 160th and 163rd Streets, Bronx.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

To Honorable HARRY ROBITZEK, Alderman, 38th Aldermanic District:

Whereas, There exists at present on the street known as Union Avenue, between 160th and 163rd Streets, certain unsanitary nuisances, conditions and obstructions, caused by the owners of pushcarts and horse-drawn wagons, who vend their wares and goods, consisting mainly of fruits and vegetables, from the said vehicles; and

Whereas, Said conditions are unsanitary, obnoxious, dangerous and injurious to the person and property of the residents, taxpayers and pedestrians in and about said thoroughfare; and

Whereas, The vegetables and fruits thus sold on the streets are often decayed, thus emitting obnoxious odors; now therefore

We, the undersigned, taxpayers, residents and storekeepers residing or doing business in and about said street known as Union Avenue, between 160th and 163rd Streets, respectfully petition you as a member of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York to cause an investigation of these conditions existing on the said street, with a view of having the Police Department of the City of New York remove said nuisances and compel the said pushcart peddlers and wagon venders to cease selling their goods on the said streets. Respectfully submitted,  
COHEN BROS., 858 Union Ave., and 57 other petitioners.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 843—Ord. No. 156.

**An Ordinance to Amend Sections I and II of Article I, Chapter 14 of the Ordinances of The City of New York of 1915, in Relation to Licenses.**

By Alderman Sullivan—

AN ORDINANCE to amend sections I and II of article I, Chapter 14 of the Ordinances of the City of New York of 1915, in relation to licenses.

*Be It Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York as follows:*  
Section I. Section I and II of Article I, chapter 14, of the Ordinances of The City of New York of 1915, in relation to "Licenses" are amended to read as follows:

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

- a—Billiard and pool tables;
- b—Bowling Alleys;
- c—Dealers in Second-hand Articles;
- d—Dirt carts;
- e—Drivers or chauffeurs of hacks, cabs, taxi-cabs and expresses;
- f—Expresses and expressmen;
- g—Exterior hoists;
- h—Hacks, cabs and taxicabs;
- i—Hand organs;
- j—Itinerant musicians;
- k—Junk dealers;
- l—Peddlers, hawkers and venders;
- m—Public carts and cartmen;
- n—Public porters;
- o—Shooting galleries;
- p—Street musicians;
- q—Stands within stoop lines, under the stairs of elevated or subway stations;
- r—Weighers of hay;
- s—Motormen or engineers of surface street railways, elevated and underground railroads.

No person shall engage in, or carry on any business, trade or occupation or maintain any place or thing specified in this section without a license therefor.

Section II. No person shall be licensed under any provision of this chapter or chapter 3 of this Ordinance except a citizen of the United States, or one who has regularly declared his intention of becoming a citizen. *And no person shall be licensed under subdivision "s" of section I of this chapter unless he shall file with the Commissioner of Licenses an affidavit duly subscribed and sworn to by him before an officer authorized to administer oaths that he has received instructions for a period of one month from a person or persons designated in the aforesaid subdivision "s" of at least five years experience.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 844.

**Resolution to Establish a Hospital at Jacob A. Riis Park, or a Similar Location, for the Care and Treatment of Children Convalescing from Anterior Poliomyelitis.**

By Alderman Drescher—

Whereas, a great many children in this City have been victims of anterior-poliomyelitis (commonly known as infantile paralysis), and as it is the opinion of the medical authorities of the City that a complete recovery from the aforesaid disease depends largely upon the recuperative care and treatment accorded the convalescent children; and

Whereas, the facilities of the City are in the opinion of the health authorities inadequate and insufficient to care for the eight thousand children requiring such treatment; and

Whereas, the City is now maintaining through one of its departments, the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, a hospital at the Jacob A. Riis Park for the care and treatment of crippled and tubercular children; now therefore be it

Resolved, that the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York respectfully request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the establishment of a hospital at the Jacob A. Riis Park or a similar location, fully and completely equipped with a corps of competent physicians and

trained nurses, to be devoted to the care and treatment of children convalescing from anterior-poliomyelitis.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 845—Ord. No. 157.

**An Ordinance in Relation to Cars and Motor Vehicles in The City of New York.**

By Alderman Moran—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to cars and motor vehicles in The City of New York.

*Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:*  
That any person found guilty of operating a car or motor vehicle within the limits of The City of New York without having previous experience of not less than fifteen days shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 846.

**Resolution to Permit Political Associations to Hold Public Meetings, to Erect Banners, Etc., Under Certain Restriction Conditions.**

By the President—

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 materials 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 the 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, 1916, any resolution or ordinance heretofore passed to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided, however, that when 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.

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 Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, Goetz, McCann, McCourt, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

No. 847.

**Resolution to Appoint a Special Committee to Investigate the Bureau of Standards.**

By Alderman Bent—

Resolved, That a Special Committee be appointed to investigate the Bureau of Standards.

Which was referred to the Committee on Rules.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.**

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 729.

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Filing Request of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, for an Investigation of Merits of an Application to Amend Corporate Stock Issue, \$500,000, for Erection of a New Municipal Building.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 27, 1916 (Minutes, page 1331), the annexed request of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for investigation of merits of an application to amend corporate stock issue, \$500,000, for erection of a new municipal building, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That as the matter referred to in this request became effective according to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the committee deems no action necessary and recommends that the matter be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, June 27, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—On June 23, 1916, the Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn, sent a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, asking for the passage of a proper resolution, so that \$120,000 of the unencumbered balance of the \$500,000 authorized by your Board on July 31, 1911, for the purpose of the construction of a Municipal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn could be used in the reconstruction and improvement of the Kings County Court House, as the original amount authorized for that purpose was not sufficient. The letter of the Acting Borough President to the Board of Estimate gives all the details regarding the same.

I know that it is not the ordinary method of procedure for a communication of this kind to be addressed to your Board before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has acted upon any request presented to it, but as your body adjourns for the summer on July 7 I am sending this communication to you in order that it may be referred to the proper committee for investigation, so that, if the Board of Estimate does not act upon it, it can be acted upon by your Board, if possible, on July 7, and the work of reconstructing and improving the court house can go on.

A copy of the ordinance passed by your Board on July 31, 1911, making the original authorization, is hereto attached. Yours very truly,

LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

(Copy.)

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, June 23, 1916.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 17, 1915, authorized an issue of corporate stock to the amount of \$600,000 for the reconstruction and improvement of the Kings County Court House, and the Board of Aldermen on December 21, 1915, approved of and concurred in this action. Bids have been taken twice for this work and the combined lowest bids received amount to \$662,910. The architect's fee on this, at 7½ per cent., amounts to \$49,618.25, making the total cost of the improvement, as per these bids, \$712,528.15, or considerably above the appropriation.

On July 27, 1911, a resolution was passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which was approved by the Board of Aldermen by an ordinance adopted on July 31, 1911, signed by the Mayor on August 30, 1911, authorizing the issue of corporate stock of the City of New York to an amount not exceeding \$500,000, to provide means for drawing plans and specifications and for constructing foundations for and erecting a new Municipal Building in the Borough of Brooklyn, to be built at Court and Joralemon streets, and for the further purpose of acquiring three lots of land on the Court street side. No work has been done towards the construction of the new Municipal Building, except the employment of an architect, and the State Legislature has designated the foregoing premises as a site for a new court house. The land to be purchased has been acquired, and there now remains of the original authorization of \$500,000 an unencumbered balance of \$125,375.19.

As there seems to be no possibility even that the above balance will be required for the purposes specified in the authorization I would ask that the proper resolution be passed authorizing the use of \$120,000 of the above unencumbered balance in the reconstruction and improvement of the Kings County Court House.

Yours very truly,

(Sgd.) E. W. VOORHIES, Acting President, Borough of Brooklyn.



AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of the City of New York in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) to provide means for the drawing of plans and specifications and for constructing foundations and erecting a municipal building in the Borough of Brooklyn, and for the further purpose of acquiring three lots of land on the Court st. side, to be used in addition to the municipal park adjoining, as a site for the said building.

*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 July 27, 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 drawing plans and specifications, and for constructing foundations for and erecting a new municipal building in the Borough of Brooklyn, to be built at Court and Joralemon sts., Borough of Brooklyn, and for the further purpose of acquiring three lots of land on the Court st. side, to be used in addition to the municipal park adjoining, as a site for the municipal building, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 31, 1911, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 30, 1911.

(Signed) P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Which report was accepted.

No. 743—(S. O. No. 113).

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Adopting Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,650, for the Purpose of Making Certain Repairs, Brooklyn Public Library.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 7), the annexed request of the Brooklyn Public Library for special revenue bonds, \$2,863.50, for the purpose of making certain repairs, respectfully,

**REPORTS:**

That this matter was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision for investigation, and in accordance with their attached report the sum of \$1,213.50 for repairing and painting is not considered of a sufficiently urgent character to warrant the issue of special revenue bonds. The items \$1,650 for the repairs to the heating plant appear to be of an urgent character, which amount is approved. The committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,650), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library for the purpose of making certain repairs. All obligations hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

Brooklyn Public Library, 26 Brevoort Place, July 3, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Paragraph 2 of article 6 of the "Agreement Between the City of New York and the Brooklyn Public Library" says:

"For the purposes of this agreement, however, it is understood that any taxes and assessments upon any of the property of said Brooklyn Public Library, insurance charges, interest upon mortgages above recited and reasonable cost of repairs are to be regarded as part of the cost of maintenance of the said free library system."

The property known as the Montague Branch, and owned by the Brooklyn Public Library is in need of certain repairs, mentioned below, in payment of which the City is asked by vote of the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library to issue revenue bonds to the extent of \$2,863.50.

*Schedule of Repairs, Montague Branch, 1917.*

**Painting—**

152 Pierrepont St.: Paint all woodwork and iron work, exterior; calcimine entire ceiling of second floor, and touch up girders of first floor.	
195-199 Montague St.: Paint all exterior woodwork and iron, front and two sides of building, exterior. Interior: Study room third floor, calcimine ceiling and paint sidewalls, touch up spots in ceiling first floor; calcimine ceiling of vestibule entrance, 195 Montague St.; repair plaster basement, lunch room.	\$560 00
197 Montague Street: Basement lavatories, interior entirely repainted.	45 00
193 Montague Street: Paint all exterior woodwork and iron and paint brick wall in front of barber shop.	175 00
Interior: Paint hallways, sidewalls and calcimine ceilings and varnish hardwood.	110 00
201 Montague Street: Repaint iron railing and all exterior iron work front and rear. Also varnish front entrances and show windows.	65 00
Interior:	
Ceiling and white woodwork of H. C. Pyle's office.	12 00
Office of Clock & Co., ceiling.	10 00
Office of E. H. Driggs, redecorated.	35 00
Office of Wm. C. Varin, redecorated.	35 00
Carpenter work:	
New cover for cellar entrance, 152 Pierrepont Street.	20 00
Repair cornice, 193 Montague Street.	50 00
Repair show window, 201 Montague Street.	10 00
Boilers:	
Repair and alterations.	1,500 00
Three new radiators, and repair heating plant, 201 Montague Street.	150 00
Mason Work:	
193-199 Montague Street, point up capstones of roof.	30 00
Repairs to cork carpet, hallways, 193 Montague Street.	56 50
	\$2,863 50

These repairs are all of a necessary character, and those pertaining to the boiler must be made if the buildings are to be heated next winter.

No provision for these repairs was made in the Budget for 1916, hence the request for revenue bonds. JOHN HILL MORGAN, By FRANK P. HILL, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, September 9, 1916.

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

Sir—On July 3, 1916, the Trustees of the Brooklyn Public Library requested \$2,863.50 special revenue bonds for repairs to the Montague Branch Library Building.

The request was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision. From an investigation made by the Bureau the following facts have developed.

The requested amount is based on the following items of repair:

*Painting.*

152 Pierrepont Street—Paint all woodwork, exterior; calcimine entire ceiling of second floor and touch up girders of first floor.	
195-199 Montague Street—Paint all exterior woodwork and iron, front and sides of building; calcimine ceiling and paint side walls of study room, third floor; touch up spots in ceiling, first floor; calcimine ceiling of vestibule entrance; repair plaster in basement lunch room.	\$560 00
197 Montague Street—Basement lavatories, interior entirely repainted.	45 00
193 Montague Street—Paint all exterior woodwork and iron work and paint brick wall in front of barber shop.	175 00
Interior—Paint hallways, side walls, calcimine ceilings and varnish hardwood.	110 00
201 Montague Street—Repaint iron railing and all exterior iron work, front and rear; varnish front entrances and show windows.	65 00

**Interior—**

Ceiling and white woodwork of H. C. Pyle's office.	12 00
Office of Clock & Co., ceiling.	10 00
Office of E. H. Driggs, redecorated.	35 00
Office of Wm. C. Varin, redecorated.	35 00
Carpenter work—	
New cover for cellar entrance, No. 152 Pierrepont Street.	20 00
Repair cornice, 193 Montague Street.	50 00
Repair show window, 201 Montague Street.	10 00
Boilers—	
Repair and alterations.	1,500 00
Three new radiators and repairs to heating plant, 201 Montague Street.	150 00
Mason work—	
193-199 Montague Street, point up capstones of roof.	30 00
Repairs to cork carpet, hallways, 193 Montague Street.	56 50

Total.....\$2,863 50

Of the above items the sum of \$1,213.50 is for repair and painting items which are not of a sufficiently urgent character to warrant the issue of special revenue bonds. Request for funds for these repairs have been included in the 1917 budget estimates.

The two items aggregating \$1,650 for repairs to the heating plant appear to be of an urgent character. The repairs consist of the replacement of the existing return lines with new and larger piping and the installation of a header to cross connect the two boilers. This plant is about 30 years old. The return piping has decayed so that renewal is necessary. Difficulty in operating the system last winter indicates the need for larger piping. The work should be performed during the summer months, when the plant is out of commission.

There appears to be need for additional funds to the extent of \$1,650 for repair, alterations and additions to boilers and heating plant.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which was laid over.

No. 747—(S. O. No. 114).

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,035, to Provide an Additional Force, Parole Commission.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 9), the annexed request of the Parole Commission for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,035, to provide for an additional force, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That Commissioner Cruger appeared before the committee and explained that this request is for the purpose of providing an additional force, due to the increased work of investigating the parole prisoners. 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 and thirty-five dollars (\$1,035), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Parole Commission for the purpose of providing for an additional force:

2 Stenographers, 3 months, at \$1,200 per annum	\$600 00
1 Parole Officer, 3 months, at \$1,200 per annum	300 00
1 File Clerk, 3 months, at \$540 per annum	135 00

Total.....\$1,035 00

All obligations hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

Parole Commission of The City of New York, Municipal Building, New York, June 30, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—I would request an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,380 for the following additional force for this Commission from September 1, 1916: 2 Stenographers at \$1,200, 1 Parole Officer at \$1,200, 1 File Clerk at \$540.

This force was not included in my previous request for revenue bonds, as circumstances had not arisen justifying this increase in force. Since we have started to parole people from the Penitentiary and Workhouse, the correspondence from the prisoners, their families and friends devolving on the Commissioners has so increased as to render the additional stenographic service necessary. These Stenographers will act both as a Stenographer and Secretary for the Commissioners, both in the office and in his absence and assisting him in interviewing prisoners at the institutions. It is necessary that every prisoner coming under the control of the Commission be interviewed by one of the Commissioners. In addition to this correspondence, there is the correspondence attached to the work of securing employment for those about to be released, and often for the care of the prisoner's family, who, through no fault of their own, are compelled to undergo hardships far in excess of those suffered by the prisoner himself.

The additional Parole Officer is requested to assist the Chief Parole Officer in interviewing prisoners upon their release and families of prisoners who come continually to the office during the period of his incarceration.

The File Clerk is required in connection with the increased correspondence above referred to and outgoing letters numbering over 200 per day.

I sincerely hope that this force can be made available for the purpose of the Commission by Sept. 1st, and ask that, if possible, earnest consideration be shown this request. The work gathers in volume from day to day, and it is only imperative necessity that has caused me to supplement my recent request.

Yours very truly,

BERTRAM de N. CRUGER, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 749.

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$13,127.50, for the Purpose of Carrying Out the Provisions of the New Building Inspections Law, Fire Department.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 10), the annexed request of the Fire Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds, \$13,127.50, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the new building inspections law, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That Deputy Commissioner Fay appeared before the committee and explained that this request is for the purpose of providing for a new force made necessary by the provisions of the new Building Inspections Law. 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 thirteen thousand one hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$13,127.50), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Commissioner for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the new building inspections law:

9 Inspectors at \$1,140 per annum	\$2,565 00
3 Assistant Engineers at \$1,740 per annum	1,305 00
8 Clerks at \$540 per annum	1,080 00
3 Typewriting Copyists at \$600 per annum	450 00
2 Process Servers at \$840 per annum	420 00
6 Assistant Engineers at \$1,500 per annum	2,250 00
1 Supervising Inspector at \$2,100 per annum	525 00
2 Dictaphone Dictating Machines	170 00
1 Dictaphone Transcribing Machine	67 50
Sanborn maps, Brooklyn	660 00
30 badges	15 00
4 motorcycles and maintenance	740 00
Corrections on maps	40 00
Postage	500 00



16 lockers at \$8 each.....	128 00
16 filing units at \$32 each.....	512 00
20 chairs at \$5.50 each.....	110 00
8 desks at \$30 each.....	240 00
4 typewriters at \$87.50 each.....	350 00
20 nests, four each, transfer cases.....	200 00
3 record desks.....	300 00
Plan room equipment.....	500 00

Total..... \$13,127 50

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

Fire Department, City of New York, June 30, 1916.

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

Sir—The new building inspections law, known as the Lockwood-Ellenbogen Law, transfers the duty of factory inspection in New York City from the State Labor Department to the Fire Department, effective October 1, 1916. As there are between 7,000 and 10,000 factory buildings within the city and about 37,000 separate factory occupancies this new jurisdiction involved upon this department will make necessary a great increase in our inspection work.

In order to perform the extra work imposed on the department by this law from October 1, 1916, to December 31, 1916, an issue of revenue bonds in the sum of \$13,127.50 will be required, as follows:

9 Inspectors at \$1,140 per annum.....	\$2,565 00
3 Assistant Engineers at \$1,740 per annum.....	1,305 00
8 Clerks at \$540 per annum.....	1,080 00
3 Typewriting Copyists at \$600 per annum.....	450 00
2 Process Servers at \$840 per annum.....	420 00
6 Assistant Engineers at \$1,500 per annum.....	2,250 00
1 Supervising Inspector at \$2,100 per annum.....	525 00
2 Dictaphone Dictating Machines.....	170 00
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Sanborn maps, Brooklyn.....	660 00
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Postage.....	500 00
16 lockers at \$8 each.....	128 00
16 filing units at \$32 each.....	512 00
20 chairs at \$5.50 each.....	110 00
8 desks at \$30 each.....	240 00
4 typewriters at \$87.50 each.....	350 00
20 nests, four each, transfer cases.....	200 00
3 record desks.....	300 00
Plan room equipment.....	500 00

Total..... \$13,127 50

Since it is of the greatest importance that this department shall be organized and ready to take over this work on October 1st, I request that your Board authorize an issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$13,127.50, to be available on that date. The factory inspection referred to involves the safety of thousands of factory workers in the city and this department desires that there shall be no interval of inactivity between the relinquishment of jurisdiction by the State Labor Department and the assumption of that jurisdiction by the Fire Department.

Very truly yours, ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

Fire Department, City of New York, September 11, 1916.

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

My Dear Alderman—I wish to call your particular attention to my request for special revenue bonds for inspectors and equipment to enable us to perform the new duties devolving upon this department after October 1st in regard to the inspection of factories. The Finance Committee takes up this matter at its meeting this afternoon, but unfortunately, a previous engagement makes it impossible for me to be present.

Under the new law, the duty of inspecting factories is transferred from the Labor Department to this department, beginning October 1st. It is extremely important that we have a force of inspectors ready to take up this work on October 1st, and I therefore urge your committee to act favorably upon my request to-day, so that the matter may come before the Board of Aldermen at its meeting to-morrow. I have asked Deputy Commissioner Fay to be present at your meeting this afternoon, and to answer any questions in regard to this request.

Very truly yours, ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—65.

No. 750.

#### Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Adopting Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,400, for Repairs to Dock at the Foot of West 36th Street, North River.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 11), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Docks for special revenue bonds, \$4,400, for the purpose of making repairs to the dock at the foot of West 36th Street, North River, respectfully,

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject the committee has been informed that the city in its lease of this pier agrees to maintain the underpinning, which is now badly in need of repairing, and the amount requested has been approved by the Bureau of Contract Supervision in their annexed 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 four thousand four hundred dollars (\$4,400), the proceeds whereof of be used by the Commissioner of Docks for the purpose of making repairs to the dock at the foot of West 36th Street, North River. All obligations hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Docks and Ferries, Office of the Commissioner, Pier A, North River, June 30, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—The lease of the pier at the foot of West 36th street, North River, to the New York Central Railroad Company provides that the City shall bear the expense of necessary repairs to the understructure of the inner 500 feet of the pier, the lessee to bear the cost of repairs to the remaining portions of the pier.

Examination shows repairs needed to the substructure of the inner 500 feet of the pier, and these repairs are estimated at \$4,400.

No funds having been provided in the Budget for this year for repairs to the pier at the foot of West 36th street, North River, I hereby request that revenue bonds in the sum of \$4,400 be authorized to cover the work.

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

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, September 9, 1916.

No. 750—Department of Docks and Ferries—Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,400 for the Repair of Pier at Foot of West 36th Street, North River.

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

Sir—In compliance with your request the necessity for repairs to the pier at the foot of West 36th street has been investigated.

This pier is under lease to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

The lease provides that the Company shall maintain and keep in repair the superstructure and all other parts and portions of the said pier, except the understructure of that part of the pier built in 1885, i. e., "the inner 500 feet, the repairing, rebuilding and renewing of which shall be done by the City."

During 1915, minor repairs were made to the pier by the company, at which time a number of openings were made and the substructure examined. It was found that the under part of the pier was in very bad condition.

The company proposes to repair the entire superstructure (which it is required to do under its lease), as soon as possible, and it is considered advisable by the Department of Docks and Ferries, that repairs should be made to the substructure (for which the City is responsible), as a matter of economy, at the same time.

An examination of the pier has been made by an engineer of this bureau, but, as the pier is covered and heavily fendered on the sides, little of the understructure could be seen. Where visible the line piles and some of the supporting piles are badly rotted and should be bench-capped or replaced.

But few repairs have been made to that part of the pier for which the City is responsible since it was built in 1885. It is reasonable to believe that quite extensive repairs are necessary. The pier is 700 feet long by 60 feet in width. There are four lines of railroad tracks extending the length of the pier and when examined these tracks were completely filled with freight cars, many of which were loaded. The pier, therefore, is subjected to heavy loading.

The quantities of materials and labor on which the estimate of cost is based have been submitted to this Bureau and are considered reasonable.

The repairs to the sub-structure could undoubtedly be more cheaply made by the company when the superstructure is torn up, as, if done under a separate contract there would be the additional cost of tearing up and replacing, at least a large part of the superstructure.

There appears to be need for an additional amount of \$4,400 in the accounts of the Dock Department for the purpose stated.

If the work is to be done under an agreement with the New York Central Railroad Company, it will be necessary for the Board of Aldermen to authorize the Commissioner of Docks to enter into a contract with the said Company without public letting. Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Burden, Browne, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, McManus, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—65.

No. 751—(S. O. No. 115).

#### Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$500, as the City's Subscription for 1916 to Expenses of Conferences of Mayors, Etc.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 11), the annexed request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for special revenue bonds, \$500, to provide for the City's subscription for the year 1916 to the Conferences of Mayors and other City officials of the State and its Bureau of Municipal Information, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed request a proper charge against the city, as the City officials participate in these conferences. 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 hundred dollars (\$500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the purpose of providing for the City's subscription for the year 1916 to the expenses of the Conferences of Mayors and other City officials of the State and its Bureau of Municipal Information.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, July 3, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 30, 1916, recommending that the Board of Aldermen request the authorization, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter, of an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$500, to provide for the City's subscription for the year 1916, to the expenses of the Conferences of Mayors and Other City Officials of the State of New York and its Bureau of Municipal Information.

I also enclose copy of report of the Comptroller relative thereto.

Respectfully, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, acting under the general authority of section 13a of chapter 215 of the Laws of 1916, to request the authorization, pursuant to subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, of an issue of special revenue bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500), as New York City's subscription for the year 1916, to the expenses of the Conference of Mayors and Other City Officials of the State of New York and its Bureau of Municipal Information.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 30, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance, City of New York, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, June 20, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—At the meeting of your Board on May 26, 1916, a request from the President of the State Bureau of Municipal Information for an appropriation of \$500 toward the expenses for 1916 of the bureau and the Conference of Mayors and Other City Officials of the State of New York was referred to the Comptroller for examination and report.

The first four years' work of the conference convinced the associated city officials of the state that through a general clearing house of municipal information the association could render new forms of assistance of very great value in the work of local administration. The plan was described in some detail in a report presented to your Board on May 13, 1915, at which meeting a resolution was approved for the appropriation of \$500, the amount assessed upon first-class cities for the year 1915.

The reports of the bureau show that all the first and second-class cities of the state and more than 75 per cent. of those of the third-class are now enrolled as members, that active co-operation has been established with the State Library and the municipal leagues of a large number of states, and that a great mass of data bearing on a wide range of municipal charters, ordinances and functions has been collected, compiled and disseminated. The financial statement for the eight months comprising the first fiscal year indicates a balance of \$1,423.67 in the treasury, and expenditures less than two-thirds of the original estimate for the first year.

The Bureau aims to present facts whose direct acquisition by the municipalities interested would entail much delay and fruitless duplication of effort. The only question of policy on which it appears to take sides is the principle of home rule, as presumably in the interest of all the cities of the state. The resolution appended



recommends to the Board of Aldermen that it request an appropriation of \$500, through the issue of special revenue bonds. Respectfully submitted,  
ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Which was laid over.

No. 753.

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Filing Request of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,310, for the Purpose of Continuing in Operation the Clinic for Atypical Children.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 19), the annexed request of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for special revenue bonds, \$4,310, for the purpose of continuing in operation the Clinic for Atypical Children at Bellevue Hospital, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That Dr. John W. Brannan appeared before the committee and informed them that other provision had been made for continuing this clinic, and requested that the matter be withdrawn. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, July 1, 1916.

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

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$4,310 for the purpose of continuing in operation at Bellevue Hospital the Clinic for Atypical Children; the funds are for salaries from July 1, 1916, as follows:

1 Physician at, per annum .....	\$1,800 00
1 Physician at, per annum .....	1,500 00
1 Psychologist at, per annum .....	1,500 00
1 Stenographer at, per annum .....	1,020 00
2 Nurses at \$800 per annum .....	1,600 00
2 Nurses at \$600 per annum .....	1,200 00
	<b>\$8,620 00</b>

This request is made necessary at this time as we are informed that the Department of Public Charities has decided to establish on July 5, 1916, a Randalls Island clinic for the mentally defective, and the personnel formerly assigned to the Clinic for Atypical Children and for whom provision is made in the Budget of the Department of Public Charities will be used in the new clinic, the sole purpose of which is to examine children who are about to be transferred to the Randalls Island institutions. As Bellevue Hospital is expected to make provision for the examination of other defective children and court cases which are sent to this department for observation, which work was formerly done by the physicians in the Clinic for Atypical Children, and as we cannot do this with our present inadequate staff, it will be necessary to obtain employees to replace those in that clinic. Respectfully,

A. M. ROBBINS, Acting Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Which report was accepted.

No. 764.

**Report of the Committee on Finance, in Favor of Filing a Request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,800, for Maintenance of Horses.**

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 38), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for special revenue bonds, \$1,800, for the maintenance of horses, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That having examined the subject, and at the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that the matter be withdrawn, it therefore recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FRANK A. CUNNINGHAM, FRANCIS P. BENT, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, HENRY H. CURRAN, CHARLES DELANEY, F. H. STEVENSON, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, New York City, July 7, 1916.

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

Dear Sir—The budget allowance for the purchase of automobiles was but one-third of the sum requested. It had been anticipated that the department could dispense with the services of a number of horses and wagons, and upon this assumption its budget estimate for forage and veterinary services was based upon the retention of the horses and wagons for a few months, when they were to be replaced by motor vehicles. As all of the horses and wagons connected with the distribution system in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx must be retained, the additional expense for the maintenance of the horses will be \$1,800. This is on the basis of \$200 per horse, which was the average expenditure for last year. I respectfully request that the Honorable Board of Aldermen provide this additional money by an issue of special revenue bonds. Respectfully,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Building, September 9, 1916.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—The department has just received notice from you that the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen will consider on next Monday, September 11, at 1.30 p. m., the department's request for special revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,800 to provide for the maintenance of horses. Some weeks ago it became apparent that the department could not wait for funds which might become available if this request for revenue bonds was approved, and in order that funds could be made available immediately it petitioned the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to consent to the transfer of certain salary accruals to replenish the account against which the expense of maintaining horses was properly chargeable. A proper allowance was authorized by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 27. There is no need for additional funds, and I desire to withdraw the request now before the Board of Aldermen for revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,800.

Respectfully, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, September 5, 1916.

No. 764—Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Request for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,800, for the Maintenance of Horses.

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

Sir—The \$1,800 requested on July 7, 1916, was required for forage and veterinary service for City-owned horses in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

On July 27, 1916, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transferred the sum of \$1,800 from certain 1916 wage accruals of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the 1916 budget account for forage and veterinary supplies.

Further action by the Board of Aldermen on the Commissioner's request of July 7, 1916, is therefore unnecessary.

Very truly yours,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which report was accepted.

Reports of the Committee on General Welfare—

No. 772.

**Report of the Committee on General Welfare, in Favor of Filing an Ordinance in Relation to Motor Cycle Repair Shops and Storage Places.**

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 46), the annexed ordinance in relation to motor cycle repair shops and storage places, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed ordinance to be improperly drawn. Representatives of the Fire Department and the Commissioner of Accounts agreed with the Committee, and will later submit a new ordinance.

It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be placed on file.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to motor cycle repair shops and storage places.

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

Section 1, Chapter ten of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by inserting therein a new article, to be article fourteen and to read as follows:

**Article 14.**

**Motor Cycle Repair Shops and Storage Places.**

**Section 190—Permit.**

**191—Restrictions.**

**192—Fire Prevention.**

**§190. Permit.**

Except upon premises for which a permit has been issued under this article, no person shall conduct a repair shop for motor cycles, nor store, house, or keep nor receive for storage, housing or keeping, more than four motor cycles containing gasoline in their fuel tanks; provided, however, that such a permit shall not be required for premises used as a garage under a permit duly issued therefor, nor for premises used for the storage or repair of motor cycles owned and operated by members of but one family.

Note—New matter in italics.

**§191. Restrictions.**

1. Storage of oil. Such permit shall state the amount of kerosene and lubricating oils which may be stored on such premises, which amount shall not be exceeded.

2. Basement premises. No permit shall be granted for premises below the grade story of any building.

3. Tenement Houses, etc. No permit shall be issued for any premises situated in any tenement house, hotel or frame building, or in any non-fireproof building in which there is a factory or place of public assemblage unless:

(a) The compartment enclosing such premises is of fire retarding material throughout, including doors and windows, and

(b) All doors and windows opening from such compartment into other portions of the building are self-closing.

**§192. Fire Prevention.**

In all premises for which a permit is issued under this article the following regulations shall be complied with:

(a) No gasoline, except that in the fuel tanks of motor cycles shall be permitted on the premises and such fuel tanks shall not be opened, drawn from or filled on the premises.

(b) No coal or oil burning stove shall be used.

(c) No motor cycle or part thereof shall, under any circumstances, be cleaned by the use of gasoline.

(d) Only electric lights shall be used, the bulbs of which shall be enclosed in wire cages or otherwise properly protected in a manner approved by the Fire Commissioner.

(e) No gas or other open flame shall be used for heating, lighting or repair purposes.

(f) Fire pails filled with sand, approved fire extinguishers and "no smoking" signs shall be provided in such number as the Fire Commissioner may require.

§2. Section forty-three of such chapter is hereby amended by inserting therein a new subdivision to be numbered twenty-six, and to read as follows:

26-a. Motor cycle repair shop or storage place, or both..... \$5 00

§3. This ordinance shall take effect on January first, nineteen hundred and seven-

teen.

Note—New matter in italics.

HARRY ROBITZEK, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JOHN T. EAGAN, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, S. FRIEDLANDER, JAMES R. FERGUSON, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, Committee on General Welfare.

Which report was accepted.

No. 767—(G. O. No. 178).

**Report of the Committee on General Welfare, in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Amend Article 3, Chapter 27, of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Persons Acting as Auctioneers.**

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 45), the annexed ordinance to amend article 3, chapter 27, of the Code of Ordinances by adding thereto a new section relating to persons acting as auctioneers, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed ordinance to be desirable, as it aims to protect the public from being mulcted by unscrupulous persons, who operate regardless of the ethics and welfare of the Auctioneers' business. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend article 3 of chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances by adding thereto a new section relating to persons acting as auctioneers.

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

Section 1. Article 3 of chapter 27 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be Sec. 1-a of that article, to read as follows:

Sec. 1-a. No person, firm or corporation shall represent or circulate or place before the public any announcement, nor insert nor cause to be inserted in any city, business or telephone directory, any notice that such person, firm or corporation conducts the business of an auctioneer without having first obtained a license as such from the city clerk.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

HARRY ROBITZEK, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JOHN T. EAGAN, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, S. FRIEDLANDER, JAMES R. FERGUSON, CHARLES H. HAUBERT, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 774.

**Report of the Committee on General Welfare, in Favor of Adopting a Resolution Authorizing and Directing the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen to Mail Leaflet Copies of Adopted and Approved General Ordinances to Subscribers Therefor.**

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on July 7, 1916 (Minutes, page 48), the annexed resolution authorizing and directing the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen to mail leaflet copies of adopted and approved general ordinances to subscribers therefor, respectfully

**REPORTS:**

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed resolution desirable, but in the opinion of the Committee, the proposed fee is too small to meet the expense involved, and should be larger.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

**SUBSTITUTE.**

Be it Resolved by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

That the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen is hereby authorized and directed hereafter to mail leaflet copies of all adopted and approved general ordinances from week to week, as such ordinances shall be printed in accordance with the provisions of subdivision 2 of §6 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, to all persons, firms, corporations, associations or other civic bodies who may subscribe therefor upon receipt from each such subscribers of the sum of \$5 per annum in advance, to cover the cost of postage and the clerical expense of keeping a list of said subscribers and mailing to them such leaflets. And the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen is hereby authorized and directed to keep a separate and distinct account of the moneys he shall receive and of moneys which he shall expend for postage on this account, which he shall report to the Comptroller on the last business day of each month, and any balance in such fund on the 31st day of December, of each year, over and above the probable expense for postage for mailing such leaflets to subscribers therefor for the succeeding year, shall be paid into the general fund for the reduction of taxation.

**ORIGINAL.**

A RESOLUTION authorizing and directing the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen to mail leaflet copies of adopted and approved general ordinances to subscribers therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

That the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen is hereby authorized and directed hereafter to mail leaflet copies of all adopted and approved general ordinances from week to week, as such ordinances shall be printed in accordance with the provisions of subdivision 2 of §6 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, to all persons, firms, corporations, associations or other civic bodies who may subscribe therefor upon receipt from each such subscribers of the sum of \$2 per annum, in advance, to cover the cost of postage and the clerical expense of keeping a list of said subscribers and mailing to them such leaflets. And the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen is hereby authorized and directed to keep a separate and distinct account of the moneys he shall receive and of moneys which he shall expend for post-



age on this account, which he shall report to the Comptroller on the last business day of each month, and any balance in such fund on the 31st day of December, of each year, over and above the probable expense for postage for mailing such leaflets to subscribers therefor for the succeeding year, shall be paid into the general fund for the reduction of taxation.

HARRY ROBITZEK, ALEXANDER BASSETT, JOHN T. EAGAN, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, S. FRIEDLANDER, JAMES R. FERGUSON, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bent, Burden, Carroll, Cardani, Cassidy, Collins, Colne, Cox, Crane, Curley, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dostal, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenney, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGillick, McKee, Martin, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Quinn, Robitzek, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, McManus, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Van Name; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks—61.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS.

S. O. 112—(Int. No. 745).

#### Resolution Authorizing Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, the Proceeds to Be Used by the Police Commissioner for the Purchase of Filing Equipment for Use in the Bureau of Criminal Identification.

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, June 28, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—It is respectfully requested that an issue of revenue bonds in the amount of \$4,000 be authorized for the purchase of filing equipment to be used in the Bureau of Criminal Identification, Police Department.

The work of this Bureau has increased so rapidly during the past two years that the present filing equipment is outgrown. Additional facilities are badly needed and should be provided before funds can be made available in next year's budget. No funds for additional facilities were requested in this year's budget. It was thought at the time the budget was being prepared that the facilities available would be adequate throughout this year. Respectfully, F. A. LORD, Acting Police Commissioner.

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 Police Commissioner for the purpose of purchasing filing equipment to be used in the Bureau of Criminal Identification. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Bureau of Contract Supervision, Municipal Building, September 11, 1916.

No. 745—Police Department, Requesting an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,000, for Purchase of Filing Equipment, to Be Used in the Bureau of Criminal Identification.

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

Sir—This matter has been examined into but as there is a possibility that funds for the purpose might be obtained from another source rather than by the issue of special revenue bonds, action on this matter, it is respectfully requested, be deferred to the next meeting of your Committee, when I expect to give you full particulars.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which, on motion of Aldermen Kenney, was laid over for next meeting. The Chair announced that Alderman Squiers was at this time excused from further attendance at this meeting.

Alderman Kenney moved that when the Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, September 26, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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, September 26, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

##### Minutes of Special Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment Held in Room 16, City Hall, Monday, September 11, 1916.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

Department of Finance, City of New York, August 30, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, Acting Mayor, City of New York:

Dear Sir—The Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby requests you, under the provisions of its rules procedure, to call a special meeting of the Board on Monday, September 11th, for the purpose of considering the final report of the Bureau of Standards on standard specifications for personal service. A public hearing on the subject matter of the report should be held at this meeting, and such further meetings should be held as the Board may deem necessary.

It is intended to have inserted in the CITY RECORD for one week prior to the first meeting an appropriate advertisement of the meeting with the subjects open for public discussion. A similar advertisement of the later hearings will be published prior to the meetings. Very truly yours,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, Chairman, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor, September 1, 1916.

A special meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby called for Monday, September 11, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, for the purpose of considering the final report of the Bureau of Standards on Standard Specifications for Personal Service.

FRANK L. DOWLING, Acting Mayor.

Admission is hereby made of timely service upon us of a copy of the foregoing notice.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx; MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President, Borough of Queens; CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President, Borough of Richmond.

Present—Frank L. Dowling, President of the Board of Aldermen; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan; Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx; Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, and Calvin D. Van Name, President, Borough of Richmond.

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

##### Public Hearing on Proposed Standard Specifications for Personal Service (Cal. No. 1).

(On November 20, 1914 (Cal. No. 22); December 4, 1914 (Cal. No. 149); December 18, 1914 (Cal. No. 124); December 23, 1914 (Cal. No. 89); January 22, 1915 (Cal. No. 10); March 19, 1915 (Cal. No. 108); April 1, 1915 (Cal. No. 27); April 9, 1915 (Cal. No. 74); May 28, 1915 (Cal. No. 129); June 4, 1915 (Cal. No. 85); June 18, 1915 (Cal. No. 90); February 11, 1916 (Cal. No. 22); February 18, 1916 (Cal. No. 148); March 10, 1916 (Cal. No. 84); June 9, 1916 (Cal. No. 193); August 22, 1916 (Cal. No. 28), and August 29, 1916 (Cal. No. 7), reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades and communications in relation to the subject were presented and laid over or referred.)

On motion of the Comptroller the Introductory Statement to the final draft of the report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades was read.

Alfred J. Talley, representing the New York Civil Service Society; Aida E. Soderstrom, Field Nurse, Department of Health; George M. White, representing the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan; Gustave Freeman, Draftsman, Bureau

of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, and William Campbell addressed the Board in the matter.

At 1.15 p. m. the Board took a recess and reconvened at 2.30 p. m., with the following members present:

Frank L. Dowling, President of the Board of Aldermen; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan; Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx, and Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens.

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

Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland, representing the Bureau of Municipal Research; Hon. Darwin R. James, Commissioner, Municipal Civil Service Commission; Aida E. Soderstrom, Field Nurse, Department of Health, and E. H. Moore, representing Arboriculturists, addressed the Board in the matter.

On motion of the Comptroller, the hearing was continued until Monday, September 18, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

The Board then adjourned to meet on Friday, September 15, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

##### WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1916.

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

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

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

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

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
<b>Armory Board.</b>				
118160	8-11-16	9-8-16	Cavanagh Bros. & Co. ....	\$94 41
118166	8-14-16	9-8-16	Cavanagh Bros. & Co. ....	87 20
<b>Board of Assessors.</b>				
117885	9-5-16	9-7-16	E. Belcher Hyde .....	\$7 50
117886	9-5-16	9-7-16	G. W. Bromley & Co. ....	30 00
117884	9-1-16	9-7-16	A. Rudolph .....	31 50
<b>Department of Bridges.</b>				
118579		9-11-16	Calvin I. Crocker .....	\$0 50
118578		9-11-16	S. Hamburger .....	5 00
116898	8-18-16	9-2-16	National Bridge Works .....	29 93
118581		9-11-16	Calvin I. Crocker .....	46
118580		9-11-16	Olaf M. Kelly .....	1 00
116889			Hanlon & Goodman Co. ....	79 60
<b>Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.</b>				
118248		9-9-16	White Swan Hand Laundry .....	\$3 95
118273	6-30-16	9-9-16	The New York World .....	5 79
118243	6-12-16.	7-10-16	R. Weiden .....	31 48
118255	7-31-16	9-9-16	Samuel E. Hunter .....	39 08
118272	7-13-16.	7-25-16	National Biscuit Company .....	34 59
118274		9-9-16	Charles D. Norton Co. ....	16 21
117465	12-15-15	43378	The Watters Laboratories .....	43 00
116105		43608	Levin & Gewertz .....	424 60
115430	6-23-16		C. Benjes .....	65 00
<b>Municipal Civil Service Commission.</b>				
118554		9-11-16	George H. Eberle, Chief Clerk .....	\$21 75
<b>Board of Coroners.</b>				
117828	9-1-16	9-7-16	The Morey-La Rue Laundry Co. ....	\$1 25
<b>Surrogate's Court, Richmond County.</b>				
118357		9-9-16	New York Telephone Company .....	\$8 63
<b>City Magistrates' Courts.</b>				
118096	7-20-16	9-8-16	Ford Motor Company .....	\$15 56
118095	7-20-16	9-8-16	Ford Motor Co. ....	1 15
118080	9-1-16	9-8-16	New York Towel Supply Co. ....	34 48
118081	8-31-16	9-8-16	J. W. Cleary .....	2 00
118086	8-1-16	9-8-16	Argus Press Clipping Bureau .....	30 00
118085	8-17-16	9-8-16	Munson Supply Company .....	3 15
118099	8-18-16	9-8-16	James F. Reilly .....	20 15
118097	8-12-16	9-8-16	Ford Motor Company .....	1 85
118098	8-13-16	9-8-16	Ford Motor Company .....	1 85
118094	7-28-16	9-8-16	P. Belford & Son .....	18 00
118093	6-12-16	9-8-16	Reilly Maintenance Corporation .....	6 75
<b>Board of City Record.</b>				
118348	8-21-16	9-9-16	L. Middleditch Co. ....	\$41 13
118342	7-22-16.	8-9-16	Tower Mfg. and Novelty Co. ....	62 14
118343	7-13-16	9-9-16	J. J. Little & Ives Co. ....	93 50
118344	7-22-16.	8-21-16	Enlow Company, Inc. ....	24 16
118347	7-31-16.	8-9-16	Vacuo Static Carbon Co. ....	6 25
118150	7-31-16	9-8-16	Dispatch Press, Inc. ....	56 70
118149	7-20-16	9-8-16	Koller & Smith Co. ....	84 70
117459		44305	9-6-16 New York Telephone Company .....	47 21
<b>Department of Correction.</b>				
118388	8-25-16	9-9-16	J. W. Buckley Rubber Co. ....	\$46 75
118389	8-25-16	9-9-16	Hull, Grippen & Co. ....	3 56
118395	8-25-16.	8-28-16	Hull, Grippen & Co. ....	28 70
118401	7-19-16	9-9-16	Stanley & Patterson, Inc. ....	22 10
118390	8-9-16	9-9-16	Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison ..	64 00
118392	8-16-16	9-9-16	Candee, Smith & Howland Co. ....	34 00
118393		9-9-16	J. P. Duffy Company .....	12 90
118394	8-10-16	9-9-16	The East River Mill and Lumber Co..	19 34
118397	8-18-16	9-9-16	Kipp Wagon Company .....	5 00
<b>District Attorney, Kings County.</b>				
118419	8-28-16	9-9-16	Soden Bros., Inc. ....	\$28 00
118420		9-9-16	Lewis E. Birdseye, Chief Clerk .....	43 00
<b>District Attorney, Bronx County.</b>				
117879			Nickel Towel Supply .....	\$5 82
117876	8-31-16	9-7-16	Fred M. Schildwachter .....	9 00
117880	8-31-16	9-7-16	Fred M. Schildwachter .....	1 80
118422	8-3-16	9-9-16	A. Pearson's Sons .....	7 50
<b>District Attorney, New York County.</b>				
118895		9-12-16	Edward Swann, District Attorney....	\$508 85
117897	9-1-16	9-7-16	Association of the Bar .....	22 20
<b>Board of Excise, Kings County.</b>				
116327			D. H. Ralston, Special Deputy Commr.	\$145 14
<b>Board of Excise, New York County.</b>				
117308		9-6-16	John T. McNeill, Special Dep. Commr.	\$162 34
<b>Board of Estimate and Apportionment.</b>				
116120	8-7-16	8-31-16	The New York Multi-Color Copying Company .....	\$117 37



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<b>Department of Education.</b>					118323	9- 9-16	Catherin Burns	31 10	
118438	1-26-16	9-11-16	Clarence S. Nathan	\$70 25	118321	9- 9-16	Title Guarantee and Trust Co.	124 13	
118445	7-21-16	9-11-16	Wm. Bratter & Co.	3 50	118322	9- 9-16	Lee McCallum	98 30	
117766	44708	9- 7-16	New York Telephone Company	93 62	118315	9- 9-16	William E. Harmon & Co.	11 68	
117765	44708	9- 7-16	New York Telephone Company	82 41	118313	9- 9-16	William Wilkinson	2 28	
117767	44708	9- 7-16	New York Telephone Company	95 89	118325	9- 9-16	Risenburger & Altkrug	32 68	
117222	44708	9- 5-16	New York Telephone Company	84 71	118556	9-11-16	Mary Ann Heyward	2,194 88	
117769	44708	9- 7-16	New York Telephone Company	91 63	115355	8- 1-16	Manhattan State Hospital	148 23	
117746	7-27-16	9- 7-16	Greenberg Bros.	36 00	117079	8-31-16	David Hirshfield	205 00	
117749	7-22-16	9- 7-16	Acme Sheet Metal Works	90 00	118676	9- 5-16	Munson & Munson	24 82	
117758			G. Bentsen	25 00	118677	9-11-16	William Schultze	14 40	
117751	6-25-16	9- 7-16	W. A. Leonard	89 00	118673	9-11-16	George W. Noll	26 34	
117759	6-12-16	9- 7-16	John F. Ferguson	99 75	118674	9-11-16	Ernest Martin	25 00	
117707	7- 5-16	9- 7-16	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.	54 00	118675	9-11-16	Matilda Kemlein	6 00	
117761	7- 7-16	9- 7-16	Wm. J. Olvany	75 00	118680	9-11-16	Alrick H. Man	16 47	
116858			New York Telephone Company	53 79	118681	9-11-16	Anna Ohnemus, administratrix of the estate of Mathias Ohnemus, deceased.	3 22	
116820	44708	9- 2-16	New York Telephone Company	38 21	118668	9-11-16	Benjamin Sandman	11 00	
117636			M. P. Allen & Son	54 00	118670	9-11-16	Palmer Waterfront Land and Improvement Co.	226 32	
117645	3-13-16	9- 7-16	Johnson Service Co.	89 00	118669	9-11-16	William Klein	124 74	
117743	6-26-16	9- 7-16	John Buchanan	60 00	118671	9-11-16	Kew Gardens Corporation	737 58	
117764	44708	9- 7-16	New York Telephone Co.	82 94	118672	9-11-16	Hugh P. Skelly	645 84	
117225	44708	9- 5-16	New York Telephone Co.	80 46	118665	9-11-16	A. Rapaport	5 00	
117220	44708	9- 5-16	New York Telephone Co.	84 25	118661	9-11-16	Sam Berlin	4 50	
117754	6- 9-16	9- 7-16	Title Guarantee & Trust Co., Assignee of T. F. Long	42 00	118662	9-11-16	G. Gibson	6 00	
117651	6-17-16	9- 7-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	38 00	118663	9-11-16	Martha C. Kopf	12 00	
116821	44708		New York Telephone Co.	59 98	118664	9-11-16	Wolin & DeRosa	15 80	
116128	1-28-16	8-31-16	Schoverling, Daly & Gales	195 33	118659	9-11-16	R. M. Warren	5 00	
116127	4- 1-16	8-31-16	W. P. Youngs & Bros.	154 99	118682	9-11-16	George E. Clay	15 93	
116129	4-27-16	8-31-16	Schoverling, Daly & Gales	414 75	118658	9-11-16	G. Auslander	4 50	
116126	4- 3-16	8-31-16	W. P. Youngs & Bros.	774 67	118660	9-11-16	S. Vollaro	4 50	
115539		8-30-16	Jandous Electric Equip. Co., Inc.	450 00	118678	9-11-16	Walter C. Noyes and Alfred E. Marling, receivers of American Real Estate Co.	12 16	
116268		8-31-16	Jandous Electric Equip. Co., Inc.	990 00	118679	9-11-16	A. J. Baker	24 10	
116261	43425	8-31-16	Jandous Electric Equip. Co., Inc.	2,070 00			<b>Public Administrator, New York County.</b>		
116269	44811		C. L. Dooley, Inc.	990 00	118648		William M. Hoes, Public Administrator	15 00	
116267	45272	8-31-16	Terence McKeever, Assignee of Nivard A. Habersack	163 00	118649	9-11-16	New York Telephone Co.	28 83	
			Morris Levin	2,430 00			<b>Department of Parks.</b>		
116266	44810	8-31-16	New York Telephone Co.	69 14	117233		Douglas Bros. Hardware Co., Inc.	48 40	
109706	44708	8-11-16	New York Telephone Co.	66 76	118513		New York Zoological Society, Percy R. Pyne, Treasurer	1,440 15	
116857	44708	9- 2-16	New York Telephone Co.	62 30	118515	9-11-16	The American Museum of Natural History, Henry P. Davison, Treasurer	14,716 24	
109688	44708	8-11-16	New York Telephone Co.	900 00	118516	8-31-16	The American Museum of Natural History, Henry P. Davison, Treasurer	818 03	
116263	45364	8-31-16	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.	810 00	117229		Stumpp & Walter Co.	62 50	
116264	45364	8-31-16	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.	585 00			<b>Police Department.</b>		
116265	45273	8-31-16	The Haupt Paint & Hardware Co.	1,755 00	118220	9- 8-16	Frank J. Batzing	18 23	
116262	45576		I. Langner	110 00	116145	8-16-16	Standard Oil Co. of New York	701 28	
118446	8-15-16	9-11-16	Hugh D. McGrane	10 58	116144	8-14-16	The Consolidation Coal Company, Inc.	175 00	
118444	4-19-16	9-11-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.		116135	7-31-16	Climax Stationery Co.	952 00	
			<b>Fire Department.</b>		118736	9-11-16	George Knieriem	1 20	
117964	8-16-16	9- 8-16	F. N. Du Bois & Co.	\$32 00	118735	9-11-16	Geo. C. Schmidt	1 50	
117956	8- 2-16	9- 8-16	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.	24 37	118733	9- 6-16	John Hofgren, Jr.	1 95	
117952	44110	9- 8-16	J. W. Gasteiger & Son	30 12	118734	9-11-16	Joseph W. Boyen	1 60	
117967			Stromberg Motor Devices Co.	40	118732	9-11-16	Charles B. McNally	3 80	
117190	5-19-16	9- 5-16	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	85 50	118731	9-11-16	Harry Hagstrand	4 25	
117959	7-10-16	9- 8-16	The Photoprint Company	80	118739	8- 1-16	Postal Telegraph Commercial Cable Co.	4 87	
117968			Wayne Oil Tank & Pump Co.	2 00	118222		Patrick J. Horan	9 00	
117972	8-19-16	9- 8-16	Splidorf Electric Co. of N. Y.	5 60	118730	9-11-16	Joseph Smyth	2 60	
117974			Henry Schmall	8 00			<b>President of the Borough of Manhattan.</b>		
117975			The Heinze Electric Co.	9 00	117989	8-10-16	Platt & Washburn Refining Company	27 26	
117973	8-18-16	9- 8-16	The American Multigraph Sales Co.	1 69	118002	5-23-16	The Globe-Wernicke Co.	18 00	
117976	7-28-16	9- 8-16	Ford Motor Company	5 25	117271	7-31-16	Lloyd Garrett Co.	24 00	
			<b>Department of Health.</b>		118000	7- 1-16	Casper Glass Co.	7 50	
118127		9- 8-16	The Oliver Typewriter Co.	\$2 69	117996	8-15-16	S. Weinkrantz	2 00	
118129	8- 9-16	9- 8-16	New York Awning Co.	3 50	116569	5-31-16	Harlem Contracting Co.	38 53	
118128	8- 1-16	9- 8-16	T. C. Moore & Co.	3 35	114623	45024	The Asphalt Construction Co.	621 25	
118124	8-31-16	9- 8-16	New York Bottling Co., Inc.	2 50			<b>President of the Borough of Brooklyn.</b>		
117464			Edward West	16 28	118208	8-26-16	Thomas Corr	27 50	
117477	5- 1-16	9- 6-16	Swift & Co.	3 24	118207	8-19-16	Alfred W. Hall	15 00	
118111	8- 2-16	9- 8-16	Diamond Carbonating Company, Inc.	1 60	118200	8-15-16	Henry Bieg	46 80	
118125	7-12-16	8-10-16	Agent & Warden of Auburn Prison	24 20	118206	8-19-16	Alfred W. Hall	10 00	
118113	8-16-16	9- 8-16	George Tiemann & Co.	5 25	118202	7-29-16	New York Clay Products Co.	23 22	
118114	7-19-16	9- 8-16	C. J. Tagliabue Mfg. Co.	6 00	118194	8- 5-16	Contractors Trading Company, Inc.	15 50	
118115	8-18-16	9- 8-16	F. Paoletti & Co.	12 00	118199		Oriental Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.	20 76	
118126	4-13-16	5- 9-16	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	48 96	118198	7-31-16	Standard Oil Co. of New York	26 40	
118118	5- 4-16	5- 9-16	Jessie Tarbox Beals, Inc.	9 00	118197	6-18-16	Stevenson & Marsters, Inc.	62 25	
117511	7-24-16	9- 6-16	The New Jersey Wire Cloth Co.	85 11	118211	8-25-16	Alexander Walker & Son	5 50	
			<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.</b>		118217	8-31-16	Walter Doscher	27 50	
117772		9- 7-16	New York Telephone Co.	\$3 13	118216	8-31-16	William T. Allen	82 50	
			<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County.</b>		118214	8-26-16	Daniel A. Maher	16 50	
117924	8-31-16	9- 8-16	Nickel Towel Supply	\$3 25	118213	8-28-16	Thomas F. Reid	16 50	
117925	8-31-16	9- 8-16	L. Gibb, Jr.	2 34	118209		Elihu K. Baynon	21 50	
			<b>Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.</b>		118210	8-25-16	Owen Drum	5 50	
118558		9-11-16	New York Telephone Company	\$2 50	118190		Van Brunt Tandy	1 50	
117893		9- 7-16	New York Telephone Company	13 87	118192	8-21-16	The Texas Company	28 70	
117881	8-31-16	9- 7-16	Jno. Williams, Inc.	60 00	118189		Oriental Rubber and Supply Company	38 75	
118652		9-11-16	Frederick O'Byrne	12 35	118191	8-21-16	Swan & Finch Company	15 75	
117882			The C. C. Hager Co.	5 40			<b>President of the Borough of Queens.</b>		
			<b>Law Department.</b>		117847	8-21-16	Crandall Packing Company	30 25	
117948	8-21-16	9- 8-16	The Davis Typewriting Co.	\$34 72	117845	8-25-16	Chas. Greffrath Co.	25 80	
118103	9- 5-16	9- 8-16	Kate Devlin	7 50	117848	8-25-16	The Long Island Hardware Company	41 25	
			<b>Miscellaneous.</b>		116190	7-13-16	The East River Mill & Lumber Co.	131 60	
118666	9- 7-16	9-11-16	Treasurer of the State of New York	\$1,860 00	105528	39003	Otis Elevator Company	1,322 20	
118667	9- 7-16	9-11-16	Trustees of the Department of Health Pension Fund	15,437 25	116198	44560	New York Telephone Company	330 48	
118312		9- 9-16	John Anderson Leach	713 61	116189		The Long Island Hardware Company	111 05	
118311		9- 9-16	Municipal Liens Co.	476 50	116199	45044	A. Alexander Edelman, Assignee of Jas. H. Johnson	4,391 02	
118310		9- 9-16	Municipal Liens Co.	18 49			<b>President of the Borough of Richmond.</b>		
118309		9- 9-16	Boardman Development Co., Inc.	12 47	117156	7-26-16	Charles Linquist	\$18 50	
118308		9- 9-16	DeLafield Estate, Inc.	489 22	115878	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	56 32	
118307		9- 9-16	George N. Miller	17 83	115875	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	19 88	
118306		9- 9-16	John Schreiner	128 63	115885	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	5 32	
118305			Daniel Riordan	15 47	115884	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	5 12	
118304		9- 9-16	Maurice Mullins	4 22	115882	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	17 92	
118303		9- 9-16	Charles Gumberg	2 82	115881	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	14 88	
118302		9- 9-16	Alice Franco	73 48	115879	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	31 60	
118301		9- 9-16	Lina Dick	35 75	115876	6-30-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	21 28	
118294		9- 9-16	Chamberlain of The City of New York	53			<b>Public Service Commission.</b>		
118324		9- 9-16	Richard Young	333 45	118610	6-23-16	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	\$2 50	
118292			St. Andrew's Realty Company	23 00	118611	7-31-16	The Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	15 04	
118291			Katharine G. Winter	25 00					
118549			Queens Plaza Court, Inc.	25 00					
66081			Maurice Stack and Hannah Stack	108 30					
66081			John Baumliller, assignee of Maurice Stack and Hannah Stack	270 75					
118314			Hermann Scheidt	5 00					
118320		9- 9-16	Charles Sauters	10 31					
118319		9- 9-16	Isaac W. Welton	79 10					
118318		9- 9-16	Penn Yale Corporation	7 57					
118317		9- 9-16	Arthur H. Rowe	4 00					
118516		9- 9-16	Estate of Anna Ferris	40 32					



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118608	7-31-16	9-11-16	The Brooklyn Union Gas Co.....	2 48	<b>Tenement House Department.</b>				
116243	7-31-16	8-31-16	Great Bear Spring Co.....	165 60	116179	8-21-16	8-31-16	John Galvin .....	\$100 00
116238	7- 1-16	8-31-16	Conwell Graphic Companies, Inc.....	500 24	<b>Board of Water Supply.</b>				
116257		8-31-16	New York Telephone Company.....	402 52	118025	6- 9-16. 8-21-16	9- 8-16	The Fairbanks Co.....	\$38 21
116249	8- 1-16	8-31-16	Lithoprint Company, Inc.....	143 13	118684		9-11-16	Thaddeus Merriman .....	16 37
116250	7-24-16. 7-31-16	8-31-16	The Lufkin Rule Co.....	108 00	118022	8-11-16	9- 8-16	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co....	2 56
116251	4-10-16	8-31-16	Mittag & Volger, Inc.....	114 00	118024	8-11-16	9- 8-16	Electro-Light Engraving Company...	4 85
116235	8- 3-16	8-31-16	G. W. Bromley & Co.....	340 00	118023	8-17-16	9- 8-16	Joseph Dixon Crucible Co.....	18 40
116247	8-10-16	8-31-16	Law Reporting Company .....	246 55	118029	8- 1-16	9- 8-16	Kohle & Co.....	36 00
118615			H. A. D. Hollmann, Auditor.....	408 17	118015			Borne-Scrymser Co. ....	4 50
118614		9-11-16	Edward T. Fitzgerald Railway Engr...	888 09	118017	8- 3-16. 9- 1-16	9- 8-16	The H. B. Claflin Corporation of New York .....	15 24
<b>Department of Public Charities.</b>					118018	8-10-16. 8-16-16	9- 8-16	Coldwell-Wilcox Co. ....	42 73
118180			Wm. Burgess Cornell, Medical Director .....	\$6 00	118040	8-12-16	9- 8-16	Stanley & Patterson, Inc. ....	18 97
118890		9-12-16	A. M. Wilson, Director.....	193 00	118043		9- 8-16	Ulster Garage .....	7 10
<b>Register, Kings County.</b>					118045	8-26-16	9- 8-16	Winston & Co. ....	12 79
118007	8-31-16	9- 8-16	Patk. Dougherty .....	\$7 20	118031	8-28-16	9- 8-16	Library Bureau .....	7 87
<b>Register, Bronx County.</b>					118030	8-21-16	9- 8-16	Kolesch & Co. ....	5 88
118425		9-11-16	Theodore Kolber, Bookkeeper .....	1 10	116028	8- 2-16. 8-18-16	9- 8-16	Ingersoll-Rand Company .....	74 85
118426	8-23-16	9-11-16	Gane Brothers & Co.....	4 00	118032	8- 5-16	9- 8-16	Montgomery & Co., Inc. ....	10 20
118428	8-31-16	9-11-16	Yale Towel Supply, Inc.....	7 00	118033	8-17-16	9- 8-16	The Motor Car Equipment Co. ....	1 96
118427	8-31-16	9-11-16	Fred M. Schildwachter .....	10 80	118041	8-24-16	9- 8-16	Tower Bros. Stationery Co. ....	22 50
<b>Sheriff, Queens County.</b>					118034	8- 4-16	9- 8-16	J. Pfister .....	75 00
117888		9- 7-16	New York Telephone Co.....	\$23 11	<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b>				
<b>Sheriff, Bronx County.</b>					118379	7- 5-16. 7-31-16	9- 9-16	Guarantee Typewriter Repair Co. ....	\$5 65
118561		9-11-16	Thomas E. Fox.....	\$6 64	118365	5-23-16	9- 9-16	The Haupt Paint and Hardware Co..	7 28
118560			John H. Droge .....	5 00	118362	5-31-16	9- 9-16	F. F. Fuhrmann .....	4 45
118563			Timothy J. Duane.....	6 64	118361	6-30-16	9- 9-16	F. F. Fuhrmann .....	18 25
118562		9-11-16	Richard J. Connolly .....	80	118383		9- 9-16	New York Sporting Goods Co. ....	27 79
118564		9-11-16	John M. Dennerlein .....	20 12	118368			Nason Manufacturing Co. ....	9 31
<b>Sheriff, New York County.</b>					118054		44149	The Bronx Gas and Electric Co. ....	98 36
117587	44415	9- 6-16	New York Telephone Company.....	\$90 27	117312	4- 5-16	43592	Manhattan Rubber Mfg. Co. ....	64 50
<b>Department of Taxes and Assessments.</b>					118296			Adam Marschhauser .....	16 00
11752	9- 1-16	9- 9-16	Frank B. Sheridan .....	\$17 00	116156	6-20-16	44684	Standard Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co. ....	8,082 76
					119337		9-13-16	Edmond Beardsley, Acting Chief ....	325 00
					116153		44938	James I. Newman .....	504 50
					118382	8- 7-16	8- 9-16	Richmond Auto Tire Repair Company.	4 90

## VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1916.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
119416	44257	N. Y. Telephone Co.....	\$65 83	119694	8- 1-16	William J. Montenes.....	15 00
119415		Alexander J. Brezin .....	98 87	119695	8-31-16	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	22 09
<b>Board of Standards and Appeals.</b>				<b>City Magistrates' Courts.</b>			
119785	8-22-16	John Wanamaker .....	24 50	119519	8-31-16	Frank Oliver.....	66 38
<b>Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.</b>				119520	5-10-16	Rutherford Rubber Co.....	190 08
119447	7-10-16	Otto F. Schuster, Inc.....	3 75	119521	9- 1-16	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.....	1 90
119448	4- 2-16	James M. Shaw Co.....	315 30	119522	8- 1-16	Joe Casamassima .....	2 97
119449	7-11-16	Schipley Constr. & Sup. Co. ....	150 00	119523	8-30-16	Central Window Cleaning and House Renovating Co. ....	10 50
119450	1-13-16	Singer Sewing Machine Co. ....	2 40	119524	8-30-16	Powers Acct'g Mach. Co. ....	55 00
119451	7-10-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y....	155 64	<b>Court of Special Sessions.</b>			
119452	7-26-16	Stanley & Patterson.....	104 22	119801		Frank W. Smith .....	\$120 93
119453	3-30-16	Sutphen & Myer.....	354 09	<b>Department of Correction.</b>			
119454	4-28-16	Schipley Constr. & Sup. Co. ....	40 19	119360	6-29-16	James S. Barron & Co.....	\$22 50
119455	3-14-16	The A. S. Boyle Co.....	522 00	119361	7-20-16	The Combination Rubber Mfg. Co. ....	22 57
119436	7-15-16	Peter McGeady .....	13 50	119362	7-24-16	The Cutler Hammer Mfg. Co.....	26 00
119436	7-13-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. ....	23 55	119363	8-23-16	E. F. Keating Co.....	40 56
119437	7- -16	Postal Telegraph Cable Co. ....	34 54	119364	8-23-16	Western Electric Co.....	26 93
119438	7-17-16	J. B. Prescott & Son.....	5 05	119365	5-23-16	Miller Shipyard and Repair Co.....	24 38
119439	8- 1-16	Progress Blue Print Co.....	4 02	119366	8-21-16	W. R. Collins, Agt. Erie R. R. ....	14 04
119440	7-11-16	Record Surgical Appliance Co. ....	33 40	119367	7-12-16	Post Garage Co.....	19 50
119441	7-20-16	Alex F. Reid & Sons.....	8 14	119368	8-23-16	H. D. Gould Co.....	111 00
119442	7- 6-16	Richman & Samuels.....	790 56	119401	45231	L. Crocco & Sons .....	11 97
119443	7- 1-16	A. G. Richter .....	191 00	119402	43983	The Fleischmann Co.....	121 60
119444	7-21-16	Royal Eastern Electrical Co. ....	1 50	119403	45219	Grand Central Market, Inc. ....	93 81
119445	7- 8-16	Schaeffer & Budenberg Mfg. Co. ....	2 50	119404	45233	Samuel E. Hunter .....	2,380 36
119446	8-22-16	Nicholas J. Schery.....	168 00	119405	44137	Francis H. Leggett & Co. ....	22 89
119758	7-19-16	Kny-Scheerer Corp.....	3 90	119406	45223	Sulzberger & Sons Co.....	8,609 10
119759	8-16-16	Wm. Langbein and Bros.....	21 00	119407	45445	William Brennan .....	35 75
119760	7-11-16	Francis H. Leggett and Co. ....	247 51	119408	45481	S. Tuttle's Son Co.....	494 68
119761	7-29-16	E. Leitz.....	7 25	119409	44572	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	236 54
119456	7-22-16	A. B. Dick Co.....	9 50	119410	44377	Gimbel Bros. ....	1,539 00
119457	7-27-16	Diehald Safe and Lock Co. ....	70 00	119411	45372	Charles B. Meyers .....	2,357 49
119458	8- 1-16	James B. Donahue .....	10 95	119412	44696	E. B. & A. C. Whiting Co. ....	2,780 01
119459	4-20-16	Dressler, Beard Mfg. Co....	3 75	119347	8-31-16	C. A. Knapp .....	248 00
119460	7-21-16	Joseph D. Duffy's Son.....	85 00	119348	7-31-16	B. Levinson .....	180 40
119461	7-28-16	Duparquet, Huot and Moneuse Co. ....	7 25	119349	8- 4-16	Benj. Horton .....	264 43
119462	5-11-16	Edison Lamp Works.....	207 09	119350	8-26-16	James S. Barron & Co.....	35 00
119463	8-10-16	N. Ehlen .....	4 64	119351	7- 9-16	Baker, Vorhis & Co.....	21 50
119464	7-18-16	Electrical Smelting and Aluminum Co. ....	506 25	119352	8-15-16	Brink & Clark Hardware Co. ....	1 80
119465	7- 8-16	Forest Shade Co.....	2 73	119353	8-28-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	15 00
119466	3- 2-16	Jacob F. Fuessel.....	137 47	119354	8-21-16	Stanley & Patterson .....	7 00
119467	7-11-16	Pulius Fowl .....	15 00	119355	8- 4-16	Buck Bros. ....	49 00
119468	7-19-16	General Speedometer Repair Co. ....	7 00	119356	7-25-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	49 82
119469	7-21-16	C. H. and E. S. Goldsberg..	7 50	119357	8-29-16	International Shoe Supplies .....	3 19
119470	7-20-16	J. M. Gotesman .....	87 99	119358	8-24-16	Putnam & Co.....	9 50
119471	6-27-16	Greene, Tweed and Co.....	8 91	119359	8-23-16	Russell & Stoll Co.....	13 35
119472	7-20-16	Greenhut Co.....	25 50	<b>District Attorney, Queens County.</b>			
119473	5-24-16	Emil Greiner Co.....	9 00	119330		William F. Ryan.....	\$2 44
119474	7-27-16	H. Hahnefeld .....	11 82	119331	7-31-16	New York Telephone Co.....	38 28
119475	6-30-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer and Co. ....	2 72	119332		William W. Baird .....	34 70
119476	7-11-16	Hanlon and Goodman Co..	11 98	119333		Joseph M. McCloy .....	16 68
				119334		James H. Nix .....	37 59
				119335		John J. Gavin .....	23 84
				119336		Dennis O'Leary .....	10 00
<b>Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.</b>				<b>Board of Estimate and Apportionment.</b>			
119693		Charles Wuest .....	13 50	119525		George E. Kessler .....	\$1,500 00
<b>Department of Education.</b>				119212	8-22-16	John Neal's Sons .....	\$80 00
				119213	8-22-16	John Neal's Sons .....	395 00
				119214	8- 8-16	August Wille, Jr.....	245 00
				119215	6-26-16	James E. Delancy .....	185 00
				119216	5-31-16	Joseph A. Graf .....	23 00
				119217	7-19-16	Philip Simberg .....	23 00
				119197	5-29-16	Lawler Regulator Co.....	11 20
				119198	4- 5-16	Philip & Paul .....	26 12



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119199	12-20-15	New York Assoc. of the Blind	119320	7- 5-16	M. J. Johnstone	119632	8- 2-16	N. C. Walter & Sons.....
119200	6-26-16	George Kessler	119321	7- 3-16	Jac Schneider	119633	8- 3-16	Theo. Moss & Co.....
119201	6-22-16	John F. Koop	119322	7-10-16	Henry Pearl and Sons Co.	Miscellaneous.		
119202	6- 5-16	William Schultz	119323	7-28-16	Long Island Hardware Co.	119338		George H. Parshall.....
119203	6-14-16	Reid, King & Co.....	119324	5-24-16	Doncourt Construction Co.	119339		Westchester Land & Dock Corp.
119204	6-30-16	Henry Pearl Sons Co.....	119325	8-14-16	Edward E. Stapleton			518 75
119205	7-15-16	W. E. Moss	119326	7-17-16	Thomas A. Corwin	119342		Costanzo Perrella
119206	7- 6-16	P. F. Mahoney	119327	7-14-16	Thos. A. Corwin	119342		Christina Becker
119207	7-20-16	Max Jackel	119328	7-14-16	Haupt Paint and Hardware Co.	119343		Charles D. Debense
119208	5-11-16	Hall & Boyle						22 06
119209	7-21-16	E. J. Stanley	119329	5-31-16	Joseph A. Graf	Board of Parole.		
119210	7- 1-16	Duncan Stewart	119269	6-14-16	Thomas F. Breen	119691	2- 8-16	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.,
119211	6-19-16	D. J. Deady	119270	7-10-16	Herman Sacks Roofing & Contr. Co.	119692	6-22-16	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.,
119219	6-16-16	Morris Levi & Co.....				119762	8-15-16	Wilson Stamp Co.
119220	6-13-16	John Gerrard, Jr.	119271	7- 5-16	Louis Messer			6 23
119221	6-19-16	D. J. Deady	119272	7- 8-16	C. Alfred Cella	Public Administrator, Bronx County.		
119222	6-14-16	D. J. Deady	119273	4-26-16	Readsboro Chair Co.....	119413	8-31-16	N. Y. Telephone Co.....
119223	6-20-16	D. J. Deady	119274	7- 5-16	A. W. Brauer	119414	9- 8-16	Ernest E. L. Lammer
119224	6-19-16	D. J. Deady	119275	6-26-16	Columbus Mfg. & Sup. Co.			5 00
119225	6-12-16	Louis Guerr	119276	5-24-16	John Egan	Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.		
119226	7-11-16	H. Pfund	119277	7- 8-16	J. Friedman	119430	8-30-16	William G. Loose, Jr.....
119227	6-30-16	Albert J. Kelting	119278	6-19-16	F. J. Kloes	119431	9- 4-16	Adam Albert
119228	6-30-16	John Gelsion	119244	6-21-16	T. J. Kloes	119432	8-24-16	Earl A. Gillespie
119229	7-11-16	H. Tortenbach	119245	5-25-16	Frank J. Eisinger	119433	7-12-16	The Hastings Pavement Co.
119230	6-20-16	Garbutt & Co.....	119246	5-26-16	Harlem Mfg. Co.....	119434	7-25-16	American Saw Mill Mach. Co.
119231	7- 6-16	R. Solomon & Son.....	119247	6-15-16	Revere Rubber Co.....			10 50
119232	4-23-16	D. J. Carey	119248	6-12-16	Harlem Mfg. Co.....	119417	8-23-16	J & T. Adikes
119233	8- 1-16	Frank Kiebitz	119249	6-26-16	J. H. Boozer	119418	8-24-16	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.,
119234	2-23-16	Samuel Gallucci	119250	1- 8-16	W. F. Peters Co.....	119419	8-14-16	Stumpp & Walter Co.....
119235	6-30-16	Haupt Paint and Hardware Co.	119251	1- 7-16	P. E. O'Connell	119420	8- 3-16	The Barrett Co.....
			119252	1- 7-16	P. E. O'Connell	119421	8-19-16	Pine Oil Co.....
			119253	12-18-15	P. E. O'Connell	119422	8-24-16	Bloomingdale Bros.....
			119254	12-27-15	New York Assoc. for the Blind	119423	8- 9-16	John J. Lake & Son.....
						119424	7-31-16	Standard Bitulithic Co.
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119722	44719	Armour & Co.....	119547	2-8-16	Crandall Packing Co.....	119646	8-7-16	A. J. Picard and Co.....
119723	45217	Beyer Bros. Comms. Co....	119548	7-6-16	Columbia Graphophone Co..	119647	7-25-16	Lexington Auto Supply Co..
119724	45563	Burton & Davis Co.....	119549	6-23-16	The Iroquois Mfg. Co.....	119648	7-7-16	A. J. Picard and Co.....
119725	45218	Conron Bros. Co.....	119550	8-11-16	George Gratz.....	119649	7-8-16	John Agregory.....
119726	45314	The Empire State Dairy Co.	119551	8-7-16	Nanz Clock Co.....	119650	6-27-16	Edw. F. Crinnian.....
119727	43983	The Fleischmann Co.....	119733	44432	Donn Barber.....	119651	7-14-16	Henry Citrin.....
119728	45233	Samuel E. Hunter.....	119734	45682	Donn Barber.....	119652	7-29-16	Thomas F. Cash.....
119729	45656	Nathan Strauss, Inc.....				119653	8-10-16	John Brancale.....
119730	44780	Superior Duck Clothing Co.				119654	8-3-16	Paul Ayres Plumbing Co...
119731	44344	The E. R. Mill & Lumber Co.				119655	8-4-16	Cling Surface Co. of Buf- falo.....
119732	44344	The E. R. Mill & Lumber Co.				119656	7-31-16	A. F. Brombacher and Co..
119344	9-1-16	Stuart A. Rice.....				119657	7-29-16	The Bristol Co.....
119345	9-1-16	Esther E. Yachelson.....				119658	7-1-16	Autocar Sales Co.....
119346	7-31-16	N. Y. State Hosp. for In- cipient Tuberculosis, Ray- brook, Essex Co., N. Y.....				119659	6-1-16	Ford Motor Co.....
119526	8-21-16	M. Berger.....				119660	7-7-16	Whitall, Tatum Co.....
119527	8-11-16	Eugene Prager.....				119661	8-9-16	L. Katzenstein and Co.....
119528	7-7-16	Knickerbocker Supply Co....				119662	8-3-16	M. T. Davidson Co.....
119529	6-15-16	The Phila. Lawn Mower Co.				119663	6-19-16	The Lagonda Mfg. Co.....
119530	6-12-16	Greenhut Co.....				119664	7-1-16	Bureau of Highways.....
119531	7-6-16	Western Elec. Co.....				119665	7-31-16	Geo. V. Sloat.....
119532	7-7-16	Sibley-Pitman Elec. Corp...				119666	7-31-16	Tomback and McPhee.....
119533	8-15-16	Stanley & Patterson.....				119667	8-14-16	James McIntyre.....
119534	7-28-16	John Wanamaker, N. Y.....				119668	5-22-16	Tracy and Heslin.....
119535	6-24-16	Candee, Smith & Howland Co.				119669	7-7-16	James B. Stolorworthy.....
119536	6-27-16	Colonial Works, Inc.....				119670	7-31-16	Thomas Marrin.....
119537	6-28-16	Bruce & Cook.....				119671	6-24-16	George F. Koons.....
119538	7-19-16	Jas. S. Barron & Co.....				119672	8-24-16	Manning, Maxwell and Moore.....
119539	6-17-16	E. B. Latham & Co.....				119673	8-11-16	John Simons Co.....
119540	8-1-16	Jos. W. Miller.....				119674	7-31-16	Jones Packing Co.....
119541	7-8-16	Daniel Pollard.....				119600	7-7-16	F. F. Fuhrmann.....
119542	5-31-16	Daniel Pollard.....				119601	7-27-16	E. F. Keating Co.....
119543	5-11-16	Houptert Machine Co.....				119602	7-1-16	W. W. Cornell.....
119544	8-15-16	D. Liederman & Sons.....				119603	5-1-16	W. W. Cornell.....
119545	8-4-16	A. C. Laurence.....				119604	6-1-16	W. W. Cornell.....
119546	8-10-16	H. W. Johns-Manville Co..				119605	8-4-16	Young and Halstad Co....
119547	8-15-16	A. Marks.....				119606	6-30-16	Jere A. McCue.....
119548	7-26-16	John G. Roll.....				119607	7-31-16	Jere A. McCue.....
119549	8-10-16	Weehawken Dry Dock Co..				119608	8-4-16	Neptune Meter Co.....
119550	7-25-16	John G. Roll.....				119609	7-31-16	Drop-a-Line Indicator.....
119551	8-10-16	Zorn & Schrengauer.....				119610	7-31-16	Evans Products Corp.....
119552	1-3-16	Thomas M. Blake.....				119611	7-31-16	Henry Bainbridge and Co..
119553	7-24-16	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons.				119612	8-3-16	Henry Moss and Co.....
119554	6-29-16	Gough & Horn.....				119613	7-27-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.
119555	7-24-16	Paul Schaad.....				119614	7-18-16	Topping Bros.....
119556	7-12-16	Singer Sewing Machine Co.				119615	8-26-16	Hersey Mfg. Co.....
119557	7-14-16	Otis Elevator Co.....				119616	7-17-16	New York Sporting Goods Co.....
119558	6-15-16	The Petroleum Products Co.				119617	7-1-16	Auto Car Sales Co.....
119559	6-27-16	Thomas C. Dunham.....				119618	7-1-16	Ford Motor Co.....
						119619	7-29-16	Patterson Bros.....
						119620	7-31-16	A. F. Brombacher and Co...

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

## Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York Held Thursday, August 17, 1916, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz, President; Darwin R. James, Jr., Commissioner. The President presided.

Albert J. Stone, a Laborer in the Board of Water Supply, appeared, as directed. On motion, it was

Resolved, That certification of the name of Albert J. Stone, of Valhalla, N. Y., to the Board of Water Supply from the eligible list of Laborer be and the same hereby is revoked and his name removed from the said eligible list, it appearing that he had been under the minimum age prescribed at the time of filing his application for that position.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports (2), dated Aug. 17, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated: Asphalt Foreman, Grade 2, office of the President, Borough of Queens; Foreman Paver, office of the President, Borough of Queens.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, Aug. 23, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOHN F. SKELLY, Assistant Secretary.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

## Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York Held Tuesday, August 22, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Present—Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh, Commissioners. Commissioner James presided.

A communication, dated Aug. 18, was presented from the Executive Secretary to the Mayor, transmitting resolution authorizing the employment of Charles Thomas Brues, a non-resident of the State of New York, as Entomologist in the Department of Health. On motion, it was

Resolved, That under authority of Clause 6a of Rule XII. of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Charles Thomas Brues, of Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed as Entomologist in the Department of Health for a period of two months, with compensation at the rate of three hundred dollars per month.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, Aug. 23, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOHN F. SKELLY, Assistant Secretary.

## Police Department.

Report for week ended Sept. 9, 1916:

## SEPTEMBER 5.

Granted—Petition for pension of Margaret E. Delaney, widow of Patrolman Patrick L. Delaney; date of marriage, Sept. 23, 1889; amount of pension awarded, \$300 per annum. Application of Patrolman Denis J. Rodgers, 36th Precinct, to be reimbursed in the sum of \$7 for summer uniform destroyed in the performance of duty.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, were dismissed from the Police Force of the Police Department of the City of New York. To take effect 12.15 p. m., Sept. 2, 1916: Patrolmen: Martin J. Harrison, 39th precinct; three (3) charges, June 8, 1916: Neglect of duty, violation of rules, failed to respond to flashlight signal; neglect of duty, violation of rules, absent from outgoing roll call; neglect of duty, violation of rules (1) improper patrol,

could not be found; (2) failed to make entry; (3) failed to obtain permission. Edward J. Carroll, 153d precinct: Charge May 14, 1916: Neglect of duty and violation of rules, absent without leave (4 days, 7 hours and 15 minutes). Charge May 20, 1916: Violation of rules and regulations, absent from residence when visited by a surgeon.

The following death was reported: Patrolman Robert R. H. Kuntze, 26th precinct, at 5.35 p. m., Sept. 4, 1916.

## SEPTEMBER 6.

Granted—Application of Myrtle Duprey, widow of Patrolman Edward Duprey, for financial aid; \$240 granted from Police Relief Fund, to be paid in monthly installments of \$20; relief granted Sept. 5, 1916. Application of James Graham, A. D. S., Detective Bureau, for permission to accept reward of \$15, less the usual deduction for the Pension Fund, from the U. S. authorities for the arrest of a deserter from the Coast Guard Cutter "Calumet."

The following resignation was accepted:

Patrolman Joseph B. Hagan, 172d precinct, to take effect 3 p. m., Sept. 5, 1916.

## SEPTEMBER 7.

Granted—Petition for pension of Cecilia Connell, widow of Patrolman Arthur F. Connell; date of marriage Sept. 20, 1905; amount of pension \$300 per annum.

Accepted—Resignation of Nicanor Diaz, Clerk, to take effect Sept. 5, 1916.

## SEPTEMBER 8.

Charles S. Clark, Jr., 180 Claremont ave., Manhattan, was appointed Stenographer to the Fourth Deputy Commissioner, at \$1,200 per annum, effective Sept. 7, 1916, vice William H. Hylton, resigned.

Granted—Petition for pension of Sadie T. Fitzgibbons, widow of John J. Fitzgibbons, pensioner; date of marriage Dec. 25, 1884; amount of pension awarded \$300 per annum. Application of Patrolman George F. Raeburn, 279th Precinct, to be reimbursed in the sum of \$12 for revolver lost in the performance of duty.

## SEPTEMBER 9.

The following member of the Force was relieved and dismissed from the Police Force and Service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and was awarded the following pension, to take effect 12 p. m., Sept. 8, 1916: Patrolman Frank H. Baran, 169th precinct, on Police Surgeon's certificate, at \$700 per annum; appointed June 15, 1893.

Granted—Petition for pension of Margaret O'Connell, widow of Patrolman Richard D. O'Connell; date of marriage June 7, 1905; amount of pension awarded \$300 per annum. Petition for pension of Mary V. O'Grady, widow of Sergeant Thomas F. J. O'Grady; date of marriage Oct. 26, 1904; amount of pension awarded \$600 per annum, effective Aug. 24, 1916.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

## Board of Health.

Abstract of the minutes of July 28, 1916: The Board met pursuant to notice. Present, Commissioner of Health and Health Officer of the Port.

Actions Discontinued—1027, George S. Youngling; 1113, Alfred W. L. Jackson; 1050, M. Spieberg; 1119, Benjamin Torrens; 1129, John E. Breglia; 1130, Chas. F. Booth; 1132, Henry U. Robinson; 1063, Thomas F. Farley; 1138, John J. Slevin; 1117, Samuel Ellsberg; 1082, Max Bresler; 1165, Edward R. Cuniffe; 1154, Guiseppe Di Lorenzo; 1147, Abraham S. Elterman; 1139, Benjamin Torrens; 1120, Mollie Newkrug; 1160, Louis Korowitz; 1148, Addison S. Boyce; 1094, James Stanley; 1121, Hinman Bros.; 1149, Max Mandelbaum; 1146, David Gingold; 1151, Leo Berger; 1150, Max Mandelbaum; 1041,

Mary Browda; 1103, Benjamin Block; 1083, Jacob Glass; 1122, Thomas O'Mara; 1125, Archibald W. Taves; 1072, Fiorientia Corino; 1145, Henry U. Robinson; 1137, Joseph Slominsky; 1135, Herman E. Mecker; 1140, Sabina Weber; 1143, Louis Korowitz; 1098, Bert Mundy; 1156, Tessie Dorak; 1100, Barney J. Dryfuss; 1127, Louis Drosin; 1141, Minnie M. Silberang; 1144, Boris Whyman; 1128, John J. McGlade; 1115, F. T. Barber; 1126, Hinman Bros.; 1155, Fannie Sugar; 1153 William Fankueker; 1073, Alice Bender.

Premises declared public nuisances—Stable, 2716 Church ave., Brooklyn; stable, S. E. Cor. Kings Highway and Coney Island ave. (rear), Borough of Brooklyn; stable, 1105, Sixtieth st. (rear), Brooklyn; stable, 1135-7, Sixty-first st. (rear), Brooklyn; stable, 1357 Sixty-first st. (rear), Brooklyn; stable, 1339-41 Sixty-third st. (rear), Brooklyn; stable, 389 E. 91st st. (rear), Brooklyn.

Premises Ordered Vacated—2163 Coney Island ave., Brooklyn; 616 Snedker ave., Brooklyn; 7 Butler ave., Far Rockaway.

Order for vacations against certain premises were rescinded, the cause for same having been removed.

Miscellaneous applications for permits were granted.

Miscellaneous applications for permits were denied.

Various permits granted by the Board were revoked.

Extensions of time in which to comply with provisions of orders issued against premises were granted, and certain applications for relief and extensions of orders were denied.

The Registrar of Records was directed to record corrected certificates of vital certificates relating to various persons.

Leaves of absence on account of sickness and for various reasons were granted to several employees in each Borough.

The contract for furnishing all the labor, materials and equipment necessary or required to ditch and drain certain areas in the salt marshlands located within the Borough of The Bronx, was awarded to the United States Drainage & Irrigation Company, of 17 Battery pl., Manhattan, for the sum of \$2,230, they being the lowest bidders.

Section 13 of the Sanitary Code was amended.

Regulations governing the production, transportation, pasteurization and sale of milk, cream, condensed or concentrated milk, condensed skimmed milk and modified milk were amended.

Promotions—June 1: John J. Cronin, Assistant Director, Bureau of Child Hygiene, from \$2,550 to \$3,780 per annum.



Simon Tannenbaum, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, from \$1,740 to \$3,480 per annum. D. Martin and L. Keeling, Hospital Physicians, Bureau of Hospitals, from \$1,140 to \$1,200 per annum. Clerks: Clara Allen, Bureau of Laboratories, from \$1,560 to \$1,680 per annum. John R. S. White, Bureau of General Administration, from \$1,500 to \$1,680 per annum. Anthony Fiore, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, from \$480 to \$540 per annum. Harry Bernstein, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, from \$300 to \$360 per annum. Alice Wilson, Laboratory Assistant, Bureau of Laboratories, from \$750 to \$840 per annum. George J. Brandt, Telephone Operator, Bureau of General Administration, from \$660 to \$720 per annum, June 15. Alphonse Plessis, Attendant, Bureau of General Administration, from \$720 to \$840 per annum, July 27.

**Appointments** (Paragraph 3, Rule XII)—Assistant Physicians (Clinic), \$300 per annum, Bureau of Preventable Diseases: Elsie E. Ewer, 1817 Mohegan ave., Bronx, June 9; Lamont F. Fisher, 1112 Dean st., Brooklyn, May 3; Charles Pines, 54 E. 3d st., Manhattan, June 9; Samuel Roth, 633 Willoughby ave., Brooklyn, May 24; Samuel I. Turken, 320 E. 3d st., Manhattan, June 9.

**Appointments** (Paragraph 4, Rule XII)—Nurses, \$900 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene, for four days, July 3: Florence V. DeLaney, 199 Baltic st., Brooklyn; Charlotte Karp, 640 Riverside Drive, Manhattan; Hannah McGloin, 455 E. 34th st., Brooklyn; Henry Frayne, 70 W. 83d st., Manhattan, Telephone Switchboard Operator, \$600 per annum, July 14, for 3 days. Special Fund (Poliomyelitis) for two periods of 15 days each: Nagib T. Abion, 261 Clinton st., Brooklyn, July 25; Samuel Altman, 146 W. 81st st., Manhattan, July 13; Herman Ballen, 1410 Wilkins ave., Bronx, July 26; Henry A. Bancel, 235 E. 68th st., Manhattan, July 10; Garrett N. Banker, 32 W. 61st st., Manhattan, July 14; Russell Bellamy, 107 W. 43d st., Manhattan, July 17; Arthur J. Bendick, 216 W. 89th st., Manhattan, July 26; Edward Leonard Benjamin, 961 Tiffany st., Bronx, July 15; Louis Berlin, 469 Forty-fifth st., and Joseph Blinder, 8669 Bay 24th st., Brooklyn, July 13; Everett C. Brennard, 184 Joralemon st., Brooklyn, July 27; Waldemar T. Browne, 67 Harrison pl., Brooklyn, July 23; Hans H. Christensen, 379 Irving ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Morris J. Clurman, 4504 Fifteenth ave., Brooklyn, July 8; Thomas R. Cooney, 849 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan, July 13; H. F. Crandall, 547 W. 123d st., Manhattan, July 14; Ruth J. Crasson, 492 Kosciusko st., Brooklyn, July 8; J. F. Crawford, 408 Clinton st., Brooklyn, July 16; Fred A. Deal, 38 Fort Washington ave., Manhattan, July 11; August P. Dellett, 502 W. 157th st., Manhattan, July 14; William H. Deutsch, 331 Second ave., Brooklyn, July 13; J. Gordon Donnelly, Ridgewood ave., Paterson, N. J., July 14; Ernestine Doychert, Hotel Ansonia, N. Y. C., July 20; Phebe L. DuBois, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 8; Leo Faske, 1515 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, Moses M. Feinberg, 2066 Mohegan ave., Brooklyn, William R. Fogarty, 1506 Woodhaven ave., Queens, Samuel Freedman, 54 E. 118th st., Manhattan, and Chas. F. Frischbier, 1180 Hancock st., Brooklyn, July 13; Chas. N. Gelber, 231 E. 13th st., Manhattan, July 10; Murray B. Gordon, 4402 Twelfth ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Arthur J. Greenberger, 117 W. 120th st., Manhattan, July 18; Isadore W. Kahn, 241 W. 112th st., Manhattan, Sydney M. Katz, 494 Hopkinson ave., Brooklyn, and Nathan Kraemer, 254 E. 184th st., Bronx, July 13; Max Landeman, 120 W. 118th st., Manhattan, July 15; Marcus S. Lomlich, 496 Hopkinson ave., Brooklyn, July 14; Leon E. Lesser, 28 Douglass st., Brooklyn, July 13; Shermon L. Lewis, 465 West End ave., Manhattan, July 15; Mark Liebert, 1540 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn. Samuel Linder, 1780 St. Johns pl., Brooklyn, J. Edward Liss, 1202 Fulton ave., Manhattan, and Jacob Lobsenz, 233 W. 122d st., Manhattan, July 13; Marvin Lorde, 234 E. 5th st., Manhattan, July 14; Max Marschark, 117 E. 82d st., Manhattan, and Joseph Martoccio, 2421 Lorillard pl., Bronx, July 13; Barclay W. Moffatt, 476 Main st., Orange, N. J., July 25; E. W. Moorehouse, 145 Clinton st., Brooklyn, July 14; Samuel Paleg, 1136 Clay ave., Bronx, Samuel Perlman, 341 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, Theodore L. Pulhemacher, 594 Seventh st., Brooklyn, Sophie Rabinoff, 2480 Concourse, Bronx, S. Bernard Rosenzweig, 2176 Grand Concourse, Bronx, and Alex. H. Rabinowitz, 76 Beaver st., Bronx, July 13; Henri A. Santoire, 148 Clinton st., Brooklyn, Louis W. Schultz, 546 W. 124th st., Manhattan, Jesse D. Schwartz, 333 Central Park West, Manhattan, and Joseph H. Singer, 1475 Washington ave., Bronx, July 14; Enrico Solidini, 65 Beach st., Stapleton, July 10; B. Edgar Spiegel, 880 Macy pl., Bronx, July 14; William Spielberg, 211 Henry st., Manhattan, Louis

R. Steibel, 540 W. 160th st., Manhattan, and Dudley D. Stetson, 1029 Ogden ave., Manhattan, July 13; Frank E. Stoney, 229 Eighty-second st., Brooklyn, July 14; Charles W. Strowger, 163 W. 91st st., Manhattan, July 17; Edward M. Thompson, 450 Westminster rd., Brooklyn, and VerNooy W. Weed, 328 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn, July 14; Nathan Weinberg, 584 Marcy ave., Brooklyn, July 15; Henry Weinstein, 551 W. 178th st., Manhattan, July 18; Daniel E. Welch, 135 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Sampson J. Wilson, 119 Summer ave., Brooklyn, July 14; William A. Wovschin, 1001 E. 167th st., Bronx, July 10; Benne M. Wrenker, 296 Central Park West, Manhattan, July 14. Assistant Physician (Clinic), \$300: Louis T. Fricke, 173 Underhill ave., Brooklyn, July 15. Nurses, \$900 per annum: Ruby Rose Amerkham, 200 W. 112th st., Manhattan, July 15; Gertrude Andress, 312 W. 140th st., Manhattan, July 6; Kathryn Andrews, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 8; Adeline Bonoma, 106 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, July 17; Mary J. Burke, 682 Lexington ave., Manhattan, July 26; Rose McGowan Burke, 506 Ninth ave., Astoria, L. I., July 17; Mary Burton, 110 E. 39th st., Manhattan, July 18; Catherine Elda Cameron, 35 St. Nicholas Terrace, Manhattan, July 22; Mary C. Cameron, 14 Cedar st., W. New Brighton, S. L., July 7; Katherine Cameron, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 6; Margaret C. Corcoran, 511 W. 130th st., Manhattan, July 6; Ida Eliz. Coull, 132 E. 45th st., Manhattan, July 14; Helen F. M. Cox, 222 Clermont ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Olive N. Curtis, 552 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn, July 6; Marie M. D'Amato, 374 Union st., Brooklyn, July 10; Susie M. Day, 215 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn, July 10; Harriet H. Delehanty, 426 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn, July 25; Gladys R. Dempsey, 408 W. 129th st., Manhattan, July 8; Harriet Denning, 398 Franklin ave., Brooklyn, and Laura Dershimer, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 6; Mary W. Devine, 500 W. 143d st., Manhattan, July 10; Mary E. Dobbins, 440 Ditmars ave., L. I. C., July 22; Marilla C. Dodd, 180 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan, July 3; Elsie C. Drynan, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 11; Gladys C. Fairbanks, 35 St. Nicholas Terrace, Manhattan, July 17; Anna H. Fallon, Osborne Hall, E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 15; Julia Agnes Farley, 338 Ninth ave., Manhattan, and Mary E. Gallagher, Junior League Hotel, E. 79th st., Manhattan, July 6; Helen E. Gardner, 132 W. 45th st., Manhattan, July 10; Ella Gerber, 210 W. 114th st., Man., July 11; Maxine M. Gibbons, 213 Lafayette ave., B'klyn, July 13; Gwendoline M. Gratton, 160 E. 91st st., Manhattan, July 3; Bertha M. Hall, 60 W. 104th st., July 20; Frances Hall, 357 W. 29th st., Manhattan, and V. Clemence Harvey, 35 W. 98th st., Manhattan, July 6; Flora Henzel, 520 W. 134th st., Manhattan, July 5; Beatrice Hobbs, 76 W. 89th st., Manhattan, July 20; Harriet M. Hohenfeld, 197 Globe ave., Jamaica, L. I., July 17; Nena W. Jackson, 59 W. 140th st., Manhattan, July 18; Martha Jessell, 187 Steuben st., Brooklyn, July 27; Eileen F. Keane, 25 Convent ave., Manhattan, July 25; Elizabeth Keane, 343 Lockwood st., Astoria, July 6; Genevieve T. Keefe, 1236 Pacific st., Brooklyn, July 7; Mary A. Kenny, 254 W. 154th st., Manhattan, and Anna A. Khuhast, 106 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, July 13; Mrs. Ethel B. Kimel, 237 W. 109th st., Manhattan, July 7; Annie M. King, Valley st., Arrocher, Rosebank, S. L., July 17; Ethel Kirkland, 546 W. 145th st., Manhattan, July 20; Elsbeth Langenfeld, 247 W. 123d st., Manhattan, July 15; Bessie E. Lee, 125 W. 115th st., Manhattan, July 20; Anna L. Leslie, 1090 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan, July 6; Elizabeth F. Lillis, 60 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 20; Alberta Linter, 374 Union st., Brooklyn, July 10; Minnie E. Lynch, 162 Second ave., L. I. C., July 8; Evelyn R. MacGregor, 14 Cedar st., W. New Brighton, July 17; Alice S. MacPherson, 984 Morris ave., Bronx, July 8; Christine McCabe, 500 W. 150th st., Manhattan, July 7; Sadie E. McGarry, 235 E. 57th st., Manhattan, July 8; Della A. McGrath, 61 E. 66th st., Manhattan, July 27; Kathleen Macrae, 772 Manor rd., W. New Brighton, S. L., July 11; Marie Maguire, 308 W. 151st st., Manhattan, July 7; Anna Martin, 546 W. 124th st., Manhattan, July 10; Rose Martin, 219 Greene ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Anna E. Matthews, 1858 Seventh ave., Manhattan, July 7; Annie Maxwell, 58 Hollywood ave., Far Rockaway, L. I., Queens, July 15; Mrs. Josephine Meyer, 361 State st., Brooklyn, July 18; Mary E. Mitchell, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 15; Annie Morrison, 214 W. 108th st., Manhattan, July 10; Sara B. Morrison, 168 Sherman ave., Manhattan, July 13; Marian Mulrooney, 252 E. 68th st., Manhattan, July 6; Elsie Neidhardt, 142 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 6; Annie V. Nelligan, 132 E. 45th st., Manhattan, July 21; Gertrude F. Nield, 146 104th st., Manhattan, July 6; Minnie Oshatz, 460 Hancock st., Brooklyn, July 10; Lillian Parker, 51 Cambridge pl., Brooklyn, July 17; Agnes Pepper, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 13; Margaret A. Pepper, 386 Halsey st., Brooklyn, July 13; Mamie Perr,

859 Jackson ave., Bronx, July 8; Ethel M. Phillips, 25 Chester Court, Brooklyn, July 14; Lillian Rebstock, 2407 Van Courtlandt ave., Glendale, L. I., and Alice M. Riley, 213 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn, July 13; Marion Rogan, 830 W. 179th st., Manhattan, July 6; E. Minnie Rushe, Manhattan Square Hotel, W. 77th st., Manhattan, July 13; Frances Russell, 12 W. 13th st., Manhattan, July 7; Helen C. Schmid, 226 W. 50th st., Manhattan, July 6; Rose Schleman, 985 Fox st., Bronx, July 11; Irene A. Southerland, 3694 Broadway, Manhattan, July 19; Esther Swenson, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 13; J. C. Thomas, 682 Lexington ave., Manhattan, July 10; Florence K. Tildesley, 75 Clifton pl., Brooklyn, July 10; Ruth Tolliver, 272 Manhattan ave., Manhattan, July 14; Mrs. May R. Traub, 3692 Broadway, Manhattan, July 13; Charlotte Talley, 128 W. 93d st., Manhattan, July 10; Fannie E. Trussell, 52 South st., W. New Brighton, S. L., Richmond, July 11; Annie S. Tyrrell, 110 E. 39th st., Manhattan, July 18; Francesca Van Ingen, 311 Cumberland st., Brooklyn, July 3; Frances M. Vineberg, 575 West End ave., Manhattan, July 16; Josephine Walsh, 500 W. 150th st., Manhattan, July 5; Cora F. West, 106 W. 61st st., Manhattan, July 13; Helen White, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, July 18; Ellen M. Whitehead, 585 W. 178th st., Manhattan, July 15; Ida Willoughby, 417 Manhattan ave., Manhattan, July 26; Eleanor Wilson, Junior League Hotel, E. 78th st., Manhattan, July 1; Florence Yenny, 407 W. 205th st., Manhattan, July 7. Clerks, \$3 a day: Thomas Blue, 975 E. 12th st., Brooklyn, July 21; Francis J. Conroy, 674 E. 22d st., Brooklyn, July 17; Gerard John Hernon, 269 W. 132d st., Manhattan, July 19; T. D. Jackman, 2463 Valentine ave., Bronx, July 20; Joseph A. Kehoe, 1221 Fifty-seventh st., Brooklyn, July 18; Arthur William Knight, 2463 Valentine ave., Bronx, July 20; Manis Mafucci, 244 W. 51st st., Manhattan, July 19. \$300 per annum: Louis Arbeit, 33 St. Marks pl., Manhattan, July 21; Melville Dodge, 215 E. 53d st., Manhattan, July 18; George G. Gerber, 400 W. 20th st., Manhattan, July 20; Charles Klein, 192 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, July 15; Peter McQuade, 432 W. 58th st., Manhattan, July 15; Bart O'Connor, 37 S. 9th ave., Rockaway Park, Queens, July 25; Daniel J. O'Connor, 254 E. 48th st., Manhattan, July 21; James Sheehan, 114 King st., Manhattan, July 20; Edward Soher, 11½ W. 112th st., Manhattan, July 25. Automobile Enginemen, \$1,200 per annum: John Washington Eason, 467 Fifteenth st., Brooklyn, July 14; Thomas Eccleston, Jr., 748 Ninth ave., Manhattan, July 24; Arthur Haule, 598 W. 191st st., Manhattan, July 15; Paul Case James, 146 W. 13th st., Manhattan, July 14; Peter McGivney, 400 W. 48th st., Manhattan, July 18; Charles Ober, 338 Franklin ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y., July 15; Richard Staudenmaier, 2432 Seventh ave., Manhattan, July 17; Martin Wenk, 1326 Elton Ave., Bronx, July 14; Joseph White, 159 W. 62d st., Manhattan, July 16. Laboratory Assistants, \$600 per annum: Dorothy Provost, 2395 Walton ave., Bronx, Henry W. Rogers, 303 E. 142d st., Bronx, and Kathryn Parker Trowbridge, 559 W. 164th st., Manhattan, July 17.

**Appointment**—Paragraph 11, Rule XIX: Laborer, \$720 per annum, Bureau of Hospitals (Kingston Avenue), for 5 days, July 12: John M. Leddy, 159 Greenpoint ave., Brooklyn, July 12.

**Appointments**—Medical Inspectors, \$1,020 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene: William H. Best, 1198 Bushwick ave., July 24; Isidor Krauss, 305 W. 97th st., Manhattan, June 30. For two months: William C. Buntin, 173 W. 81st st., Manhattan, and William G. Wulfahrt, 97 E. 116th st., Manhattan, July 1; Louis H. Zuckerman, 974 Aldus st., Bronx, July 3. Jacob H. Cohen, 244 Penn st., Brooklyn, July 11, Veterinarian, at \$1,320 per annum, Bureau of Foods and Drugs. Charlotte Wolf, 86 Second ave., Manhattan, July 25. Dentist, \$900 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene. Nurses, \$900 per annum, Bureau of Preventable Diseases: Mary C. McGinn, 1015 Eighty-sixth st., Brooklyn, July 22; Angela D. S. Pray, 2045 Southern boulevard, Bronx, Rug. I. Bureau of Child Hygiene: Aline L. Adrot, 16 Palmer ave., Port Richmond, S. I., July 15. Bureau of Child Hygiene, for not to exceed 6 months: Florence V. DeLaney, 199 Baltic st., Brooklyn, Charlotte Karp, 640 Riverside Drive, and Hannah F. McGloin, 455 E. 34th st., Brooklyn, July 7. For period until Aug. 31: Esther N. Behr, 215 Ninety-seventh st., Brooklyn, Mary P. McN. Brown, 420 W. 146th st., Manhattan, and Fabiola C. Burke, 2361 Cornelia st., Brooklyn, July 1; Louella C. Busch, 1661 Southern boulevard, Bronx, July 3; Rose T. Donnelly, 50 Central Park West, Manhattan, Jennie Z. B. Epstein, 664 E. 158th st., Bronx; Frances J. Galena, 97 Flushing ave., Astoria, and Mary A. Gorman, 229 W. 105th st., Manhattan, July 1; Madge H. Hagerman, 186 W. 135th st., Manhattan, July 5; Lucy H. Hunt, 159 W. 168th st., Bronx, July 1; Regina H. Johnson, 53 7th ave., New Brighton, S. I., Irma B. Korn, 102 S.

Oxford st., Brooklyn, Ina L. Korte, 20 W. 94th st., Manhattan, Margaret A. Lynch, 136 Decatur st., Brooklyn, Mary C. MacPherran, 141 E. 26th st., Manhattan, Lucy V. Meeney, 176 Taylor st., Brooklyn, Edna I. Morris, 182 Amity st., Brooklyn, Jeanette Morrison, 443 Central Park West, Manhattan, Julia V. Neill, 102 S. Oxford st., Brooklyn; Mary M. Savine, 369 Steinway ave., Astoria, L. I., Anna B. Seery, 996 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, and Lydia M. Soderstrom, 1144 E. 37th st., Brooklyn, July 1. Wilhelmina S. Luehns, 27 Washington ave., Graniteville, S. I., Jacob H. Weber, 219 W. 112th st., Man., Inspector of Foods and Drugs, Bureau of Foods and Drugs, July 10. Clerks, at \$300 per annum, Bureau of Public Health Education: James J. Gaw, 6 Grove st., Manhattan, July 1. Bureau of General Administration: Thomas F. Ward, 181 E. 102d st., Manhattan, June 27. Lottie Nevins, 226 E. 50th st., Manhattan, Typewriting Copyist, Bureau of General Administration, at \$660 per annum (for not to exceed 6 months), Aug. 7. Henry Frayne, 70 W. 83d st., Manhattan, Telephone Switchboard Operator, Bureau of General Administration, at \$660 per annum, for not to exceed six months, July 17. Laboratory Assistants, Bureau of Laboratories, at \$600 per annum: Anna Engel, 166 E. 114th st., Manhattan, July 17; Aaron M. Morgenthaler, 56 Lewis st., Manhattan, July 24. Julia Greenfield, 143 Hollywood ave., Hillside, N. J., June 28. Hospital Clerk, Bureau of Hospitals (Willard Parker), at \$540 per annum. John M. Leddy, 159 Greenpoint ave., Brooklyn, July 17. Laborer, 720 per annum, Bureau of Hospitals (Kingston ave.) for six months. Medical Inspectors, \$1,020 per annum, special fund (Poliomyelitis), for not to exceed six months: Samuel Altman, 146 E. 81st st., Manhattan, Louis Berlin, 469 Forty-fifth st., Brooklyn, Joseph Blinder, 8669 Bay 24th st., Brooklyn, and Hans A. Christenson, 379 Irving ave., Brooklyn, July 27; Morris J. Clurman, 4504 Fifteenth ave., Brooklyn, July 22; Ruth J. Crasson, 492 Kosciusko st., Brooklyn, July 24; Fred A. Deal, 38 Fort Washington ave., Manhattan, July 25; William P. Deutsch, 331 Second ave., Manhattan, July 27; Phebe L. DuBois, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 22; Leo Faske, 1515 E. Parkway, Brooklyn, Moses M. Feinberg, 2066 Mohegan ave., Bronx, Julius Ferber, 603 E. 5th st., William R. Fogarty, 1506 Woodhaven ave., Woodhaven, L. I., Samuel Freedman, 54 E. 118th st., Manhattan, Charles N. Gelber, 231 E. 13th st., Brooklyn, Arthur J. Greenberger, 117 W. 120th st., Manhattan, Isador W. Kahn, 241 W. 112th st., Manhattan, Sydney M. Katz, 494 Hopkinson ave., Brooklyn, and Nathan Kraemer, 254 E. 184th st., July 27; Leon E. Lesser, 28 Douglass st., Brooklyn, July 27; Sidney P. Levy, 310 E. 84th st., Manhattan, Mark Liebert, 1540 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, Samuel Linder, 1780 St. Johns pl., Brooklyn, J. Edward Liss, 1202 Fulton ave., Manhattan, Jacob M. Lobsenz, 233 W. 122d st., Manhattan, Max Marschark, 117 E. 82d st., Manhattan, Joseph Martoccio, 2421 Lorillard pl., Bronx, Samuel Perlman, 341 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, and Alex. H. Rabinowitz, 76 Beaver st., Brooklyn, July 27; Samuel Rosenzweig, 2176 Grand Concourse, Bronx, July 10; Jesse D. Schwartz, 333 Central Park West, Manhattan, July 24; Enrico C. Solidini, 65 Beach st., Stapleton, S. I., William Spielberg, 211 Henry st., Louis R. Steibel, 540 W. 160th st., and Dudley D. Stetson, 1029 Ogden ave., July 27; Henry Weinstein, 551 W. 178th st., Manhattan, July 28; Daniel E. Welch, 135 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn, July 27; Sampson J. Wilson, 119 Summer ave., Brooklyn, July 28; William J. Wovschin, 1001 E. 167th st., Bronx, July 24.

**Titles Changed**—Julius Blum, 550 W. 157th st., Manhattan, from Laboratory Assistant, at \$600 per annum, to Bacteriologist, at \$1,200 per annum, July 15; Caroline Rosenberg, Osborn Hall, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, July 14; Thomas Donnelly, from Laborer to Auto Truck Driver, Sanitary Bureau, at \$780 per annum, July 12.

**Retired on Pension**—Charles A. Munck, Clerk, on annuity, \$750, Aug. 31. **Resignations**—Typewriting Copyists: Lillian Greenberg, Bureau of General Administration (Div. Stenography and Typewriting) July 19; Blanche Dozier, Bureau of Records, Manhattan, July 22. Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan: Clara Israeli, Laboratory Assistant, July 16; Henry W. Jackson, Helper, July 7; Anna Engel, Helper, July 16; John J. Steacy, Inspector of Foods, Bureau of Food and Drugs (Division of Milk Inspection), Manhattan, June 26; Frank Valletta, Clerk, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, June 28; S. Bernard Rosenzweig, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, July 20; Isidor Krauss, Assistant Physician (Clinic), Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Bronx, June 29; Arthur C. Holzman, Assistant Physician (Clinic), Bureau of Preventable Diseases (German town Clinic), Brooklyn, June 20. Nurses: Annie Morrison, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, July 11; Agnes G. Queenon, Bureau of Prevent-



able Diseases (Harlem Italian Clinic), Manhattan, July 8; T. J. Berry, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, June 21; Thomas C. Webb, Dentist, Bureau of Child Hygiene (Clinic of P. S. 168), Brooklyn, July 17; Emma T. Barron, Bureau of Child Hygiene (Div. of Midwives and Foundlings), Manhattan, June 30; Mary A. Gorman, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, July 3. Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn: Ava Douglas Calkins, July 31; Mary E. M. Carter, July 15; Aline L. Adrot, July 14; Mildred W. Fletcher, July 31; William Reitzenberg, Clerk, Bureau of Public Health Education, Manhattan, June 30.

**Death**—William Dempsey, Engineer, Bureau of Hospitals (Riverside), July 12.

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary Pro. Tem.

*Abstract of the minutes of Aug. 1, 1916.*

The Board met pursuant to notice. Present, Commissioner of Health and Health Officer of the Port.

The following premises were ordered vacated: W. S. of Debevoise ave., about 560 feet south of Borden ave., Laurel Hill, Queens; W. S. of Debevoise ave., about 480 feet south of Borden ave., Laurel Hill, Queens.

The following premises were declared public nuisances: Stable located at 1229 Thirty-ninth st., Brooklyn; stable located at 1328 Thirty-ninth st., Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary, Pro. Tem.

*Abstract of the minutes of Aug. 8, 1916.*

The Board met pursuant to notice. Present, Commissioner of Health and Health Officer of the Port.

The following premises were ordered vacated: 14 Steuben pl., Seaside, Queens.

The following premises were declared a public nuisance: 551 Shepherd ave., Brooklyn; Stable at 574 E. 39th st., Brooklyn.

The contract for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to install and complete, together with all necessary alterations and other work incidental thereto, the lighting fixtures in a pavilion on the grounds of the Department of Health, Kingston ave., and Fenimore st., Brooklyn, City of New York, was awarded to the Fort Wayne Electrical Contracting Company, of No. 7 Greenwich ave., Manhattan, for \$510, they being the lowest bidders.

The contract for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to install and complete, together with all necessary alterations and other work incidental thereto, lighting fixtures in the Medical Staff House and Nurses' Home, on the grounds of the Willard Parker Hospital, at the foot of E. 16th st., Manhattan, City of New York, was awarded to the Fort Wayne Electrical Contracting Company, of 7 Greenwich ave., Manhattan, for \$1,590.41, they being the lowest bidders.

The contract for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required to install and complete, together with all necessary alterations and other work incidental thereto, the lighting fixtures in pavilion Nos. 8 and 9 on the grounds of the Department of Health, North Brother Island, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, was awarded to Fort Wayne Electrical Contracting Company, of 7 Greenwich ave., Manhattan, for \$1,322.82, they being the lowest bidders.

The contract for furnishing all the labor and materials necessary or required to install and complete together with all necessary alterations and other work incidental thereto, kitchen fixtures in a pavilion on the grounds of the Department of Health, Flushing ave., near Jamaica, Queens, City of New York, was awarded to L. Barth & Son, of 32 Cooper sq., Manhattan, pending the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for \$2,285, they being the lowest bidders.

The contract for the necessary labor and material required to furnish and install electric motors and laundry machinery required to equip the laundry building at the Municipal Sanatorium of the Department of Health, Otisville, Orange County, New York, was awarded to Troy Laundry Machinery Company, Ltd., of 33 Warren st., Manhattan, pending the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for \$10,990, they being the lowest bidders.

**Services Ceased**—Morris H. Milman, Charles E. Caulfield, John Kent, Alfred E. Luke, Peter I. Amsher, Veterinarians, Bureau of Food and Drugs, May 26.

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary pro tem.

*Abstract of the minutes of Aug. 11, 1916.*

The Board met pursuant to notice. Present, Commissioner of Health and Health Officer of the Port.

**Services Ceased**—William F. Braisted, Veterinarian, Bureau of Food and Drugs, May 26.

ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary, Pro. Tem.

## Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

*Report for week ended July 22, 1916:*

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$80,872.92.

**Appointed**—Manhattan Office: Ann Tully, 211 W. 107th st., Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter at \$960 per annum; Henry Hydecker, 2415 Valentine ave., Bronx, Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter at \$3 a day; Thomas Conroy, 446 W. 47th st., Blacksmith at \$4.50 a day. Brooklyn Office: Philip Dreiss, 1011 E. 178th st., Temporary Oiler at \$3 a day; Townsend Smith, Jr., and F. L. Hirsch, Lindenhurst; B. Emeigh and G. S. Johnson, Bellmore; W. Hershelman, 463 Woodwood ave., Brooklyn; James Montiofore, 92 Warfield st., Brooklyn; J. Schuppman, 1501 Bushwick ave.; B. Holzhay, 2368 Cornelyea st.; Peter J. Nelson, 311 Van Buren st., and Frank E. Harvey, Temporary Stationary Engineers at \$4.50 a day (Emergency). 12 Temporary Licensed Firemen (Emergency), at \$3 a day.

**Salaries Increased**—Manhattan Office: Thomas F. Connory and Philip Markey, Clerks, from \$600 to \$840 per annum; Edward J. McKiernan, Clerk from \$360 to \$540 per annum; William Fanning, House-smith from \$5 to \$3.30 a day.

**Transferred**—Frank W. Murray, Clerk, from Manhattan Office, to Board of Parole; Frank J. McGeary, Telephone Operator, from Bronx Office, to City Court.

**Services Ceased**—Brooklyn Office: Joseph P. Farrell, Licensed Fireman; 2 Laborers.

WM. R. HILLYER, Deputy Commissioner.

*Report for week ended July 29, 1916:*

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$82,019.48.

**Appointed**—Manhattan Office: John J. Cannon, 118 W. 103d st., Inspector of Pipe Laying, Pipes and Hydrants at \$1,200 per annum; Henry Shapiro, 458 E. 140th st., Temporary Stenographer and Typewriter at \$3 a day. Brooklyn Office: Temporary Inspectors of Meters and Water Consumption at \$1,100 per annum: Thomas V. Condren, 418 E. 89th st.; Ewont J. Van Saun, 35 Hildreth pl., Yonkers; Joseph J. Fahey, 211 Alexander ave.; Thomas Wiley, 134 Worth st.; Edward Staub, 641 DeKalb ave.; James H. A. McGann, 216 E. 27th st.; William Whalen, 308 E. 176th st.; Frank Stratton, Springfield, L. I.; Dudley Cairns, 1405 Second ave.; William J. Farrell, 153 W. 123d st.; Louis A. Zahn, 18th st., Elmhurst, L. I.; Neil B. McBride, 292 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn; James M. Quinn, 603 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn; Louis Schoen, 296 S. 6th st., Brooklyn; Joseph F. Dowling, Silkwood ave., Richmond Hill, L. I.; Thomas F. Creely, 62 E. Houston st.; Harry Davis, Low Terrace, New Brighton, S. I.; Charles E. Doyle, 430 E. 87th st.; Frank Gilmore, 506 W. 145th st.; William J. Condren, 418 E. 89th st.; James R. Bruce, 8213 Seventeenth ave., Brooklyn; Louis F. Seath, 305 W. 133d st. Licensed Firemen at \$3 a day: Arthur Haerer, 2571 Hughes ave., Brooklyn; Nicholas Strassel, 276 Irving ave.; Michael Flood, 142 N. 11th st.; Thomas McNamara, 133 Calyer st.; Dominic Classi, 135 Hamburg ave., Brooklyn; Arthur I. Wenck, 251 Cornelyea st., Brooklyn. Temporary Machinist at \$4.50 a day: Joseph Lamprecht, 514 E. 120th st. Temporary Caulkers at \$4 a day: John J. Kutzburger, 526 W. 156th st.; Michael F. Howard, 1713 Webster ave.; Frank Supple, 539 Seventieth st., Brooklyn. Laborers, 17 at \$2.50 a day. Queens Office: Harry J. Hunt, 410 E. 59th st., Inspector of Light and Power, at \$1.140 per annum.

**Salary Increased**—Manhattan Office: John J. Boltman, Clerk, from \$300 to \$540 per annum.

**Services Ceased**—Manhattan Office: 1 Laborer; Fred W. Horger, Temporary Licensed Fireman.

**Died**—1 Laborer, Queens Office.

WM. R. HILLYER, Deputy Commissioner.

*Report for week ended Aug. 5, 1916:*

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$77,802.42.

**Contracts Entered Into**—Coal: George D. Harris & Company, Inc.; surety, Casualty Company of America; estimated cost, \$43,934.31. Painting fence around the Jerome Park Reservoir, Manhattan and Bronx; M. Sobel Company; surety, International Fidelity Insurance Company; estimated cost, \$826.

**Appointed**—Manhattan Office: Thomas V. Condren, 418 E. 89th st., Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption at \$1,100 per annum; Hermione P. Koecher, 1127 Bathgate ave., Bronx, Stenographer and Typewriter at \$720 per annum; 1 Laborer at \$2.50 a day; 2 Laborers at \$2.50 a day (Putnam County). Brooklyn Office: Edward Smits, 931 W. 9th st., Chester, Pa., Temporary Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption at \$1,100 per annum; George M. Kilbourne, 215 Clarkson ave.,

Bronx; James Gray, 283 Grand st., and James H. Dwyer, Corona, L. I., Temporary Stationary Engineers at \$4.50 a day; Peter Neary, 1003 Thirty-ninth st., Brooklyn, and Percy L. Grandy, 282 W. 27th st., Temporary Clerks at \$720 per annum.

**Retired**—Brooklyn Office: Charles H. Williamson, Carpenter, annuity of \$750; Joseph I. Stone, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, annuity of \$550.

**Services Ceased**—Brooklyn Office: 2 Laborers. Richmond Office: Michael Geoghegan, Coal Passer.

**Salary Increased**—Manhattan Office: Jacob Vexler, Clerk, from \$540 to \$840 per annum.

WM. R. HILLYER, Deputy Commissioner.

*Report for week ended Aug. 12, 1916:*

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$74,270.31.

**Contracts Entered Into**—Coal: John W. Peale; surety, Casualty Company of America; estimated cost, \$63,341.60. Coal: Gavin Rowe; surety, Aetna Accident & Liability Company; estimated cost, \$22,929.20.

**Appointed**—Manhattan Office: John W. Briarley, 438 W. st., Brooklyn, Gas Inspector (temporary), at \$1,200 per annum; 2 Laborers at \$2.50 a day; Ann Tully, 601 W. 168th st., Typewriting Copyist (Emergency), at \$600 per annum. Brooklyn Office: Inspectors of Meters and Water Consumption (temporary), at \$1,100 per annum: Samuel E. Gordon, 62 Forty-seventh st., Corona, L. I.; Fred L. Field, 61 Sixth ave., L. I. City; Albert E. Baillie, 39 Hull st., Brooklyn; William A. Shagner, 204 E. 124th st.; Philip Muller, Jr., 569 Driggs ave., Brooklyn; John B. Graeber, 51 Lynch st., Brooklyn; Patrick Connagh, Samuel Schwarz, 790 E. 158th st.; Robert A. Barrett, 696 Hicks st., Brooklyn; Morris Goldfinger, 409 E. Houston st.; John J. Cannon, 118 W. 103d st.; Patrick McMullen, 563 Seventh st., Brooklyn; John H. Johnston, 316 Fifth st., Licensed Fireman at \$3 a day; Richmond Kelly, 51 Andrews ave., Port Richmond, S. I., Temporary Clerk at \$600 per annum; John J. McIntyre, 150 Eldred st., Brooklyn, Temporary Telephone Operator at \$660 per annum; Eleven Temporary Laborers at \$2.50 a day (Nassau County); Michael Ford, Temporary Stationary Engineer at \$4.50 a day. Temporary Clerks at \$720 per annum: Thomas F. Ryan, 42 Lenox rd., Flatbush; Joseph V. Walsh, 142 N. 9th st., Brooklyn; Joseph Smith, 155 Sullivan st., Brooklyn; Thomas Powers, 202nd st. and Concourse. Richmond Office: Antonio Di Santis, 65 Egbert ave., New Dorp, S. I., Coal Passer at \$2.50 a day.

**Transferred**—Manhattan Office: William A. Magrath, 1127 Clay ave., Bronx, Clerk at \$540 per annum, from Board of Education.

**Title Changed**—Manhattan Office: Arthur B. Matthews from Temporary Watershed Inspector at \$960 per annum, to Laborer at \$2.50 a day.

**Services Ceased**—Manhattan Office: One Laborer. Bronx Office: Edward Kelly, Licensed Fireman. Brooklyn Office: William E. Guilfoyle, Temporary Watershed Inspector.

DELOS F. WILCOX, Deputy Commissioner.

*Report for week ended Aug. 19, 1916:*

**Collections**—Bureau of Water Register, all boroughs, \$71,517.45.

**Contracts Entered Into**—Coal: Pattison & Bowns; surety, Casualty Company of America; estimated cost, \$45,933.45. Hauling and laying water mains and appurtenances in University ave., Bronx; Soraci Contracting Company; surety, National Surety Company; estimated cost, \$2,904.88. Cast iron pipe, special and valve box castings, valves and double nozzle fire hydrants (section 2), Manhattan and Bronx; Maher & Flockhardt; surety, U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company; estimated cost, \$212.50. Cast iron pipe, special and valve box castings, valves and double nozzle fire hydrants (section 3), Manhattan and Bronx; A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company; surety, New Amsterdam Casualty Company; estimated cost, \$311. Cast iron pipe, special and valve box castings, valves and double nozzle fire hydrants (section 4), Manhattan and Bronx; Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company; surety, Casualty Company of America; estimated cost, \$265.50. Cast iron pipe, special and valve box castings, valves and double nozzle fire hydrants (section 1), Manhattan and Bronx; contractor, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Company; estimated cost, \$3,867.38.

**Appointed**—Manhattan Office: James J. Nee, 522 W. 125th st., and Patrick Kellett, 117 E. 97th st., Temporary Licensed Fireman (Emergency), at \$3 a day; 1 Laborer at \$2.50 a day. Brooklyn Office: John Dooley, Springfield, L. I., and Nicholas Ryan, 508 Court st., Brooklyn, Stationary Engineers (Emergency) at \$4.50 a day; Harry Self, Baldwin, L. I., Licensed Fireman at \$3 a day; James V. Doherty, 219 Gold st., Brooklyn, Coal Passer at \$2.50 a day.

**Salaries Increased**—Manhattan Office: Eugene A. Drum, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption, from \$1,200 to \$1,440 per annum, and William A. Meehan, Clerk, from \$1,500 to \$1,650 per annum.

**Services Ceased**—Manhattan Office: Three Laborers. Brooklyn Office: One Laborer; Michael Flood, Licensed Fireman (Nassau County); William Baldwin, Temporary Licensed Fireman; Joseph F. O'Neill, Coal Passer.

**Died**—Emil Swanson, Stationary Engineer, Brooklyn Office.

DELOS F. WILCOX, Deputy Commissioner.

## Changes in Departments, Etc.

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

**Services Ceased**—Edward J. Moran, Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Central Payroll Division, Aug. 30; William F. Byrne, Clerk, Chief Clerk's Office (Record Room), and Charles W. Stengel, Clerk, Auditing Bureau, Central Payroll Division, Sept. 8; Anna L. O'Brien, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, Sept. 11.

### DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

**Appointed**—Bridge Painters, at \$4 a day, Sept. 11: August A. Nielson, 902 Amsterdam ave.; Andrew Christensen, 407 E. 11th st., Brooklyn.

### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

#### QUEENS.

**Salary Increased**—John J. McGrane, Watchman, from \$600 to \$720, Sept. 1.

**Transferred**—Joseph Kemble, 1060 Rogers ave., Brooklyn, Climber and Pruner at \$2.50 a day, from Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Sept. 9.

#### MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

**Services Ceased**—Thomas F. Reilly, 260 E. 28th st., Brooklyn, Laborer, at \$2.50 a day, Sept. 9; James McCormack, 138 W. 167th st., Park Foreman (temporary), at \$3.50 a day, Sept. 8.

**Reassigned**—James McCormack, 138 W. 167th st., Laborer, at \$2.50 a day, Sept. 8.

#### BRONX.

**Services Ceased**—William S. Wetter, 209 W. 106th st., Auto Lawn Mower Engineer, Sept. 8.

### THE CHAMBERLAIN.

**Died**—Patrick J. Durney, Clerk, Sept. 3.

### CHILDREN'S COURT.

**Salaries Increased**—July 1: Dennis A. Lambert, 317 E. 30th st., Manhattan, from \$3,540 to \$4,000 per annum; Helen A. Shea, 73 W. 89th st., Manhattan, from \$1,200 per annum to \$1,350 per annum; Francis A. Marron, 459 E. 148th st., Bronx, Clerk, from \$900 to \$1,320 per annum.

### REGISTER, NEW YORK COUNTY.

**Services Ceased**—Henry Selmanowitz, 124 E. 116th st., Abstractor at \$1,000 per annum, Sept. 9.

### BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.

**Transferred**—George E. Strehan, Assistant Engineer, \$2,400 per annum, from Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan, Sept. 9.

### BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

**Appointed**—Margaret Young, Esperance, N. Y., Gagekeeper, \$5 a month, Sept. 1; Harry Weinstein, 163 E. 118th st. and David Bernstein, 20 E. 106th st., Clerks at \$480 per annum, Aug. 30 and Sept. 1, respectively; Louis Uhlstein, 184 Clymer st., Brooklyn, Clerk at \$300 per annum, Sept. 6; Silvio D'Urso, 1967 Arthur ave., Bronx, Auto Engineman (temp.), at \$1,300 per annum, Sept. 1. Laborers at \$2 a day: Lewis M. Kellerhouse, Ashokan, N. Y., Aug. 24; George Barringer, Ashokan, N. Y., and Harvey Marshall, Olive Bridge, N. Y., Sept. 8; John Johnston, West Hurlay, N. Y., and Theodore Every, Olive Bridge, N. Y., Sept. 7.

**Services Ceased**—Mike Delesio, Blacksmith; Chas. W. Snedeker, Laborer, Sept. 5. Owen F. Murray, Cleaner, Sept. 4; Malachi Fallon, Laborer (emergency) Aug. 30.

### DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

**Wages Fixed**—Riveters at \$5.30 a day: March 1: Carney, John P., 201 Avenue C, Manhattan; Connaughton, John, 33 Jewell st., Brooklyn; Desisles, Geo. W., 67 Quincy st., Brooklyn; Dougherty, Michael C., 13 Huntington st., Brooklyn; Duhig, John, 181 Russell st., Brooklyn; Gill, Vincent F., 2372 Silver st., Queens; Hussey, Wm. C., 2336 Putnam ave., Brooklyn; Jammin, Bernhard, 316 W. 142d st., Manhattan; MacRae, Oliver M., 642 Concord st., Bronx; Lampe, Chas. J., 1712 Woodbine st., Brooklyn; Meyer, Waldemer, 1740 Briggs ave., Woodhaven, L. I.; Petersen, William, 649 Fifty-fourth st., Brooklyn; Smith, John N., 534 E. 142d st., Bronx; Sullivan, Joseph, 37 Grove st., Manhattan; Voelger, Frank, 1485 First ave., Manhat-



tan; Baker, James, 31 Aberdeen st., Brooklyn; McEnaney, Thos. J., 2110 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan; Welsh, Wm. J., 18 Danfort st., Brooklyn; Austin, Frank E., South Ozone Park, Queens; Holmberg, Chas. O., 3817 Thirteenth ave., Brooklyn.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

*Died*—Henry E. Perrine, Title Examiner, Sept. 8; Henry A. McCrimlisk, Clerk, Sept. 9.

*Services Ceased*—Frances L. Berry, Stenographer and Typewriter, Brooklyn Branch, Sept. 1.

#### SURROGATE'S COURT, BRONX COUNTY.

*Appointed*—Recording Clerks (temporary), at \$100 a month, Sept. 11; Harry Cohen, 1559 Vyse ave., and Harry Mendlowitz, 2096 Daly ave.

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**  
*Services Ceased*—Moses I. Berliner and Max Blumenreich, Clerks, Bureau of Attendance, Aug. 28 and Sept. 1, respectively.

**REGISTER, NEW YORK COUNTY.**  
*Services Ceased*—Lazarus Reit, Locator at \$1,200 per annum, Sept. 15.



### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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#### CITY OFFICES.

##### MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
John Purroy Mitchell, Mayor.  
Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.  
Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary.  
*Bureau of Weights and Measures.*  
Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.

Joseph Hartigan, Commissioner.  
**COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.**  
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4315 Worth.  
Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

##### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2d floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.  
P. J. Scully, Clerk.  
*President of the Board of Aldermen.*  
City Hall, Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt.  
Frank L. Dowling, President.

**BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.**  
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

##### ARMORY BOARD.

Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.  
C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

##### ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.  
John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

##### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.  
William C. Ormond, Chairman.  
St. George H. Tucker, Secretary.  
**BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.**  
26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.  
Dr. John W. Brannan, President.  
J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

##### CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE.

Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4227 Worth.

##### DIRECTOR.

**BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.**  
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.  
Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain.

##### BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.

City Hall, Telephone, 7541 Cortlandt.  
Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

**CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**  
Municipal Building, 2d floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.  
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

##### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.  
Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**  
Pier "A," North River. Telephone, 300 Rector.  
R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

##### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

*Board of Education.*  
Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.  
Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in August, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

William G. Willcox, President.  
A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.

##### BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.  
Edward F. Boyle, President.  
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.

##### Other Borough Offices.

*The Bronx.*  
368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 336 Melrose.  
Brooklyn.  
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.  
Queens.  
64 Jackson ave., L. I. City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.  
Richmond.  
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday to 12 noon.

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Joseph Haag, Secretary.

*Bureau of Records and Minutes.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Joseph Haag, Secretary.

*Office of the Chief Engineer.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

*Bureau of Public Improvements.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

*Bureau of Franchises.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth.  
Harry P. Nichols, Engineer.

*Bureau of Contract Supervision.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Central Testing Laboratory, 125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin. Tilden Adamson, Director.

*Bureau of Standards.*  
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
George L. Turrell, Director.

**BOARD OF EXAMINERS.**  
Municipal Building, 20th floor. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 noon. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m.  
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**  
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.  
Shepard A. Morgan, Secretary to the Department, 5th floor.

William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.  
Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Edmund D. Fisher, Albert E. Hadlock, Hubert L. Smith.

*Collector of Assessments and Arrears.*  
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 2d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.  
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140 Tremont.

Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.  
Queens—5 Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 3386 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.  
William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes.

*Collector of Assessments and Arrears.*  
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.  
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 47 Tremont.

Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340 Main.  
Queens—Municipal Building, Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 1553 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.  
Daniel Moynahan, Collector.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**  
Municipal Building, 11th floor. Telephone, 4100 Worth.

Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 7600 Main.  
Robert Adamson, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**  
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.

Bureau of Burial and Contagious Disease offices always open.  
Bronx, 3731 Third ave. Brooklyn, Flatbush ave., Willoughby and Fleet sts. Queens, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.

Haven Emerson, Commissioner.  
Alfred E. Shipley, Secretary pro tem.

**BOARD OF INEBRIETY.**  
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 7116 Spring.  
Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 3 p. m.

Charles Samson, Secretary.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.**  
*Office of Corporation Counsel.*  
Main office, Municipal Building, 16th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

Lamar Hardy, Corporation Counsel.  
Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone, 2948 Main.

*Bureau of Street Openings.*  
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.

Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone, 5916 Main.

Queens office, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

*Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.*  
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

*Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.*  
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

**DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.**  
Main office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.

George H. Bell, Commissioner.  
Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Telephone, 1497 Main.

Queens—Borough Hall, L. I. City. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Division of Licensed Vehicles—517-519 W. 57th st. Telephone, 6387 Columbus.

Public Employment Bureau—Men's departments, 128 Leonard st. Women's departments, 53 Lafayette st. Telephone, 6100 Franklin.

**MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.**  
Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone, 1580 Worth.

Henry Moskowitz, President.  
Robert W. Belcher, Secretary.

**MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY.**  
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1072 Worth. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m.

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**  
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.

Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

*Borough of Brooklyn.*  
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.

Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

*Borough of the Bronx.*  
Zhirowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2640 Tremont.

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

*Borough of Queens.*  
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.

John E. Weier, Commissioner.

*Park Board.*  
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.

Cabot Ward, President; Louis W. Febr, Secretary.

**PAROLE COMMISSION.**  
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.**  
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

F. I. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

**EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.**  
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Janet A. G. Hahn, Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**  
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.

Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.**  
Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.

Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.

*Bureau of Social Investigation.* Pearl and Centre sts. Telephone, 4405 Worth.

*Borough of Richmond.* Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.**  
120 Broadway, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays. Telephone, 7500 Rector.

Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.  
James B. Walker, Secretary.

**BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.**  
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.

**COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.**  
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

**BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.**  
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1675 Worth.

Rudolph P. Miller, Chairman.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**  
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Lawson Purdy, President.  
C. Rockland Tyns, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
Municipal Building 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.

John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

**TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.**  
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.

Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.

Bronx office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.

John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.**  
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.

Charles Strauss, President.  
George Featherstone, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.**  
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors.

Telephones: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.

Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

#### BOROUGH OFFICES.

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

Douglas Mathewson, President.

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.

Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.

Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.

Telephone, 3960 Main.

Lewis H. Pounds, President.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

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

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

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

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

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Marcus M. Marks, President.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
President's Office, Borough Hall, L. I. City.

Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

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

Maurice E. Connolly, President.

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

**CORONERS.**  
Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor.

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

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

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

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

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

#### COUNTY OFFICES.

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#### NEW YORK COUNTY.

##### COUNTY CLERK.

County Court House, Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

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

Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

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

Edward Swann, District Attorney.

**COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.**  
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O. Byrne, Commissioner.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

**REGISTER.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

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

John J. Hopper, Register.

**SHERIFF.**  
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.

Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

**SURROGATES.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cohalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

#### KINGS COUNTY.

##### COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Telephone, 4930 Main.  
William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

##### COUNTY COURT.

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

Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House.

Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p.



Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.  
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.  
Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.  
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.  
Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.  
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.  
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.  
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.  
Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.  
Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.  
Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.  
Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.  
**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.  
First District—318 Adams st.  
Second District—Court and Butler sts.  
Fifth District—361 Bedford ave.  
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.  
Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.  
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.  
Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.  
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.  
Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt ayes.

**Borough of Queens.**  
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.  
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.  
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.  
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.  
**Borough of Richmond.**  
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.  
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.  
All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.  
**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**  
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.  
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

**MUNICIPAL COURTS.**  
The Clerks' offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.  
Board of Justices—James J. Devlin, Secretary, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.  
Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.  
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.  
Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.  
Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.  
Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.  
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.  
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.  
Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge rd., Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.  
Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.  
Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.  
Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg.  
Fourth District—14 Howard ave. Telephone, 4323 Bushwick.  
Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.  
Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.  
Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. Telephone, 904 East New York.

**Borough of Queens.**  
First District, 115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.  
Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.  
Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale. Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.  
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

**Borough of Richmond.**  
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.  
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**  
Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.  
Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, 4280 Main.  
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.  
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

Part V, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur ayes., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 6056 Tremont.  
Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

**CHILDREN'S COURT.**  
Adolphus Ragan, Chief Clerk, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.  
Bernard J. Fagan, Acting Chief Probation Officer, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.  
Parts I and II (Manhattan), 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.

Part III (Brooklyn), 102 Court st. Telephone, 8611 Main. Wm. C. McKee, Clerk.  
Part IV (Bronx), 355 E. 137th st. Court held on Monday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose. Michael Murray, Clerk.

Part V (Queens), 19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk.  
Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Wm. J. Browne, Clerk.

**SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.**  
First Judicial Department.  
Madison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10.30 a. m. Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.  
Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.  
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 a. m. Clerk's office open 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.

**SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.**  
John B. Byrne, Clerk.  
503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 7452 Main.

Joseph H. De Bragga, Clerk.  
**SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.**  
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

William J. Schneider, Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court House. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

## SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Joralemon and Fulton sts. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records. Telephone, 5460 Main.  
James F. McGee, General Clerk.

## Queens County.

County Court House, L. I. City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part 2. February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.

Clerk's Office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 noon from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.  
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

**Richmond County.**  
Trial Term held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Term for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall, St. George.  
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

**BOARD MEETINGS.**  
**Board of Aldermen.**  
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at 1.30 p. m.  
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, Fridays at 10.30 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 Thursdays, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.  
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

**Board of Revision of Assessments.**  
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, upon notice of the Secretary.  
JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

**Board of Standards and Appeals.**  
The Board meets in Room 1124, Municipal Building, every Thursday at 2 p. m.  
RUDOLPH F. MILLER, Chairman.

**Board of City Record.**  
The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.  
DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**  
**Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.**  
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY  
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn, for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.  
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY  
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, for the following property now in custody without claimants: Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners, or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.  
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**  
**Confirmation of Assessments.**  
NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SECTIONS 18, 19 AND 20.  
Opening of 72d st. from Fort Hamilton ave. to 13th ave. and from 17th ave. to 22d ave.; 73d st. from 10th ave. to 13th ave.; 74th st. from 10th ave. to 11th ave. and from 16th ave. to the westerly line of New Utrecht ave. and from the easterly line of New Utrecht ave. to 22d ave.; and 75th st. from 10th ave. to the westerly line of New Utrecht ave. and from the easterly line of New Utrecht ave. to 22d ave. Confirmed July 31, 1916; entered Sept. 9, 1916.

Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between 71st st. and 72d st., distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of 22d ave., and running thence southwesterly and parallel with 22d ave. to a point midway between 78th st. and 79th st.; thence northwesterly along a line midway between 78th st. and 79th st. to a point distant 350 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of 10th ave.; thence northwesterly and parallel with 10th ave. to a point midway between 72d st. and 73d st.; thence northwesterly along a line midway between 72d st. and 73d st. to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Fort Hamilton ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Fort Hamilton ave.; thence northwesterly along the said line parallel with Fort Hamilton ave. to a point midway between 71st st. and 72d st.; thence southwesterly along a line midway between 71st st. and 72d st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning. Excluding, however, from the above described area such lands as may be exempt from assessment under the provisions of Section 992 of the Charter.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day herebefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of taxes and assessments and of water rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Nov. 8, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.  
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
Dated, New York, Sept. 9, 1916. s11.21

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SECTION 1.  
RECEIVING BASIN adjacent to the southeast corner of FRONT and FULTON STS. Area of assessment affects block 74.

SECTION 2.  
RECEIVING BASIN adjacent to the southeast corner of 4TH ST. AND BROADWAY. Area of assessment affects block 531.

SECTION 3.  
W. 176TH ST.—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURRING from the west side of Audubon ave. to the easterly curb line of St. Nicholas ave. Area of assessment affects block 2133.

—That the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Sept. 5, 1916, and entered Sept. 5, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Nov. 4, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.  
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CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN WILLARD (VANDERVEER) AVE., from Fulton st. to Ridgewood ave., and in RIDGEWOOD AVE., from Hatch ave. to Walker ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 40 to 45, 81 to 88 and 124 to 129, all inclusive.

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SECTION 3.  
45TH ST.—PAVING between 7th and 8th ayes. Area of assessment affects blocks 741 and 750.

SECTIONS 5, 6, 12 AND 13.  
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS on BRADFORD ST., west side, No. 398, between Sutter and Blake ayes.; BRISTOL ST., west side, No. 92, between Pitkin and Sutter ayes., and No. 306, between Dumont and Livonia ayes.; CHESTER ST., west side, Nos. 210, 212 and 214, between Sutter and Blake ayes.; on CHRISTOPHER AVE., east side, No. 53, between Liberty and Glenmore ayes.; on HOWARD AVE., west side, southwest corner of Atlantic ave. to 180 feet south; EUCLID AVE., west side, north of Atlantic ave.; LIBERTY AVE., northeast corner of Wyona st.; OCEAN PL., east side, No. 13, between Herkimer st. and Atlantic ave. and OCEAN PL., west side, No. 30; on ROCKAWAY AVE., No. 659, southeast corner of Dumont ave.; STERLING PL., north side, Nos. 1727 to 1737, between Ralph and Howard ayes.; ST. JOHNS PL., north side, No. 1697, between Ralph and Howard ave., and WILLIAMS AVE., east side, No. 321, between Sutter and Blake ayes. Area of assessment affects property in front of which the work was done.

SECTION 12.  
BASINS AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF HINSDALE ST. AND NEWPORT AVE. Area of assessment affects blocks 3834 and 3835.

RIVERDALE AVE.—SEWER from Pennsylvania ave. to New Jersey ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3823 and 3840.

SEWER IN CHESTER ST., from Newport st. to Lott ave., and in LOTT AVE., from Chester st. to Rockaway ave., with a temporary connection at Chester st. Area of assessment affects blocks 3601, 3602, 3613, 3614, 3624 and 3625.

E. 21ST ST. (Kenmore pl.)—SEWER from Church ave. to Albermarle rd. Area of assessment affects block 5101 and 5102.

SECTION 17.  
17TH AVE.—PAVING from 45th to 46th sts. Area of assessment affects blocks 5434 and 5435.

20TH AVE.—SEWER from 65th to 66th sts. Area of assessment affects blocks 5555 and 5556.

SEWER BASIN at the northerly corner of 54th st. and 15th ave. Area of assessment affects block 5671.

SECTIONS 17 AND 19.  
RAY RIDGE AVE.—PAVING from 13th to 14th ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 5775 and 6156.

SECTION 19.  
13TH AVE.—PAVING AND CURBING from 75th to 79th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 6221, 6222, 6232, 6233, 6243, 6244, 6255 and 6256.

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WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
Dated, New York, Sept. 5, 1916. s11.21

**Sales of Tax Liens.**  
**Notice of Continuation of Manhattan Tax Sale.**

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan as to the liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Aug. 26, Oct. 7, Nov. 18, 1915; Jan. 6, Feb. 17, April 13, and July 13, 1916, has been continued to

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,**  
at 2 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fifth floor of the Municipal Building (room 512), Manhattan, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
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**Notice of Continuation of The Bronx Tax Sale.**

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID SPECIAL FRANCH



successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of the City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened Sept. 19, 1916, and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, Aug. 29, 1916. \$2,19

#### Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

**THE INTEREST DUE OCT. 1, 1916, ON** Registered and Coupon Bonds and stock of the City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 847, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Sts., Borough of Manhattan).

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable October 1, 1916, will be closed from Sept. 15, 1916, to Oct. 1, 1916.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, Sept. 1, 1916. \$1.01

#### Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:  
*Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.*

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

*Construction.*  
One company on a bond up to \$25,000.  
Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

*Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavement.*

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated Jan. 1, 1914.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916.**  
NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY FROM CURB TO RAIL OF 3D AVE. FROM 6TH ST. TO 8TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.  
The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 1—750 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 3b—60 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.  
Item 4—10 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—20 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.  
Item 6—80 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 square feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—420 cubic yards concrete outside of railroad area.  
Item 8—2,230 square yards wood block pavement outside of railroad area.  
Item 9—20 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.  
Item 10—2 sewer manhole heads and covers complete.  
Item 11—1 cover for sewer manhole.  
Item 11a—1 ring for sewer manhole.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—1 water manhole head and cover complete.

*Work in Railroad Area.*  
Item 7a—40 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8a—230 square yards wood block pavement.  
The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-two (22) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$3,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.  
The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 24TH ST. FROM BROADWAY TO 6TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—1,000 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—20 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.  
Item 6—30 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—530 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—2,970 square yards wood block pavement.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—2 water manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 14—10 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-one (21) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$3,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 31ST ST. FROM 3D AVE. TO LEXINGTON AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—590 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—150 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.  
Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—280 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—1,420 square yards granite block pavement.  
Item 10—2 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—1 cover for sewer manhole.  
Item 11a—1 ring for sewer manhole.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—1 water manhole head and cover, complete.  
Item 14—10 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-three (23) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 31ST ST. FROM 3D AVE. TO LEXINGTON AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—590 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—150 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.  
Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—280 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—1,420 square yards granite block pavement.  
Item 10—2 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—1 cover for sewer manhole.  
Item 11a—1 ring for sewer manhole.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—1 water manhole head and cover, complete.  
Item 14—10 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-three (23) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

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The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—2,860 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—200 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,030 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—5,250 square yards granite block pavement.  
Item 10—8 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—3 covers for sewer manholes.  
Item 11a—3 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—3 water manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 14—50 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-seven (37) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 31ST ST. FROM 3D AVE. TO LEXINGTON AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—590 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—150 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—280 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—1,420 square yards granite block pavement.  
Item 10—2 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—1 cover for sewer manhole.  
Item 11a—1 ring for sewer manhole.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—1 water manhole head and cover.  
Item 14—10 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-three (23) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 31ST ST. FROM 3D AVE. TO LEXINGTON AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—590 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 4—150 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—280 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—1,420 square yards granite block pavement.  
Item 10—2 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—1 cover for sewer manhole.  
Item 11a—1 ring for sewer manhole.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—1 water manhole head and cover, complete.  
Item 14—10 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twenty-three (23) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 126TH ST. FROM PARK AVE. TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—3,250 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.  
Item 3b—120 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—1,720 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,680 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—8,250 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

Item 9—440 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.  
Item 10—16 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 11—5 covers for sewer manholes.  
Item 11a—5 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—2 water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 14—400 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.  
The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.  
Dated, Sept. 14, 1916. \$14.25

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916.**  
FOR REGULATING AND GRADING W. 14TH ST. BROADWAY TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE, ALSO A LOW LEVEL STREET IN W. 14TH ST. 12TH AVE. TO 200 FEET EASTERLY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 1—22,000 cubic yards earth excavation.  
Item 2—100 cubic yards rock excavation.  
Item 3—7,000 cubic yards filling.  
Item 4—3 cubic yards Class A concrete.  
Item 5—100 cubic yards Class B concrete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-one (31) consecutive calendar days.  
The amount of security required will be \$4,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 126TH ST. FROM PARK AVE. TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—3,250 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.  
Item 3b—120 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—1,720 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,680 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—8,250 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 88TH ST. FROM CENTRAL PARK WEST TO BROADWAY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—3,790 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.  
Item 3b—60 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—120 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—60 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,280 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—6,480 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

Item 9—30 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.  
Item 10—10 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 11—4 covers for sewer manholes.  
Item 11a—4 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—3 water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 14—250 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.  
The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$5,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CATHEDRAL PARKWAY (110TH ST.) FROM LENOX AVE. TO 8TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—100 linear feet new 8-inch bluestone curbstone.

Item 3b—100 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.  
Item 4—2,920 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—50 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,750 cubic yards concrete outside of railroad area.

Item 8—9,520 square yards sheet asphalt pavement outside of railroad area.  
Item 9—20 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

Item 10—6 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.  
Item 11—2 covers for sewer manholes.

Item 11a—2 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—5 water manhole heads and covers, complete.

*Work in Railroad Area.*  
Item 7a—10 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8a—40 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 126TH ST. FROM PARK AVE. TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—3,250 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.  
Item 3b—120 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—1,720 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,680 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—8,250 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

Item 9—440 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.  
Item 10—16 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 11—5 covers for sewer manholes.  
Item 11a—5 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—2 water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 14—400 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.  
The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$6,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.  
Dated, Sept. 14, 1916. \$14.25

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SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916.**  
FOR REGULATING AND GRADING W. 14TH ST. BROADWAY TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE, ALSO A LOW LEVEL STREET IN W. 14TH ST. 12TH AVE. TO 200 FEET EASTERLY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 1—22,000 cubic yards earth excavation.  
Item 2—100 cubic yards rock excavation.  
Item 3—7,000 cubic yards filling.  
Item 4—3 cubic yards Class A concrete.  
Item 5—100 cubic yards Class B concrete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-one (31) consecutive calendar days.  
The amount of security required will be \$4,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 126TH ST. FROM PARK AVE. TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:  
Item 3—3,250 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.  
Item 3b—120 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—1,720 linear feet old curb, redressed.  
Item 5—10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6—10 linear feet granite headers.  
Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.  
Item 7—1,680 cubic yards concrete.  
Item 8—8,250 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

Item 9—440 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.  
Item 10—16 sewer manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 11—5 covers for sewer manholes.  
Item 11a—5 rings for sewer manholes.  
Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.  
Item 13—2 water manhole heads and covers, complete.

Item 14—400 linear feet platform flag, cut to line.  
The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) consecutive working days.

Item 6—700 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.  
Item 7—60 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class B.

Item 8—600 pounds reinforcing rods and bars.  
Item 9—1,600 linear feet new bluestone curbstone.

Item 10—50 linear feet old curbstone redressed.  
Item 11—6,200 square feet new bluestone flagging.

Item 12—100 square feet old flagging.  
Item 13—500 cubic yards dry rubble masonry.  
Item 14—5,200 cubic yards rubble concrete.  
Item 15—200 linear feet vitrified pipe, 4-inch in diameter.

Item 16—150 linear feet vitrified pipe, 8-inch in diameter.  
Item 17—1,000 feet B. M. timber.  
Item 18—360 linear feet guard rail.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) consecutive working days.  
The amount of security required will be \$15,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.  
Dated, Sept. 14, 1916. \$14.25

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SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1916.**  
FOR THE FURNISHING OF ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TUNNEL RELIEF SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN W. 46TH ST., FROM THE HUDSON RIVER TO 7TH AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, FOR WHICH A CONTRACT WAS ENTERED INTO BETWEEN THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND FRAZER & BURCHALL, OF 80 MADISON LANE, NEW YORK CITY, ON NOV. 29, 1915, AND WHICH WAS DECLARED ABANDONED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN ON AUG. 17, 1916.

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 to complete the original contract, is as follows:  
*Tunnel Items.*

Item 1—Excavation of shafts, in



or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or annexed hereto, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure or article by which the bid will be tested. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum. Blank forms may be had, and the drawings, form of specifications and contract may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Sewers, Room 2103, Municipal Building, Manhattan, and may be obtained upon payment of a nominal fee.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated Sept. 9, 1916. s9.26  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1916,**  
 FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE FULTON MARKET BUILDING LOCATED AT FULTON, FRONT AND SOUTH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be Sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated Sept. 8, 1916. s8.19  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1916,**  
 FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A NEW DRAINAGE AND WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM IN THE FULTON MARKET BUILDING, LOCATED AT FULTON, FRONT AND SOUTH STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be Fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated Sept. 8, 1916. s8.19  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

#### Local Board Meetings.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with Section 432 of the Greater New York Charter, that petitions:

1634—To construct a combined sewer (through an easement to be acquired) from Broad st. to Howard ave. to connect with the existing sewer in Broad st., in the Second Ward.

1635—To construct a sewer in Union ave., Mariners Harbor, N. Y., South from the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Co. tracks to Washington ave., connecting with a trunk line already authorized in an easement in what is known as the Northfield Boulevard. Also to construct a sewer in Chestnut st., Mariners Harbor, from the westerly side of Maple ave. to Union ave.

1636—To construct sewers in Crescent ave. from Richmond rd. to Fairview ave.; in Meadow ave. from Crescent ave. south; in Fairview ave. from Crescent ave. to Central ave., and in Central ave. from Fairview ave. west, and to construct a proper connection to the nearest available outlet sewer, in the Second Ward.

1637—To regulate, grade, curb, gutter and sidewalk Newark ave., Ward 3, for its full length.

1638—To regulate and grade Holland ave. from Richmond Terrace to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad tracks, Ward 3.

—have been presented to me and are on file in this office for inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Staten Island District will be held in Richmond Borough Hall, at St. George, Borough of Richmond, on the 26th day of September, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to said Board.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

FRANCIS O. DRISCOLL, Secretary. s14

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 noon on

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1916,**

**Borough of Richmond.**

FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ORIENT AVE. FROM OCCIDENT AVE. TO SUNRISE TERRACE; LOUIS ST. FROM HOWARD AVE. TO ORIENT AVE., AND PROSPECT ST. FROM YORK AVE. TO 100 FEET WEST OF FAIRVIEW AVE., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

3,400 square yards of granite block pavement, including sand bed and cement grout joints.

90 linear feet of new 4"x16" bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

360 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined, redressed and reset.

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

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper

envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where the plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated Sept. 7, 1916. s12.22  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916,**

**Borough of Richmond.**

FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH CONCRETE PAVEMENT THE ROADWAYS OF WILLOW BROOK RD. AND PORT RICHMOND RD. FROM RICHMOND TURNPIKE TO THE FARM COLONY RD., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

12,600 square yards of concrete pavement.

4,750 cubic yards of excavation.

20 cubic yards of reinforced concrete.

100 square feet of expanded metal No. 3-9-15.

72 linear feet of 12" C. I. culvert pipe, relaid.

1,500 linear feet of 4" underdrain, complete.

400 square feet of rubble masonry, pointed.

100 linear feet of guard rails.

1 basin ring and cover.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated Sept. 6, 1916. s11.21  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon, on

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1916,**

**Borough of Richmond.**

FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF WESTERVELT AVE. FROM ST. MARKS PL. TO 5TH AVE. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the materials, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, is as follows:

6,700 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, including mortar bed and cement grout joints.

1,140 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

25 linear feet of new 5 inch by 16 inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

10 linear feet of old curb, rejoined, redressed and reset.

10 square yards of asphalt block gutter, relaid on new mortar bed.

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

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I., where plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President.

Dated Aug. 29, 1916. s9.20  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

#### Notices of Examinations.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916, TO THURSDAY, SEPT. 28, 1916,**

for the position of

**ASSISTANT ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, ASSISTANT GRADE E.**

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1916,** will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Technical, 7; 75% required. Experience, 3; 70% required. A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The salary ranges from \$600 to, but not including, \$1,200 per annum.

Vacancies occur from time to time. The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

a30s14 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$2,280 to \$3,180. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1916, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

There are two vacancies in the Bureau of Fire Alarm Telegraph, Fire Department.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

s14.28 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1916, TO TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1916,**

for the position of

**PATROLMAN, POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. **TUESDAY, SEPT. 26, 1916,** will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Physical development and strength, 50; mental test, 50.

The subjects and weights of the mental test are as follows: Memory test, 3; arithmetic, 2; government and elementary duties, 5.

Seventy per cent. will be required on the mental examination; 70 per cent. will be required on physical development; 70 per cent. will be required on strength; 70 per cent. will be required on all.

Applicants will be received from persons who are twenty-one (21) years of age on or before the date of the mental examination. Applications will not be received from persons who are more than twenty-nine (29) years of age on the date of filing applications.

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 7½ inches in height.

Applicants will be notified later of the date of the physical examination.

The mental examination will be held on **THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1917,** at 10 o'clock a. m.

Applicants will be required to submit with their applications a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized, or other satisfactory proof.

All foreign-born applicants will be required to submit evidence of citizenship; naturalization papers should be attached to application.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residence or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The term of eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

s5.26 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1916, TO THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916,**

for the position of

**STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER, FEMALE, GRADE 2.**

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916,** will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Dictation, 5 (of which rapidity in taking shorthand notes will count 2 and accuracy in transcription will count 3); 70% required. Tabulation, 1. Copying Test, 2 (speed in transcribing from plain copy to machine). Facility in Transcribing, 1 (speed in transcribing a passage dictated at the rate of 90 words per minute). Spelling, 1; 70% required. 70% General Average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

In the Dictation Test three readings will be given; one at 100 words per minute, one at 115 words per minute, and one at 130 words per minute, carrying the ratings of 70%, 85%, and 100%, respectively, on Rapidity.

In rating Accuracy, exactness, correctness of form, neatness, freedom from interlineations, alterations, etc., will be considered. Time limits will be set in connection with each test. Candidates must furnish their own note books, typewriting machines, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines, ncr will allow any allowance be made where machines are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The salary ranges from \$600 to, but not including, \$1,200 per annum.

Vacancies occur from time to time. The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

a30s14 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, until 11 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916,**

**NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT GRADE 1 GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SMITH ST. FROM HAMILTON AVE. TO PERCIVAL ST. THE BLOCKS USED ON THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE NEW GRANITE BLOCKS.**

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

150 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

2,090 linear feet new curbstone set in concrete.

320 linear feet granite heading stones set in concrete.

830 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area.

5 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.

4,970 square yards grade 1 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand, outside railroad area.

55 square yards grade 1 granite pavement, with joint filler of coal tar pitch and sand, within railroad area.

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

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper

15 square yards adjacent pavement to be relaid. Time allowed, 40 working days. Security required, \$8,000.

**NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE AREA OF THE SIDEWALKS AND BETWEEN THE CURB LINES AND THE MACADAM PAVEMENT, SETTING CURB AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON 88TH ST., FROM 4TH AVE. TO 7TH AVE.**

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

1,420 cubic yards excavation.

15 cubic yards fill (not to be bid for).

50 linear feet old curbstone reset in concrete.

4,380 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

19,530 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.

2 sewer basins rebuilt.

Time allowed, 40 working days. Security required, \$2,200.

**NO. 3. FOR INSTALLING A CORRUGATED PIPE CULVERT AND FILLING IN SPACE OCCUPIED BY A BRIDGE OVER CONEY ISLAND CREEK AT EMMONS AVE., NEAR THE BRIGHTON RAILROAD, BROOKLYN.**

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

6,000 cubic yards fill (to be furnished).

160 linear feet corrugated pipe culvert, furnished and laid.

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, \$1,300.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, 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, Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, Sept. 6, 1916. s9.21  
**See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Department of Correction and Department of Health at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12:30 p. m., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916,**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CANNED GOODS AND GROCERIES.**

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the contract awarded. No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

**BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS,**  
 JOHN W. BRANNAN, President, Board of Trustees.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,**  
 BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,**  
 H. EMERSON, Commissioner.

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except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Department of Public Charities, Department of Plant and Structures and Department of Correction, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12:30 p. m., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916,**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GASOLINE.**



### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1916. Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ITEM 1, CHLORINE GAS; ITEM 2, CHLOR- IDE OF LIME.

The time allowed for the performance of the contracts is until Dec. 31, 1916.  
The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.  
No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid. Awards, if made, will be made to the lowest formal bidder for each item.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.  
WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.  
Dated Sept. 6, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commission of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1916. Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UN- LOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, VALVES AND DOUBLE NOZ- ZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) calendar days on each section.

The security required will be Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars on Section I., Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars on Section II., and Two Hundred (\$200) Dollars on Section III.

Certified check in the amount of five per centum (5%) of the security required must accompany each bid.

Bids will be received for each section singly, or for all sections; but in comparing the bids, the bids for each section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by sections.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.  
Dated Sept. 1, 1916. s13.25

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

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Richmond.

FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 8, AT THE INTERSECTION OF LINDENWOOD AVE. AND SCHOOL ST., ABOUT 450 FEET SOUTHERLY FROM THE AMBOY RD., GREAT KILLS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO CHARLES WILLIAMS, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).  
The deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

The work in question is for the completion of the said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the Addenda which has been inserted in the original specification.

The quantities of work to be done and the material to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the Addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate and must examine the Addenda, and the original plans and specifications.

Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE OF ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 20, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF BROADWAY, BETWEEN VREELAND AND ELIZABETH STS., PORT RICHMOND, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO CHARLES WILLIAMS, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

The work in question is for the completion of the said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the Addenda which has been inserted in the original specification.

The quantities of work to be done and the material to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the Addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate and must examine the Addenda, and the original plans and specifications.

Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Richmond.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 46, ST. NICHOLAS AVE. AND 156TH ST., AND ANNEX TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 46, 922 ST. NICHOLAS AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be thirty (30) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 46, Item 1, \$100. Annex to P. S. 46, Item 2, \$400; Item 3, \$300; Item 4, \$300; Item 5, \$300.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item

shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR INSTALLING APPARATUS FOR VENTILATING MOTION PICTURE BOOTH, TOILETS AND SHOWER ROOM, IN CONNECTION WITH DUPLICATE SCHOOL PLAN, IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 72, 101, 109, 168 AND 171, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work in each school will be sixty (60) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 72, \$500; P. S. 101, \$400; P. S. 109, \$600; P. S. 168, \$400; P. S. 171, \$400.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT, DUPLICATE SCHOOL PLAN, AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 72, 101, 109, 168 AND 171, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work in each school will be sixty (60) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 72, \$2,000; P. S. 101, \$200; P. S. 109, \$1,800; P. S. 168, \$2,600; P. S. 171, \$1,600.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION; ALSO ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 16, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF WILSON STREET, 80 FEET EASTERLY FROM BEDFORD AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each item will be two hundred (200) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$40,000; Item 2, \$4,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Edu- cation, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRS TO BOILERS, AT STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, 16TH ST., NEAR 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be eighteen (18) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated Sept. 13, 1916. s13.25

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

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1916, FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR:

CONTRACT NO. 1—GENERAL ALTERATION AND CONSTRUCTION WORK, ETC.

CONTRACT NO. 2—PLUMBING WORK, ETC.

CONTRACT NO. 3—STEAM HEATING WORK.

—FOR PROPOSED RESIDENCE FOR MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT, SEA VIEW HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of each contract is forty (40) consecutive working days.

The security required will be as follows: Contract No. 1, one thousand dollars (\$1,000); Contract No. 2, two hundred dollars (\$200); Contract No. 3, six hundred dollars (\$600). A separate bid or estimate must be submitted for each contract for which the bidder desires to bid, and award will be made thereon.

Certified check or cash in the sum of \$50 on Contract No. 1, \$10 on Contract No. 2, and \$30 on Contract No. 3 must accompany each bid.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified in each contract, as each contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.  
Dated Aug. 29, 1916. s13.15

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

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Char- ities at the office of the Central Purchase Com- mittee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Man- hattan, until 12 noon, on

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SAL. SODA, STARCH, CHIP SOAP AND LAUNDRY SOAP.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount awarded.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.  
JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. s2.14

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

except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

#### Invitation to Contractors.

Part of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of the 239th Street Yard of Route No. 18, a part of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 28th day of September, 1916, at eleven thirty (11:30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The said part to be constructed is to be a railroad yard built partly in open cut and partly on embankment, and a connection between said yard and the main line of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad in White Plains Road built partly on embankment and partly on steel construction, extending over and upon private property, in the Borough of The Bronx, bounded by White Plains rd., E. 239th st., Byron ave., Baychester and Bissel ave. The work will also include the reconstruction of part of the existing elevated railroad on White Plains Road, the care and support and, where necessary, the readjustment of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The Contractor must complete the work within ten (10) months from the delivery of the contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this Invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, Sept. 8, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary. s12.28

Installation of Tracks for a Port



on the north side of W. 209th st. Time allowed for completion, 45 calendar days. Security required, \$5,400.

Class 2—For dredging about 15,000 cubic yards on the south side of W. 209th st. Time allowed for completion, 20 calendar days. Security required, \$2,400.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for doing all of the work called for in the class on which he desires to bid. Each class of the contract is a separate and distinct contract in itself and awards, if made, will be made in each class to the bidder whose price per cubic yard is the lowest for doing all of the work called for in the class and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

RICHARD C. HARRISON, First Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Docks. s2,15

Dated August 31, 1916.  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

#### Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Friday, Sept. 22, 1916, at 10 a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
5211. W. 161st st., from Ft. Washington ave. to Riverside Drive Service st.

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
5241. Review pl., from W. 238th st. to W. 239th st.  
5242. Dyre ave., from Boston rd. to the City Line.  
5243. Waterbury ave., from Westchester ave. to Zerega ave.

**Borough of Queens.**  
5216. Franklin pl., from Jamaica ave. to Jagger ave., Third Ward.  
5245. Bedford (Oakley) ave., from Chichester ave. (University pl.) to Kimball ave., Fourth Ward.  
5246. Sedgwick st., from Hughes st. to Sedgwick pl., Second Ward.

**Borough of Richmond.**  
A25. Beechwood ave., from Crescent ave. to Fifth st.  
A26. Richmond Turnpike, from Jewett ave. to Little Clove rd.  
A27. Nelson ave., from Amboy rd. to a point about 1,062 feet east of Southfield Boulevard.  
A28. First ave., from Westervelt ave. to Sherman ave.  
A29. Wright ave., from Richmond Terrace to a point 625 feet southerly therefrom.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
5212. Dumont ave., from Cleveland st. to Ashford st.  
5213. Hemlock st., from Ridgewood ave. to Etna st.  
5214. Seelye st., from Gravesend ave. to 18th st.  
5217. Amboy st., from Blake ave. to Dumont ave.  
5218. Belmont ave., from Pennsylvania ave. to Wyona st.  
5219. 83rd st., from 20th ave. to 21st ave.  
5228. Barrett st., from Dumont ave. to Livonia ave.  
5229. Cleveland st., from Dumont ave. to Livonia ave.  
5230. Hegeman ave., from Snediker ave. to Williams ave.  
5231. Williams ave., from Hegeman ave. to Vienna ave.  
5232. Bay Ridge pl., from Ovington ave. to a line about 100 feet northerly.  
5233. 71st st., from 18th ave. to 19th ave.  
5234. Avenue M., from E. 5th st. to Ocean Parkway.

5235. E. 37th st., from Avenue I to Avenue J.  
5236. E. 39th st., from Avenue I to Avenue K.  
5247. Bay 34th st., from 86th st. to Cropsey ave.

A4. Barrett st., from Blake ave. to Dumont ave.  
A6. Belmont ave., from Van Sinderen ave. to Snediker ave., and from Alabama ave. to Pennsylvania ave.  
A11. Grafton st., from Blake ave. to Livonia ave.  
A14. Hopkinson ave., from Dumont ave. to Livonia ave.  
A16. Lincoln pl., from Buffalo ave. to Rochester ave.  
A17. Second ave., from 43rd st. to 52nd st.  
A18. Flatlands ave., from Rockaway ave. to E. 92nd st.  
A19. Porter ave., from Meeker ave. to Anthony st.  
A20. 61st st., from 17th ave. to 18th ave.  
A23. Glenmore ave., from Doscher st. to Eldert Lane.  
A24. Avenue L, from E. 92nd st. to E. 96th st.

A30. Skillman ave., from Kingsland ave. to Morgan ave.  
A31. Seventh ave., from 60th st. to 65th st.  
A32. Albemarle rd., from E. 2nd st. to E. 3rd st.  
A33. Albemarle rd., from Gravesend ave. to E. 2nd st.  
A34. Warren st., from 414 feet west of Columbia st. to Columbia st.  
A35. Butler st., from Fourth ave. to Fifth ave.  
A36. Crosby ave., from Vermont ave. to a line about 100 feet southwest of Bulwer pl.  
A37. Concord st., from Flatbush ave. Extension to Bridge st.  
A38. Dean st., from Nostrand ave. to New York ave.  
A39. Debevoise ave., from Benton (Jackson) st. to Maspeth ave.  
A40. E. 21st st., from Church ave. to Albemarle rd.  
A41. Fulton st., from Reid ave. to Williams pl.  
A42. Hicks st., from Joralemon st. to Atlantic ave.  
A43. Irving ave., from Starr st. to Suydam st.  
A44. Kings Highway, from Coney Island ave. to E. 16th st.  
A45. Midwood st., from Flatbush ave. to Bedford ave.  
A46. Moore st., from Broadway to Graham ave.  
A47. Monitor st., from Driggs ave. to Engert ave.  
A48. Montgomery st., from Utica ave. to Schenectady ave.  
A49. Surf ave., from W. 8th st. to W. 20th st.

A50. Surf ave., from W. 20th st. to W. 37th st.

A51. Shell rd., from the intersection of 86th st. and Avenue X to W. 6th st. and W. 6th st., from Shell rd. to Neptune ave.

A52. 23rd ave., from 79th st. to Stillwell ave. and 78th st., from 22nd ave. to 23rd ave.

A53. Vermont st., from Dumont ave. to Livonia ave.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors. St. George B. TUCKER, Secretary. August 29, 1916. A29,31,55,7,12,14,19,21

### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, 177th st. and 3rd ave., until 10.30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1916,

NO. 1. REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS, THE ROADWAYS OF, AND LAYING CONCRETE SIDEWALKS ON THE BRIDGES OVER THE TRACKS OF THE N. Y. C. & H. R. R. AT GERARD RIVER AND WALTON AVES., BETWEEN E. 151ST ST. AND E. 153D ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

1,000 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (medium traffic mixture), and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

145 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

5,750 square feet of one-course concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 35 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Fourteen Hundred (\$1,400) Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT AND GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF DALY AVE., FROM TREMONT AVE. TO BRONX PARK SOUTH, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

6,020 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement (medium traffic mixture), and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of completion.

140 square yards of granite block pavement outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for one year from date of completion.

100 square yards of granite block pavement, in railroad area.

600 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

425 linear feet of new curb.

700 linear feet of old curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 35 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract will be Five Thousand (\$5,000) Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the contract.

Blank forms of bids or estimates upon which bids must be made can be obtained upon application therefor, the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President. s14,26

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

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

#### Notice of Public Hearings.

##### FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held July 27, 1916, the following petition was received:

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

Union Railway Company of New York City, a New York corporation, owning and operating a street surface railroad in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, City of New York, hereby petitions for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a double track extension of its existing railroad in the Borough of Manhattan, in, upon, along and over the following described route:

Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks of the Company in Emerson street at or near its intersection with Vermlieye avenue; thence southwesterly in, upon and along Vermlieye avenue to its intersection with Dyckman street; thence westerly in, upon and along Dyckman street to the Hudson River.

It is proposed to operate the said extension by an overhead current of electricity similar to that employed by the Company on its existing lines of railroad.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1916.

Union Railway Company of New York City, By Edward A. Maher, Vice-President. Attest: Shelton E. Martin, Secretary. (Corporate Seal, State of New York, County of New York, ss.)

Edward A. Maher, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Vice-President of Union Railway Company of New York City, the petitioner herein; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true. Edward A. Maher. Sworn to, before me this 16th day of June, 1916. Charles Witzel, Notary Public, Bronx County New York. Certificate filed in N. Y. Co. Bronx Co. No. 21, Bronx Reg. No. 704, N. Y. Co. No. 27, N. Y. Reg. No. 7058. Commission expires March 30, 1917.

and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the Union Railway Company of New York City, dated June 16, 1916, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held July 27, 1916.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the fifteenth day of September, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, that the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10)

days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, No. 4560 Worth. New York, July 27, 1916. s2,15

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held July 27, 1916, the following petition was received:

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

Third Avenue Bridge Company, a New York corporation, owning and operating a street surface railroad in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, City of New York, hereby petitions for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a double track extension of its existing railroad in the Borough of Queens in, upon, along and over the following described route:

Beginning at and connecting with the existing tracks in the Queensboro Bridge Plaza at or near Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, over which the Company now operates its cars under and by virtue of a certain Franchise Contract with the City of New York, dated December 31, 1909; thence southerly to and across Jackson Avenue and upon and over the Queens Boulevard Viaduct and its approaches to Queens Boulevard; thence easterly in, upon and along Queens Boulevard to a point at or near its intersection with Fifth street.

It is proposed to operate the said extension by an overhead current of electricity.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1916.

Third Avenue Bridge Company, By Edward A. Maher, Vice-President. Attest: Shelton E. Martin, Secretary. (Corporate Seal, State of New York, County of New York, ss.)

Edward A. Maher, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Vice-President of Third Avenue Bridge Company, the petitioner herein; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true. Edward A. Maher. Sworn to, before me this 16th day of June, 1916. Charles Witzel, Notary Public, Bronx County, New York. Certificate filed in N. Y. Co. Bronx Co. No. 21, Bronx Reg. No. 704, N. Y. Co. No. 27, N. Y. Reg. No. 7058. Commission expires March 30, 1917.

and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Whereas, the foregoing petition from the Third Avenue Bridge Company, dated June 16, 1916, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held July 27, 1916.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the fifteenth day of September, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, that the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the "City Record" immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, No. 4560 Worth. New York, July 27, 1916. s2,15

#### Notice of Public Hearing.

##### PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on July 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 12), the Board continued until September 22, 1916, the hearing in the matter of amending the proceeding authorized by said Board on May 4, 1911, for acquiring title to Chicago street from Corona avenue to Queens Boulevard; Toledo avenue from South Railroad avenue to Queens Boulevard; Parcel street from Gay street to Corona avenue; Medina place from Gerry avenue to Corona avenue; and the Public place bounded by Chicago street, Justice street and Laconia street, Borough of Queens, so as to relate to Chicago street from Corona avenue to Queens Boulevard; Toledo street from Corona avenue to Queens Boulevard; Parcel street from Gay street to Corona avenue; Medina place from Gerry avenue to Corona avenue; and the Public place bounded by Chicago street, Justice street and Laconia street.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, September 22, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. The following is the proposed modified district of assessment in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Gay street and Hanover avenue, as these streets are laid out between Corona avenue and Hammond place, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Corona avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Corona avenue, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between Gay street and Hanover avenue and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Toledo street and Gay street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Toledo street and Gay street and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Toledo street and Hanover avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Toledo street and Hanover avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the center lines of Toledo street and Hanover avenue, as these streets are laid out between Norfolk street and Orantes street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting 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 the intersection with the northerly line of Queens Boulevard; thence southwardly at right angles to Queens Boulevard to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from its southwesterly side; thence northwardly along a straight line to a point on the southeasterly line of Woodhaven avenue, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Queens Boulevard, as this street is laid out between Culler street and Buskirk place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Queens Boulevard; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Queens Boulevard and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 290 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Chicago street as this street

is laid out between Laconia street and Martense street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Chicago street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Chicago street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Roach place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Roach place; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Roach place and along the prolongation of the said line, to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Corona avenue; thence generally eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Corona avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, September 9, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. s9,20

### DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1916, FOR REPAVING THE APPROACHES OF CITY ISLAND BRIDGE OVER PELHAM BAY NARROWS.

The Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications within eighty (80) consecutive working days from the date of certification.

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 Plant and Structures.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner. s13,25

Dated Sept. 11, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916, FOR PLUMBING AND VACUUM LINE WORK IN THE TOWER OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months. The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner. s9,21

Dated, Sept. 5, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916, FOR HEATING WORK IN THE TOWER OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months.

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner. s9,21

Dated, Sept. 5, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916, FOR THE INTERIOR FINISH OF THE TOWER OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner. s9,21

Dated, Sept. 5, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916, FOR PLUMBING AND REFRIGERATING WORK IN THE KITCHEN AND DINING ROOM QUARTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to



the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months.

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.  
Dated, Sept. 5, 1916. s2.21  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916.**  
FOR VENTILATING AND HEATING WORK IN KITCHEN AND DINING ROOM QUARTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months.

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.  
Dated, Sept. 5, 1916. s2.21  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916.**  
FOR THE FINISH OF THE KITCHEN AND DINING ROOM QUARTERS ON THE 25TH AND 26TH FLOORS OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

After the certification of the contract by the Comptroller of The City of New York, the Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed, and the Contractor will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications on or before the expiration of six (6) calendar months.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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. The award, if any, will be made to the lowest bidder for the whole work.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

F. I. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.  
Dated, Sept. 5, 1916. s2.21  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1916.**  
FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL FOR DRIVING WELLS AT NEW HAMPTON FARMS, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, 24th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, or from Wm. Goldsmith, Construction Engineer, New Hampton, Orange Co., New York.

s2.21 BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916.**  
FOR THE NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO GAS FITTING, AS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED ON THE DAY CAMP "MANHATTAN," MOORED AT THE FOOT OF E. 91ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 5 per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on the entire contract.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary pro tem. Dated Sept. 2, 1916. s2.14

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916.**  
FOR THE NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO STEAM HEATING, AS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED ON THE DAY

CAMP "MANHATTAN," MOORED AT THE FOOT OF E. 91ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 5 per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on the entire contract.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary pro tem. Dated Sept. 2, 1916. s2.14

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916.**  
FOR THE NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO PLUMBING, AS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED ON THE DAY CAMP "MANHATTAN," MOORED AT THE FOOT OF E. 91ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 5 per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on the entire contract.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary pro tem. Dated Sept. 2, 1916. s2.14

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916.**  
FOR THE NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED TO MAKE CERTAIN ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS AS HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED ON THE DAY CAMP "MANHATTAN," MOORED AT THE FOOT OF E. 91ST ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

No bond will be required with the bid, but will be required upon awarding of the contract, in an amount equal to 50 per cent. of the contract.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than 5 per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on the entire contract.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary pro tem. Dated Sept. 2, 1916. s2.14

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Health and Department of Public Charities at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1916.**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LABORATORY APPARATUS, ETC.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount awarded.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, H. EMERSON, Commissioner.  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. s2.14

See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

#### SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

##### Notice to File Claims.

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 RADCLIFF AVENUE, from the northerly line of former old Pierce avenue, distant about 143 feet northerly from Sacket avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated August 17, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, on August 19, 1916, so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by

the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 3, 1916, and approved by the Mayor March 8, 1916, in which Radcliff avenue is given an outlet into Sacket avenue at a point distant about 20 feet west of the position it heretofore occupied; the proceeding as amended providing for the acquisition of title to Radcliff avenue between the limits mentioned in the proceeding of September 17, 1915, as said Radcliff avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated August 17, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on August 19, 1916, 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 for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of Radcliff avenue, from the northerly line of Sacket avenue to the northerly line of former old Pierce avenue, distant about 143 feet northerly from Sacket avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," and the petition and order granting the application to condemn in the said proceeding, were amended so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 3, 1916, and approved by the Mayor March 8, 1916, in which Radcliff avenue is given an outlet into Sacket avenue at a point distant about 20 feet west of the position it heretofore occupied; the proceeding as now amended providing for the acquisition of title to Radcliff avenue between the limits mentioned in the proceeding of September 17, 1915, as said Radcliff avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to Section 1000 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, the amended map or survey of the land to be acquired in this amended proceeding was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on the 28th day of August, 1916, and each and every party and person interested in the real property to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending of Radcliff avenue from the northerly line of Sacket avenue to the northerly line of former old Pierce avenue, distant about 143 feet northerly from Sacket avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York, having any claim or demand on account thereof, is hereby required to file his claim, duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested, and stating his Post Office Address, with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on or before the 15th day of September, 1916, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room No. 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 15th day of September, 1916, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, September 2, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. s2-14

#### SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

##### Notice of Appointment.

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 33D STREET, from Roosevelt avenue to Jackson avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the fourteenth day of July, 1916, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the eighteenth day of July, 1916, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, We, William A. De Groot, David Oggins and Leonard Barthel, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the opening and extending of the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the eighteenth day of July, 1916; and the said William A. De Groot was appointed Commissioner of Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened and extended, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and not required for the purpose of opening and extending the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the eighteenth day of July, 1916, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending the said street or avenue and affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, with such affidavit and other proof as the said owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of September, 1916, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated New York, September 14, 1916.  
WILLIAM A. DE GROOT, DAVID OGGINS, LEONARD BARTHEL, Commissioners.  
WALTER C. SHEPARD, Clerk. s14

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee

wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CROPSY AVENUE, from Harway avenue to Stillwell avenue, subject to such rights of the West End Division of the Nassau Electric Railroad as cannot be acquired under the Condemnation Law; and BAY 38TH STREET, from Cropsy avenue to Harway avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of July, 1916, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 1st day of August, 1916, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, We, Edmund D. Hennessy, John F. Dwyer and Joseph A. Guider were appointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening and extending the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of August, 1916; and the said Edmund D. Hennessy was appointed Commissioner of Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened and extended, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and not required for the purpose of opening and extending the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of August, 1916, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts or duties required of us by the Greater New York Charter, as amended, by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending the said street or avenue, and affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavit or other proofs as the owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of September, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, September 14, 1916.  
JOSEPH A. GUIDER, JOHN F. DWYER, EDMUND D. HENNESSY, Commissioners.  
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. s14

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BAY 37TH STREET, from 86th street to Cropsy avenue, and BAY 38TH STREET, from Bath avenue to Cropsy avenue, subject to such rights of the West End Division of the Nassau Electric Railroad as cannot be acquired under the Condemnation Law, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of July, 1916, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 1st day of August, 1916, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, We, Joseph C. Totten, Joseph G. Huntington and Daniel M. Hurley were appointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening and extending the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of August, 1916; and the said Joseph C. Totten was appointed Commissioner of Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened and extended, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and not required for the purpose of opening and extending the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of August, 1916, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts or duties required of us by the Greater New York Charter, as amended, by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending the said street or avenue, and affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavit or other proof as the owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of September, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time



and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, September 14, 1916.  
CHARLES TOTTE, JOS. G. HUNTINGTON, DANIEL M. HURLEY, Commissioners.  
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. s14

#### Application to Court to Condemn Property.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NETCONG AVENUE (Foley avenue), from Chichester avenue to Roston street (Johnson avenue), as said Netcong avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 26th day of September, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be acquired for such improvement, ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, and to have the cost of such improvement assessed by the said Court, as hereinafter set forth, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, together with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Netcong avenue (Foley avenue), from Chichester avenue to Roston street (Johnson avenue), as said Netcong avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of The City of New York, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and describe as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Netcong avenue with the northerly line of Chichester avenue; running thence westerly for 45.03 feet along the northerly line of Chichester avenue to the northerly line of Netcong avenue; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 88° 00' 45" for 200.33 feet along the westerly line of Netcong avenue to the southerly line of Roston street; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 91° 59' 15" for 45.03 feet along the southerly line of Roston street to the easterly line of Netcong avenue; thence southerly for 200.33 feet along the easterly line of Netcong avenue to the northerly line of Chichester avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Netcong avenue, extending from Chichester avenue to Roston street, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, is laid down upon map showing a change in the street system heretofore laid out within the territory bounded by Sanders place, Roston street, Liverpool street and Chichester avenue, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 14, 1916, by the Mayor April 24, 1916, copies of which were filed at the office of the County Clerk of Queens County at Jamaica July 13, 1916, at the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York July 10, 1916, and at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens July 14, 1916.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolutions adopted on the 29th day of July, 1915, and the 26th day of May, 1916, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Roston street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Roston street; on the east by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Netcong avenue and the westerly line of Liverpool street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Chichester avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Chichester avenue; and on the west by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the westerly line of Netcong avenue and the easterly line of Sanders place.

Dated, New York, September 14, 1916.  
IAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. s14.25

#### Filing Bills of Costs.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DITMARS AVE. N. E. from 43rd street to Astoria avenue, and 43RD STREET, from Ditmars avenue to the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 22nd day of September, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, September 8, 1916.  
WILLIAM H. WADE, FRANK L. STILES, JOSEPH W. GOODWIN, Commissioners of Estimate; JOSEPH W. GOODWIN, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. s8.19

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of UNION STREET, from New York avenue to Rochester avenue, and from Ralph avenue to East New York avenue, in the 24th and 29th Wards, Boroughs of Brooklyn, the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special

Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, August 30, 1916.  
JAMES A. BLANCHFIELD, DAVID HIRSHFIELD, GEORGE ECKSTEIN, Commissioners of Estimate; JAMES A. BLANCHFIELD, Commissioner of Assessment.  
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. s5.15

#### Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to Acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required, for the opening and extending of EAST 98TH STREET, from East New York avenue to the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad, in the 29th and 32d 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, Commissioner of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23rd day of September, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 28th day of September, 1916, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Estimate, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 23rd day of September, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 29th day of September, 1916, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 3rd day of April, 1913, as amended by resolutions dated April 17, 1914, and June 11, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of East New York avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Union street and Taspott street and running thence southerly along the said line midway between Union street and Taspott street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Pitkin avenue and Sutter avenue, as these streets are laid out east of Howard avenue; thence easterly along the said prolongation of a line midway between Pitkin avenue and Sutter avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Taspott street and Howard avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Taspott street and Howard avenue, as these streets are laid out between East New York avenue and Sutter avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Taspott street and Howard avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Sutter avenue and Blake avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Sutter avenue and Blake avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Grafton street and Barrett street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Grafton street and Barrett street to the intersection with a line midway between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Barrett street and Saratoga avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Barrett street and Saratoga avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Dumont avenue and Livonia avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Dumont avenue and Livonia avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Saratoga avenue and Douglass street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Saratoga avenue and Douglass street to the intersection with a line midway between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Livonia avenue and Riverdale avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Douglass street and Ames street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Douglass street and Ames street to the intersection with a line midway between Riverdale avenue and Newport street; thence easterly along the said line midway between Riverdale avenue and Newport street to the intersection with a line midway between Ames street and Amboy street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Ames street and Amboy street to the intersection with a line midway between Newport street and Lott avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Newport street and Lott avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Lott avenue and Hegeman avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Lott avenue and Hegeman avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Bristol street and Chester street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Bristol street and Chester street to the intersection with a line midway between Hegeman avenue and Vienna avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Hegeman avenue and Vienna avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Chester street and Rockaway avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Chester street and Rockaway avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue; thence easterly along the said line midway between Vienna avenue and Stanley avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Rockaway avenue and Thattford avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Rockaway avenue and Thattford avenue to the intersection with the northwesterly right-of-way of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence southwesterly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line midway between East 95th street and East 96th street; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between East 95th street and East 96th

street to the intersection with the southerly line of East New York avenue; thence northwesterly parallel with Buffalo avenue to the intersection with the northerly line of President street; thence easterly and parallel with East New York avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with President street and passing through the point of beginning; thence easterly along the said line parallel with President street to the point or place of beginning.

II. Beginning at a point on a line midway between Rockaway Parkway and East 98th street, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Rockaway avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Rockaway avenue; and running thence northwesterly and parallel with Rockaway avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Rockaway avenue and passing through a point on its easterly side where it is intersected by a line midway between East 98th street and East 99th street; thence easterly along the said line at right angles to Rockaway avenue to its easterly side; thence southeasterly along the said line midway between East 98th street and East 99th street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Foster avenue; thence southwesterly and parallel with Foster avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 98th street and Rockaway Parkway; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between East 98th street and Rockaway Parkway 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 Land Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 30th day of September, 1916.

Fifth.—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of October, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, August 31, 1916.  
P. HOWARD WORTH, JACOB C. KLINCK, Commissioners of Estimate; P. HOWARD WORTH, Commissioner of Assessment.  
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. a31.s18

#### 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 will 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 damage or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of 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 openings of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurte-

nances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

"No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions, shall in any case be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, title thereto shall thereupon become vested in The City of New York and a resale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made."

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or officers, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be 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 or quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.